

# Intermede Global Equities Fund Product Disclosure Statement

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### About Antares Capital Partners Ltd

## Antares Capital Partners Ltd

Antares Capital Partners Ltd (ACP) is the Responsible Entity of the Fund and the issuer of this PDS and any units offered under it.

- As the Responsible Entity, ACP is responsible for all aspects of operating the
   Fund including administration of the assets and overall investment policy.
- 5 National Australia Bank Limited provides
- unit registry services to the Fund via its agreement with OneVue Fund Services
   Pty Ltd (Registry Services).
- ACP is part of the IOOF Group. ACP may
- 8 also be referred to as 'us', 'we' or 'our' throughout this PDS.

#### Intermede Investment Partners Limited

ACP has appointed Intermede Investment Partners Limited (Intermede), a specialist global equities manager, as investment manager of the Fund.

Intermede is based in London and is majority owned by its investment team, with the remaining interest owned by the IOOF Group.

The Intermede investment team has a single focus – global equities – as they believe this focus will deliver the best outcomes for clients.

Intermede aims to outperform global share markets by investing in companies with good management and strong market positions in attractive industries. In particular, Intermede looks for companies with a demonstrated sustainable competitive advantage.

#### Important information

This Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) summarises significant information about the Intermede Global Equities Fund (Fund).

It also contains a number of references to important information in the Intermede Global Equities Fund Product Guide (Product Guide) marked with an <sup>1</sup> symbol. The Product Guide is a separate document which forms part of this PDS. This PDS and the Product Guide contain important information you should consider before making an investment decision in relation to the Fund. The information provided in this PDS is general information only and does not take into account your objectives, personal financial situation or needs. We recommend you obtain financial advice for your own personal circumstances before making any investment decision.

These documents are available from mlcam.com.au/igef or you can request a copy free of charge by calling us on 1300 738 355 (0800 404 988 if calling from New Zealand) or by contacting your investor directed portfolio service, IDPS-like scheme, master trust or wrap operator (collectively referred to as an 'IDPS' in this PDS). If you are accessing the Fund through the ASX mFund Settlement Service (mFund), you can also access this PDS at mFund.com.au. To invest directly in the Fund you must have received the PDS (electronically or otherwise) within Australia or New Zealand.

The information in these documents is up to date at the time of preparation and may change from time to time. If a change is considered materially adverse, we will issue a replacement PDS. Information that is not materially adverse to investors can be updated by us and will be published on our website mlcam.com.au/igef. A paper copy of any updates will be provided free of charge upon request. You should check you have the most up to date version before making an investment decision. All amounts in these documents are in Australian dollars unless stated otherwise.

Antares Capital Partners Ltd is part of the IOOF group of companies (comprising IOOF Holdings Ltd ABN 49 100 103 722 and its related bodies corporate) (IOOF Group). This document has been prepared on behalf of Antares Capital Partners Ltd ABN 85 066 081 114, AFSL 234483 as Responsible Entity of the Fund. The capital value, payment of income and performance of the Fund are not guaranteed. An investment in the Fund is subject to investment risk, including possible delays in repayment and loss of income and principal invested.

Intermede Investment Partners Limited has given its written consent to being named and quoted in this PDS, and to the inclusion of statements made by it or said to be based on statements made by it. As at the date of this PDS these consents have not been withdrawn.

The Fund referred to herein is not sponsored, endorsed, or promoted by MSCI, and MSCI bears no liability with respect to any such fund.





#### 2. How the Intermede Global **Equities Fund works**

#### **About the Fund**

The Fund invests in an actively managed portfolio of equities (primarily shares in companies, but may also include units in trusts) listed (or expected to be listed) on share markets around the world. Where we refer to companies or shares in this PDS, it includes trusts and units. The Fund is not hedged to the Australian dollar.

The Fund operates like most other managed investment schemes. Your money is pooled together with other investors' money to buy investments which are managed on behalf of all investors

When you invest in a managed investment scheme, such as the Fund, you gain exposure to investments that you may not ordinarily have access to, if you invest on vour own.

The Fund is governed by its constitution (Constitution) and is registered with the Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC). ASIC takes no responsibility for this PDS or the operation of the Fund by ACP.

