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#### **PRODUCT**

**Product:** Baring Emerging Europe Plc - Ordinary shares

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#### WHAT IS THIS PRODUCT?

Type: Investment Trust

Objectives:

The fund aims to achieve long-term capital growth, principally through investment either in securities listed on or traded on an Emerging European securities market or in securities listed or traded elsewhere, the majority of whose revenues and/or profits are, or are expected to be, derived from activities in Emerging Europe. The policy of the Directors is that, in normal market conditions, the portfolio of the Company should consist primarily of diversified securities listed or traded on Emerging European securities markets (including over the counter markets). The Company may also invest in debt instruments such as bonds, bills, notes, certificates of deposit and other debt instruments issued by private and public sector entities in Emerging Europe.For the purposes of this investment policy the Board has defined Emerging Europe as the successor countries of the former Soviet Union, Poland, Hungary, the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Turkey, the States of former Yugoslavia, Romania, Bulgaria, Albania and Greece. There is no restriction on the proportion that may be invested in these countries. The Fund may use derivative instruments for the purpose of efficient portfolio management (which includes hedging) and for any investment purposes that are consistent with the investment objective and polices of the Fund.

Intended retail investor:

The Fund is designed for investors who want capital growth from the investments outlined in the investment objective. Investors should intend to invest their money for at least 5 years. Investors should understand the Fund's risks and that it is designed to be used as one component in a diversified investment portfolio. The Fund is not designed for investors who are unable to afford capital loss of their investment.

### WHAT ARE THE RISKS AND WHAT COULD I GET IN RETURN?



Lower risk Hig



The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 5 years. The actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less.

### **Risk indicator**

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this product as class 5 out of 7, which is a medium-high risk class.

This classifies the potential volatility from future performance at a medium-high level, and poor market conditions will likely impact the capacity for you to receive a positive return on your investment.

Investment in emerging markets is likely to entail a higher risk level than developed markets. Region specific funds have a narrower focus than those which invest broadly across markets. This means your money may be at risk.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

#### Performance scenarios

Investment 10 000 GBP				
Survival Scenarios		1 year	3 years	<b>5 years</b> (recommended holding period)
Stress scenario	What might you get back after costs	2 874.56 GBP	3 780.13 GBP	2 711.9 GBP
	Average return each year	-71.25 %	-27.69 %	-22.97 %
Unfavourable scenario	What might you get back after costs	7 510.12 GBP	5 972.19 GBP	5 052.68 GBP
	Average return each year	-24.9%	-15.79%	-12.76%
Moderate scenario	What might you get back after costs	9 851.36 GBP	9 556.01 GBP	9 269.51 GBP
	Average return each year	-1.49%	-1.5%	-1.51%
Favourable scenario	What might you get back after costs	12 912.12 GBP	15 278.18 GBP	16 992 GBP
	Average return each year	29.12%	15.17%	11.19%

This table shows the money you could get back over the recommended holding period, under different scenarios, assuming that you invest 10,000 GBP.

The scenarios shown illustrate how your investment could perform. You can compare them with the scenarios of other products.

The scenarios presented are an estimate of future performance based on evidence from the past, and are not an exact indicator. What you get will vary depending on how the market performs and how long you keep the investment.

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances, and it does not take into account the situation where we are not able to pay you.

The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back.

#### WHAT HAPPENS IF BARING FUND MANAGERS LIMITED IS UNABLE TO PAY OUT?

You may face a financial loss due to the default of Barings Emerging Europe or State Street Bank and Trust Company. Any financial loss as a result of such a default may be covered up to £50,000 by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme.

### WHAT ARE THE COSTS?

#### **Costs over Time**

The Reduction in Yield (RIY) shows what impact the total costs you pay will have on the investment return you might get. The total costs take into account one-off, ongoing and incidental costs.

The amounts shown here are the cumulative costs of the product itself, for three different holding periods. They include potential early exit penalties. The figures assume you invest 10,000 GBP. The figures are estimates and may change in the future.

The person selling you or advising you about this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs, and show you the impact that all costs will have on your investment over time.

Investment 10 000 GBP	If you cash in after 1 year	If you cash in after 3 years	If you cash in after 5 years
Total costs	213.48 GBP	634.8 GBP	1 048.85 GBP
Impact on return (RIY) per year	2.13 %	2.13 %	2.13 %

#### **Composition of Costs**

The table below shows:

- \* The impact each year of the different types of costs on the investment return you might get at the end of the recommended holding period.
- \* What the different cost categories mean.

This table shows the impact on return per year						
One-Off costs	Entry costs	0.00%	The impact of the costs you pay when entering your investment. This is the most you will pay, and you could pay less			
	Exit costs	0.00%	The impact of the costs of exiting your investment when it matures			
Ongoing costs	Portfolio transaction costs	0.33%	The impact of costs of us buying and selling underlying investments for the product			
	Other ongoing costs	1.80%	The impact of costs that we take each year for managing your investments			
Incidental costs	Performance Fee	0.00%	The impact of Performance fee. We take these from your investment if the product outperforms its benchmark			
	Carried interests	0.00%	The impact of Carried Interests. We take these from your investment if the product outperforms its benchmark			

### HOW LONG SHOULD I HOLD IT AND CAN I TAKE MONEY OUT EARLY?

Recommended minimum holding period: 5 years

Investment in the fund should be viewed as a medium to long term investment. There is no cancellation or cooling off period. There is no required minimum holding period. The value of the Fund's shares can go down as well as up. You may get back less than you invest.

### **HOW CAN I COMPLAIN?**

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### OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

You can obtain further information on this Fund including the full prospectus free of charge at www.barings.com.

Without prejudice to ad hoc reviews, this Key Information Document is updated at least every 12 months.

A detailed list of the risks associated with investing in this product, together with risks relevant to the market in which this Company invests, is available at www.barings.com.The Company's latest annual and interim reports, monthly factsheet and full portfolio details are also available at www.barings.com, together with information relating to the Company's gearing and management fee.