



USD Class I Acc | ISIN: IE00BDTYJB74

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### NAV per Share

USD Class I Acc      US\$149.59

### Fund Details

Fund Size	US\$144.5 m
Base Currency	USD
Denominations	USD/GBP/EUR
Fund Structure	UCITS
Domicile	Ireland
Launch Date	31 December 2018
Investment Manager	Polar Capital LLP
SFDR Classification <sup>1</sup>	Article 8

### Fund Managers



#### David Keetley

##### Fund Manager

David has managed the fund since launch, he joined Polar Capital in 2010 and has 38 years of industry experience.



#### Stephen McCormick

##### Fund Manager

Stephen has managed the fund since launch, he joined Polar Capital in 2010 and has 38 years of industry experience.



## Fund Profile

### Investment Objective

The Fund's investment objective is to generate a positive absolute return over rolling 12-month periods, in all market conditions. There is no guarantee the Fund will achieve this objective over any given period.

### Key Facts

- Team of four sector specialists based in London and Connecticut
- The team has 90 years of combined industry experience
- Portfolio consists of 50-100 positions (long + short), grouped into five categories
- Ability to hedge credit exposures and interest rates
- Absolute Return seeking fund – no benchmark constraints

### Fund Ratings



Ratings are not a recommendation. Please see below for further information.

## Share Class Performance

### Performance Since Launch (%)

#### ■ USD Class I Acc



	1m	3m	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	Since Launch	
							Cum.	Ann.
USD Class I Acc	-0.51	0.78	0.78	7.10	14.02	55.81	49.59	6.65

### Discrete Annual Performance (%)

12 months to	31.03.25	28.03.24	31.03.23	31.03.22	31.03.21
USD Class I Acc	7.10	6.50	-0.05	1.81	34.23

### Calendar Year Performance (%)

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
USD Class I Acc	8.67	4.22	0.21	4.25	22.65	2.29	-	-	-	-

#### Performance relates to past returns and is not a reliable indicator of future returns.

Performance for the USD Class I Acc. The class launched on 31 December 2018. Performance data is shown in USD. Source: Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Ltd.

If this is not your local currency, exchange rate fluctuations may cause performance to increase or decrease when converted into your local currency.

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1. Refers to the EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation

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## Portfolio Exposure

As at 31 March 2025

### Top 5 Positions (Net Exposure by LMV) (%)

STMicroelectronics 0% 08/2025	6.8
Helios Towers 2.875% 03/2027	4.9
Just Eat Takeaway 0% 08/2025	3.7
Cellnex 0.5% 07/2028	3.5
Telix Pharmaceuticals 2.375% 07/2029	3.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>22.4</b>

### Top 5 Net Equity Exposures (%)

Cheesecake Factory	-1.2
Schneider Electric Se	1.2
Rocket Lab USA	1.2
Nutanix Inc	1.1
Sphere Entertainment	-0.9

### Total Number of Positions

Long	53
Short	40

### Net Equity Exposure (%)

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### Market Cap Underlying Stocks (%)

Large (>US\$5bn)	62.3
Medium (US\$500m to 5bn)	37.1
Small (<US\$500m)	0.5

### Capital Structure (%)

Long (LMV)	112.6
Short (Equity)	-54.3
Gross	166.9

### Effective Duration

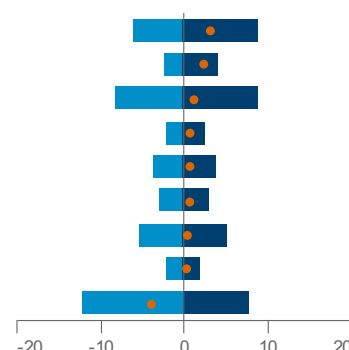
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### Risk / Return Since Inception

Best Month (%)	6.53
Worst Month (%)	-6.61
Positive Months (%)	64.00
Volatility of Returns (%)	4.80
Sharpe Ratio	0.89

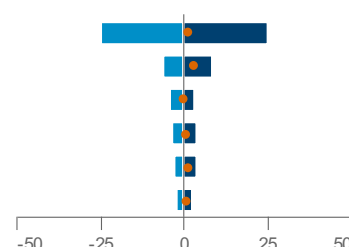
### Sector Equity Exposure (%)

	Long	Short	Net
IT	9.0	-5.9	3.1
Industrial	4.4	-2.1	2.3
Healthcare	9.1	-7.9	1.2
Telecom	2.6	-1.9	0.7
Materials	4.1	-3.4	0.7
Energy	3.2	-2.5	0.7
Financial	5.3	-5.0	0.4
Transportation	2.2	-1.9	0.3
Consumer Discretionary	8.0	-12.0	-4.0



### Geographic Equity Exposure (%)

	Long	Short	Net
US	25.5	-24.5	1.0
Europe	8.4	-5.7	2.7
Japan	3.6	-4.0	-0.4
Asia ex Japan	3.8	-3.5	0.4
Other Markets	3.9	-2.9	1.1
Canada	2.6	-2.1	0.5



Note: Totals may not sum due to rounding. It should not be assumed that recommendations made in future will be profitable or will equal performance of the securities in this document. A list of all recommendations made within the immediately preceding 12 months is available upon request.