#### Units and unit prices

The Fund is a 'unit trust'. When you invest in the Fund you acquire an 'interest' in the form of units in the Fund, rather than ownership of the underlying assets of the Fund. When your money is paid into the Fund, units are issued to you and when money is paid out, your units are cancelled.

The value of your investment is reflected in the price of the units. The unit price changes every business day, reflecting the performance (rises and falls in value) of the underlying assets due to market movements, as well as income earned, fees, expenses and taxes paid and payable.

We usually calculate the unit price for the Fund as at the end of each business day.

All references to 'business day' in this PDS and the Product Guide mean days other than a Saturday or a Sunday, or a public or bank holiday in Sydney.

We have the discretion to declare any day to be a business day.

#### **About mFund**

The Fund is available through mFund, a managed fund settlement service operated by the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX). mFund uses the ASX electronic settlement system to automate and track the process of applying for and withdrawing units in managed funds. It allows you to apply for or withdraw units in the Fund via an accredited mFund broker (broker), or your financial adviser who uses a stockbroking service on your behalf.

Your holding of mFund units is linked to your Holder Identification Number (HIN). Your HIN is used for all investments and transactions made through the ASX.

mFund does not provide a market for trading units in the Fund. Units settled through mFund are issued and redeemed by us.

Please note that we will not accept any instructions directly from you if your investment in the Fund is held through mFund.

If you invest in the Fund through mFund, the processes of the ASX and the broker you use will impact the time your application and withdrawal requests are received by us. Please contact your broker or financial adviser for their cut-off times as they may be different from those outlined in this PDS.

There are also some risks associated with the ASX's systems and brokers. For example, the ASX's systems could fail, there could be errors or irregularities, or your broker could cease offering the settlement service. In addition, the ASX may suspend or revoke the admission of the Fund to mFund.

You should contact your financial adviser or broker for further information.

#### Investing directly

To invest in the Fund you will need to complete an Initial Application Form, or you can apply for units in the Fund through mFund. The Initial Application Form is available at mlcam.com.au or on request from Client Services on 1300 738 355 (0800 404 988 if calling from New Zealand). Please see section 8 'How to apply' for more information.

Once you've opened your account, you can make additional investments by sending a completed Additional Investment Form by post or emailing a scanned copy to Registry Services. Application payments can be made via direct deposit. If your investment is held through mFund you must make additional investments through mFund.

The following minimum investment amounts and balance apply:

- minimum initial investment and minimum balance: \$20,000, and
- minimum additional investment: \$1,000.

If accepted, application requests received by the Fund before 3:00 pm (Sydney time) on any business day will normally receive that day's unit price. Application requests received after 3:00 pm will normally receive the next business day's unit price.

If you invest directly into the Fund then you hold units in the Fund and have the rights of a unitholder, as set out in the Constitution. This applies whether your investment is made using the Initial Application Form, the Additional Investment Form, or through mFund.

#### Accessing your money

You can request a partial or a full withdrawal at any time by sending a completed Withdrawal Form by post or emailing a scanned copy to Registry Services. The Withdrawal Form is available at mlcam.com.au or on request from Client

Services on 1300 738 355 (0800 404 988 if calling from New Zealand). If your investment is held through mFund you can only request a withdrawal of your investment through mFund.

Once lodged, withdrawal requests may not be cancelled except with our consent. If a withdrawal request results in you holding less than the minimum balance in the Fund. we may treat your withdrawal request as being for the whole of your investment in the Fund.

If accepted, withdrawal requests received by the Fund before 3:00 pm (Sydney time) on any business day will normally receive that day's unit price. Requests received after 3:00 pm will normally receive the next business day's unit price.

Withdrawal payments will generally be made to your nominated Australian or New Zealand bank account within 10 business days.

In certain circumstances, withdrawals may be delayed. These circumstances may include where a large number of assets need to be sold, where we believe that it is not in the best interests of unitholders to sell underlying assets or where we are unable to calculate the withdrawal price or realise sufficient assets due to circumstances outside our control, such as restricted or suspended trading in the market for an asset.

We may also process requests in instalments over a period of time.

In circumstances where withdrawals are delayed or being paid in instalments, the unit prices used for a withdrawal may be those available on the day the withdrawal takes effect, rather than the day the withdrawal request is received.

