

## Morgan Stanley Investment Funds

## Sustainable Emerging Markets Equity Fund

(Accumulation Share Class)

## Investment Objective

To seek to maximise total return whilst integrating environmental and social criteria.

## Investment Approach

A diversified, sustainable core fund which seeks to invest in quality companies in emerging markets, which are financially attractive while also supporting environmental and/or socially sustainable development. In our integrated process, we combine macro and bottom-up financial research with dedicated portfolio manager led engagements to arrive at a core portfolio of 60 – 80 stocks. The Fund aims to achieve a lower carbon footprint than the MSCI EM Net Index in aggregate, is positively aligned with our sustainable development themes of: responsible energy transition; circular economy and sustainable production; improved access and affordability; and decent work and innovation, and includes ESG integration.

## Investment Team

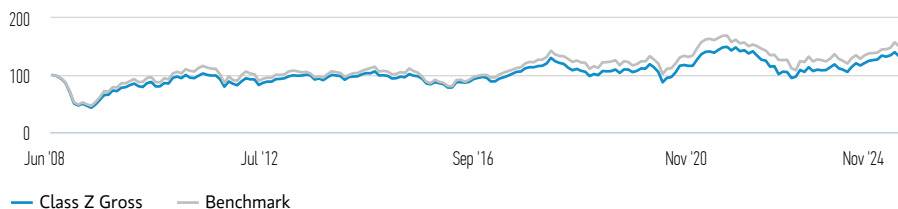
	JOINED FIRM	YEARS OF INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE
Paul Psaila, Managing Director	1994	30
Amay Hattangadi, Managing Director	1997	27
Eric Carlson, Managing Director	1997	28

Team members may be subject to change at any time without notice.

## Class Z Shares (% net of fees) vs. Index in USD

Performance of 100 USD Invested Since Inception (Cash Value)

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

Investment Performance (% net of fees) in USD<sup>†</sup>

	Cumulative (%)				Annualised (% p.a.)				INCEPTION
	1 M	3 M	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR		
Class Z Gross	-2.52	-3.42	7.62	13.73	-1.97	3.15	2.79	1.60	
Benchmark	-3.59	-1.73	7.65	11.86	-1.27	3.20	3.16	2.29	

## 12 Month Performance Periods to Latest Month End (%)

	NOV'23	NOV'22	NOV'21	NOV'20	NOV'19	NOV'18	NOV'17	NOV'16	NOV'15	NOV'14
	-NOV'24	-NOV'23	-NOV'22	-NOV'21	-NOV'20	-NOV'19	-NOV'18	-NOV'17	-NOV'16	-NOV'15
Class Z Gross	13.73	4.85	-21.00	8.53	14.20	9.27	-12.48	31.05	3.55	-13.10
Class Z Net	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	-13.97
Benchmark	11.86	4.21	-17.43	2.70	18.43	7.28	-9.09	32.82	8.47	-16.99

All performance data is calculated NAV to NAV. The sources for all performance and Index data is Morgan Stanley Investment Management.

Gross figure shown assumes reinvestment of all distributions and deduction of fund level costs, but does not reflect the deduction of any sales charge applicable at investor level.

Net figure shown assumes reinvestment of all distributions and deduction of fund level costs, which include the deduction of the Management, trustee/custodian and administration charges and the maximum sales charge applicable at investor level that may be taken out of your money before it is invested. Please see the Fund's current prospectus and the share class' Key Investor Information Document for complete details on fees and sales charges.

<sup>†</sup> Example: An investor wishes to purchase shares of USD 100. At the maximum sales charge of 5.75% the investor has to expend USD 106.10. The sales charge is only incurred upon subscription.

The value of the investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and an investor may not get back the amount invested.

Effective 1st November 2021 the Morgan Stanley Investment Funds Emerging Markets Equity Fund was renamed to Sustainable Emerging Markets Equity Fund.

## EMERGING MARKETS EQUITY TEAM

Share Class	CLASS Z
Currency	U.S. dollars
ISIN	LU0360480858
Bloomberg	MOREMKZ LX
Inception date	25 June 2008
Net asset value	\$ 32.47

## Fund Facts

Launch date	01 July 1993
Base currency	U.S. dollars
Benchmark	MSCI Emerging Markets Net Index
Total net assets	\$ 586.64 million
Structure	Luxembourg SICAV
SFDR	Article 8
Classification <sup>A</sup>	

## Charges (%) CLASS Z

Max Entry Charge	1.00
Ongoing Charges	0.91
Management Fee	1.10

The ongoing charges figure incorporates a fee reduction by way of a waiver of 0.35% until 31/12/24. This fee reduction will expire 01/01/25. Entry Charge is a maximum possible figure. In some cases you might pay less, you can find this out from your financial adviser. Ongoing Charges reflect the payments and expenses incurred during the fund's operation and are deducted from the assets of the fund over the period. It includes fees paid for investment management (Management Fee), trustee/custodian, and administration charges. For more information please see the Charges and Expenses section of the prospectus.

