# SEILERN INTERNATIONAL FUNDS PLC (CRO Number: 330410)

# ANNUAL REPORT AND AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

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# MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION

#### **DIRECTORS\***

Mr. Alan McCarthy (Chairman) (Irish) (Independent) Mr. Lorenzo Ward (Irish) (Independent) Mr. Peter Seilern-Aspang (British) Mr. Marc Zahn (Swiss) (Independent)\*\* Ms. Karen Egan (Irish) (Independent) Mr. Anton Seilern-Aspang (Austrian)\*\*\*

\*All Directors are non-executive \*\*Resigned as a Director with effect from 31 December 2024 \*\*\*Appointed as a Director on 8 August 2024

#### MANAGER

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## DEPOSITARY

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# ADMINISTRATOR, SECRETARY AND REGISTRAR

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#### **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS**

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## PROMOTER AND INVESTMENT MANAGER

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#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Seilern International Funds Plc (the "Company") is an umbrella fund with segregated liability between sub-funds established as an open-ended investment company with variable capital and incorporated under the laws of Ireland on 21 July 2000 under the Companies Act 2014 and established as an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities pursuant to the European Communities (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2011, as amended (the "UCITS Regulations"). The Company is regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland (the "Central Bank") pursuant to the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (section 48(1)) (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2019, as amended (S.I. No. 230 of 2019) (the "Central Bank UCITS Regulations").

The Company currently has three sub-funds (the "Sub-Funds" or "Funds"), namely: Seilern World Growth Fund approved by the Central Bank on 18 August 2000, Seilern America approved by the Central Bank on 4 May 2007, Seilern Europa approved by the Central Bank on 19 August 2009.

Seilern World Growth Fund has sixteen classes of shares ("Shares"), namely: EUR U I Class, USD U I Class, GBP U I Class, CHF U I Class, USD H R Class, EUR U R Class, EUR H R Class, GBP U R Class, GBP H R Class, CHF H R Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR U C Class, EUR H C Class, GBP U C Class and CHF H C Class; Seilern America has seventeen classes of Shares, namely: USD U I Class, EUR H I Class, GBP U R Class, GBP H I Class, GBP U I Class, CHF U I Class, GBP U C Class, GBP H C Class, GBP U C Class, GBP U C Class, CHF U I Class, GBP U C Class, GBP U C Class, CHF U I Class, GBP U C Class, EUR H R Class, EUR U R Class, GBP H R Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, EUR U C Class and CHF H C Class; GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR U C Class, EUR U C Class, EUR U R Class; Seilern Europa has nine classes of Shares, namely: EUR U I Class, CHF U I Class, EUR U R Class, EUR U R (Founders) Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR U R Class, EUR U R (Founders) Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR U R Class, EUR U R (Founders) Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, USD H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, USD H C Class, USD H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, USD H C

The letter U means that a Share class is unhedged, the letter H means that the Share class is hedged, the letter R means that the Share class is a retail Share class, the letter I means that the Share class is an institutional Share class, and the letter C means that the Share class is a clean Share class.

To the extent that Seilern World Growth Fund holds securities denominated in currencies other than Sterling, the Sub-Fund may hedge against any currency exposures. To the extent that Seilern America holds securities denominated in currencies other than US Dollar, the Sub-Fund may hedge against any currency exposures. To the extent that Seilern Europa holds securities denominated in currencies other than Euro, the Sub-Fund may hedge against any currency exposures. The Company may also create hedged currency Share classes to hedge the currency exposures between the operating currency of the Share class and the Base Currency of the Sub-Fund. In no case shall any hedging transaction exceed 100 per cent of the net asset value ("Net Asset Value" or "NAV") of the relevant class. The costs and gains (losses) of the hedging transactions entered into by each class will be borne solely by the relevant class.

# DIRECTORS' REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

The directors of the Company (each a "Director", and together the "Board of Directors") submit their Report for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 (referred to herein as the "year", "year end" or "year ended").

#### **Principal Activities and Business Review**

The Directors have directed the affairs of the Company in accordance with the Companies Act 2014. The Company was incorporated on 21 July 2000.

The most recent Prospectus was noted by the Central Bank on 7 March 2024 (the "Prospectus"). Unless otherwise indicated, all capitalised terms in this Report and the accompanying financial statements shall have the same meaning as described in the Prospectus.

A detailed business review of the Company is outlined in the Investment Manager's Report.

#### Results for the financial year and state of affairs at 31 December 2024

Details of the state of affairs of the Company and results for the financial year are set out in the Balance Sheet and the Profit and Loss Account.

#### **Risk Management Objectives and Policies**

Investment in the Company involves a number of risks. Details of these risks are contained in the Prospectus. Details of the financial risk management are included in the financial risk management note.

## **Distribution Policy**

The Directors may distribute dividend and interest income earned, plus net realised and unrealised capital gains, after the deduction of expenses in respect of each accounting year. If a distribution is to be made, it will normally be paid in March following the accounting period terminating on 31 December each year.

No distributions were made during the financial year ended 31 December 2024.

## Directors

All of the Directors, as detailed in the section titled Management and Administration on page 2 of these financial statements, served for the whole of the financial year unless otherwise indicated.

#### **Statement of Directors' Responsibilities**

The Directors are responsible for preparing the annual report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable Irish Law and Generally Accepted Accounting Practice in Ireland including the accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council and published by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland.

Under Irish law, the Directors shall not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the Company's assets, liabilities and financial position as at the end of the financial year and the profit or loss of the Company for the financial year.

In preparing these financial statements, the Directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether the financial statements have been prepared in accordance with applicable accounting standards and identify the standards in question, subject to any material departures from those standards being disclosed and explained in the notes to the financial statements; and
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

#### Statement of Directors' Responsibilities (continued)

The Directors are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to:

- correctly record and explain the transactions of the Company;
- enable, at any time, the assets, liabilities, financial position and profit or loss of the Company to be determined with reasonable accuracy; and
- enable the Directors to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Companies Act 2014 and enable those financial statements to be audited.

The Directors are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the Company and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

#### **Relevant Audit Information Statement**

The Directors in office at the date of this report have each confirmed that:

- as far as he/she is aware, there is no relevant audit information of which the Company's auditor is unaware; and
- he/she has taken all the steps that he/she ought to have taken as a Director in order to make himself aware of any relevant audit information and to establish that the Company's auditor is aware of that information.

#### **Audit Committee**

The Board of Directors decided it was not necessary to constitute an audit committee given the frequency of the meetings of the Board of Directors throughout the financial year and given the size of the Board of Directors and the nature, scale and complexity of the Company and its activities.

#### **Accounting Records**

The measures taken by the Directors to secure compliance with the Company's obligation in line with the requirements of Sections 281 to 285 of the Companies Act 2014, to keep adequate accounting records are the use of appropriate systems and procedures and employment of competent persons. The books of account and accounting records are maintained by Brown Brothers Harriman Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited (the "Administrator").

#### **Transactions involving Directors**

Apart from the transactions disclosed in Note 17, there are no contracts or arrangements of any significance in relation to the business of the Company in which the Directors or Company Secretary had an interest as defined by the Companies Act 2014 at any time during the financial year ended 31 December 2024.

## **Directors' Compliance Statement**

It is the policy of the Company to comply with its relevant obligations (as defined in the Companies Act 2014). As required by Section 225(2) of the Companies Act 2014 the Directors acknowledge that they are responsible for securing the Company's compliance with the relevant obligations. The Directors have drawn up a compliance policy statement as defined in Section 225(3)(a) of the Companies Act 2014 and a compliance policy which refers to the arrangements and structures that are in place and which are, in the Directors' opinion, designed to secure material compliance with the Company's relevant obligations. In discharging their responsibilities under Section 225, the Directors relied upon, among other things, the services provided, advice and/or representations from third parties whom the Directors believe have the requisite knowledge and experience in order to secure material compliance with the Company's relevant obligations.

## **Directors' and Secretary's Interests**

There were no contracts or arrangements of any significance in relation to the business of the Company in which the Directors or Company Secretary had any interest as defined in the Companies Act 2014 at any time during the financial year ended 31 December 2024 (31 December 2023: none) other than those disclosed above. Directors' interests in the shares of the Company are disclosed in Note 17 of the notes to the financial statements.

## DIRECTORS' REPORT (CONTINUED) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

#### Significant Events During the Financial Year (Note 20)

An updated Prospectus was noted by the Central Bank on 7 March 2024.

Mr. Anton Seilern-Aspang was appointed as a Director of the Company on 8 August 2024.

Marc Zahn resigned as a Director of the Company with effect from 31 December 2024.

There were no other significant events during the year.

#### **Post Balance Sheet Events (Note 21)**

Waystone Centralised Services (IE) Limited has been appointed Company Secretary with effect from 1 March 2025, replacing Brown Brothers Harriman Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited.

The registered office address of the Company has been changed from 30 Herbert Street, Dublin D02 W329, Ireland, to 35 Shelbourne Road, Dublin D04 A4E0, Ireland, with effect from 1st March 2025.

There were no other significant post balance sheet events.

#### **Corporate Governance Statement**

The Board of Directors has assessed the measures included in the voluntary Corporate Governance Code for Collective Investment Schemes and Management Companies as published by the Irish Funds in December 2011 (the "IF Code"). The Board has adopted all corporate governance practices and procedures in the IF Code for the financial year ended 31 December 2024.

#### **Directors' Remuneration**

The Directors receive a fixed annual fee which is in line with the fees paid by other Irish funds and compensates these Directors for their tasks, expertise and responsibilities. Each Director shall receive a fee for his or her services not exceeding  $\notin$  35,000 per annum.

#### **Connected Persons**

Transactions carried out with a promoter, partner, manager, depositary, investment manager and/or associated or group companies of these ("connected persons") are carried out as if conducted at arm's length and only when in the best interests of the shareholders.

The Directors are satisfied that there are arrangements in place, evidenced by written procedures, to ensure that the obligations that are prescribed by Regulation 43 of the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (section 48(1)) (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2019, as amended (S.I. No. 230 of 2019) relating to connected persons transactions are applied to all transactions with a connected party and that they have been complied with during the financial year.

#### **Independent Auditors**

The independent auditors, PricewaterhouseCoopers, have indicated their willingness to continue in office in accordance with Section 383 (2) of the Companies Act 2014.

By order of the Board:

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**Alan McCarthy** 

Chairman

28 April 2025

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#### **REPORT OF THE DEPOSITARY TO THE SHAREHOLDERS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024**

We have enquired into the conduct of Seilern International Funds PLC (the "Company") for the financial year ended 31 December 2024, in our capacity as Depositary to the Company.

This report including the opinion has been prepared for and solely for the shareholders in the Company, in accordance with Part 5 of the European Communities (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2011, as amended, (the "UCITS Regulations"), and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving this opinion, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown.

#### **Responsibilities of the Depositary**

Our duties and responsibilities are outlined in Part 5 of the UCITS Regulations. One of those duties is to enquire into the conduct of the Company in each annual accounting period and report thereon to the shareholders.

Our report shall state whether, in our opinion, the Company has been managed in that period in accordance with the provisions of the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association and the UCITS Regulations. It is the overall responsibility of the Company to comply with these provisions. If the Company has not so complied, we as Depositary must state why this is the case and outline the steps which we have taken to rectify the situation.

#### **Basis of Depositary Opinion**

The Depositary conducts such reviews as it, in its reasonable opinion, considers necessary in order to comply with its duties as outlined in Part 5 of the UCITS Regulations and to ensure that, in all material respects, the Company has been managed:

- (i) in accordance with the limitations imposed on its investment and borrowing powers by the provisions of the Memorandum and Articles of Association and the appropriate regulations; and
- (ii) otherwise in accordance with the Company's constitutional documentation and the appropriate regulations.

#### Opinion

In our opinion, the Company has been managed during the financial year, in all material respects:

- (i) in accordance with the limitations imposed on the investment and borrowing powers of the Company by the Memorandum & Articles of Association and by the UCITS Regulations; and
- (ii) otherwise in accordance with the provisions of the Memorandum & Articles of Association and the UCITS Regulations and the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (section 48(1)) (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2019, as amended (S.I. No. 230 of 2019) (the "Central Bank UCITS Regulations").

Brown Brothers Harriman Trustee Services (Ireland) Limited 30 Herbert Street Dublin 2 Ireland

28 April 2025



# Independent auditors' report to the members of Seilern International Funds Plc

# Report on the audit of the financial statements

# Opinion

In our opinion, Seilern International Funds Plc's financial statements:

- give a true and fair view of the Company's and Sub-Funds' assets, liabilities and financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of their results for the year then ended;
- have been properly prepared in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Practice in Ireland (accounting standards issued by the Financial Reporting Council of the UK, including Financial Reporting Standard 102 "The Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland" and Irish law); and
- have been properly prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Companies Act 2014 and the European Communities (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2011 (as amended).

We have audited the financial statements, included within the Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements, which comprise:

- the Balance Sheet as at 31 December 2024;
- the Profit and Loss Account for the year then ended;
- the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable Participating Shares for the year then ended;
- the Schedule of Investments for each of the Sub-Funds as at 31 December 2024; and
- the notes to the financial statements for the Company and for each of its Sub-Funds, which include a description of the accounting policies.