In the unlikely event that the Fund is no longer liquid (as defined in the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth)), you may only withdraw your funds in accordance with any withdrawal offer that we make.

#### Income distributions

The income of the Fund will generally be calculated effective 30 June each year. To receive a distribution, you must hold units on the distribution calculation date.

Distributions are generally calculated based on the Fund's net income at the end of the distribution period divided by the number of units on issue. We generally aim to pay income distributions within 10 business days.

There may be periods in which no distributions are made or the Fund may make additional distributions.

Our current practice is to generally distribute all of the net taxable income of the Fund to investors each financial year (including net capital gains and any net gains on currency management). As the Fund is an Attribution Managed Investment Trust (AMIT), we have the discretion to accumulate income (instead of distributing all of the income) and if we do so, the accumulated income will be reflected in the unit price. We intend to continue our current practice to distribute all of the income (including any capital gains) for each year. We will notify you if this changes.

You can request to have income distributions:

- · reinvested into the Fund, or
- paid into your nominated Australian or New Zealand bank account.

If you do not make a selection we will reinvest the distribution into the Fund.

You can change your distribution selection at any time by sending a completed Change of Details Form by post or emailing a scanned copy to Registry Services at least five business days prior to the end of a distribution period. The Change of Details Form is available at mlcam.com.au or on request from Client Services on 1300 738 355 (0800 404 988 if calling from New Zealand). If you are investing through mFund, please contact your ASX broker or your financial adviser who uses a

#### Investing via an IDPS

If you invest in the Fund through an IDPS, then you do not hold units in the Fund and you have none of the rights of a unitholder.

stockbroking service on your behalf.

Instead the IDPS holds units on your behalf, acquires unitholder rights and may exercise these rights as it sees fit without reference to you.

We authorise the use of this PDS as disclosure to persons who wish to access the Fund through an IDPS. This PDS must be read together with offer documents provided by the IDPS operator and you can apply to invest or perform other transactions by completing the relevant forms provided by the IDPS operator.

Investing through an IDPS may result in different conditions applying from those referred to in this PDS including:

- minimum balance requirements
- · fees and other costs
- · cooling-off rights
- how to transact on your investment
- timing of processing of transactions and payment of distributions and withdrawals,
- provision of statements and other information.

You should contact your financial adviser or IDPS operator for further information.

You should read the important information about How the Fund works before making a decision. Go to the Product Guide available at mlcam.com.au/igef\_pg

The material relating to How the Fund works may change between the time when you read this statement and the day when you acquire the product.

#### 3. Benefits of investing in the Intermede Global Equities Fund

#### Access to global investment opportunities

from around the world for the Fund.

Its investments are diversified across countries in both developed and emerging markets

An investor may have difficulty constructing and managing a similar portfolio on their own.

#### Focus on long-term growth

Intermede aims to deliver long-term capital growth by investing:

- in high quality companies it chooses by rigorously applying its selection criteria
- with the intention of holding investments for the long term, and
- only when it believes a company's share price is good value.

#### Investment expertise

Intermede uses an investment approach that a key manager of the Fund has applied to managing global equities funds for many vears.

Intermede believes that by using this investment approach, outlined in section 5, the Fund can achieve better return outcomes than the MSCI All Country World Index (Net Dividends Reinvested) \$A (Benchmark) (before fees) over seven year periods.

#### 4. Risks of managed investment schemes

#### Investment risk

All investments come with some risk. Some investments will have more risk than others, as it depends on the investment's strategy and assets.

The value of an investment with a higher level of risk will tend to rise and fall more often and by greater amounts than investments with lower levels of risk, ie it's • more volatile.

While it may seem confronting, investment risk is a normal part of investing. Without it you may not get the returns you need to reach your investment goals. This is known as the risk/return trade-off.

The level of risk you're prepared to accept will be determined by various factors, including:

- your investment goals
- the savings you'll need to reach these
- your age and how many years you have to Emerging markets risk: most investment
- where your other assets are invested
- the return you may expect from your investments, and
- · how comfortable you are with investment

While Intermede rigorously applies its investment approach, it's important for you to carefully consider the risks of investing in the Fund and to understand that:

- its value and returns will vary over time
- Intermede looks for investment opportunities investments with higher long-term return potential usually have higher levels of short-term risk
  - returns aren't guaranteed and you may lose money
  - future returns will differ from past returns,
  - · laws affecting your investment may change in future.

