## Morgan Stanley

INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT

## Morgan Stanley Investment Funds

# Emerging Leaders Equity Fund

(Accumulating NAV Currency Hedged Share Class)

### **Investment Objective**

Long term growth of your investment whilst adopting ESG related best in class practices.

## **Investment Approach**

We focus on the future drivers of growth across the emerging markets in a way that is benchmark agnostic and seek the most compelling opportunities by building an actively managed, focused portfolio of companies positioned to benefit from these growth themes. The fund considers ESG criteria during the investment process to limit exposure to ESG risks.

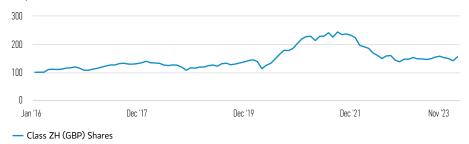
|             | YEARS OF INDUSTRY |
|-------------|-------------------|
| JOINED FIRM | EXPERIENCE        |
| 2014        | 18                |
|             | ,                 |

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

## Class ZH (GBP) Shares (% net of fees) in GBP

Performance of 100 GBP Invested Since Inception (Cash Value)

#### Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.



#### Investment Performance (% net of fees) in GBP

|                           | _      | Cumulative (%) |       |      |        | Annualised (% p.a.) |       |        |        |      |       |
|---------------------------|--------|----------------|-------|------|--------|---------------------|-------|--------|--------|------|-------|
|                           |        | 1 M            | 3 M   | YTD  | 1 YR   | 3                   | 3 YR  | 5 YR   | 10 YR  | INCE | PTION |
| Class ZH (GBP) Shares     |        | 9.86           | 2.13  | 5.98 | 5.55   |                     | -8.57 | 5.98   |        |      | 5.73  |
| Calendar Year Returns (%) | 2022   | 2021           | 2020  | 201  | 19 20  | )18                 | 2017  | 7 2016 | 5 2015 | 2014 | 2013  |
| Class ZH (GBP) Shares     | -34.65 | 2.17           | 54.77 | 23.6 | 53 -14 | .53                 | 24.98 | 3 -    |        |      |       |

All performance data is calculated NAV to NAV, net of fees, and does not take account of commissions and costs incurred on the issue and redemption of units. The sources for all performance and Index data is Morgan Stanley Investment

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 27 October 2023, the MS INVF Latin American Equity Fund was merged into the MS INVF Emerging Leaders Equity Fund.

## **EMERGING MARKETS EQUITY TEAM**

| Share Class     | CLASS ZH (GBP)  |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| Currency        | Sterling        |
| ISIN            | LU1341423918    |
| Bloomberg       | MSEZHGB LX      |
| Inception date  | 13 January 2016 |
| Net asset value | £ 38.79         |
|                 |                 |

#### **Fund Facts**

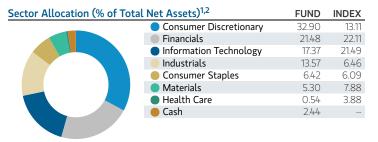
| Launch date                         | 17 August 2012                    |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Base currency                       | U.S. dollars                      |
| Index                               | MSCI Emerging Markets (Net) Index |
| Total net assets                    | \$ 918.82 million                 |
| Structure                           | Luxembourg SICAV                  |
| SFDR<br>Classification <sup>†</sup> | Article 8                         |

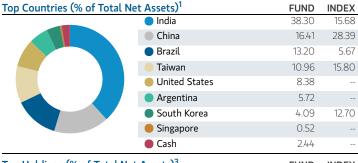
| Charges (%)      | CLASS ZH (GBP) |
|------------------|----------------|
| Max Entry Charge | 1.00           |
| Ongoing Charges  | 0.94           |
| Management Fee   | 0.75           |