# **Basis for opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (Ireland) ("ISAs (Ireland)") and applicable law.

Our responsibilities under ISAs (Ireland) are further described in the Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements section of our report. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

# Independence

We remained independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Ireland, which includes IAASA's Ethical Standard, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

# **Conclusions relating to going concern**

Based on the work we have performed, we have not identified any material uncertainties relating to events or conditions that, individually or collectively, may cast significant doubt on the Company's and Sub-Funds' ability to continue as a going concern for a period of at least twelve months from the date on which the financial statements are authorised for issue.

In auditing the financial statements, we have concluded that the directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting in the preparation of the financial statements is appropriate.

However, because not all future events or conditions can be predicted, this conclusion is not a guarantee as to the Company's and Sub-Funds' ability to continue as a going concern.

Our responsibilities and the responsibilities of the directors with respect to going concern are described in the relevant sections of this report.



# **Reporting on other information**

The other information comprises all of the information in the Annual Report and Audited Financial Statements other than the financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. The directors are responsible for the other information. Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and, accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion or, except to the extent otherwise explicitly stated in this report, any form of assurance thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If we identify an apparent material inconsistency or material misstatement, we are required to perform procedures to conclude whether there is a material misstatement of the financial statements or a material misstatement of the other information. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report based on these responsibilities.

With respect to the Directors' Report, we also considered whether the disclosures required by the Companies Act 2014 have been included.

Based on the responsibilities described above and our work undertaken in the course of the audit, ISAs (Ireland) and the Companies Act 2014 require us to also report certain opinions and matters as described below:

- In our opinion, based on the work undertaken in the course of the audit, the information given in the Directors' Report for the year ended 31 December 2024 is consistent with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with applicable legal requirements.
- Based on our knowledge and understanding of the Company and its environment obtained in the course of the audit, we have not identified any material misstatements in the Directors' Report.

# Responsibilities for the financial statements and the audit

# Responsibilities of the directors for the financial statements

As explained more fully in the Statement of Directors' Responsibilities set out on page 4, the directors are responsible for the preparation of the financial statements in accordance with the applicable framework and for being satisfied that they give a true and fair view.

The directors are also responsible for such internal control as they determine is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, the directors are responsible for assessing the Company's and Sub-Funds' ability to continue as going concerns, disclosing as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

# Auditors' responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs (Ireland) will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

Our audit testing might include testing complete populations of certain transactions and balances, possibly using data auditing techniques. However, it typically involves selecting a limited number of items for testing, rather than testing complete populations. We will often seek to target particular items for testing based on their size or risk characteristics. In other cases, we will use audit sampling to enable us to draw a conclusion about the population from which the sample is selected.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located on the IAASA website at:

https://www.iaasa.ie/getmedia/b2389013-1cf6-458b-9b8fa98202dc9c3a/Description of auditors responsibilities for audit.pdf.

This description forms part of our auditors' report.



# Use of this report

This report, including the opinions, has been prepared for and only for the Company's members as a body in accordance with section 391 of the Companies Act 2014 and for no other purpose. We do not, in giving these opinions, accept or assume responsibility for any other purpose or to any other person to whom this report is shown or into whose hands it may come save where expressly agreed by our prior consent in writing.

# **Other required reporting**

# Companies Act 2014 opinions on other matters

- We have obtained all the information and explanations which we consider necessary for the purposes of our audit.
- In our opinion the accounting records of the Company were sufficient to permit the financial statements to be readily and properly audited.
- The financial statements are in agreement with the accounting records.

# **Companies Act 2014 exception reporting**

# Directors' remuneration and transactions

Under the Companies Act 2014 we are required to report to you if, in our opinion, the disclosures of directors' remuneration and transactions specified by sections 305 to 312 of that Act have not been made. We have no exceptions to report arising from this responsibility.

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Sarah Murphy for and on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers Chartered Accountants and Statutory Audit Firm Dublin, Ireland 28 April 2025

# **Funds performance**

Fund	Class name	YTD %	1 Year %	3 Years %	Since launch %
Seilern World Growth Fund	EUR U I	8.62%	8.62%	-1.82%	63.71%
Seilern World Growth Fund	USD U I	1.82%	1.82%	-10.60%	437.56%
Seilern World Growth Fund	GBP U I	3.64%	3.64%	-3.32%	439.83%
Seilern World Growth Fund	CHF U I	9.64%	9.64%	-11.07%	53.57%
Seilern World Growth Fund	USD H R	3.88%	3.88%	-8.90%	469.12%
Seilern World Growth Fund	EUR U R	7.80%	7.80%	-4.01%	477.34%
Seilern World Growth Fund	EUR H R	2.23%	2.23%	-15.81%	256.86%
Seilern World Growth Fund	GBP U R	2.86%	2.86%	-5.47%	550.33%
Seilern World Growth Fund	GBP H R	3.20%	3.20%	-12.88%	432.15%
Seilern World Growth Fund	CHF H R	-0.15%	-0.15%	-19.85%	732.37%
Seilern World Growth Fund	GBP H C	4.03%	4.03%	-11.48%	89.18%
Seilern World Growth Fund	USD H C	4.57%	4.57%	-7.11%	108.69%
Seilern World Growth Fund	EUR U C	8.51%	8.51%	-	30.71%
Seilern World Growth Fund	EUR H C	2.88%	2.88%	-14.16%	79.39%
Seilern World Growth Fund	GBP U C	3.53%	3.53%	-3.61%	52.93%
Seilern World Growth Fund	CHF H C	0.53%	0.53%	-18.06%	44.68%
Seilern America	USD U I	6.36%	6.36%	-2.09%	414.58%
Seilern America	EUR H I	4.75%	4.75%	-8.89%	143.03%
Seilern America	EUR U I	13.47%	13.47%	7.53%	155.75%
Seilern America	GBP H I	5.91%	5.91%	-6.80%	91.49%
Seilern America	GBP U I	8.25%	8.25%	5.88%	141.45%
Seilern America	CHF U I	14.30%	14.30%	-2.52%	63.89%
Seilern America	USD U R	5.57%	5.57%	-4.27%	348.16%
Seilern America	EUR H R	4.02%	4.02%	-11.03%	126.28%
Seilern America	EUR U R	12.62%	12.62%	5.15%	76.72%
Seilern America	GBP H R	5.29%	5.29%	-7.94%	139.42%
Seilern America	GBP U R	7.46%	7.46%	3.54%	189.08%
Seilern America	GBP H C	5.85%	5.85%	-5.99%	92.45%
Seilern America	USD H C	6.26%	6.26%	-2.42%	112.44%
Seilern America	EUR H C	4.63%	4.63%	-9.38%	80.02%
Seilern America	GBP U C	8.15%	8.15%	5.58%	66.01%
Seilern America	EUR U C	13.36%	13.36%	7.21%	82.17%
Seilern America	CHF H C	2.35%	2.35%	-14.61%	48.81%
Seilern Europa	EUR U I	8.29%	8.29%	-0.09%	110.44%
Seilern Europa	CHF U I	9.41%	9.41%	-14.48%	29.12%
Seilern Europa	EUR U R	7.48%	7.48%	-2.30%	205.22%
Seilern Europa	EUR U R (Founders)	8.56%	8.56%	0.68%	372.09%
Seilern Europa	GBP H C	9.79%	9.79%	1.72%	91.61%
Seilern Europa	USD H C	10.20%	10.20%	4.73%	104.26%

# **Funds performance (continued)**

Fund	Class name	YTD %	1 Year %	3 Years %	Since launch %
Seilern Europa	EUR H C	8.59%	8.59%	-2.13%	77.28%
Seilern Europa	GBP U C	3.22%	3.22%	-1.89%	35.76%
Seilern Europa	CHF H C	6.13%	6.13%	-6.75%	40.54%

#### SEILERN WORLD GROWTH FUND

Seilern World Growth Fund seeks capital appreciation through investment in equities of the highest quality companies which exist on the leading stock exchanges of the major OECD countries. Investment will be made predominantly in U.S. and Western European equities.

Seilern World Growth Fund has sixteen classes of Shares, namely: EUR U I Class, USD U I Class, GBP U I Class, CHF U I Class, USD H R Class, EUR U R Class, EUR H R Class, GBP U R Class, GBP H R Class, CHF H R Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR U C Class, EUR H C Class, GBP U C Class and CHF H C Class.

#### SUMMARY

The table below shows the performances of the various Share classes of the Sub-Fund, the MSCI World Total Return\* expressed in the currency of the Share class, and the level of outperformance/underperformance.

	2024	MSCI World T.R.	Rel. performance
USD U I Class	1.82%	18.67%	-16.85%
GBP U I Class	3.64%	20.79%	-17.15%
USD H R Class	3.88%	18.67%	-14.79%
EUR U R Class	7.80%	26.60%	-18.80%
EUR H R Class	2.23%	26.60%	-24.37%
GBP U R Class	2.86%	20.79%	-17.93%
GBP H R Class	3.20%	20.79%	-17.59%
CHF H R Class	-0.15%	27.78%	-27.93%
GBP H C Class	4.03%	20.79%	-16.76%
EUR H C Class	2.88%	26.60%	-23.72%
USD H C Class	4.57%	18.67%	-14.10%
GBP U C Class	3.53%	20.79%	-17.26%
CHF U I Class	9.64%	27.78%	-18.14%
CHF H C Class	0.53%	27.78%	-27.25%
EUR U I Class	8.62%	26.60%	-17.98%
EUR U C Class	8.51%	26.60%	-18.09%

Seilern Investment Management

\* This Index is used for illustrative purposes only. The fund does not track this Index and there is no guarantee that the fund will outperform the Index.

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Intuitive Surgical was the second-best performer in 2024, up +54.72 per cent. Early 2024 saw the company launch its latest generation soft-tissue robotic system, the da Vinci 5, which was viewed very positively by the market given the potential to further deepen robotic penetration in soft tissue surgeries. The subsequent uptake of the machine since launch has been very strong with placements each quarter ahead of expectations and, combined with strong procedure growth, this has seen the company beat on both sales and margin each quarter with Q3 seeing the company deliver a +4 per cent beat on sales and +12 per cent beat on EPS. The company continues to hold the leadership position globally in robotic soft tissue surgery (98% market share) and is still the de facto soft tissue robotic machine in the US where competitors have been slow to introduce a machine of their own.

Edenred was the worst performer during 2024, falling -39.87 per cent. Despite reporting strong 2023 results with 24% organic growth and margin expansion, the stock fell in the first quarter on the news that Italian authorities had launched an investigation into alleged fraudulent activities. The stock fell further in the second quarter, in spite of another set of strong results due to a number of reasons, including the ongoing investigation in Italy, investor concerns on potential regulatory changes in France, and uncertainty surrounding the French snap election. The stock continued its decline in the second half of the year due notably to ongoing macroeconomic headwinds in France, the announcement of a fee cap in Italy and a slight revenue miss at Q3 results.

Nike was the second worst performer down -29.10 per cent. The stock dropped sharply after posting Q4 results at the end of June. While the results themselves were unremarkable, a comment that they would be updating their Fiscal 2025 outlook unnerved the market. Despite a profit warning at the beginning of the year, Nike announced that they now expected Fiscal 2025 to decline at a mid-single-digit growth rate (versus prior expectations of "slight" sales growth) and gross margin expansion of +10-30 basis points, which was roughly half of what the market had expected. On the conference call that followed, Nike noted that current lifestyle products were performing worse than expected, forcing the company to accelerate their inventory management programme in direct-to-consumer to make space for new innovative products. China also continues to remain promotional, suffering from continued weak demand and is unlikely to see any material recovery in Fiscal 2025. Performance product has been doing better throughout, thanks to innovation and the announcement that they returned to speciality running stores in the Autumn, an influential part of the wholesale channel, was well received. Although the stock recovered some of these losses in the third quarter, partly on optimism surrounding the replacement of CEO John Donahue with a Nike veteran, Elliot Hill, who is held in high regard by the industry, the stock sold off again into the year end.

#### SEILERN AMERICA

The investment objective of Seilern America is to seek capital appreciation through investment in equity or equity related securities of the highest quality listed on the stock exchanges of the U.S. and Canada. The base currency of Seilern America is US Dollar.

Seilern America has seventeen classes of Shares, namely: USD U I Class, EUR H I Class, EUR U I Class, GBP H I Class, GBP U I Class, CHF U I Class, USD U R Class, EUR H R Class, EUR U R Class, GBP H R Class, GBP U R Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, GBP U C Class, EUR U C Class and CHF H C Class.

## SUMMARY

The table below shows the performances of the various Share classes of the Sub-Fund, the S&P 500 Total Return\* expressed in the currency of the Share class, and the level of outperformance/underperformance.