#### Significant risks

Many factors influence an investment's value. The significant risks of investing in the Fund are typical of the risks of managed investment schemes whose investment strategy is to invest in listed global equities that are not hedged to the Australian dollar.

These risks include:

- Market risk: risks that affect entire share markets including investor sentiment, economic impacts, inflation rates, regulatory conditions, interest rates, and political and catastrophic events. Market risk varies between countries.
- Company specific risk: a company's share price is affected by events within and outside the company. These events include:
  - changes to management
  - profit and loss announcements
  - the expectations of investors regarding the company
  - competitive pressures
  - legal action against the company
  - social and government issues
  - climate change, and
  - environmental issues.
- Concentration risk: as a concentrated fund of around 40 equities, the Fund's returns may be more volatile than those of a more diversified fund. Its exposure to a smaller number of investments means it is more sensitive to changes in the value of those investments.
- Currency risk: the value of the Fund's investments in assets located in other countries will change if the exchange rate between the Australian dollar and the foreign currency moves. Therefore, the Fund's value may decrease because of unfavourable movements in currency exchange rates.
- risks outlined in this section are more pronounced for investments in emerging markets than in developed markets.

Some other risks also relevant to emerging markets include:

Sovereign risk: the risk of a government or government agency failing to comply

- with the terms of a loan eg not making debt repayments.
- Contract risk: the risk that rights and contractual obligations may be difficult to enforce and that settlement periods may be extended.
- Regulatory risk: changes in regulations and laws that affect an industry or a company eg possibility of unforeseen taxes being imposed.
- Derivatives risk: derivatives are contracts Liquidity risk: this is the risk that an that have a value derived from another source such as an asset, market index or interest rate. There are many types of derivatives including swaps, options and futures. They are a common tool used to manage risk or improve returns. Some derivatives allow investment managers to earn large returns from small movements
- in the underlying asset's price. However, they can lose large amounts if the price movement in the underlying asset is unfavourable. Risks particular to derivatives include the risk that the value of a derivative may not move in line with the underlying asset, the risk that counterparties to the derivative may not be able to meet payment obligations and the risk that a particular derivative may be difficult or costly to trade.
  - investment may not be able to be sold without incurring large transactional costs or quickly enough to prevent or minimise a loss. A lack of liquidity may also affect the amount of time it takes us to satisfy withdrawal requests.
  - Fund risk: risks specific to the Fund include the risk that

- the Fund could terminate and that the fees and costs could change. There is also a risk that investing in the Fund may give different results than investing directly because of the impact of fees, income or capital gains accrued in the Fund and the consequences of investments and withdrawals by other investors.
- Investment manager performance risk: investment managers have different approaches to managing portfolios, which invariably results in different investment returns. No single investment approach is guaranteed to outperform all others in all market conditions. Changes to investment markets and within an investment manager's firm may also affect an investment manager's performance.

#### 5. How we invest your money

The following table provides an overview of the Fund's investment return objective and investment approach.

You should consider the likely investment return and risk of the Fund and your investment time frame when deciding whether to invest into the Fund.

