# STANLIB Multi-Manager Funds Limited Multi Manager Global Equity Fund (USD)



\$ 2,500

\$1,000

Fund information update at 31 March 2024

#### What is the fund's objective?

The Multi-Manager Global Equity Fund (the Fund) is a 'fund of funds' which invests in collective investment funds and is designed to provide long term capital appreciation through investment solely in equity oriented funds with a bias towards the domestic markets of the base currency of the Fund. The Manager will look to maintain a fully invested equity strategy at all times.

### What does the fund invest in?

Dynamic Multi Asset Exposure - the Fund is a highly diversified one stop global equity investment solution investing in a dynamic blend of best of breed managers covering a wide range of investment styles. The Fund may also seek to offer clients meaningful exposure to niche areas of the equity markets with long term structural tailwinds to company earnings growth via thematic strategies. This is achieved via specialist managers with the expertise, experience and resources to invest in these markets.

# What possible risks are associated with this fund?

General risks include market fluctuations and share price volatility, changes in interest rates, changes in economic conditions, currency risk and credit risk. Where foreign securities are included in the portfolio there may be additional risks, such as potential constraints on liquidity and the repatriation of funds, macroeconomic risks, foreign exchange, political risks, tax risks, settlement risks, and potential limitations on the availability of market information.

Risk rating				
Conservative	Moderately conservative	Moderate	Moderately aggressive	Aggressive

# What is the suggested investment period for this fund?

Minimum period						
1 Month	6 Months	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	

## Who should consider investing in this fund?

The Fund is an aggressive portfolio, suited to investors seeking the longer-term reward of equity investment and who are prepared to accept the higher level of volatility normally associated with this type of investment.

### Income

**Distribution** Income available for distribution attributable to the Multi Manager Global Equity Classes shall be accumulated and not distributed to Shareholders.

#### **General fund information**

Manager(s) David Jardine and Carl Stirrup

Size (NAV) \$ 72.99 million

Benchmark Bloomberg World Large & Mid Cap NR USD

Section 65 Approved

Initial

Subsequent

This Class Fund is approved for sale in South Africa under Section 65 of the Collective Investment Schemes Control Act, 2002 (CISCA).

	Class B	Class C
Launch	15 February 2016	10 February 2017
ISIN number	JE00BYYWC251	JE00BD3HBK51
SEDOL code	BYYWC25	BD3HBK5
Bloomberg	MMGEUSB JY	MMGEUSC JY
Minimum inve	stment requirements -	
New business	Open	Open

## What are the costs to invest in this fund?

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Maximum charges					
	Class B	Class C			
Initial fee (manager)	0.000%	0.000%			
Initial fee (adviser)	3.000%	3.000%			
Annual fee (manager)	1.100%	0.800%			
Annual fee (adviser)	0.000%	0.000%			
Performance fee	N/A	N/A			

**Annual fee (manager)** - this is a service charge (% based) applicable to each class of a fund, that is levied on the value of your portfolio and includes the **Annual fee (adviser)** fee (where applicable). Annual fees are calculated and accrued daily and recovered monthly from the income awaiting distribution in the fund.

Cost ratios (annual) including VAT as at 31 March 2024					
Class B Class C					
Based on period from:	01/04/2021	01/04/2021			
Total Expense	1.92%	1.62%			
Transaction Costs	0.00%				
Total Investment Charge	1.92%	1.62%			
<b>1 Year Total Expense</b> 1.92% 1.62%					

**Total Expense (TER):** This ratio shows the charges, levies and fees relating to the management of the portfolio and is expressed as a percentage of the average net asset value of the portfolio, calculated over the period shown and annualised to the most recently completed quarter. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER should not be regarded as an indication of future TERs.

**Transaction Costs (TC):** This ratio shows the percentage of the value of the fund incurred as costs relating to the buying and selling of the fund's underlying assets. TC are a necessary cost in administering the fund and impacts fund returns. It should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors over time including market returns, the type of fund, investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER.

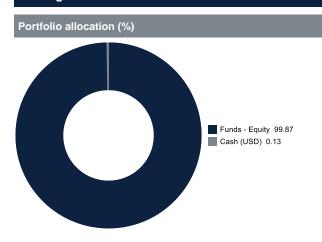
**Total Investment Charges (TIC):** This ratio is simply the sum of the TER and TC, showing the percentage of the value of the fund incurred as costs relating to the investment of the fund. It should be noted that performance figures account for all costs included in the TIC ratio, so you should not deduct the TIC from performance figures, the performance is already net of the TIC.

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Monthly update at 31 March 2024

# Holdings



## Portfolio holdings (%)

SFL - STANLIB Multi-Manager Global Equity B	74.78
Dodge & Cox WF Global Stock USD Acc	12.67
Artisan Global Opportunities I USD (Acc)	12.42
Cash	0.13

## **Performance**

Class B Launch: 15 February 2016

Class C Launch: 10 February 2017

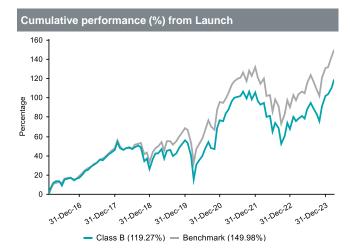
Benchmark: From 01/07/2023: Bloomberg World Large & Mid Cap NR USD. From 01/09/2008: FTSE All World TR Net. Formerly, until 31/08/2008: Lipper Global Equity Indices.