	2024	S&P 500 T.R.	Rel. performance
USD U I Class	6.36%	25.02%	-18.66%
EUR H I Class	4.75%	33.37%	-28.62%
EUR U I Class	13.47%	33.37%	-19.90%
GBP H I Class	5.91%	27.26%	-21.35%
GBP U I Class	8.25%	27.26%	-19.01%
USD U R Class	5.57%	25.02%	-19.45%
EUR H R Class	4.02%	33.37%	-29.35%
GBP H R Class	5.29%	27.26%	-21.97%
GBP U R Class	7.46%	27.26%	-19.80%
GBP H C Class	5.85%	27.26%	-21.41%
EUR H C Class	4.63%	33.37%	-28.74%
USD H C Class	6.26%	25.02%	-18.76%
GBP U C Class	8.15%	27.26%	-19.11%
CHF U I Class	14.30%	34.62%	-20.32%
CHF H C Class	2.35%	34.62%	-32.27%
EUR U C Class	13.36%	33.37%	-20.01%
EUR U R Class	12.62%	33.37%	-20.75%

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Booking was the second-best performer, up +41.30 per cent. The stock was weak in the first half of the year and particularly over the summer after the company reported a weaker than expected set of results for its second quarter and guided for a continued slowdown in travel for the second half of the year. The stock then rallied strongly between September and December as the company reported an acceleration in bookings in the third quarter and guided for continued strength for the remainder of the year, setting itself up for a strong 2025.

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Idexx Labs was the second-worst performer, down -25.51 per cent. The stock was weak through the first half as organic growth came in lower than expected due to ongoing weakness in US clinic visit trends. The stock sold off further following Q3 results at the end of October because, although quarterly earnings came in ahead of consensus, the company lowered guidance for the full year, as a weaker macro environment in the US continued to weigh on vet visit growth.

#### SEILERN EUROPA

The investment objective of Seilern Europa is to seek capital appreciation through investment in equity or equity-related securities of the highest quality which are listed on the stock exchanges of the European OECD countries.

Seilern Europa has nine classes of Shares, namely: EUR U I Class, CHF U I Class, EUR U R Class, EUR U R (Founders) Class, GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, GBP U C Class and CHF H C Class.

## SUMMARY

The table below shows the performances of the various Share classes of the Sub-Fund, the MSCI World Total Return\* expressed in the currency of the Share class, and the level of outperformance/underperformance.

	2024	MSCI Europe T.R.	Rel. performance
EUR U I Class	8.29%	8.59%	-0.30%
EUR U R Class	7.48%	8.59%	-1.11%
EUR U R (Founders) Class	8.56%	8.59%	-0.03%
GBP H C Class	9.79%	3.61%	6.18%
USD H C Class	10.20%	1.79%	8.41%
EUR H C Class	8.59%	8.59%	0.00%
GBP U C Class	3.22%	3.61%	-0.39%
CHF H C Class	6.13%	9.60%	-3.47%
CHF U I Class	9.41%	9.60%	-0.19%

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Lonza was the second-best performer in 2024, up +52.66 per cent. After a difficult second half of 2023 with two profit warnings and the departure of their CEO, the stock recovered strongly. First, they released results in January which beat consensus and enabled them to reiterate their 2024 and medium-term guidance which surprised the market positively. They also announced the appointment of a new Chairman and a new CEO. Then in March they announced the acquisition of a biologics manufacturing site from Roche, which will ease some of their own and the industry's capacity constraints. As a result, they upgraded their 24-28 sales guidance. At the end of the year they hosted a CMD, where they announced their capsules business was up for sale. Finally, the stock also benefitted from various broker upgrades during the half.

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Spirax was the second worst performer down -33.44 per cent. The stock suffered through the year on the back of ongoing difficulties pertaining to the destocking within biopharma and their semiconductor end markets as well as slowing IP growth negatively affecting them in certain key markets. Due to these issues, the company lowered their guidance for the year at

their 1H 24 results in August, and perhaps more importantly, lowered their medium term guidance to mid-single-digit growth and margins of 22-23%.

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Shares	Investment	Fair Value GBP	% of Net Asset Value
	Denmark	65,830,576	3.96
951,209	Novo Nordisk	65,830,576	3.96
	France	220,674,739	13.28
3,368,589	Dassault Systemes	93,303,915	5.62
2,267,651	Edenred SE	59,528,780	3.58
35,337	Hermes International	67,842,044	4.08
	Germany	99,494,146	5.99
509,245	SAP SE	99,494,146	5.99
	Ireland	67,012,849	4.03
238,571	Accenture	67,012,849	4.03
	Switzerland	122,672,114	7.39
148,303	Lonza Group AG	70,010,238	4.22
523,156	Straumann Holding AG	52,661,876	3.17
	United States	1,058,704,870	63.73
213,514	Adobe	75,810,768	4.56
494,629	Alphabet	74,763,071	4.50
1,255,176	Edwards Lifesciences	74,194,091	4.47
227,221	IDEXX Laboratories	75,009,781	4.52
133,529	Intuitive Surgical	55,650,588	3.35
293,664	MasterCard	123,470,658	7.43
62,235	Mettler-Toledo International	60,807,829	3.66
349,148	Microsoft	117,507,092	7.07
1,138,053	NIKE	68,761,155	4.14
147,186	Tyler Technologies	67,768,552	4.08
257,411	UnitedHealth	103,971,518	6.26
381,334	Veeva Systems	64,017,465	3.85
370,766	West Pharmaceutical Services	96,972,302	5.84
listed inves	tments*	1,634,389,294	98.38

Financial equity assets at fair value through profit or loss

Forward foreign currency exchange contracts (31 December 2023: 0.37%)

#### Unrealised Maturity Amount Amount Gain/(Loss) % of Net GBP Date Sold Bought Counterparty Asset Value 158,700 02 January 2025 152,635 EUR USD Brown Brothers Harriman 516 0.00 02 January 2025 94,072 EUR 97,810 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 319 0.00 02 January 2025 52.740 EUR 54.836 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 178 0.00 02 January 2025 38,879 EUR 40,369 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 88 0.00 02 January 2025 25,630 EUR 26,648 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 87 0.00 02 January 2025 20,000 EUR 20,795 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 68 0.00 02 January 2025 14,785 EUR 15,373 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 50 0.00 02 January 2025 7,734 USD Brown Brothers Harriman EUR 8,042 26 0.00 02 January 2025 7,706 EUR 8,012 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 26 0.00 02 January 2025 7,203 EUR 7,489 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 24 0.00 02 January 2025 5,000 5,199 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 17 EUR 0.00 02 January 2025 1,730 1,799 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 EUR 6 02 January 2025 1,083 EUR 1,126 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 4 0.00 02 January 2025 3 811 EUR 843 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 02 January 2025 624 Brown Brothers Harriman 600 EUR USD 2 0.00 02 January 2025 212 EUR 221 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 1 0.00 02 January 2025 50 EUR 52 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 02 January 2025 50 52 USD EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 03 January 2025 145,000 150,546 EUR USD Brown Brothers Harriman 318 0.00

