

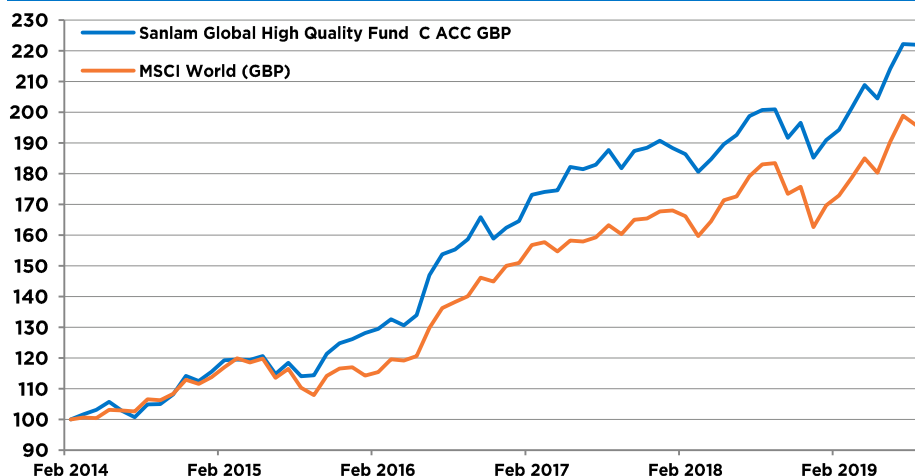
# Sanlam Global High Quality Fund

August 2019 | Factsheet

## Overview

The Fund is an actively managed portfolio of global equities with a high quality bias, high conviction and benchmark agnostic, with sector and regional positioning driven by bottom-up stock selection. The investment process is unconstrained seeking to invest in companies with predictable revenue growth that produces sustainable economic value.

## Performance – past performance is not a guide to future performance



Class C returns are used to illustrate the fund's longest track record and it is a restricted share class per the fund information table on the next page. It is not available to retail clients. Class I is available to retail clients with a 0.75% p.a. management fee, which would result in lower performance than shown. Please see table below for the effect of these charges on performance. **Please see the table overleaf for other available share classes and total fees, or contact us for details.** Source: Sanlam, SAML, Bloomberg

## Performance (%)

	Inception	1mth	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	Since Inception
<b>C Accumulation GBP</b>	28/02/14	-0.1	19.9	10.6	12.6	16.2	15.6
<b>MSCI World</b>		-1.5	20.4	7.0	12.3	12.9	13.0
<b>I Accumulation GBP</b>	24/06/16	-0.1	19.7	10.4	12.4	n/a	17.3
<b>MSCI World</b>		-1.5	20.4	7.0	12.3	n/a	16.6
<b>A Accumulation GBP</b>	02/01/15	-0.2	19.0	9.4	11.5	n/a	14.5
<b>MSCI World</b>		-1.5	20.4	7.0	12.3	n/a	12.8

Performance figures for periods longer than 12 months are annualized

## Discrete years performance (%)

12 Months to	Aug-19	Aug-18	Aug-17	Aug-16	Aug-15
<b>C Accumulation GBP</b>	10.6	6.9	20.9	36.2	8.8
<b>MSCI World</b>	7.0	12.1	18.1	25.3	3.5
<b>A Accumulation GBP</b>	9.4	5.8	19.6	34.8	n/a
<b>MSCI World</b>	7.0	12.1	18.1	25.3	n/a
<b>I Accumulation GBP</b>	10.4	6.7	20.6	n/a	n/a
<b>MSCI World</b>	7.0	12.1	18.1	n/a	n/a

\* Portfolio yield is calculated by adding the net dividend amounts for all dividend types that have gone 'ex' over the past 12 months based on the dividend frequency. This total excludes taxes, any related dividend fees or tax related credits

\*\* Distribution yield is the amount received by an investor, and is the sum of distributions paid over the past 12 months, based on the frequency and divided by the last price

The Fund may invest in companies based in emerging markets which may involve additional risks not typically associated with other more established markets such as increased risk of social, economic and political uncertainty. The Fund has holdings which are denominated in currencies other than sterling and may be affected by movements in exchange rates. Consequently the value of an investment may rise or fall in line with the exchange rates.