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 | ZH (GBP) |
|------------------------------------|-------|----------|
| Minimum initial investment         |       | 0        |
| Minimum subsequent Investment      |       | 0        |
| Characteristics                    | FUND  | INDEX    |
| Active share (%)                   | 91.32 |          |
| Number of holdings                 | 33    | 1,437    |
| 5 year EPS growth (%)              | 27.28 | 14.54    |
| Price/earnings (LTM) <sup>††</sup> | 34.69 | 12.12    |
| Price/book                         | 4.93  | 1.59     |
| Return on equity (%)               | 19.69 | 15.35    |
| Dividend Yield (%)                 | 0.89  | 2.85     |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>++</sup> LTM = Last Twelve Months.





| Top Holdings (% of Total Net Assets) <sup>3</sup> | FUND  | INDEX |
|---|-------|-------|
| MercadoLibre Inc                                  | 8.33  |       |
| NU Holdings Ltd                                   | 6.78  |       |
| Shenzhou International Group                      | 6.61  | 0.12  |
| Bajaj Finance Ltd                                 | 6.38  | 0.34  |
| Globant S.A.                                      | 5.72  |       |
| AU Small Finance Bank Ltd                         | 5.13  | 0.02  |
| Taiwan Semiconductor Mfg Co. Ltd                  | 4.61  | 6.73  |
| Localiza Rent A Car S.A.                          | 4.30  | 0.16  |
| Trent Ltd   | 4.23  | 0.09  |
| SK Hynix Inc                                      | 4.09  | 0.84  |
| Total   | 56.18 |       |

<sup>†</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.

 $^{1}$ May not sum to 100% due to the exclusion of other assets and liabilities.

<sup>2</sup>For additional information regarding sector classification/definitions please visit www.msci.com/gics and the glossary at www.morganstanley.com/im.

<sup>3</sup>These securities and percentage allocations are only for illustrative purposes and do not constitute, and should not be construed as, investment advice or recommendations with respect to the securities or investments mentioned.

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#### Share Class ZH (GBP) Risk and Reward Profile

The risk and reward category shown is based on historic data.

- Historic figures are only a guide and may not be a reliable indicator of what may happen in the future.
- · As such this category may change in the future.
- The higher the category, the greater the potential reward, but also the greater the risk of losing the investment. Category 1 does not indicate a risk free investment.
- The fund is in this category because it invests in shares of companies from emerging markets and the fund's simulated and/or realised return has experienced high rises and falls historically.
- The fund may be impacted by movements in the exchange rates between the fund's currency and the currencies of the fund's investments.

This rating does not take into account other risk factors which should be considered before investing, these include:  $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2$ 

- 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 funds ability to buy or sell securities.
- Investments in China involves 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.
- In order to achieve the currency hedging, this share class relies on other parties to
  fulfil certain contractual obligations, as these parties may fail to do so there is a
  higher risk to your investment.
- 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.
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- 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         | USD      | 17.08.2012 | LU0815264279 | MSEMLEZ LX |
| ZH (EUR)  | EUR      | 25.01.2013 | LU0877222447 | MSEMLZH LX |
| ZH3 (BRL) | USD      | 30.09.2020 | LU2238024199 | MOELEZB LX |
|           |          |            |              |            |

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#### DEEINITIONS

The 5 year Earnings Per Share (EPS) growth rate is the weighted average of earnings per share growth for all securities in the portfolio projected for the past five fiscal years. Earnings per share for a company is defined as total earnings divided by shares outstanding. Active Share is a measure of the percentage of stock holdings in a managers 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. **Bloomberg** stands for 'Bloomberg Global Identifier (BBGID)'. This is a unique 12 digit alphanumerical code designed to enable the identification of securities, such as the Morgan Stanley Investment Funds sub-funds at share class level, 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 we list here in this guide for each share class of each fund. 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 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. **Return on capital** is a measure of a company's efficiency at allocating the capital under its control to profitable investments, calculated by dividing operating income [excluding dividends and taxes] by total capital. **Sales growth** is the increase in sales over a specific period of time, often but not necessarily annually. 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.

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