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Maturity Date	-	mount Sold	Aı	nount Sought	Counterparty	Unrealised Gain/(Loss) GBP	% of Net Asset Value
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03 January 2025	47,598	EUR	49,418	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	104	0.00
03 January 2025	41,297	EUR	42,877	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	91	0.00
03 January 2025	30,200	EUR	31,355	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	66	0.00
03 January 2025	19,878	EUR	20,639	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	44	0.00
03 January 2025	13,404	EUR	13,917	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	29	0.00
03 January 2025	9,343	EUR	9,701	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	20	0.00
03 January 2025	8,170	EUR	8,483	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	18	0.00
03 January 2025	8,000 7,200	EUR EUR	8,306 7,475	USD USD	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	17 15	0.00
03 January 2025 03 January 2025	6,220	EUR	6,458	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	13	$\begin{array}{c} 0.00\\ 0.00\end{array}$
03 January 2025	5,000	EUR	5,191	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	14	0.00
03 January 2025	5,000	EUR	5,191	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	11	0.00
03 January 2025	4,000	EUR	4,153	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	9	0.00
03 January 2025	4,497	EUR	4,669	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	9	0.00
03 January 2025	4,500	EUR	4,672	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	9	0.00
03 January 2025	3,450	EUR	3,582	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	8	0.00
03 January 2025	2,190	EUR	2,274	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	5	0.00
03 January 2025	1,600	EUR	1,661	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	4	0.00
03 January 2025	1,653	EUR	1,717	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	4	0.00
03 January 2025	2,026	EUR	2,103	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	4	0.00
03 January 2025	1,900	EUR	1,973	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	4	0.00
03 January 2025	954	EUR	993	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	3	0.00
03 January 2025	1,000	EUR	1,038	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	3	0.00
03 January 2025	800	EUR	831	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	2	0.00
03 January 2025	702	EUR	729	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	2	0.00
03 January 2025	787	EUR	817	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	2	0.00
03 January 2025	164	EUR	170	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
03 January 2025	146	EUR	152	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
03 January 2025	600	EUR EUR	623 431	USD USD	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
03 January 2025 03 January 2025	416 548	EUR	568	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	$\begin{array}{c} 0.00\\ 0.00\end{array}$
03 January 2025	348	EUR	311	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
03 January 2025	255	EUR	265	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
03 January 2025	500	EUR	519	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
03 January 2025	500	EUR	519	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
03 January 2025	45	EUR	47	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
03 January 2025	25	EUR	26	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
03 January 2025	100	EUR	104	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
03 January 2025	35	CHF	39	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
03 January 2025	9	EUR	10	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
03 January 2025	359	EUR	373	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
03 January 2025	398	EUR	413	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	8,732	EUR	9,079		Brown Brothers Harriman	29	0.00
06 January 2025	55,125	EUR	57,095	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	5	0.00
06 January 2025	41,819	EUR	43,314	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	4	0.00
06 January 2025	47,669	EUR	49,372	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	3	0.00
06 January 2025	2,653	EUR	2,748	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
06 January 2025	3,288	EUR	3,406	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	1,560	EUR	1,616	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0 0	0.00
06 January 2025 06 January 2025	50 6,651	EUR EUR	52 6,888	USD USD	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	0	$\begin{array}{c} 0.00\\ 0.00\end{array}$
06 January 2025	2,200	EUR	2,279	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
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06 January 2025	1,851	EUR	1,917	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	8,645	EUR	8,954	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	200	EUR	207	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	2,194	EUR	2,272	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	32	EUR	33	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
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08 January 2025	81,457	EUR	84,590	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	179	0.00
08 January 2025	11,631	EUR	12,078	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	26	0.00
08 January 2025	5,032	EUR	5,225	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	11	0.00
02 January 2025	97	USD	77	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
02 January 2025	1,187	USD	947	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
02 January 2025	1,015	USD	809	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
02 January 2025	36,999	USD	29,501	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(42)	0.00
03 January 2025	157	USD	141	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
03 January 2025	36,990	USD	33,295	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(201)	0.00
02 January 2025	312 352	USD USD	300 339	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
02 January 2025 02 January 2025	673	USD	539 647	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1) (2)	$\begin{array}{c} 0.00\\ 0.00\end{array}$
02 January 2025	2,268	USD	2,181	EUR		(2)	0.00
02 January 2025	2,208	USD	2,181	EUR		(7)	0.00
02 January 2025	2,101	USD	2,020		Brown Brothers Harriman	(7) (8)	0.00
02 January 2025	2,909	USD	2,797	EUR		(9)	0.00
02 January 2025	3,357	USD	3,228	EUR		(11)	0.00
02 January 2025	5,197	USD	4,999		Brown Brothers Harriman	(17)	0.00
02 January 2025	5,199	USD	5,000	EUR		(17)	0.00
02 January 2025	5,298	USD	5,096	EUR		(18)	0.00
02 January 2025	7,044	USD	6,775	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(23)	0.00
02 January 2025	7,031	USD	6,762	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(23)	0.00
02 January 2025	7,484	USD	7,198	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(25)	0.00
02 January 2025	10,421	USD	10,023	EUR		(34)	0.00
02 January 2025	11,364	USD	10,930	EUR		(37)	0.00
02 January 2025	13,982	USD	13,447		Brown Brothers Harriman	(45)	0.00
02 January 2025	14,951	USD	14,380		Brown Brothers Harriman	(49)	0.00
02 January 2025	15,596	USD	15,000		Brown Brothers Harriman	(51)	0.00
02 January 2025	18,247	USD	17,550	EUR		(59)	0.00
02 January 2025	20,377	USD	19,598	EUR		(66)	0.00
02 January 2025	23,912	USD	22,999		Brown Brothers Harriman	(78)	0.00
02 January 2025	40,369	USD USD	38,879 36,536	EUR EUR		(88)	0.00
02 January 2025 02 January 2025	37,988 41,590	USD	40,001		Brown Brothers Harriman	(124) (135)	$\begin{array}{c} 0.00\\ 0.00\end{array}$
02 January 2025	41,590	USD	40,001	EUR		(133)	0.00
02 January 2025	60,605	USD	58,288		Brown Brothers Harriman	(197)	0.00
02 January 2025	67,187	USD	64,619	EUR		(218)	0.00
02 January 2025	76,920	USD	73,980	EUR		(250)	0.00
02 January 2025	123,029	USD	118,327		Brown Brothers Harriman	(400)	0.00
02 January 2025	468,954	USD	451,032	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1,525)	0.00
02 January 2025	720,876	USD	693,327	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(2,345)	0.00
03 January 2025	227	USD	219	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
03 January 2025	376	USD	362	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
03 January 2025	517	USD	498	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
03 January 2025	837	USD	807	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
03 January 2025	312	USD	300		Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
03 January 2025	391	USD	376		Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
03 January 2025	993	USD	954	EUR		(3)	0.00
03 January 2025	1,137	USD	1,095	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(3)	0.00
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03 January 2025	1,245	USD	1,199		Brown Brothers Harriman	(3)	0.00
03 January 2025	1,597	USD	1,539		Brown Brothers Harriman	(4)	0.00
03 January 2025	3,634	USD	3,500	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	(8)	0.00
03 January 2025	3,979 4,506	USD	3,833 4,340	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	(9) (9)	0.00 0.00
03 January 2025 03 January 2025	4,306 5,190	USD USD	4,540 4,999	EUR		(9) (11)	0.00
03 January 2025	5,396	USD	4,999 5,197	EUR		(11)	0.00
03 January 2025	6,230	USD	6,001		Brown Brothers Harriman	(11)	0.00
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03 January 2025 03 January 2025	6,725 7,390	USD USD	6,477 7,118	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	(14)	0.00 0.00
03 January 2025	7,390 9,664	USD	9,308	EUR EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(15) (20)	0.00
03 January 2025	9,004 10,443	USD	9,508		Brown Brothers Harriman	(20)	0.00
03 January 2025	10,443	USD	10,038	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(22)	0.00
03 January 2025	11,581	USD	11,154	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(23)	0.00
03 January 2025	11,432	USD	11,011		Brown Brothers Harriman	(24)	0.00
03 January 2025	11,369	USD	10,950	EUR		(24)	0.00
03 January 2025	12,260	USD	11,809	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(26)	0.00
03 January 2025	14,401	USD	13,870	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(31)	0.00
03 January 2025	15,348	USD	14,783	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(32)	0.00
03 January 2025	15,260	USD	14,698	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(32)	0.00
03 January 2025	15,576	USD	15,002	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(33)	0.00
03 January 2025	17,054	USD	16,426	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(36)	0.00
03 January 2025	18,148	USD	17,480	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(38)	0.00
03 January 2025	24,074	USD	23,187	EUR		(51)	0.00
03 January 2025	24,307	USD	23,412	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(51)	0.00
03 January 2025	24,205	USD	23,313	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(51)	0.00
03 January 2025	25,065	USD	24,141	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(53)	0.00
03 January 2025	32,481	USD	31,284		Brown Brothers Harriman	(69)	0.00
03 January 2025	32,793	USD	31,585	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(69)	0.00
03 January 2025	35,620	USD	34,308	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(75)	0.00
03 January 2025	38,655	USD	37,231 37,231		Brown Brothers Harriman	(82)	0.00
03 January 2025	38,655 39,792	USD USD	37,231	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	(82)	0.00 0.00
03 January 2025 03 January 2025	41,985	USD	40,438		Brown Brothers Harriman	(84) (88)	0.00
03 January 2025	46,934	USD	40,438	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(100)	0.00
03 January 2025	77,311	USD	74,463		Brown Brothers Harriman	(160)	0.00
03 January 2025	93,165	USD	89,733	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(103)	0.00
03 January 2025	98,691	USD	95,055	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(208)	0.00
03 January 2025	140,478	USD	135,303		Brown Brothers Harriman	(296)	0.00
03 January 2025	145,123	USD	139,776	EUR		(307)	0.00
03 January 2025	228,908	USD	220,475	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(484)	0.00
03 January 2025	282,861	USD	272,440	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(598)	0.00
03 January 2025	296,083	USD	285,176	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(626)	0.00
03 January 2025	305,599	USD	294,341	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(646)	0.00
03 January 2025	408,136	USD	393,101	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(862)	0.00
03 January 2025	579,785	USD	558,427	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1,225)	0.00
06 January 2025	901	USD	870	EUR		0	0.00
06 January 2025	4,104	USD	3,962		Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	6,398	USD	6,178		Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	979	USD	946		Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	1,454	USD	1,404		Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	1,119	USD	1,081		Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	761	USD	735	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
06 January 2025	2,591	USD	2,502	EUR		0 0	0.00
06 January 2025 06 January 2025	2,154 7,388	USD USD	2,080 7,133	EUR EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	0 (1)	0.00 0.00
06 January 2025	8,312	USD	8,025		Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
06 January 2025	19,586	USD	18,911	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
06 January 2025	3,934	USD	3,799	EUR		(1) $(1)$	0.00
06 January 2025	16,572	USD	16,000		Brown Brothers Harriman	(1) $(1)$	0.00
06 January 2025	12,602	USD	12,168	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1) $(1)$	0.00
06 January 2025	23,571	USD	22,757	EUR		(1)	0.00
06 January 2025	26,301	USD	25,394	EUR		(2)	0.00
06 January 2025	47,695	USD	46,050	EUR		(4)	0.00
06 January 2025	64,167	USD	61,954		Brown Brothers Harriman	(5)	0.00
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Maturity	A	mount		mount		Unrealised Gain/(Loss)	% of Net
Date		Sold	В	Sought	Counterparty	GBP	Asset Value
06 January 2025	216,657	USD	209,183	EUD	Brown Brothers Harriman	(17)	0.00
06 January 2025	255,191	USD	246,388	EUR		(17) (21)	0.00
06 January 2025	9,079	USD	8,732	EUR		(21) (29)	0.00
•	-	USD	367,928		Brown Brothers Harriman		
06 January 2025	381,075			EUR		(31)	0.00
08 January 2025	5,225	USD	5,032	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(11)	0.00
08 January 2025	12,078	USD	11,631		Brown Brothers Harriman	(26)	0.00
08 January 2025	84,590	USD	81,457	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(179) (11,032)	0.00
						(11,052)	0.00
The USD H R C	lass					354,251	0.02
30 January 2025	15,359,916	EUR	16,167,141	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	195,175	0.01
30 January 2025	5,160,967	CHF	5,874,341	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	129,012	0.01
30 January 2025	23,262,164	DKK	3,284,289	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	39,605	0.00
30 January 2025	4,145,076	DKK	578,099	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1,364	0.00
30 January 2025	487,794	USD	470,510		Brown Brothers Harriman	(35)	0.00
30 January 2025	522,950	USD	502,024	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(2,020)	0.00
30 January 2025	433,730	USD	411,997		Brown Brothers Harriman	(5,300)	0.00
30 January 2025	117,038	USD	828,713		Brown Brothers Harriman	(1,439)	0.00
30 January 2025	676,745	USD	4,847,767		Brown Brothers Harriman	(2,111)	0.00
The EUR H R C	lass					(3,328,516)	(0.20)
30 January 2025	13,972,844	EUR	14,524,618	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	31,751	0.00
30 January 2025	1,310,471	EUR	1,215,229	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(10,642)	0.00
30 January 2025	28,188,613	CHF	30,482,744	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	317,114	0.00
2					Brown Brothers Harriman		0.02
30 January 2025		DKK CHF	17,150,517	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	2,077	
30 January 2025	1,054,864		1,128,619			1,854	0.00
30 January 2025	3,853,980	DKK	516,755	EUR		(176)	0.00
30 January 2025	22,587,649	DKK	3,027,435		Brown Brothers Harriman	(2,024)	0.00
30 January 2025		USD	288,709,907		Brown Brothers Harriman	(3,668,566)	(0.22)
30 January 2025	3,377,564	EUR	25,180,994		Brown Brothers Harriman	151	0.00
30 January 2025 30 January 2025	866,961 522,058	EUR EUR	6,463,118 3,891,473		Brown Brothers Harriman Brown Brothers Harriman	(5) (50)	0.00 0.00
-		LUK	5,691,475	DKK	brown broulers Harrinan		
The GBP H R C						(217,550)	(0.01)
30 January 2025	473,634	GBP	594,012	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	777	0.00
30 January 2025	1,571,035	CHF	1,404,208	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	15,330	0.00
30 January 2025	48,629	CHF	43,357	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	367	0.00
30 January 2025	1,252,509	DKK	139,314	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	215	0.00
30 January 2025	251,076	DKK	27,857	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(26)	0.00
30 January 2025	7,041,487	DKK	780,701	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1,301)	0.00
30 January 2025	4,666,193	EUR	3,856,030	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(7,215)	0.00
30 January 2025	16,653,133	USD	13,076,984	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(223,147)	(0.01)
30 January 2025	58,487	GBP	65,269	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(786)	0.00
30 January 2025	115,099	GBP	138,974	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(39)	0.00
30 January 2025	110,957	GBP	133,676	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(284)	0.00
30 January 2025	129,499	GBP	155,788	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(518)	0.00
30 January 2025	26,632	GBP	239,203	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	(67)	0.00
30 January 2025	36,141	GBP	324,223	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	(134)	0.00
30 January 2025	155,778	GBP	1,396,185	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	(722)	0.00
The CHF H R C		CHE	226.000	LIGE	Drouw Drothers Harris	(323,170)	(0.02)
30 January 2025	299,456	CHF	336,922	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	4,350	0.00
30 January 2025	316,490	CHF	350,057	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	(218)	0.00
30 January 2025	167,519	DKK	21,026	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(16)	0.00
30 January 2025	151,450	DKK	18,839	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(165)	0.00
30 January 2025	944,955	DKK	118,245	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(409)	0.00

#### Unrealised Maturity Amount Amount Gain/(Loss) % of Net Bought Counterparty GBP Asset Value Date Sold 30 January 2025 5,380,496 DKK 667,487 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman (7, 444)0.00 Brown Brothers Harriman 30 January 2025 3.608.655 EUR 3,337,067 CHF (37, 541)0.00 30 January 2025 12,907,891 USD 11,340,369 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman (283, 482)(0.02)30 January 2025 113,652 CHF 122,559 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 995 0.00 30 January 2025 109.987 117,625 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 151 0.00 CHF 30 January 2025 124,340 CHF 132,669 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (84) 0.00 30 January 2025 132,425 1,057,828 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman 408 CHF 0.0030 January 2025 28,352 CHF 227,807 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman 235 0.00 30 January 2025 292,700 36,713 CHF DKK Brown Brothers Harriman 50 0.00 (0.01) The GBP H C Class (87,870) 30 January 2025 176,663 221,564 Brown Brothers Harriman GBP USD 290 0.00 30 January 2025 643,718 CHF 575,362 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman 6,281 0.00 30 January 2025 56,556 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman 508,471 DKK 87 0.0030 January 2025 97,065 DKK 10,770 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (10)0.00 30 January 2025 2,876,998 DKK 318,978 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (532)0.00 30 January 2025 1,869,156 1,544,626 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (2,890)0.00 EUR 30 January 2025 6,746,024 USD 5,297,360 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (90,394) (0.01)30 January 2025 49,139 GBP 59,332 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 (17)30 January 2025 76,465 GBP 91,988 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (306)0.00 30 January 2025 12,001 GBP 107,796 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman (30)0.00 30 January 2025 14,926 GBP 133,904 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman (55) 0.00 30 January 2025 63,380 GBP 568,053 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 (294)The USD H C Class 125,617 0.01 5,313,057 5,592,280 USD 30 January 2025 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 67,512 0.01 30 January 2025 1,802,234 CHF 2.051.348 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 45,052 0.00 30 January 2025 8,228,388 DKK 1,161,732 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 14,009 0.00 30 January 2025 USD 148,679 EUR 156,037 Brown Brothers Harriman 1,525 0.00 30 January 2025 97,699 USD 1.219 86,882 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 30 January 2025 1,454,532 202,858 DKK USD Brown Brothers Harriman 479 0.00 30 January 2025 245,535 DKK 34,625 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 385 0.00 30 January 2025 64,179 USD 57.170 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman (716)0.00 177,971 30 January 2025 USD 171,665 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (12)0.00 30 January 2025 143,993 USD 138,231 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (557) 0.00 30 January 2025 173,847 165,271 USD EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (2,012)0.00 30 January 2025 45.239 USD 323.801 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman (171)0.00 30 January 2025 30,990 USD 219,434 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman (381)0.00 30 January 2025 229,156 1,641,525 USD DKK Brown Brothers Harriman (715)0.00 The EUR H C Class (527, 156)(0.03)30 January 2025 2,036,934 EUR 2,117,370 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 4,628 0.00 30 January 2025 194,099 EUR 179,993 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman (1,576)0.00 30 January 2025 4,462,028 4,825,170 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 50,196 0.00 CHF 30 January 2025 20,294,919 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman DKK 2,722,733 330 0.00 176,748 Brown Brothers Harriman 30 January 2025 189,106 0.00 CHF EUR 311 30 January 2025 704,185 94,420 DKK EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (32)0.00 30 January 2025 3,615,376 DKK 484,571 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (324)0.00 45,700,427 30 January 2025 48,102,167 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (580,704) USD (0.03)30 January 2025 532,876 EUR 3,972,786 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman 24 0.00 30 January 2025 142,470 EUR 1,062,105 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman (1)0.00 30 January 2025 85,115 EUR 634,457 DKK Brown Brothers Harriman (8) 0.00 The CHF H C Class (96,800) (0.01)30 January 2025 85,061 CHF 95,704 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 1,236 0.0030 January 2025 98,310 CHF 108,736 USD Brown Brothers Harriman (68) 0.00 30 January 2025 143,967 USD 130,104 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman 39 0.00 30 January 2025 48,720 DKK 6,115 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman (4)0.00