The value of this portfolio is subject to fluctuation and past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. The performance is calculated for the portfolio and the actual individual investor performance will differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment and dividend withholding tax. All terms exclude costs. Fluctuations or movements in exchange rates may cause the value of underlying investments to go up or down. Do remember that the value of participatory interests or the investment and income generated from them may go down as well as up and is not guaranteed, therefore, you may not get back the amount originally invested and potentially risk total loss of capital. Therefore, the Manager does not provide any guarantee either with respect to the capital or the return of a portfolio. The Yield is calculated on historic dividend income from the preceding 12 months. Since the yield is based on past information it is provided as a guide and should not be taken as a guaranteed yield. If fees are charged to the capital account then this could reduce the amount invested. Income may fluctuate in accordance with market conditions and taxation arrangements. The Manager has the right to close any Portfolios to new investors to manage them more efficiently in accordance with their mandates. Collective Investment Schemes are traded at ruling prices and can engage in borrowing and scrip lending. Collective Investment Schemes (CIS) are generally medium to long term investments. A schedule of fees and charges and maximum commissions is available on request free of charge from the Manager, the Investment Manager or at [www.sanlam.ie](http://www.sanlam.ie) SAH0919(98)1219UK&SAInst

## Key facts

<b>Fund AuM</b>	£451.9m
<b>Strategy AuM</b>	£1215.9m
<b>Number of Holdings</b>	33
<b>Active Share</b>	89.8%
<b>Portfolio Yield*</b>	2.4%
<b>Distribution Yield **</b>	
<b>C GBP</b>	0.8%
<b>I GBP</b>	0.7%
<b>G USD</b>	0.7%
<b>Fund Managers</b>	Pieter Fourie William Ball
<b>Benchmark</b>	MSCI World
<b>Fund Launch Date</b>	28 February 2014
<b>Domicile</b>	Ireland
<b>Base Currency</b>	Sterling
<b>Fund Type</b>	OEIC, UCITS
<b>IA Sector</b>	Global
<b>Morningstar Category</b>	Global Large-Cap
<b>Dealing Deadline</b>	14:00 (GMT)
<b>Settlement Time</b>	T+4
<b>Valuation Point</b>	23:59 (GMT)
<b>Distribution</b>	Semi-Annually

## Top ten holdings

Stock Name	Weight %
Alphabet	4.7%
Medtronic	4.4%
Bayer	4.0%
Booking Holdings	3.8%
Facebook	3.8%
Reckitt Benckiser Group	3.5%
Allergan	3.4%
Fresenius Medical Care	3.4%
Tencent Holdings	3.2%
Johnson & Johnson	3.1%

## Monthly commentary

The Sanlam Global High Quality Fund outperformed the MSCI World Index during the month by 1.6%, with the fund losing 0.1%.

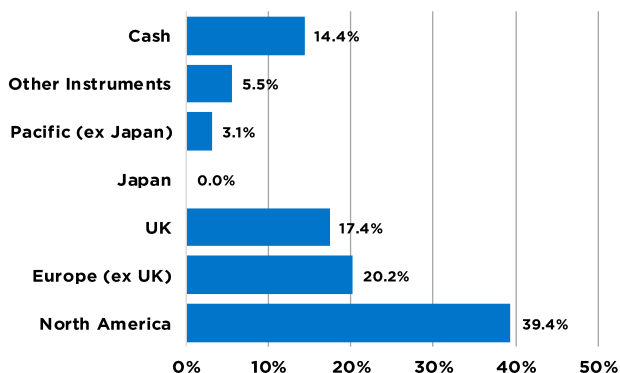
Bayer (+13.6%) was this month's best performer as the beneficiary of a couple of bits of company-specific good news. The first bit of news was a rumour that Bayer had reportedly agreed to pay \$8 billion to settle thousands of lawsuits alleging that Roundup weedkillers (that they inherited in their Monsanto acquisition) caused cancer among its users. This was seen as positive news by the market primarily due to the removal of that particular overhang, even though the settlement was higher than sell-side analysts had assumed. The second bit of positive news for Bayer was the sale of their animal health business for €6.9 billion, higher than market expectations. This will go some way to paying down the company debt as well as simplifying the business.