Intermede Global Equities Fund			
Fund description	The Fund invests in an actively managed portfolio of equities listed (or expected to be listed) on share markets around the world. The Fund is not hedged to the Australian dollar.		
Investment return objective	The Fund aims to deliver a return that exceeds the Benchmark (before fees) over seven year periods.		
Benchmark	MSCI All Country World Index (Net Dividends Reinvested) (\$A)		
Investment approach	Intermede engages in intensive research to identify investment opportunities in mid and large capitalisation companies and across developed and emerging markets. The Fund is a concentrated portfolio of approximately 40 equities. Intermede's investment philosophy is that companies with good management and strong market positions in attractive industries will outperform if their shares are bought at the right price. Intermede implements its philosophy through a rigorous investment process. Intermede looks for companies that meet some or all of the following criteria:		
	<ul> <li>a sustainable competitive advantage eg a dominant position in their industry</li> <li>a superior business model eg their costs grow more slowly than revenue</li> <li>excellent management team eg proven track record and clear strategy for growth, and</li> <li>a price lower than Intermede's valuation for the company.</li> </ul>		
Indicative asset allocation ranges	Global developed markets: 70% - 100% Global emerging markets: 0% - 30% Cash and cash equivalents: 0% - 10%		
Currency management	The Fund's units are valued in Australian dollars but the Fund invests in assets located in other countries, so they are valued in different currencies. The Fund's exposure to international assets is not hedged to the Australian dollar. This means the value of the Fund will change both due to movements in asset values and shifts in the exchange rate between the Australian dollar and overseas currencies. However, at times, Intermede may wish to invest in companies in a particular country without having full exposure to its currency movements. In these cases, it may enter into currency hedging contracts.		
Use of derivatives	Derivatives may be used within the Fund to manage exposure to global share markets, to hedge the currency exposure, to reduce volatility and risk, and to reduce transactional costs. They will not be used for gearing purposes.		
Minimum suggested timeframe 7 years or more			
Risk level (expected volatility)	Very high: While the Fund offers investors the potential for higher returns over the long term compared to funds investing in other types of assets such as fixed income or cash, the high level of volatility in the Fund means the likelihood of the value of your investment going down over the short term is relatively very high.  See section 4 'Risks of managed investment schemes' for further information.		

## if you:

- The Fund may be suited to you want to invest in a portfolio of equities from around the world managed by a specialist global equities manager
  - want to invest in a portfolio focused on long-term capital growth
  - can tolerate fluctuations of income and the risk of capital loss, and
  - are comfortable having foreign currency exposure ie currency risk.

#### Responsible investing

Environmental, social, governance (ESG), and ethical factors impact the sustainability of companies and governments and therefore influence the returns from investing. Incorporating ESG and ethical considerations into investment decisions is known as responsible investing. Examples of ESG and ethical factors are:

- Environmental climate change, waste and pollution, resource depletion.
- Social and labour standards working conditions, employee relations and diversity, health and safety.
- Governance executive pay, bribery and corruption, tax strategy.
- Ethical considerations other factors that could be detrimental to the broader community.

We don't, as Responsible Entity, take into account labour standards, environmental, social and ethical considerations for the purposes of selecting, retaining or realising investments.

The Responsible Entity has delegated investment management decisions for the Fund to Intermede. Intermede takes into account labour and governance standards and ESG considerations as part of its bottom-up research process. These factors are considered on a case by case basis when deciding whether to acquire, retain or sell an investment but predominantly to the extent that they financially affect the investment. Intermede does not have a predetermined view as to any particular set of labour or governance standards or environmental, social or ethical considerations that it takes into account, nor does it have a predetermined view as to the extent to which it takes those factors into account. Intermede engages with a number of external research providers to supplement their own bottom-up analysis of these ESG issues. For example, Intermede utilises company-specific ESG research from Sustainalytics and incorporates ESG rankings sourced from RobecoSAM and Institutional Shareholder Services Inc, (ISS) into its own research process. Intermede is a signatory to the United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment (UNPRI).

We don't intend for the Fund to invest in tobacco manufacturing companies. There may, from time to time, be a small level of unintended tobacco-related exposure. This Fund isn't promoted as a socially responsible or ethical investment.

#### Changes to the Fund

We may make changes to the Fund (and the information in this PDS) at our discretion, including but not limited to, terminating the Fund or changing the investment manager when we deem it to be in unitholders' best interests. Some changes may be made without prior notice, including but not limited to, closing the Fund to new applications and changes to the investment strategy, asset allocation and service providers.

Where possible, we will give you prior written notice of any materially adverse change.

Changes that are not materially adverse may be made available on the website mlcam.com.au/igef. You should check the website for the latest information or you can obtain a paper copy of any updated information free of charge by calling Client Services on 1300 738 355 (0800 404 988 if calling from New Zealand). mFund investors may also refer to the website mFund.com.au

If you invest via an IDPS and you would like to receive notices of any changes to the Fund or PDS you should request this from your IDPS operator.

#### 6. Fees and costs

#### DID YOU KNOW?

Small differences in both investment performance and fees and costs can have a substantial impact on your long term returns.

For example, total annual fees and costs of 2% of your account balance rather than 1% could reduce your final return by up to 20% over a 30 year period (for example, reduce it from \$100,000 to \$80,000).