Maturity	A	mount		mount		Unrealised Gain/(Loss)	% of Net
Date		Sold	B	Bought	Counterparty	GBP	Asset Value
30 January 2025	143,380	DKK	17,857	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(137)	0.00
30 January 2025	334,154	DKK	41,814	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(137)	0.00
30 January 2025	95,168	EUR	88,396	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(645)	0.00
30 January 2025	1,565,395	DKK	194,198	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(2,166)	0.00
30 January 2025	263,231	USD	235,248	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(2,100)	0.00
30 January 2025	1,048,678	EUR	969,755	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(10,909)	0.00
30 January 2025	3,745,761	USD	3,290,880	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(82,264)	(0.01)
30 January 2025	33,385	CHF	36,002	EUR		(82,204)	0.00
30 January 2025	32,830	CHF	35,110		Brown Brothers Harriman	45	0.00
-	,	CHF	27,262		Brown Brothers Harriman		0.00
30 January 2025	25,551		,		Brown Brothers Harriman	(18) 130	
30 January 2025	42,179	CHF	336,933		Brown Brothers Harriman		0.00
30 January 2025	7,956	CHF	63,929			66 8	0.00
30 January 2025	5,551	CHF	44,259	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	8	0.00
Financial forwar	d foreign cur	rency ex	change contra	acts ass	ets at fair value		
through profit or	loss	·	U			937,633	0.05
Financial forwar	d foreign cur	rency ex	change contra	acts liab	ilities at fair value		
through profit or	· loss					(5,049,859)	(0.30)
<u>through profit or</u> Total forward for		cy exchai	nge contracts*	**		(5,049,859) (4,112,226)	· · · ·
		cy excha	nge contracts*	**		(4,112,226) Fair Value	(0.25) % of Net
Total forward for	reign currend	-				(4,112,226) Fair Value GBP	(0.25) % of Net Asset Value
Total forward for Total financial as	reign currend ssets at fair va	alue thro	ough profit or	loss		(4,112,226) Fair Value GBP 1,635,326,927	(0.25) % of Net Asset Value
Total forward for	reign currend ssets at fair va	alue thro	ough profit or	loss		(4,112,226) Fair Value GBP	(0.25) % of Ne Asset Value 98.43
Total forward for Total financial as	reign currend ssets at fair va	alue thro	ough profit or	loss		(4,112,226) Fair Value GBP 1,635,326,927	(0.25) % of Net
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Total forward for Total financial as <u>Total financial lia</u> Other net assets NET ASSETS AT	reign currend ssets at fair va abilities at fai ITRIBUTAE IG SHARES	alue thro ir value t BLE TO 3	ugh profit or hrough profit	loss t or loss	EEMABLE	(4,112,226) Fair Value <u>GBP</u> 1,635,326,927 (5,049,859) 30,952,245	(0.25 % of Ne <u>Asset Valu</u> 98.4 (0.30 1.8 100.0
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# Forward foreign currency exchange contracts (31 December 2023: 0.37%) (continued)

A zero balance reflects amounts rounding to less than GBP0.50.

# SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEILERN AMERICA AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

Listed Investments (31 December 2023: 96.73%)

Shares	Investment	Fair Value USD	% of Net Asset Value
	Ireland	12,932,856	4.28
36,763	Accenture	12,932,856	4.28
	United States	280,371,749	92.71
27,670	Adobe	12,304,296	4.07
71,708	Alphabet	13,574,324	4.49
47,192	Automatic Data Processing	13,814,514	4.57
2,667	Booking Holdings	13,250,776	4.38
45,184	CME Group	10,493,080	3.47
177,622	Edwards Lifesciences	13,149,357	4.35
123,101	Graco	10,376,183	3.43
37,985	IDEXX Laboratories	15,704,518	5.19
19,649	Intuitive Surgical	10,255,992	3.39
44,854	MasterCard	23,618,772	7.81
8,460	Mettler-Toledo International	10,352,333	3.42
51,461	Microsoft	21,690,812	7.17
22,268	Moody's	10,541,003	3.49
161,444	NIKE	12,216,467	4.04
30,441	Tyler Technologies	17,553,498	5.80
35,600	UnitedHealth	18,008,616	5.96
56,226	Veeva Systems	11,821,517	3.91
39,900	Visa	12,609,996	4.17
59,482	West Pharmaceutical Services	19,483,924	6.44
58,625	Zoetis	9,551,771	3.16
Total listed investm	nents*	293,304,605	96.99

Financial equity assets at fair value through profit or loss	293,304,605	96.99

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Maturity	A	mount	A	mount		Gain/(Loss)	% of Net
Date		Sold	E	Bought	Counterparty	USD	Asset Value
00.1 0005	04.000	FUD	00.275	LICD		260	0.00
02 January 2025	84,998	EUR	88,375	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	360	0.00
02 January 2025	500	EUR	520	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	2	0.00
02 January 2025	17,079	USD	16,426	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(70)	0.00
02 January 2025	728,152	USD	700,325	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(2,966)	0.00
02 January 2025	3,640,761	USD	3,501,624	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(14,829)	(0.01)
						(17,503)	(0.01)
The EUR H I Cla	255					(429,487)	(0.14)
30 January 2025	772,046	EUR	802,533	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	2,198	0.00
30 January 2025	25,021	EUR	26.251	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	313	0.00
30 January 2025	617	USD	588	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(7)	0.00
30 January 2025	577	USD	549	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(9)	0.00
30 January 2025	12,259	USD	11.632	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(201)	0.00
30 January 2025	75,970	USD	72,179	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1,146)	0.00
30 January 2025	28,488,024	USD	27,065,618	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(430,635)	(0.14)
The GBP H I Cla	iss					(706)	0.00
30 January 2025	1,428	GBP	1,791	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	3	0.00
30 January 2025	508	USD	399	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(9)	0.00
30 January 2025	41,738	USD	32,775	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(700)	0.00
The EUR H R Cl						(596,122)	(0.20)
30 January 2025	1,624,245	EUR	1,688,385	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	4,623	0.00

#### SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEILERN AMERICA (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

#### Unrealised Maturity Amount Amount Gain/(Loss) % of Net Sold Bought Counterparty USD Asset Value Date 30 January 2025 199,929 EUR 208,075 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 820 0.00 30 January 2025 89.787 EUR 93.332 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 255 0.00 30 January 2025 4,737 EUR 4,983 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 72 0.00 7,006 19 30 January 2025 6,740 EUR USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 30 January 2025 257 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 EUR 267 1 30 January 2025 116 USD 112 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 0 14 USD 14 0.0030 January 2025 72 USD 70 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 Brown Brothers Harriman 8,876 USD 8,422 EUR (146)0.00 30 January 2025 211,635 USD 201,031 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (3, 238)0.00 30 January 2025 39,594,774 USD 37,617,808 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (598,528) (0.20)The GBP H R Class (129)0.00 GBP 222 Brown Brothers Harriman 30 January 2025 177 USD 0 0.00 30 January 2025 96 USD 75 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (2)0.00 30 January 2025 7,590 USD 5,960 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (127)0.00 The GBP H C Class (16,366) 0.00 30 January 2025 33,118 GBP 41,536 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 68 30 January 2025 504 GBP 640 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 10 0.0030 January 2025 322 GBP 409 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 5 0.00 30 January 2025 21 GBP 27 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 199 GBP 249 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 0 USD 0 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 0 USD 0 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 3,144 USD 2,467 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (55)0.00 30 January 2025 11.762 USD 9.229 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman 0.00 (2.06)30 January 2025 964,902 USD 757,696 GBP Brown Brothers Harriman (16, 188)0.00 The EUR H C Class (201,345) (0.07) 256,207 EUR 268,802 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 30 January 2025 3,206 0.00 30 January 2025 410,977 EUR 427,207 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 1,169 0.00 30 January 2025 10,338 EUR 10,746 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 29 0.00 30 January 2025 31 EUR 32 USD Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 6,314 USD 6,018 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (75)0.00 30 January 2025 5,098 USD 4,837 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (84) 0.00 30 January 2025 20.493 USD 19.499 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (279)0.00 30 January 2025 41.049 USD 39,000 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (619) 0.00 30 January 2025 13,541,128 USD 12,865,020 EUR Brown Brothers Harriman (204,692) (0.07)The CHF H C Class (23)0.00 30 January 2025 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman 32 36 USD 0 0.00 30 January 2025 4 USD 3 CHF Brown Brothers Harriman 0 0.00 30 January 2025 857 Brown Brothers Harriman USD 753 CHF (23)0.00 Financial forward foreign currency exchange contracts assets at fair value through profit or loss 13,153 0.00 Financial forward foreign currency exchange contracts liabilities at fair value (1, 274, 834)(0.42)through profit or loss

#### Forward foreign currency exchange contracts (31 December 2023: 0.78%) (continued)

Total forward foreign currency exchange contracts\*\*

(1,261,681)

(0.42)

# SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEILERN AMERICA (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Fair Value USD	% of Net Asset Value
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	293,317,758	96.99
Total financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(1,274,834)	(0.42)
Other net assets	10,375,409	3.43
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES	302,418,333	100.00
Portfolio Analysis (Unaudited)		Total Assets %
*Transferable securities admitted to an official stock exchange listing.	293,304,605	94.90
**OTC financial derivative instruments.	(1,261,681)	(0.41)
Total Investments	292,042,924	94.49

A zero balance reflects amounts rounding to less than USD0.50.

# SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEILERN EUROPA AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

Listed Investments	(31	December	2023:	98.00%	)
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Shares	Investment	Fair Value EUR	% of Net Asset Value
	Denmark	7,718,689	11.37
58,733	Novo Nordisk	4,916,169	7.24
51,261	Novonesis	2,802,520	4.13
	Finland	2,811,446	4.14
59,818	Kone	2,811,446	4.14
	France	16,654,161	24.54
160,970	Dassault Systemes	5,392,495	7.95
82,961	Edenred SE	2,634,012	3.88
13,334	Essilor International	3,141,490	4.63
1,318	Hermes International	3,060,396	4.51
7,096	L'Oreal	2,425,768	3.57
	Germany	8,781,837	12.94
3,453	Rational AG	2,845,272	4.19
25,123	SAP SE	5,936,565	8.75
	Great Britain	9,062,307	13.35
556,486	Rightmove	4,319,634	6.36
147,038	Sage Group	2,263,867	3.34
29,898	Spirax Group	2,478,806	3.65
	Spain	2,785,846	4.11
56,121	Industria de Diseno Textil	2,785,846	4.11
	Switzerland	18,650,726	27.48
4,899	Belimo Holding AG	3,129,670	4.61
258	Chocoladefabriken Lindt & Spruengli AG	2,768,541	4.08
9,234	Lonza Group AG	5,272,231	7.77
32,252	Nestle	2,573,501	3.79
24,272	SGS	2,350,584	3.46
20,996	Straumann Holding AG	2,556,199	3.77
Total listed invest	tments*	66,465,012	97.93

97.93 Financial equity assets at fair value through profit or loss 66,465,012

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Maturity Date	Amount Sold			mount Sought	Counterparty	Unrealised Gain/(Loss) EUR	% of Net Asset Value
30 January 2025	3,505,488	GBP	4,242,002	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	7,921	0.01
The GBP H C Cla	iss					445	0.00
30 January 2025	1	EUR	1	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
30 January 2025	916	EUR	761	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	4	0.00
30 January 2025	555	EUR	460	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	2	0.00
30 January 2025	3,084	EUR	2,550	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(4)	0.00
30 January 2025	250,977	EUR	207,402	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	(469)	0.00
30 January 2025	64,727	CHF	69,995	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	880	0.00
30 January 2025	15,921	GBP	19,266	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	36	0.00
30 January 2025	198,021	DKK	26,566	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	4	0.00
30 January 2025	42	USD	40	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
30 January 2025	400	GBP	480	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(2)	0.00
30 January 2025	43,856	DKK	5,878	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(5)	0.00
30 January 2025	1,234	EUR	9,200	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
30 January 2025	3,013	EUR	22,461	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00

# SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEILERN EUROPA (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