## Share Class Information

Share Class	Bloomberg	ISIN	SEDOL	Minimum Investment	OCF <sup>†</sup>	Perf. Fee <sup>††</sup>
USD I Acc	PCGARIU ID	IE00BDTYJB74	BDTYJB7	-	1.16%	15%
<b>Currency Hedged<sup>1</sup></b>						
Curr Hdg GBP I Acc	PCGAIHG ID	IE00BDTYJD98	BDTYJD9	-	1.16%	15%
Curr Hdg GBP I Dist	POGARIP ID	IE0009FY2ZG6	BNHSZ02	-	1.16%	15%
Curr Hdg EUR I Acc	PCGAIHE ID	IE00BDTYJC81	BDTYJC8	-	1.16%	15%

<sup>†</sup>Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) is the latest available, as per the date of this factsheet.

<sup>††</sup>Performance Fee 15% of any returns the Fund achieves above the high water mark.

1. Currency exposures hedged to the extent it is practicable.

## Risks

- **Capital is at risk and there is no guarantee the Fund will achieve its objective. Investors should make sure their attitude towards risk is aligned with the risk profile of the Fund before investing.**
- **Past performance is not a reliable guide to future performance. The value of investments may go down as well as up and you might get back less than you originally invested as there is no guarantee in place.**
- The value of a fund's assets may be affected by uncertainties such as international political developments, market sentiment, economic conditions, changes in government policies, restrictions on foreign investment and currency repatriation, currency fluctuations and other developments in the laws and regulations of countries in which investment may be made. Please see the Fund's Prospectus for details of all risks.
- The Fund invests in equities, convertible and fixed income securities and prices can rise or fall due to several factors affecting global stock markets.
- The Fund uses derivatives which carry the risk of reduced liquidity, substantial loss, and increased volatility in adverse market conditions, such as failure amongst market participants. The use of derivatives will result in the Fund being leveraged (where market exposure and the potential for loss exceeds the amount the Fund has invested) and in these market conditions the effect of leverage will magnify losses. The Fund makes extensive use of derivatives.
- The Fund invests in assets denominated in currencies other than the Fund's base currency. Changes in exchange rates may have a negative impact on the Fund's investments. If the share class currency is different from the currency of the country in which you reside, exchange rate fluctuations may affect your returns when converted into your local currency. Hedged share classes may have associated costs which may impact the performance of your investment.
- There may be times where the issuer or guarantor of a fixed income (or convertible) security cannot meet its payment obligations or has their credit rating downgraded, resulting in potential losses for the Fund.
- The Fund invests in emerging markets where there is a greater risk of volatility due to political and economic uncertainties, restrictions on foreign investment, currency repatriation and currency fluctuations. Developing markets are typically less liquid which may result in large price movements to the Fund.

## Glossary

### Active Share

Active Share is a measure of the percentage of stock holdings in a fund that differ from the benchmark index.

### Alpha

The excess return on an investment in the fund compared to the benchmark.

### Annual Fee

A charge made each year to cover the expenses associated with running the fund. Although it is expressed in annual percentage figures it is usually split into 12 monthly amounts and taken from the fund monthly.

### Base Currency

The currency in which the net asset value of each portfolio is calculated.

### Discrete Annual Performance

Discrete performance is calculated between two fixed specific time and static dates.

### Geographic Exposure

The geographical location in which the holdings of the Fund are listed. Exposure represents the relative risk particular to the percentage of investment in that particular geographic location.

### Hedged Class

A share class which is denominated in a currency other than the base currency of the portfolio. The investment manager employs techniques and instruments to protect against fluctuations between the class and the base currency of the portfolio.

### Long

Buying stocks/shares and other securities with the aim of generating capital gains and income from positive performance of those assets.

### Market Capitalisation Exposure

The percentage of the fund's assets that are invested in companies having market capitalisation of a particular size.

### NAV per Share

Is an expression for net asset value that represents a fund's value per share. It is calculated by dividing the total net asset value of the fund or company by the number of shares outstanding.

### Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)

This is a figure representing all annual charges and other payments taken from the fund.

### Share Class

Share class is a designation applied to a share in a fund. Different share classes within the same fund will confer different rights on their owners.

### Short

Borrowing shares to sell in the open market with the goal of buying these shares back at lower prices in the future, and at that time returning the shares to the lender.

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The Fund promotes, among other characteristics, environmental or social characteristics and is classified as an Article 8 fund under the EU's

Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR). For more information, please see the Prospectus and relevant Fund Supplement.

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