You should consider whether features such as superior investment performance or the provision of better member services justify higher fees and costs.

You may be able to negotiate to pay lower contribution fees and management costs where applicable. Ask the Fund or your financial adviser.

#### TO FIND OUT MORE

If you would like to find out more, or see the impact of the fees based on your own circumstances, the Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) website www.moneysmart.gov.au has a managed funds fee calculator to help you check out different fee options.

The ASIC managed funds fee calculator can also be used to calculate the effect of fees and costs on account balances.

The fees and costs outlined in this PDS are for the Fund only.

You should read all of the information about fees and costs because it is important to understand their impact on your investment in the Fund.

If you are investing in the Fund via an IDPS, you will need to consider the fees and other costs of the IDPS when calculating the total cost of your investment.

If you consult a financial adviser you may also pay an additional fee that will be set out in the Statement of Advice between you and your financial adviser. If investing through mFund, additional fees may also be payable directly to your broker, or your financial adviser who uses a stockbroking service on your behalf. You should consider the Financial Services Guide provided by your broker (or adviser).

This section shows the fees and other costs that you may be charged in relation to the Fund. These fees and costs may be deducted from your money, from the returns on your investment or from the assets of the managed investment scheme as a whole.

The information in this table can be used to compare fees and costs between different simple managed investment schemes. Taxes are set out under the 'How managed investment schemes are taxed' section of this PDS.

All fees are shown inclusive of GST and net of Reduced Input Tax Credits (where applicable).

Type of fee or cost	Amount		
Fees when your money moves in or out of the managed investment product.			
Establishment fee The fee to open your investment.	Nil		
Contribution fee The fee on each amount contributed to your investment.	Nil		
Withdrawal fee The fee on each amount you take out of your investment.	Nil		
Exit fee The fee to close your investment.	Nil		
Management costs <sup>1,2</sup>			
The fees and costs for managing your investment.			
Management fee <sup>3</sup>	0.99% pa of the Fund's net asset value.		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> An allowance for transactional costs may apply to investments into and withdrawals from the Fund. Please see 'Transactional costs' in the 'Additional explanation of fees and costs' for further details.

#### Example of annual fees and costs for the Fund

This table gives an example of how the fees and costs for this managed investment product can affect your investment over a 1 year period. You should use this table to compare this product with other managed investment products.

EXAMPLE: Intermede Global Equities Fund		Balance of \$50,000 with a contribution of \$5,000 during the year <sup>1</sup>
Contribution fees	0%	For every additional \$5,000 you put in, you will be charged \$0.
PLUS Management costs	0.99%	And, for every \$50,000 you have in the Fund you will be charged \$495 each year.
EQUALS Cost of the Fund		If you had an investment of \$50,000 at the beginning of the year and you put in an additional \$5,000 during that year, you would be charged fees from: \$495.  What it costs you will depend on the fees you negotiate with the Fund, your IDPS operator or your financial adviser.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This example assumes the \$5,000 additional investment occurs at the end of the year and that value of the Fund does not change for the entire year. Actual fees and costs are based on the value of the Fund which fluctuates daily. This example isn't designed to illustrate any transactional costs that may apply to you, such as a buy/sell spread.

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#### **Management costs**

The management costs are fees and costs for investing the Fund's assets. The management costs includes the management fee and does not include buy/sell spreads or transactional costs.

The Responsible Entity receives a management fee for managing the assets of the Fund and overseeing the day to day operations of the Fund. The Responsible

Entity will pay out of its management fee any fees paid to the investment manager, and other costs and expenses incurred in operating the Fund ('operational costs') such as custody costs, registry costs, auditing fees and tax return fees.

We may decide in the future to recover operational costs directly from the Fund in addition to the management fee.

#### Transactional costs

Transactional costs are the costs incurred when assets in the Fund or in underlying investments are bought or sold and includes costs such as brokerage, stamp duty and settlement costs. Transactional costs may also be incurred when the market process for trading assets causes the price paid or received to be different from the value of the

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Rounded to two decimal places.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Wholesale clients (as defined in the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth)) may be able to negotiate this fee by contacting Client Services.

assets immediately after the transaction, for to mlcam.com.au/igef example, where bid/ask spreads are incurred.