# Forward foreign currency exchange contracts (31 December 2023: (0.31%)) (continued)

Maturity	A	mount		mount		Unrealised Gain/(Loss)	% of Net
Date		Sold	B	Sought	Counterparty	EUR	Asset Value
The USD H C Cl	ass					204,796	0.30
30 January 2025	10,855,259	EUR	11,425,746	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	166,600	0.25
30 January 2025	94,045	EUR	97,500	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	8	0.00
30 January 2025	358	EUR	372	USD	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
30 January 2025	37,182	EUR	30,908	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	149	0.00
30 January 2025	2,727,818	CHF	2,949,821	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	37,064	0.05
30 January 2025	668,237	GBP	808,635		Brown Brothers Harriman	1,510	0.00
30 January 2025	95,950	CHF	102,659	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	204	0.00
30 January 2025	8,483,757	DKK	1,138,167	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	167	0.00
30 January 2025	1,797	USD	1,708	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(26)	0.00
30 January 2025	4,098	USD	3,889	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(65)	0.00
30 January 2025	17,718	GBP	21,296	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(104)	0.00
30 January 2025	1,918,831	DKK	257,182	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(208)	0.00
30 January 2025	199,633	USD	192,065	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(511)	0.00
30 January 2025	130,043	EUR	969,518	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	7	0.00
30 January 2025	39,855	EUR	297,118	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
The EUR H C Cl	ass					30,191	0.05
30 January 2025	2,112,587	CHF	2,284,520	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	28,704	0.05
30 January 2025	505,668	GBP	611,910	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	1,143	0.00
30 January 2025	89,141	CHF	95,583	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	398	0.00
30 January 2025	6,460,202	DKK	866,690	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	127	0.00
30 January 2025	74	USD	71	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
30 January 2025	1,331	USD	1,265	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(20)	0.00
30 January 2025	1,535,377	DKK	205,787	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	(166)	0.00
30 January 2025	111,027	EUR	827,750	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	6	0.00
The CHF H C Cl	ass					(515)	0.00
30 January 2025	110	EUR	91	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
30 January 2025	159	EUR	131	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
30 January 2025	140	EUR	116	GBP	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
30 January 2025	234	EUR	216	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(3)	0.00
30 January 2025	404	EUR	374	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(4)	0.00
30 January 2025	56,744	EUR	52,474	CHF	Brown Brothers Harriman	(711)	0.00
30 January 2025	14,284	CHF	15,447	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	194	0.00
30 January 2025	3,514	GBP	4,252	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	8	0.00
30 January 2025	457	CHF	489	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
30 January 2025	43,744	DKK	5,869		Brown Brothers Harriman	1	0.00
30 January 2025	9	USD	9		Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
30 January 2025	1,302	DKK	175	EUR	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
30 January 2025	9,641	DKK	1,292		Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
30 January 2025		GBP			Brown Brothers Harriman	(1)	0.00
30 January 2025	241	EUR	1,796		Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
30 January 2025	785	EUR	5,852	DKK	Brown Brothers Harriman	0	0.00
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through profit of Financial forwar		rency ex	change contra	acts liab	oilities at fair value	245,140	0.30
through profit of		-	-			(2,302)	0.00

Total forward foreign currency exchange contracts\*\*

242,838

0.36

# SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEILERN EUROPA (CONTINUED) AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

	Fair Value	% of Net
	EUR	Asset Value
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	66,710,152	98.29
Total financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(2,302)	0.00
Other net assets	1,162,426	1.71
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE		100.00
PARTICIPATING SHARES	67,870,276	100.00
Portfolio Analysis (Unaudited)		Total Assets %
*Transferable securities admitted to an official stock exchange listing.	66,465,012	97.49
**OTC financial derivative instruments.	242,838	0.36
Total Investments	66,707,850	97.85

A zero balance reflects amounts rounding to less than EUR0.50.

# **BALANCE SHEET**

		Seilern	Seilern				
		World	World				
		Growth	Growth	Seilern	Seilern	Seilern	Seilern
		Fund	Fund	America	America	Europa	Europa
		As at 31 December					
		2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
	NOTES	GBP	GBP	USD	USD	EUR	EUR
CURRENT ASSETS							
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	5	1,635,326,927	1,920,766,423	293,317,758	435,487,954	66,710,152	65,725,019
Subscriptions receivable		944,947	9,520,907	658,930	1,121,473	96,580	341
Investment purchased receivable		-	-	-	-	147,244	-
Investment income receivable		256,961	201,548	282,066	391,663	24,348	-
Cash at bank	2	37,337,163	56,816,157	14,749,401	12,197,586	1,184,738	1,838,254
Other debtors	7	246,510	186,124	49,518	42,196	11,529	11,311
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		1,674,112,508	1,987,491,159	309,057,673	449,240,872	68,174,591	67,574,925
CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	5	5,049,859	1,629,693	1,274,834	59,722	2,302	242,437
Redemptions payable		5,626,709	7,134,561	4,952,659	2,134,455	197,364	162,294
Bank overdraft	3	-	4,832,885	-	-	-	74
Other creditors	8	2,206,627	2,397,313	411,847	491,897	104,649	139,161
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES (excluding net							
assets attributable to holders of redeemable							
participating shares)		12,883,195	15,994,452	6,639,340	2,686,074	304,315	543,966
	T						
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS O REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES	PF	1,661,229,313	1,971,496,707	302,418,333	446,554,798	67,870,276	67,030,959

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# **BALANCE SHEET (CONTINUED)**

		Total	Tota
		As at 31 December	As at 31 December
		2024	2023
	NOTES	GBP	GBI
CURRENT ASSETS			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	5	1,924,688,258	2,319,331,77
Subscriptions receivable		1,550,934	10,400,92
Investment purchased receivable		121,743	· · ·
Investment income receivable		502,312	508,783
Cash at bank	2	50,093,629	67,977,29
Other debtors	7	295,581	229,025
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		1,977,252,457	2,398,447,801
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	5	6,069,675	1,886,620
Redemptions payable		9,744,427	8,949,538
Bank overdraft	3	-	4,832,949
Other creditors	8	2,621,998	2,903,762
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES (excluding net	n Nor" (Addison) in de Addisone a sale		
assets attributable to holders of redeemable			
participating shares)		18,436,100	18,572,869
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NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS O REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES	R.	1,958,816,357	2,379,874,932

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# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

		Seilern World	Seilern World	Seilern	Seilern	Seilern	Seilern
		Growth Fund	Growth Fund	America	America	Europa	Europa
		Financial Year ended				<b>Financial Year ended</b>	
		31 December 2024	31 December 2023	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
	NOTES	GBP	GBP	USD	USD	EUR	EUR
INCOME							
Income from investments		15,629,943	12,685,706	3,358,388	3,390,952	1,131,462	1,377,399
Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value	e						
through profit or loss	6	51,185,099	312,826,677	13,469,097	89,608,479	5,831,953	12,294,814
TOTAL INVESTMENT INCOME		66,815,042	325,512,383	16,827,485	92,999,431	6,963,415	13,672,213
EXPENSES							
Management fees	4	22,034,182	21,233,636	3,657,512	3,707,804	711,754	781,922
Administration fees	4	705,488	792,311	225,086	255,377	82,625	88,396
Transaction fees	1	608,403	622,422	38,849	29,478	62,645	99,444
Depositary fees	4	336,403	330,910	56,995	64,828	15,403	18,968
Reporting expense		201,463	157,923	39,065	26,334	7,311	6,311
Research expense		179,787	286,092	40,971	60,964	5,666	11,782
Directors fees & expenses	4	110,970	154,387	19,426	33,463	3,774	6,846
Legal expense		107,320	60,689	19,828	15,894	3,988	3,036
Class hedging expense		93,333	66,849	22,647	26,290	1,561	(5,080)
Agency expense		60,624	64,209	18,734	10,707	8,622	2,566
Audit fees	4	45,403	61,000	8,347	12,670	1,339	2,356
Tax agent expense		44,561	47,521	7,956	7,924	1,879	1,899
Registration expense		23,185	29,593	10,879	7,247	7,711	3,163
Professional fees		29,393	13,579	49	15,440	(4,304)	10,676
Accrued tax		3,378	82,115	909	8,024	1,806	1,678
Other expenses		8,773	(1,210)	16,311	32,518	6,898	12,565
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		24,592,666	24,002,026	4,183,564	4,314,962	918,678	1,046,528
NET PROFIT BEFORE FINANCE COSTS		42,222,376	301,510,357	12,643,921	88,684,469	6,044,737	12,625,685
FINANCE COST							
Bank overdraft expenses		49,081	76,249	987	-	179	1,011
TOTAL FINANCE COST		49,081	76,249	987	-	179	1,011
NET PROFIT BEFORE TAX		42,173,295	301,434,108	12,642,934	88,684,469	6,044,558	12,624,674
Withholding tax on dividends		(2,229,773)	(1,668,615)	(774,987)	(780,336)	(17,967)	(117,794)
NET PROFIT AFTER TAX		39,943,522	299,765,493	11,867,947	87,904,133	6,026,591	12,506,880
INCREASE IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE							
TO HOLDERS OF PARTICIPATING SHARES							
FROM OPERATIONS		39,943,522	299,765,493	11,867,947	87,904,133	6,026,591	12,506,880

Income and expenses arose solely from continuing operations. There were no recognised gains and losses other than those dealt with in the Profit and Loss Account. The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT (CONTINUED)

Financial Year ended 31 December 2024 31 December 2023 MOTESFinancial Year ended 31 December 2023 MERT PROFIL SEARCH STATESFinancial Year ended 31 December 2023 MERT PROFIL SEARCH STATESINCOME Income from investments19,216,09316,608,967Notes19,216,09316,608,967Notes666,663,261395,543,653TOTAL INVESTMENT INCOME85,879,354412,152,620EXPENSESManagement fees425,499,10124,893,820Administration fees4951,5891,074,441Trasaction fees1691,841732,582Depositary fees4394,047399,511Research expense238,225184,577Research expense216,648345,339Directors fees & expenses4129,368187,237Legal expense112,27883,564Agency expense82,58475,046Aduit fees453,06973,232Tax agent expense25,78835,272Registration expense25,78835,272Accrued tax5,61890,024Other expenses27,37735,854TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES28,644,45228,380,312INET PROFIT BEFORE FINANCE COSTS57,234,902383,772,30			Total	Total
NOTES         GBP         GBP           Income from investments         19,216,093         16,608,967           Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value         19,216,093         16,608,967           Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value         6         66,663,261         395,543,653           TOTAL INVESTMENT INCOME         85,879,354         412,152,620           EXPENSES          4         951,589         1,074,441           Transaction fees         4         951,589         1,074,441         732,582           Depositary fees         4         394,047         399,511         Reporting expense         238,225         184,577           Research expense         216,648         345,339         Directors fees & expenses         4         129,368         187,237           Legal expense         216,648         345,339         126,214         76,104         76,104           Class hedging expense         112,378         83,564         32,554         35,64           Agency expense         82,584         75,046         34,112,823         223,232         738         55,541           Registration expense         25,788         35,272         36,854         35,272         36,854 <t< th=""><th></th><th></th><th>Financial Year ended</th><th>Financial Year ended</th></t<>			Financial Year ended	Financial Year ended
INCOME         19,216,093         16,608,967           Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value         6         66,663,261         395,543,653           TOTAL INVESTMENT INCOME         85,879,354         412,152,620           EXPENSES         8         412,152,620           Management fees         4         25,499,101         24,893,820           Administration fees         4         951,589         1,074,441           Transaction fees         1         691,841         732,582           Depositary fees         4         394,047         399,511           Research expense         216,648         345,339           Directors fees & expenses         4         129,368         187,237           Legal expense         126,214         76,104         Class hedging expense         82,584         75,046           Audit fees         4         53,069         73,232         738         55,541           Registration expense         25,788         35,272         38,168           Professional fees         25,788         35,272         38,168           Professional fees         25,788         35,272         38,168           Professional fees         25,788         35,272         38,			31 December 2024	31 December 2023
Income from investments         19,216,093         16,608,967           Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value         6         66,663,261         395,543,653           TOTAL INVESTMENT INCOME         85,879,354         412,152,620           EXPENSES         8         4         25,499,101         24,893,820           Management fees         4         951,589         1,074,441           Transaction fees         1         691,841         732,582           Depositary fees         4         394,047         399,511           Research expense         216,648         345,339         Directors fees & expenses         4         129,368         187,237           Legal expense         126,214         76,104         Class hedging expense         82,584         75,046           Auditi fees         4         53,069         73,232         738         55,541           Registration expense         52,378         55,541         89,0024         0ther expense         25,788         35,272           Accrued tax         5,618         90,024         0ther expense         27,377         35,854           TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES         28,644,452         28,380,312         0.024         0ther expenses         27,377		NOTES	GBP	GBP
Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value         6         66,663,261         395,543,653           TOTAL INVESTMENT INCOME         85,879,354         412,152,620           EXPENSES          4         25,499,101         24,893,820           Administration fees         4         951,589         1,074,441           Transaction fees         1         691,841         732,582           Depositary fees         4         394,047         399,511           Reporting expense         238,225         184,577           Research expense         216,648         345,339           Directors fees & expenses         4         129,368         187,237           Legal expense         1         124,893,820         14,577           Research expense         216,648         345,339         1577           Directors fees & expenses         4         129,368         187,237           Legal expense         112,378         83,564           Agency expense         82,584         75,046           Audit fees         4         53,069         73,232           Tax agent expense         52,378         55,541           Registration expense         25,788         35,272	INCOME			
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	FINANCE COST			
	Bank overdraft expenses		50,005	77,128
TOTAL FINANCE COST         50,005         77,128	TOTAL FINANCE COST		50,005	77,128
<b>NET PROFIT BEFORE TAX</b> 57,184,897 383,695,180	NET PROFIT BEFORE TAX		57,184,897	383,695,180
Withholding tax on dividends         (2,851,485)         (2,398,265)	Withholding tax on dividends		(2,851,485)	(2,398,265)
NET PROFIT AFTER TAX         54,333,412         381,296,915	NET PROFIT AFTER TAX		54,333,412	381,296,915
INCREASE IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE	INCREASE IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE			
TO HOLDERS OF PARTICIPATING SHARES	TO HOLDERS OF PARTICIPATING SHARES			
<b>FROM OPERATIONS</b> 54,333,412 381,296,915	FROM OPERATIONS		54,333,412	381,296,915