Returns (%)	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	7yrs	Launch
Class B					
Class	22.76	5.31	9.05	8.27	10.15
Benchmark	22.78	6.81	10.83	10.12	11.93
Class C					
Class	23.13	5.62	9.38	8.59	8.79
Benchmark	22.78	6.81	10.83	10.12	10.32

Returns (%) shown are cumulative for all periods shorter than or equal to 1 year and annualised for all periods greater than 1 year.

Statistics (%)	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	7yrs	Launch
Class B					
Positive Months	8	22	38	54	64
Max Gain	24.72	44.06	89.56	89.56	119.27
Max Drawdown	-9.99	-26.49	-26.49	-26.49	-36.22
Highest	22.76	50.53	62.32	62.32	62.32
Lowest	-1.27	-23.57	-23.57	-23.57	-23.57
Class C					
Highest	23.13	50.98	62.80	62.80	62.80
Lowest	-0.97	-23.34	-23.34	-23.34	-23.34

Highest - this reflects the highest 12 month return during the period. Lowest - this reflects the lowest 12 month return during the period.



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Important information at 31 March 2024

#### **Disclosures**

Issue Date: 15 April 2024

Collective Investment Funds (CIF) are generally medium to long term investments. The value of participatory interests may go down as well as up and past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. CIF are traded at ruling prices and can engage in borrowing and scrip lending.

The Multi Manager Global Equity Fund (USD) is a class fund of the STANLIB Multi-Manager Funds Limited (the Fund). The Fund is an 'umbrella fund' and an open-ended investment company incorporated in Jersey on 24 September 1999 with limited liability under the Law as a par value company. The Fund was formerly called Standard Bank Strategist Funds Limited (until October 2013), then Melville Douglas Multi Manager Funds Limited (until March 2015), and then Standard Bank International Funds Limited (until February 2021). The Fund is regulated as a Collective Investment Fund by the Jersey Financial Services Commission (JFSC). The manager of the Fund is STANLIB Fund Managers Jersey Limited (the Manager). The Manager is 100% owned by STANLIB Limited, which is wholly owned by Liberty Holdings Limited. Liberty is a full member of the Association for Savings and Investments of South Africa (ASISA). The manager has a right to close a portfolio to new investors in order to manage the portfolio more efficiently in accordance with its mandate. The Manager does not provide any guarantee either with respect to the capital or the return of the class fund. A schedule of fees and charges and maximum commissions is available on request from the Manager. The investments of this class fund are managed by the Manager. The custodian/trustee of the Fund is Apex Financial Services (Corporate) Limited (the Custodian). Standard Bank Jersey Limited acts as distributor (the Distributor) to the Fund, distribution services to the Manager and the Fund, respectively. Standard Bank Jersey Limited has the same ultimate holding company as the Manager but is not controlled by the Manager nor does it control the Manager. Standard Bank Jersey Limited is the holder of a registration certificate issued under Article 9 of the Financial Services Law. The Fund, the Manager, the Custodian and the Distributor are regulated by the JFSC.

STANLIB Collective Investments (RF) (Pty) Limited is the appointed Fund's representative in the RSA, by the Manager, in respect of the Fund. The RSA Representative is responsible for assisting the Fund with compliance with RSA regulatory requirements in respect of certain Classes to be marketed to investors in the RSA.

Prices are calculated and published on each working day, these prices are available on the Manager's website (www.stanlib.com). This portfolio is valued at 23h59 (GMT). Forward pricing is used. Investments and repurchases will receive the price of the next day if received prior to 14h30 (GMT). Settlement must be made in the relevant class fund's base currency.

This class fund is permitted to invest in foreign securities. Should the class fund include any foreign securities these could expose the class fund to any of the following risks: potential constraints on liquidity and the repatriation of funds; macroeconomic risks; political risks; foreign exchange risks; tax risks; settlement risks; and potential limitations on the availability of market information.

This class fund is a Fund of Funds portfolio. A Fund of Funds portfolio is a portfolio that invests in other portfolios of collective investment schemes, that levy their own charges, which could result in a higher fee structure for the Fund of Funds portfolio.

All return figures quoted are in USD, as at 31 March 2024, based on data sourced from Morningstar and/or Standard Bank Jersey t/a Melville Douglas.

Annualised return figures are the compound annualised growth rate (CAGR) calculated from the cumulative return for the period being measured. These annualised returns provide an indication of the annual return achieved over the period had an investment been held for the entire period. Actual annual figures are available on request from the Manager.

Fund performance figures are calculated for the relevant class of the Fund, for a lump sum investment, on a NAV-NAV basis, with income reinvested on the ex-dividend date. Individual investor performance may differ due to initial fees, actual investment date, date of reinvestment of income and dividend withholding tax. Fund performance figures account for all costs that contribute to the calculation of the cost ratios quoted, all fund returns quoted are therefore after these costs have been accounted for.

Statistics - Positive Months: the number of individual 1 month periods during the specified time period where the return was not negative; Max Gain: the maximum gain in a trough-to-peak incline before a new trough is attained, quoted as the percentage between the trough and the peak. It is an indicator of upside risk over a specified time period (quoted for all periods of 1 year or longer); Max Drawdown: the maximum loss in a peak-to-trough decline before a new peak is attained, quoted as the percentage between the peak and the trough. It is an indicator of downside risk over a specified time period (quoted for all periods of 1 year or longer, where blank no loss was experienced); Highest and Lowest: the highest and the lowest 1 year return (%) that occurred during the specified time period (quoted for all relevant classes launched 1 year or more prior to current month end date).

Additional information about this product including, but not limited to, brochures, application forms and annual or quarterly reports, can be obtained free of charge, from the Manager and from the Manager's website (www.stanlib.com).

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