## Subscriptions (USD) CLASS Z

Minimum initial investment	0
Minimum subsequent investment	0

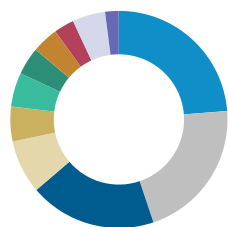
## Statistics (3 Year Annualised) CLASS Z INDEX

Beta	0.95	1.00
Information ratio	-0.10	--
R squared	0.85	1.00
Sharpe ratio	-0.32	-0.29
Tracking error (%)	7.28	--
Volatility (Standard deviation) (%)	18.40	17.78
Down-capture ratio (%)	97.71	100.00
Up-capture ratio (%)	93.48	100.00

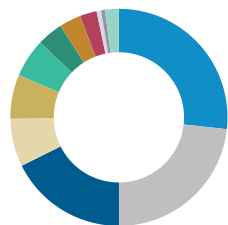
## Characteristics FUND INDEX

Active share (%)	64.09	--
Number of holdings	85	1,253
3 year EPS growth (%)	7.33	5.25
Price/earnings (LTM) <sup>††</sup>	15.94	13.79
Price/cash flow	9.94	7.30
Price/book	2.30	1.69
Return on equity (%)	19.03	15.63
Weighted average market capitalization (\$B)	150.23	158.50
Weighted median market capitalization (\$B)	43.69	38.27
Dividend Yield (%)	2.32	2.68

<sup>††</sup> LTM = Last Twelve Months.

**Top Countries (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>1</sup>**

	FUND	INDEX
India	23.77	19.93
China	21.07	26.99
Taiwan	18.89	18.88
South Korea	8.00	9.73
Mexico	5.16	1.82
Brazil	5.08	4.43
South Africa	4.12	3.09
Poland	3.93	0.83
Indonesia	3.02	1.54
Other	4.89	12.76
Cash	2.04	--

**Sector Allocation (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>1,2</sup>**

	FUND	INDEX
Financials	26.74	23.79
Information Technology	23.24	23.36
Consumer Discretionary	17.65	13.26
Consumer Staples	7.15	4.94
Communication Services	6.55	9.27
Industrials	5.75	6.79
Materials	3.86	6.08
Health Care	3.21	3.46
Energy	2.52	4.72
Real Estate	0.68	1.59
Utilities	--	2.73
Other	0.58	--
Cash	2.04	--

**Top Holdings (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>3</sup>**

	FUND	INDEX
Taiwan Semiconductor Mfg Co. Ltd	9.16	9.83
Tencent Holdings Ltd	5.43	4.32
Hon Hai Precision Industry Co. Ltd	2.96	0.98
Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd	2.90	0.43
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	2.62	2.28
Reliance Industries Ltd	2.52	1.21
Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd	2.43	2.41
ICICI Bank Ltd	2.37	1.04
HDFC Bank Ltd	1.98	1.56
WEG S.A.	1.93	0.20
<b>Total</b>	<b>34.30</b>	<b>--</b>

<sup>1</sup> This Fund is classified as an Article 8 product under the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation. Article 8 products are those which promote environmental or social characteristics and which integrate sustainability into the investment process in a binding manner.

<sup>2</sup> May not sum to 100% due to the exclusion of other assets and liabilities.

<sup>3</sup> For additional information regarding sector classification/definitions please visit [www.msci.com/gics](http://www.msci.com/gics) and the glossary at [www.morganstanley.com/im](http://www.morganstanley.com/im).

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**DEFINITIONS**

**Active Share** is a measure of the percentage of stock holdings in a manager's portfolio that differ from the benchmark index (based on holdings and weight of holdings). Active Share scores range from 0%-100%. A score of 100% means you are completely different from the benchmark. Active Share calculation may consolidate holdings with the same economic exposure. **Beta** is a measure of the relative volatility of a fund to the market's upward or downward movements. A beta greater than 1.0 identifies an issue or fund that will move more than the market, while a beta less than 1.0 identifies an issue or fund that will move less than the market. The Beta of the Market is always equal to 1. **Bloomberg** stands for Bloomberg Global Identifier (BBGID). This is a unique 12 digit alphanumeric code designed to enable the identification of securities, on a Bloomberg Terminal. The Bloomberg Terminal, a system provided by Bloomberg L.P., enables analysts to access and analyse real-time financial market data. Each Bloomberg code starts with the same BBG prefix, followed by nine further characters that are listed for each share class of the Sub-Fund. **Cash & Equivalents** are defined as the value of assets that can be converted into cash immediately. These include commercial paper, open FX transactions, Treasury bills and other short-term instruments. Such instruments are considered cash equivalents because they are deemed liquid and not subject to significant risk of changes in values. **Dividend yield** is the ratio between how much a company pays out in dividends each year relative to its share price. **Earnings per share (EPS)** growth is the weighted average of earnings per