The estimated transactional costs for the financial year to 30 June 2021 were approximately 0.06% of the Fund's net asset value. All of the transactional costs were recovered by buy/sell spreads.

These costs are not included in the management costs and are an additional cost to you. No part of the transactional costs are paid to us or any investment managers.

#### Buy/sell spreads

You incur the buy/sell spread when you buy or sell units in the Fund.

The buy spread is added to the unit price when you buy units. The sell spread is deducted from the unit price when you sell units. The buy/sell spread is not a fee and no part of the buy/sell spread is paid to us or to any investment managers. The buy/sell spread is retained in the Fund to cover the estimated transaction costs incurred as a result of investor applications and redemptions.

As at the date of this PDS, the buy/sell spreads are:

- Buy spread: 0.10% of each amount you invest into the Fund.
- Sell spread: 0.10% of each amount you withdraw from the Fund.

This means that for every \$5,000 you contribute to the Fund you will incur costs of \$5.00 and for every \$5,000 you withdraw from the Fund you will incur costs of \$5.00.

Buy/sell spreads may change from time to time. Increases (and decreases) may be significant.

The latest buy/sell spreads can be found at mlcam.com.au/buy-sell-spreads. Investors may not be notified of changes, and should check current buy/sell spreads before making any investment decision.

#### Changes to fees and costs

We may vary fees or introduce new fees up to the maximums described in the Constitution, without your consent.

Under the Constitution for the Fund, we are entitled to charge the following maximum

- Management fee: 3% pa of the value of the Assets determined at the end of the day (as defined under the Constitution).
- Contribution fee: 5% of the application amount (currently not charged).
- Withdrawal fee: 5% of the withdrawal amount (currently not charged).
- Performance fee: 10% of the average net 8. How to apply asset value of the relevant unit class determined by reference to the performance of the unit class over the relevant performance period (currently not charged).

If you invest directly in the Fund we will give you 30 days' notice of any increase in fees. No prior notice will be given in respect of changes to transactional costs or buy/sell spreads. For updated details go

You should read the important information about Fees and costs before making a decision. Go to the Product Guide available at mlcam.com.au/igef\_pg

The material relating to Fees and costs may change between the time when you read this statement and the day when you acquire the product.

#### 7. How managed investment schemes are taxed

Investing in a managed investment scheme is likely to have tax consequences. Because this PDS and the Product Guide are not tax guides and tax laws are complex and change from time to time, we strongly recommend that you obtain professional tax advice in relation to your own personal circumstances. This applies whether you are an Australian resident or a non-resident for tax purposes.

#### **Australian taxation information**

The general comments below only relate to the tax consequences arising to Australian residents. The Fund itself should not be liable for tax on its net earnings. Managed investment schemes generally do not pay tax on behalf of resident investors. Rather investors should include their proportion of the Fund's taxable income as income in their tax returns. Investors are assessed for tax on any income and capital gains generated by the Fund. Any net losses are retained by the Fund and potentially used to offset future matching gains.

The unit price of units issued before a distribution will include income accumulated in the Fund. The income that has been accumulating will generally be distributed. You may potentially have taxation liabilities on that income. Depending on an investor's circumstances, a revenue or capital gain or loss may arise when units in the Fund are sold or redeemed.

! You should read the important information about How managed investment schemes are taxed before making a decision. Go to the Product Guide available at mlcam.com.au/ igef\_pg

The material relating to How managed investment schemes are taxed may change between the time when you read this statement and the day when you acquire the product.

#### **Investing directly**

To invest directly, you must complete and sign the Initial Application Form for the Fund and post it to Registry Services with your application money via direct deposit and identification documentation as applicable.

The Initial Application Form is available at mlcam.com.au or on request from Client Services on 1300 738 355 (0800 404 988 if calling from New Zealand).

You can also invest directly in the Fund through mFund by placing a buy order for units in the Fund through your broker (or financial adviser who uses a stockbroking service on your behalf). You should contact your financial adviser or broker for further information.

#### Investing via an IDPS

To invest in the Fund via an IDPS, you will need to contact your IDPS operator and complete the relevant IDPS application form and any other documentation required by the IDPS operator. You will also need to contact your IDPS operator in relation to making additional contributions to your investment.

