# World ESG Equity Index Sub-Fund

31 March 2021

# **Fund Objective**

The Sub-Fund seeks to track the performance of the MSCI World ESG Universal Index.

# **Investment Strategy**

Substantially all of the Sub-Fund's assets will be invested in the B Share Class of the State Street World ESG Index Equity Fund, a Sub-Fund of State Street Global Advisors Luxembourg SICAV. The Sub-Fund provides investors with the ability to purchase and redeem units on an "as of" (historical) priced basis.

# **Benchmark**

MSCI World ESG Universal Index

# Structure

Limited Company

#### **Domicile**

United Kingdom

| Fund Facts                       |   |  |
|----------------------------------|---|--|
| NAV                              | 12.45 GBP as of 31<br>March 2021  |  |
| Currency                         | GBP   |  |
| Net Assets (millions)            | 53.46 GBP as of 31<br>March 2021  |  |
| Inception Date                   | 15 January 2016   |  |
| Investment Style                 | Index   |  |
| Zone                             | Global  |  |
| Settlement                       | Redemption Settlement<br>Cycle, DD+2;<br>Subscription Settlement<br>Cycle, DD+2 |  |
| Notification Deadline            | DD-1 10:00am London time  |  |
| Valuation                        | Daily market close  |  |
| Minimum Initial Investment       | N/A   |  |
| Minimum Subsequent<br>Investment | N/A   |  |
| Management Fees                  | Charged Outside fund,<br>direct to client                                       |  |
| TER Max                          | Fees paid by investors detailed in Fee & Instruction letter                     |  |
| Spreads                          |   |  |
| Subscription                     | N/A   |  |
| Redemption                       | N/A   |  |

#### **Performance**

| Annualised          | Fund   | Benchmark | Difference |
|---------------------|--------|-----------|------------|
| 1 Year (%)          | 37.72  | 37.44     | 0.29       |
| 3 Year (%)          | 14.01  | 13.95     | 0.06       |
| 5 Year (%)          | 14.26  | 14.63     | -0.37      |
| Since Inception (%) | 15.55  | 15.91     | -0.36      |
| Cumulative          |        |           |            |
| 3 Month (%)         | 4.02   | 3.99      | 0.02       |
| 1 Year (%)          | 37.72  | 37.44     | 0.29       |
| 3 Year (%)          | 48.22  | 47.98     | 0.24       |
| 5 Year (%)          | 94.75  | 97.89     | -3.14      |
| Since Inception (%) | 111.76 | 115.19    | -3.43      |
| Calendar            |        |           |            |
| 2021 (year to date) | 4.02   | 3.99      | 0.02       |
| 2020                | 13.50  | 13.21     | 0.29       |
| 2019                | 23.84  | 23.81     | 0.04       |
| 2018                | -3.38  | -3.11     | -0.27      |
| 2017                | 11.00  | 11.66     | -0.66      |

#### Past performance is not a guarantee of future results. Investing involves risk including the risk of loss of capital.

Performance returns for periods of less than one year are not annualised.

Returns are gross of fees (based on unit price) and net of irrecoverable withholding tax.

The index returns are unmanaged and do not reflect the deduction of any fees or expenses. The index returns reflect all items of income, gain and loss and the reinvestment of dividends and other income. The performance includes the reinvestment of dividends and other corporate earnings and is calculated in GBP. The calculation method for value added returns may show rounding differences.

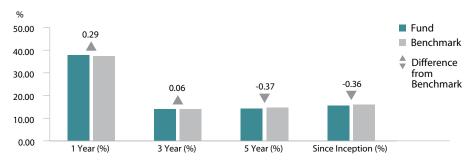
When the Fund is closed according to its official Net Asset Value (NAV) calendar but, nonetheless, a significant portion of the underlying security prices can be determined, a Technical NAV is calculated. Past Performance indicated herein has therefore been calculated using a Technical NAV when required, as well as the official NAV of the Fund as at each other business day for the relevant period.

