# **Global Discovery Fund**

## 30 June 2019



#### **Fund Aims**

To produce attractive returns over the long term by investing globally in transferable securities of companies that the ACD considers offer excellent future growth prospects. The Fund may also invest in money market instruments, cash and near cash.

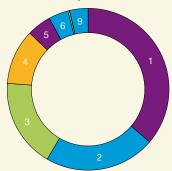
The Fund's share price can be volatile due to movements in the prices of the underlying holdings and the basis on which the Fund is priced.

## **Key Information**

Fund Manager	Douglas Brodie
Deputy Managers	Svetlana Viteva / Luke Ward
Launch Date	01 May 2011
Fund Size	£817.58m
IA Sector	Global
Active Share	98%*
Annual Turnover	6%

<sup>\*</sup>Relative to S&P Global Small Cap Index. Source: Baillie Gifford & Co, S&P.

#### **Sector Analysis of Total Assets**



1	Health Care	36.3%
2	Information Technology	22.1%
3	Consumer Discretionary	17.7%
4	Financials	11.0%
5	Industrials	4.8%
6	Communication Services	3.9%
7	Materials	0.3%
8	Energy	0.0%
9	Cash	3.7%

## **Investment Proposition**

The Fund invests in companies that offer significant growth prospects with an emphasis on companies operating in industries with potential for structural change and innovation.

The Fund's holdings will, by their nature, offer a wide range of potential outcomes. We aim to embrace this uncertainty and believe it is important that the portfolio is adequately diversified by name and thematic influence; and sufficiently broad so as to be open to the inclusion of new ideas.

The Fund has a bias towards smaller companies.

## **Top Ten Holdings**

Hol	dings	% of Total Assets
1	LendingTree	5.0
2	Ocado	4.1
3	MarketAxess	4.0
4	Alnylam Pharmaceuticals	3.6
5	Zillow	3.6
6	NovoCure	3.5
7	Chegg	3.4
8	Yext	2.6
9	Baozun	2.5
10	Wayfair	2.3
Tot	al	34.7

Total may not sum due to rounding.

## **Charges and Yield**

	Initial Charge	Ongoing Charge	Historic Yield	
Class B-Inc (%)	0.00	0.77	0.0	
Class B-Acc (%)	0.00	0.77	0.0	

The ongoing charge figures are at 30th April 2019.

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## Performance



Baillie Gifford Global Discovery Fund B-Acc

----- IA Global Sector

..... S&P Global Small Cap Index

#### **Periodic Performance**

·	6 Months	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years
Class B-Acc (%)	23.5	8.8	91.0	129.1
Sector Ranking	14/323	138/317	2/276	6/237
Sector Average (%)	16.8	7.4	45.0	67.7
Index (%)*	16.2	1.8	41.8	76.0

## **Annual Discrete Performance**

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	30/06/15	30/06/16	30/06/17	30/06/18	30/06/19
Class B-Acc (%)	19.3	0.5	32.8	32.2	8.8
Sector Average (%	8.4	6.7	23.7	9.1	7.4
Index (%)*	10.6	12.2	24.4	12.0	1.8

Performance source: FE. Index Performance Source: Eikon content from Refinitiv, S&P, single pricing basis, total return. Returns reflect the annual charges but exclude any initial charge paid. \*S&P Global Small Cap Index.

#### **Additional Fund Information**

The Fund is a sub-fund of the Baillie Gifford Overseas Growth Funds ICVC (Investment Company with Variable Capital) which is an umbrella Open-Ended Investment Company. Its Authorised Corporate Director ('ACD') is Baillie Gifford & Co Limited.

The Historic Yield reflects distributions declared over the past twelve months as a percentage of the mid-market share price, as at the date shown. It does not include any preliminary charge and investors may be subject to tax on their distributions.

The ongoing charges figure is based on the expenses for the financial year and may vary from year to year. It excludes the cost of buying and selling assets for the Fund although custodian transaction costs are included. Further explanation of all the charges and costs relating to this Fund can be found in the Enhanced Disclosure of Fund Charges and Costs document which is available through our website, www.bailliegifford.com

Active Share is a measure of how actively managed a Fund is and is calculated by taking 100 minus the % of the Fund that overlaps with the comparative index. An active share of 100 indicates no overlap with the comparative index and an active share of zero indicates a portfolio that tracks the comparative index. The comparative index for this Fund is the S&P Global Small Cap Index. We have chosen to show Active Share against this index to highlight our active management style against what we deem to be the most relevant index for the Fund. Fund performance is shown against The Investment Association Global Sector to provide a peer group comparison against other funds in the same sector.

Turnover is calculated by taking the smaller figure of either total purchases or total sales for the month and dividing it by an average market value. The Annual Turnover is then calculated as the sum of the monthly turnover figures for the 12 month period.

#### **Further Information**

Any comments expressed in this factsheet should not be taken as a recommendation or advice.

This factsheet does not provide you with all the facts that you need to make an informed decision about investing in the Fund. You need to read the associated Key Investor Information **Document and Supplementary Information Document and decide** whether to contact an authorised intermediary.

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#### **Risk Warnings**

Investment markets can go down as well as up and market conditions can change rapidly. The value of an investment in the Fund, and any income from it, can fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the amount invested.

The specific risks associated with the Fund include:

- Investment in immature companies is generally considered higher risk given their less developed business models and less established positions. Changes in their share prices may be greater than those of more established companies and the shares may be harder to sell. Immature companies may do less well in unfavourable economic conditions.
- The Fund has exposure to foreign currencies and changes in the rates of exchange will cause the value of any investment, and income from it, to fall as well as rise and you may not get back the amount invested.
- Custody of assets involves a risk of loss if the custodian becomes insolvent or breaches duties of care.
- The Fund's share price can be volatile due to movements in the prices of the underlying holdings and the basis on which the Fund

Further details of the risks associated with investing in the Fund can be found in the Key Investor Information Document, copies of which are available at www.bailliegifford.com, or the Prospectus which is available by calling the ACD

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