Income and expenses arose solely from continuing operations. There were no recognised gains and losses other than those dealt with in the Profit and Loss Account. The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.
# SEILERN INTERNATIONAL FUNDS PLC

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES

	Seilern World Growth Fund Financial Year ended 31 December 2024 GBP	Seilern World Growth Fund Financial Year ended 31 December 2023 GBP	Seilern America Financial Year ended 31 December 2024 USD	Seilern America Financial Year ended 31 December 2023 USD	Seilern Europa Financial Year ended 31 December 2024 EUR	-
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES AT BEGINNING OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR	1,971,496,707	1,581,629,668	446,554,798	306,946,449	67,030,959	63,673,291
Proceeds from redeemable participating shares issued	263,345,191	498,822,770	64,275,472	164,952,411	10,909,332	29,809,553
Redemption of redeemable participating shares	(613,556,107)	(408,721,224)	(220,279,884)	(113,248,195)	(16,096,606)	(38,958,765)
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) FROM SHARE TRANSACTIONS	(350,210,916)	90,101,546	(156,004,412)	51,704,216	(5,187,274)	(9,149,212)
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares from operations Currency conversion adjustment	39,943,522	299,765,493	11,867,947 _	87,904,133	6,026,591	12,506,880
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR	1,661,229,313	1,971,496,707	302,418,333	446,554,798	67.870.276	67.030.959

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

# SEILERN INTERNATIONAL FUNDS PLC

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES (CONTINUED)

	Total Financial Year ended 31 December 2024 GBP	Financial Year ended
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES AT		
BEGINNING OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR	2,379,874,932	1,893,294,628
Proceeds from redeemable participating shares issued	322,882,662	657,329,636
Redemption of redeemable participating shares	(799,573,381)	(533,623,700)
NET INCREASE/(DECREASE) FROM SHARE TRANSACTIONS	(476,690,719)	123,705,936
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of		
redeemable participating shares from operations	54,333,412	381,296,915
Currency conversion adjustment	1,298,732	(18,422,547)
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF		
REDEEMABLE PARTICIPATING SHARES AT THE END OF THE FINANCIAL YEAR	1,958,816,357	2,379,874,932

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.

## 1. Principal accounting policies

## **Basis of preparation**

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting standards generally accepted in Ireland and Irish statute comprising the Companies Act 2014 and the UCITS Regulations. The Company is regulated by the Central Bank pursuant to the Central Bank UCITS Regulations. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Financial Reporting Standards ("FRS") 102: 'The financial reporting standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland'. Accounting standards generally accepted in Ireland in preparing financial statements giving a fair view are those published by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland and issued by the Financial Reporting Council. Prior year comparatives have been restated to reflect current year classification of certain expense balances.

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

Due to the special nature of the Company's business, the Directors have adapted the arrangement and headings and sub-headings of the financial statements otherwise required by Schedule 3 to the Companies Act 2014.

The Company meets the criteria to avail of the exemption available to certain investment funds under FRS 102 not to prepare a statement of cash flow.

## Income

Income arising from investments is accounted for on an accrual basis. Interest income and expense are recognised in the Profit and Loss Account for all debt instruments using the effective interest method.

Dividends are credited to the Profit and Loss Account on the dates on which the relevant securities are listed as "ex-dividend". Dividend income is shown gross of any non-recoverable withholding taxes, which is disclosed separately in the Profit and Loss Account, and net of any tax credits.

## Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand, deposits held on call with banks and bank overdrafts. The cash held by the Company at the financial year end is held with Brown Brothers Harriman & Co. ("BBH") or with a BBH sub-custodian. Bank overdrafts are shown in current liabilities in the Balance Sheet.

The Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (Section 48(1)) (Investment Firms) Regulations 2017 (S.I. No. 604 of 2017) for Fund Service Providers became effective from 3 January 2018. As a result of these regulations, subscription and redemption monies are channelled through an umbrella cash collection account in the name of the Company. The cash held in the umbrella cash collection accounts at the financial year end is included in Cash at bank in the individual Sub-Funds. The corresponding (asset) at financial year end is shown as GBP(4,652) (31 December 2023: GBP(11,542)).

## Financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

The Company has designated its investments into the financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss category and consequently they are measured at fair value with all changes recognised in the Profit and Loss Account.

Purchases and sales of investments are recognised on trade date – the date on which the Company commits to purchase or sell the asset. Investments are initially recognised at fair value and are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the investments have expired or the Company has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership.

Unrealised gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the "financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss" category are included in the Profit and Loss Account in the financial year in which they arise. Realised gains and losses are included in the Profit and Loss Account in the financial year in which they arise.

## 1. Principal accounting policies (continued)

#### Financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (continued)

All forward foreign currency exchange contracts are fair valued using forward exchange rates prevailing at the relevant valuation date for the remaining period to maturity and any resulting unrealised gains are recorded as assets and unrealised losses as liabilities in the Balance Sheet.

Realised gains and losses are recorded in the Profit and Loss Account at the time the forward foreign exchange currency contracts settle. In relation to class specific forward foreign exchange currency contracts the realised and unrealised gains and losses and transaction costs are allocated solely to those Share classes.

## Valuation of investments

The valuation of investments is based on the Net Asset Value per Share at the close of business on the valuation day, which for financial year ended 31 December 2024 of the Company was 31 December 2024. Under FRS 102, in accounting for all of its financial instruments, an entity is required to apply either (a) the full requirements of Section 11 "Basic Financial Instruments" and Section 12 "Other Financial Instruments Issues" of FRS 102, (b) the recognition and measurement provisions of International Accounting Standards 39 ("IAS 39") as adopted for use in the European Union and the disclosure requirements of Sections 11 and 12, or (c) the recognition and measurement provisions of International Financial Instruments" ("IFRS 9") and the disclosure requirements of Sections 11 and 12. The Company has elected to apply the recognition and measurement provisions of IAS 39 and the disclosure requirements of Sections 11 and 12.

After initial measurement, the Company measures financial instruments classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss at their fair values. Fair value is the amount for which an asset could be exchanged, or a liability settled, between knowledgeable, willing parties in an arm's length transaction. Securities which are quoted, listed or traded on a Recognised Exchange will be valued at last traded price at the Valuation Point in accordance with IAS 39. If for specific assets the official close of business prices do not, in the opinion of the Administrator (in consultation with the Investment Manager), reflect their fair value or if prices are unavailable, the value shall be estimated with care and in good faith by the Administrator (in consultation with the Investment Manager), approved for that purpose by Brown Brothers Harriman Trustee Services (Ireland) Limited (the "Depositary"), as at the Business Day immediately preceding the relevant Dealing Day on the basis of the probable realisation value for such assets as at the close of business on the Business Day immediately preceding the relevant Dealing Day.

## **Transaction fees**

Transaction fees include fees and commissions paid to agents (including employees acting as selling agents), advisers, brokers and dealers, levies by regulatory agencies and securities exchanges, and transfer taxes and duties. Transaction fees do not include debt premiums or discounts, financing costs or internal administrative or holding costs. Transaction fees are recognised in the Profit and Loss Account.

## **Foreign currencies**

#### (a) Functional and presentation currency

Items included in the Company's financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which it operates (the "functional currency"). The functional currency is GBP for Seilern World Growth Fund, USD for Seilern America and EUR for Seilern Europa.

The Company has also adopted GBP as its presentation currency at the Company level.

#### (b) Transactions and balances

For the purposes of reporting the Company totals, the results and financial position of each Sub-Fund are translated from the respective functional currency to GBP, as follows:

- (i) Assets and liabilities, including Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable Participating Shares, are translated at the closing rate at each Balance Sheet date.
- (ii) Proceeds from subscriptions and amounts paid on redemption of Redeemable Participating Shares are translated at the average rate for the financial year.

## 1. Principal accounting policies (continued)

#### **Foreign currencies (continued)**

(iii) Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at the average exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the Profit and Loss Account.

The currency conversion adjustment arising on aggregation is included in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable Participating Shares at 31 December 2024.

## **Redeemable participating shares**

The redeemable participating shares are issued and redeemed at the holder's option at prices based on the Sub-Fund's Net Asset Value per share at the time of issue or redemption. They are carried at the redemption amount that is payable at the Balance Sheet date if the holder exercises the right to put the share back to the Company. The Company's Net Asset Value per share is calculated by dividing the net assets attributable to the holders of each class of redeemable participating shares with the total number of outstanding redeemable participating shares for each respective class. In accordance with the provisions of the Company's Prospectus, investment positions are valued based on the last traded market price for the purpose of determining the Net Asset Value per share for subscriptions and redemptions.

## Swing pricing

On any Dealing Day on which there are net subscriptions into or net redemptions out of a Fund, the actual cost of acquiring or disposing of assets on behalf of the Funds, due to dealing charges, taxes, and any spread between acquisition and disposal prices of assets, may be such as to affect the Net Asset Value of the Fund to the detriment of Shareholders in the Fund as a whole. The adverse effect that these costs could have on the Net Asset Value is known as "dilution".

In order to seek to mitigate this potentially dilutive effect and seek to preserve the Net Asset Value per Share of a Fund on any Dealing Day on which there are net subscriptions or redemptions in a Fund above a certain predefined threshold of the relevant Fund, Seilern International AG (the "Manager") may, in consultation with the Investment Manager, determine, at its discretion, to "swing" the Net Asset Value to counter the possible negative effects of dilution. Where it so determines, the Administrator will calculate the Net Asset Value for the relevant Fund, as described above, and then adjust ("swing") the Net Asset Value by a pre-determined amount. The direction of the swing will depend on whether there are net subscriptions or redemptions in the relevant Fund on the relevant Dealing Day, while the magnitude of the swing will be based on predetermined estimates of the average trading costs in the relevant asset class(es) in which the Fund is invested. For example, if the relevant Fund is experiencing net inflows, its Net Asset Value will be swung upwards, so that the incoming shareholders are effectively bearing the costs of the dealing that their subscriptions generate by paying a higher Net Asset Value will be swung downwards, so that the outgoing investors are effectively bearing the costs of the dealing that their redemptions in the costs of the dealing that their subscriptions generate by paying a higher Net Asset Value will be swung downwards, so that the outgoing investors are effectively bearing the costs of the dealing that their redemptions generate by receiving a lower Net Asset Value per Share than they would otherwise receive. These swings are intended to protect non-dealing Shareholders from the impact of trading costs triggered by dealing investors.

The determination to swing the Net Asset Value in respect of a Fund will be made following a consideration of the dealing activity (i.e. level of subscriptions and redemptions) in the relevant Fund on a Dealing Day, in accordance with criteria approved by the Manager from time to time. These criteria will include whether the costs of investing or divesting the net inflows into or outflows from a Fund on a Dealing Day will create, in the Manager's opinion, a significant dilutive impact. Swing pricing will only be exercised for the purpose of reducing dilution in the interests of the Shareholders in a Fund as a whole and will be applied consistently in respect of a Fund and in respect of all assets of that Fund.

The maximum swing in normal market circumstances where swing pricing is adopted is not expected to exceed 0.25% of the Net Asset Value on the relevant Dealing Day. Investors should note that in extreme market conditions the amount by which the Net Asset Value is swung may exceed that level. The application of swing pricing, as described above, may increase the variability of a Fund's returns. The Manager reserves the right to increase or vary the 'swing' of the Net Asset Value without notice to Shareholders. Upon request, investors will be provided with ex-post reporting on whether and to what extent swing pricing has been historically exercised by the Manager in respect of a Fund.

## 1. Principal accounting policies (continued)

#### Swing pricing (continued)

During the year ended 31 December 2024, Seilern World Growth Fund, Seilern America and Seilern Europa utilized the swing pricing mechanism.

# 2. Cash at bank

All cash at bank balances at the financial year end were held with BBH, or with third party institutions approved by the Company on overnight deposit, or directly with a sub-custodian (agency accounts) as detailed in the following tables.