Any spreads disclosed are indicative only and are subject to the discretion of the investment manager, based on market conditions at the time of transaction.

Source: SSGA.

All data is as at 31/03/2021

# **Annualised Performance**



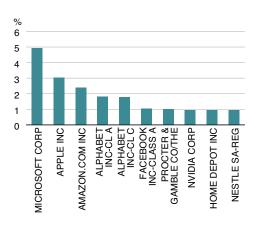
# **Fund Characteristics**

|  | Fund        | Benchmark   |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| Weighted Av. Market<br>Cap (m)           | US\$295,347 | US\$294,488 |
| Av. Price/Book                           | 3.12        | 3.12        |
| Price/Earnings<br>(Forward 1yr)          | 20.97       | 20.93       |
| Weighted Harmonic<br>Av. Price/Cash flow | 13.65       | 13.64       |
| Dividend Yield (%)                       | 1.73        | 1.74        |
| Number of Holdings                       | 1,518       | 1,546       |

# **Ratios**

|                        | 3 Years |
|------------------------|---------|
| Standard Deviation (%) | 14.25   |
| Tracking Error (%)     | 1.05    |
| Beta                   | 1.01    |

| Top 10 Holdings         | Weight<br>(%) |
|-------------------------|---------------|
| MICROSOFT CORP          | 4.94          |
| APPLE INC               | 3.03          |
| AMAZON.COM INC          | 2.39          |
| ALPHABET INC-CL A       | 1.80          |
| ALPHABET INC-CL C       | 1.79          |
| FACEBOOK INC-CLASS A    | 1.03          |
| PROCTER & GAMBLE CO/THE | 1.00          |
| NVIDIA CORP             | 0.96          |
| HOME DEPOT INC          | 0.95          |
| NESTLE SA-REG           | 0.95          |



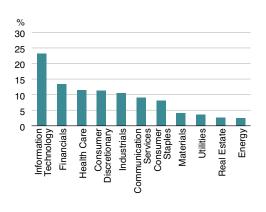
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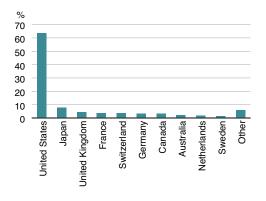
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| Sector Allocation      | Fund<br>(%) |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Information Technology | 23.28       |
| Financials             | 13.40       |
| Health Care            | 11.51       |
| Consumer Discretionary | 11.28       |
| Industrials            | 10.55       |
| Communication Services | 9.06        |
| Consumer Staples       | 8.09        |
| Materials              | 4.05        |
| Utilities              | 3.63        |
| Real Estate            | 2.62        |
| Energy                 | 2.53        |
| Total                  | 100.00      |



| Country Allocation | Fund<br>(%) |
|--------------------|-------------|
| United States      | 63.67       |
| Japan              | 7.56        |
| United Kingdom     | 4.40        |
| France             | 3.74        |
| Switzerland        | 3.41        |
| Germany            | 3.27        |
| Canada             | 3.02        |
| Australia          | 1.89        |
| Netherlands        | 1.58        |
| Sweden             | 1.48        |
| Other              | 5.98        |
| Total              | 100.00      |



#### Source: SSGA

Characteristics, holdings and country allocations shown are as of the date indicated and are subject to change.

Please note that full details of underlying fund holdings can be found on www.ssga.com.

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#### Price/Earnings Ratio FY1

The average of the price of each underlying security divided by the mean EPS estimate of the security for the next unreported fiscal year, as of the report date. Average Price/Book

The average of the price of each underlying security divided by the Book value per share of the security, as of the report date.

#### Index Dividend Yield

The average of the Annual dividends per share (DPS) of each underlying security in the index as of the report date divided by the price of the security as of the report date. **TER** 

Total Expense Ratio is a fee charged to the fund, as a percentage of the Net Asset Value, to cover costs associated with operation and management of the portfolio of assets.