You should contact your IDPS about any complaint you have. Your IDPS will work with us to assist you in resolving any complaints relating to your investment in the Fund. The remaining information in this section only applies to direct investors in the Fund (including mFund investors). If you invest via an IDPS, and require further information you should contact your IDPS operator.

#### **Privacy**

We are committed to protecting your privacy. We collect your personal information to provide you with services and information related to your investment. If you do not provide the requested personal information we may not be able to provide you with these services. Any personal information we collect about you will be handled in accordance with the IOOF Group Privacy Policy, which outlines how we manage your personal information, how you may access or correct your personal information, and how you may complain about a breach of your privacy. To obtain a copy of the IOOF Group Privacy Policy, please contact Client Services on 1300 738 355 or visit our website at mlcam.com.au/privacy

#### Cooling-off right

Unless you are a 'wholesale client' (as defined in the Corporations Act 2001 (Cth)), you have a 'cooling-off right' whereby you can change your mind about your initial investment in the Fund and ask for your money to be repaid.

The cooling-off right must be exercised by writing to the Responsible Entity. Your written request must be received by Registry Services within 14 days from the earlier of:

- when you receive confirmation of your investment, or
- the end of the fifth business day after the day on which your units were issued to

Your cooling-off right terminates immediately if you exercise a right or power under the terms of the Fund, such as withdrawing or transferring part of your investment. Cooling-off rights do not apply to any additional contributions you make to your investment (including those made under any distribution reinvestment election).

Any repayment of your investment under the cooling-off right is subject to an adjustment for market movements (both positive and negative), taxes, buy/sell spreads, and fees and other costs referred to in section 6 of the PDS.

#### Anti-Money Laundering, Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) and Common Reporting Standard (CRS)

We are required to comply with the Anti-Money Laundering and Counter-Terrorism Financing Act 2006 (Cth), the FATCA and the CRS rules. Under these laws we may need to collect additional information from you or anyone acting on your behalf, and your related parties, as part of the initial application process and post account set up. If investing via mFund your broker will conduct anti-money laundering and counter-terrorism financing checks and will also ask some basic questions about your foreign tax residency status, including whether you are a US person and other information required for FATCA and CRS. If you identify yourself as a foreign resident for tax purposes, your account information may be reported to the relevant tax authorities.

#### **Resolving complaints**

If you have a complaint, we can usually resolve it quickly over the phone on 1300 738 355. If you'd prefer to put your complaint in writing, you can email us at client.services@mlcam.com.au or send a letter to Ground Floor, 105 - 153 Miller Street, North Sydney NSW 2060. We'll conduct a review and provide you with a response in writing. If you're not satisfied with our resolution or we haven't responded to you in 30 days, you can lodge a complaint with the Australian Financial Complaints Authority (AFCA). AFCA provides an independent financial services complaint resolution process that's free to consumers. You can contact AFCA in writing to GPO Box 3, Melbourne, VIC, 3001, at their website afca.org.au, by email at info@afca.org.au or by phone on 1800 931 678 (free call). For more information on our complaints management policy visit mlcam.com.au/terms-and-conditions

#### 9. Other information

The Fund is a disclosing entity (as defined under the *Corporations Act 2001* (Cth)) and is subject to regular reporting and continuous disclosure obligations. Copies of documents lodged with ASIC may be obtained from, or inspected at, an ASIC office. We follow ASIC's good practice guidance and disclose continuous disclosure information on our website at mlcam.com.au/igef. You can also call us on 1300 738 355 to obtain copies of the following documents free of charge:

- the most recent annual financial report lodged with ASIC for the Fund
- any half-year financial reports for the Fund lodged with ASIC after the

- lodgement of the above annual financial report but before the date of the PDS, and
- any continuous disclosure notices given by the Fund after the lodgement of the above annual financial report but before the date of the PDS.
- You should read the important information about Email terms and conditions, Investor Online and Adviser Online, Joint investors, Identity verification documents, Important additional information for New Zealand investors and Keeping you informed before making a decision. Go to the Product Guide available at mlcam.com.au/igef\_pg

The material relating to Email terms and conditions, Investor Online and Adviser Online, Joint investors, Identity verification documents, Important additional information for New Zealand investors and Keeping you informed may change between the time when you read this statement and the day when you acquire the product.

#### **Contact details**

#### Registry Services

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