**Share Class Z Risk and Reward Profile**

- The fund may be impacted by movements in the exchange rates between the fund's currency and the currencies of the fund's investments.
- The fund relies on other parties to fulfill certain services, investments or transactions. If these parties become insolvent, it may expose the fund to financial loss.
- Sustainability factors can pose risks to investments, for example: impact asset values, increased operational costs.
- There may be an insufficient number of buyers or sellers which may affect the fund's ability to buy or sell securities.
- Investments in China involve a risk of a total loss due to factors such as government action or inaction, market volatility and reliance on primary trading partners.
- Investment in China A-Shares via Shanghai-Hong Kong and Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect programs may also entail additional risks, such as risks linked to the ownership of shares.
- There are increased risks of investing in emerging markets as political, legal and operational systems may be less developed than in developed markets.
- Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. The value of investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and investors may lose all or a substantial portion of his or her investment.
- The value of the investments and the income from them will vary and there can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objectives.
- Investments may be in a variety of currencies and therefore changes in rates of exchange between currencies may cause the value of investments to decrease or increase. Furthermore, the value of investments may be adversely affected by fluctuations in exchange rates between the investor's reference currency and the base currency of the investments.

**Additional Z Share Classes**

	CURRENCY	LAUNCH	ISIN	BLOOMBERG
Z (EUR)	EUR	14.12.2023	LU2728571055	MRSTEZE LX

share growth for all securities in the portfolio projected for the past three fiscal years. Earnings per share for a company is defined as total earnings divided by shares outstanding. **Information ratio** is the portfolio's alpha or excess return per unit of risk, as measured by tracking error, versus the portfolio's benchmark. **ISIN** is the international securities identification number (ISIN), a 12 digit code consisting of numbers and letters that distinctly identifies securities. **NAV** is the Net Asset Value per share of the Sub-Fund (NAV), which represents the value of the assets of a fund less its liabilities. **Number of holdings** provided are a typical range, not a maximum number. The portfolio may exceed this from time to time due to market conditions and outstanding trades. **Price/book (P/BV)** compares a stock's market value to the book value per share of total assets less total liabilities. This number is used to judge whether a stock is undervalued or overvalued. **Price/cash flow (P/CF)** is a ratio used to compare a company's market value to its cash flow. It is calculated by dividing the company's per-share stock price by the per-share operating cash flow. **Price/earnings (LTM)** is the price of a stock divided by its earnings per share for the past 12 months. Sometimes called the multiple, P/E gives investors an idea of how much they are paying for a company's earning power. **R squared** measures how well an investment's returns correlate to an index. An R squared of 1.00 means the portfolio performance is 100% correlated to the index's, whereas a low r-squared means that the portfolio performance is less correlated to the index's. **Return on equity (ROE)** is the amount of net income returned as a percentage of shareholders equity. Return on equity measures a corporation's profitability by revealing how much profit a company generates with the money shareholders have invested. **Sharpe ratio** is a risk-adjusted measure calculated as the ratio of excess return to standard deviation. The Sharpe ratio determines reward per unit of risk. The higher the Sharpe ratio, the better the historical risk-adjusted performance. **Tracking error** is the standard deviation of the difference between the returns of an investment and its benchmark. **Upside/downside market capture** measures annualized performance in up/down markets relative to the market benchmark. **Volatility (Standard deviation)** measures how widely individual performance returns, within a performance series, are dispersed from the average or mean value. **Weighted average market capitalization** is an average of the market capitalization of stocks comprising a portfolio or index, adjusted by each stock's weight in the portfolio or index. **Weighted median market capitalization** is the point at which half of the market value of a portfolio or index is

invested in stocks with a greater market cap, while the other half of the market value is invested in stocks with a lower market cap.

## INDEX INFORMATION

The **MSCI Emerging Markets Net Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure equity market performance of emerging markets. The term "free float" represents the portion of shares outstanding that are deemed to be available for purchase in the public equity markets by investors. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index currently consists of 24 emerging-market country indices. The performance of the index is listed in U.S. dollars and assumes reinvestment of net dividends.

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