PepsiCo (+7.4%) and Medtronic (+6.3%) also performed well during the month. PepsiCo, as a consumer staple, was seen as a flight to safety during August's market turbulence. Medtronic posted strong results, confirmed in their yearly guidance for organic growth which the market was pleased with. This enabled them to raise their full-year earnings guidance.

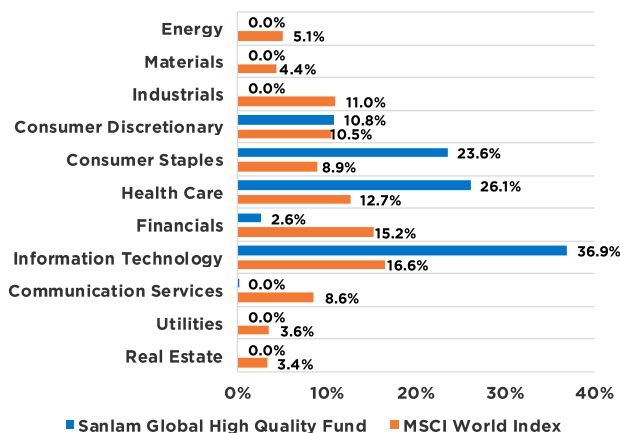
In terms of the laggards Philip Morris (-13.4%) and Tencent (-11.6%) underperformed the market. Philip Morris released news that they had entered discussions with Altria over a potential "merger of equals". As the higher growth company unencumbered by the strict US regulatory system, investors took this news negatively. Tencent released their Q2 results during the quarter which were a little light on the top line. This was down to increased competition in their video advertising segment.

During the month we topped up positions in Imperial Brands, InterContinental Hotel Group, Samsung and Tencent.

## Regional breakdown



## Sector Breakdown



Source: Sanlam, Bloomberg

## Fund information and charges

	Inception Date	ISIN	Bloomberg	SEDOL	Initial Charge	AMC	OCF	Price	Minimum investment	Type of Share
<b>C GBP Accumulation</b>	28/02/2014	IE00BJWHZ516	SGHQCGA	BJWHZ51	None	0.55%	0.61%	2.2194	£10,000,000	Accumulation
<b>C GBP Income</b>	28/02/2014	IE00B97F9X63	SGHQCGI	B97F9X6	None	0.55%	0.64%	2.1178	£10,000,000	Income
<b>A GBP Accumulation</b>	02/01/2015	IE00B97B4V77	SGHQBUA	B97B4V7	None	1.60%	1.68%	1.8799	£300	Accumulation
<b>I GBP Accumulation</b>	24/06/2016	IE00BYV7PR98	SANGHFA	BYV7PR9	None	0.75%	0.83%	1.6618	£1,000,000	Accumulation
<b>I GBP Income</b>	09/11/2015	IE00BYV7PQ81	SANGHFI	BYV7PQ8	None	0.75%	0.83%	1.7296	£1,000,000	Income
<b>IH USD Accumulation</b>	01/05/2018	IE00BZ1CS491	SGHQIUA		None	0.75%	0.86%	1.2024	\$1,000,000	Accumulation
<b>G USD Accumulation</b>	11/07/2016	IE00BYV7PT13	SANGHGA	BYV7PT1	None	0.75%	0.82%	1.3635	\$1,000,000	Accumulation

Other share classes are available

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