#### As at 31 December 2024

	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
ANZ	_	2,551,457	_	2,037,254
BNP Paribas	1,706,884	_	326,026	1,976,446
Brown Brothers Harriman & Co.	172,638	36,871	5,284	206,447
HSBC	1,056,610	29,686	-	1,080,313
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	-	6,058,341	-	4,837,385
SEB	215	14,705	-	11,956
Sumitomo	34,400,816	6,058,341	853,428	39,943,828
	37,337,163	14,749,401	1,184,738	50,093,629
As at 31 December 2023				
	Seilern World	Seilern	Seilern	
	<b>Growth Fund</b>	America	Europa	Total
	GBP	USD	EUR	GBP
BNP Paribas	1,226,753	_	295.804	1,483,075
Brown Brothers Harriman & Co.	170,470	55,738	4,825	218,374
DBS		3,122,977	464	2,450,180
HSBC	_	31,424	_	24,650
SEB	15,166,472	14,409	8,425	15,185,075
Sumitomo	40,252,462	8,973,038	1,528,736	48,615,937
	56,816,157	12,197,586	1,838,254	67,977,291

All of the institutions listed below have good and best short-term credit quality. This indicates strong or the strongest intrinsic capacity for timely payment of financial commitments, as rated by Fitch.

	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
ANZ	F1+	N/A
BNP Paribas	F1	F1+
Brown Brothers Harriman & Co.	F1+	F1+
DBS	N/A	F1+
HSBC	F1+	F1+
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	F1+	N/A
SEB	F1+	F1+
Sumitomo	F1	F1

## 3. Bank overdraft

The following tables reflect the bank overdraft balances as at 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023. All balances in bank overdrafts are held with BBH.

As at 31 December 2024	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Brown Brothers Harriman & Co.	_	_	_	_
As at 31 December 2023	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Brown Brothers Harriman & Co.	4,832,885 4,832,885		74 <b>74</b>	4,832,949 <b>4,832,949</b>

## 4. Fees and expenses

#### **Management fees**

The management fee in respect of Seilern World Growth Fund amounts to 1.50% of the Net Asset Value of each Sub-Fund per annum with the exception the GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR U C Class, EUR H C Class, GBP U C Class and CHF H C Class of Seilern World Growth Fund, where the management fee is 0.85% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund per annum and the EUR U I Class, USD U I Class, GBP U I Class and CHF U I Class of Seilern World Growth Fund, where the management fee is 0.75% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund per annum.

The management fee in respect of USD U R Class, EUR H R Class, EUR U R Class, GBP H R Class and GBP U R Class of Seilern America is 1.50% of the Net Assets Value of the Sub-Fund per annum. The management fee in respect of GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, GBP U C Class, EUR U C Class and CHF H C Class of Seilern America is 0.85% of the Net Assets Value of the Sub-Fund per annum. The management fee in respect of USD U I Class, EUR H I Class, GBP U I Class and CHF U I Class of Seilern America is 0.75% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund per annum.

The management fee in respect of the EUR U R (Founders) Class of Seilern Europa is 0.50% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund per annum. The management fee in respect of the EUR U R Class of Seilern Europa is up to 1.50% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund per annum. The management fee in respect of GBP H C Class, USD H C Class, EUR H C Class, GBP U C Class and CHF H C Class of Seilern Europa is up to 0.85% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund per annum. The management fee in respect of the EUR U I Class of Seilern Europa is up to 0.75% of the Net Asset Value of the Sub-Fund per annum.

The management fee accrues on each dealing day and is paid to the Manager monthly in arrears. In addition, the Manager is entitled to be reimbursed for its reasonable out-of-pocket expenses.

From this the Manager shall discharge the fees and out-of-pocket expenses of the Investment Manager in respect of its services as investment manager to the Company.

The Manager is a related party of the Company as defined under FRS 102 Section 33 "Related Party Disclosures".

#### **Depositary fees**

The Depositary shall be entitled to receive, out of the assets of each Fund, a trustee fee accrued at each Dealing Day and payable monthly in arrears, of 0.014 per cent per annum of the Net Asset Value of each Fund.

## 4. Fees and expenses (continued)

## **Depositary fees (continued)**

The Depositary will also receive from each Fund a custodial fee of up to 0.02 per cent of the Net Asset Value of each Fund. Such fees shall accrue daily and be paid monthly in arrears, calculated based on the month end assets, and are subject to a yearly minimum fee of US\$10,000. The Depositary shall also be entitled to receive transaction charges and all sub custodian charges will be recovered by the Depositary from the Company as they are incurred by the relevant sub custodians. All such charges shall be at normal commercial rates. The Depositary is also entitled to reimbursement of all reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred for the benefit of the Company.

## Administration fees

The Administrator is entitled to receive administration and fund accounting fees ranging between 0.015 per cent and 0.035 per cent per annum of the Net Asset Value each Fund. Such fees shall accrue daily and be paid monthly in arrears, calculated based on the month end Net Asset Value, and are subject to a yearly minimum fee of US\$100,000. Additional share classes in excess of fifteen share classes in respect of the Company shall be charged at US\$500 per month. The Administrator shall also be entitled to receive registration fees and transaction and reporting charges at normal commercial rates which shall accrue daily and be paid monthly in arrears.

The Administrator shall also be entitled to be reimbursed by the Company for all reasonable and vouched out-of-pocket expenses incurred by it for the benefit of the Company in the performance of its duties under the administration agreement.

# **Directors' fees**

For the year ended 31 December 2024, the Directors shall be entitled to a fee for their services at a rate to be determined from time to time by the Directors, provided that the amount of remuneration payable to any Director in any one year in respect of the Company shall not exceed €35,000. The Directors and any alternate Directors may also be paid all travelling, hotel and other expenses properly incurred by them in attending and returning from meetings of the Directors or any committee of the Directors or general meetings or any meetings in connection with the business of the Company.

#### Auditor's remuneration

The charges (including expenses) for work including expenses carried out for the Company by its statutory audit firm, PricewaterhouseCoopers, for the financial years ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023 were as follows:

	31 December	31 December
	2024	2023
	EUR	EUR
Statutory audit fee	54,590	53,000
Other assurance services	_	-
Tax advisory services	_	-
Other non-audit services	_	-
	54,590	53,000

Audit fees charged to the Profit and Loss Account for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 amounted to GBP53,069 (31 December 2023: GBP73,232). Differences to the figures noted above are in relation to exchange rates and under and over accruals.

# 5. Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

As at 31 December 2024	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Equities Forward foreign currency exchange contracts <b>Financial assets at fair value through profit</b>	1,634,389,294 937,633	293,304,605 13,153	66,465,012 245,140	1,923,537,438 1,150,820
or loss	1,635,326,927	293,317,758	66,710,152	1,924,688,258
Forward foreign exchange currency contracts Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(5,049,859) (5,049,859)	(1,274,834) (1,274,834)	(2,302) (2,302)	(6,069,675) (6,069,675)
As at 31 December 2023	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Equities Forward foreign currency exchange contracts <b>Financial assets at fair value through profit</b>	1,911,833,260 8,933,163	431,941,358 3,546,596	65,692,277 32,742	2,307,588,160 11,743,615
or loss	1,920,766,423	435,487,954	65,725,019	2,319,331,775
Forward foreign exchange currency contracts Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	(1,629,693) (1,629,693)	(59,722)	(242,437)	(1,886,620)
		(59,722)	(242, 437)	(1,886,620)

# 6. Gains and losses on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

As at 31 December 2024	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Realised gain/(loss)				
Investments	166,408,460	21,887,350	3,883,238	186,824,929
Foreign exchange	(875,405)	(19,517)	(2,922)	(893,153)
	165,533,055	21,867,833	3,880,316	185,931,776
Unrealised gain/(loss)				
Investments	(114,545,893)	(8,413,428)	1,956,510	(119,473,824)
Foreign exchange	197,937	14,692	(4,873)	205,309
	(114,347,956)	(8,398,736)	1,951,637	(119,268,515)
Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	51,185,099	13,469,097	5,831,953	66,663,261
As at 31 December 2023	Seilern World Growth Fund	Seilern America	Seilern Europa	Total
	GBP	USD	EUR	GBP
Realised gain/(loss)				
Investments	92,684,128	4,031,540	6,397,670	101,487,366
Foreign exchange	(1,550,826)	(1,681)	19,704	(1,535,045)
	91,133,302	4,029,859	6,417,374	99,952,321
Unrealised gain/(loss)				
Investments	221,888,029	85,578,221	5,870,255	295,779,418
Foreign exchange	(194,654)	399	7,185	(188,086)
	221,693,375	85,578,620	5,877,440	295,591,332
Net gain on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	312,826,677	89,608,479	12,294,814	395,543,653

## 7. Other debtors

As at 31 December 2024	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Prepaid expenses Other receivable	240,595 5,915 <b>246,510</b>	44,887 4,631 <b>49,518</b>	9,461 2,068 <b>11,529</b>	284,258 11,323 <b>295,581</b>
As at 31 December 2023	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Prepaid expenses Other receivable	186,124 	42,196 	5,898 5,413 <b>11,311</b>	224,335 4,690 <b>229,025</b>

#### 8. Other creditors

As at 31 December 2024	Seilern World Growth Fund	Seilern America	Seilern Europa	Total
	GBP	USD	EUR	GBP
Management fees payable	1,686,363	283,042	62,094	1,963,703
Reporting expense payable	137,209	26,060	5,193	162,311
Administration fees payable	79,013	37,079	14,453	120,569
Agency expense payable	60,625	18,734	8,622	82,712
Custodian fees payable	51,674	8,558	2,563	60,626
Audit fees payable	47,193	8,758	1,745	55,629
Directors fees payable	40,696	8,405	1,543	48,683
Registration expense payable	19,087	6,265	3,957	27,361
Tax agent expense payable	21,438	4,600	1,216	26,116
Legal expense payable	21,607	4,302	765	25,675
Class hedging expense payable	15,191	-	-	15,191
Professional fees payable	11,928	2,151	566	14,113
Accrued tax payable	-	2,336	-	1,865
Other expenses payable	14,603	1,557	1,932	17,444
	2,206,627	411,847	104,649	2,621,998

As at 31 December 2023	Seilern World Growth Fund GBP	Seilern America USD	Seilern Europa EUR	Total GBP
Management fees payable	1,915,248	357,316	57,401	2,245,279
Administration fees payable	154,319	57,738	17,485	214,762
Custodian fees payable	62,078	12,693	2,997	74,632
Directors fees payable	59,120	14,534	2,381	72,584
Audit fees payable	44,149	10,608	1,950	54,160
Agency expense payable	27,381	22,247	9,560	53,116
Accrued tax payable	6,215	3,031	39,132	42,502
Class hedging expense payable	38,452	1,437	-	39,579
Tax agent expense payable	12,623	2,877	433	15,255
Professional fees payable	7,216	704	4,243	11,445
Registration expense payable	3,282	2,504	2,050	7,023
Reporting expense payable	1,857	422	47	2,229
Legal expense payable	788	889	115	1,585
Other expenses payable	64,585	4,897	1,367	69,611
- •	2,397,313	491,897	139,161	2,903,762

## 9. Distributions

The Directors may distribute dividend and interest income earned, plus net realised and unrealised capital gains, after the deduction of expenses in respect of each accounting period.

Any dividend will be paid by electronic transfer.

Any dividend which is unclaimed six years from the date it became payable shall be forfeited and become the property of the relevant Sub-Fund.

No distributions were made during the financial year ended 31 December 2024 or 31 December 2023.

## **10.** Incorporation and share capital

The Company was incorporated and registered in Ireland on 21 July 2000 as an open-ended investment company with variable capital pursuant to the Companies Act 2014. The Company is qualified as a UCITS within the meaning of the UCITS Regulations and has segregated liability between sub-funds. It is authorised by the Central Bank. Currently, the Company is structured as an umbrella fund consisting of three Sub-Funds which are:

- Seilern World Growth Fund
- Seilern America
- Seilern Europa

The share capital of the Company shall at all times equal the Net Asset Value. The authorised share capital of the Company is 500,000,000,000 Shares of no par value divided into 3 Subscriber Shares of no par value and 499,999,999,997 Shares of no par value. The Directors are empowered to issue Shares in the Company provided that the number of issued shares in the Company does not exceed 500 billion. There are no rights of pre-emption upon the issue of Shares in the Company.

The issued share capital of the Company is as follows:

Subscriber share capital consists of 3 shares of no-par value.

Subscriber shares entitle the holders to attend and vote at general meetings of the Company, but do not entitle the holders to participate in the profits or assets of the Company except for return of capital on a winding up. The subscriber shares in issue are not included in the total share capital in the Balance Sheet nor is the corresponding bank balance. The tables overleaf outline the movement in redeemable participating shares during the financial year.

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# **10.** Incorporation and share capital (continued)

Shares in issue as at 31 December 2024

# Redeemable participating shares for the financial year ended 31 December 2024

35,451

40,120

Seilern World Growth Fund	EUR U I Class	USD U I Class	GBP U I Class	CHF U I Class	USD H R Class	EUR U R Class	EUR H R Class	GBP U R Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2024	734,264	1,560,839	26,459	38,191	205,401	1,185,783	1,365,406	12,268
Redeemable participating shares issued	63,027	86,115	4,635	445,215	14,599	169,954	105,311	320
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(207,897)	(292,415)	(4,504)	(48,156)	(77,857)	(513,640)	(327,382)	(4,798)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2024	589,394	1,354,539	26,590	435,250	142,143	842,097	1,143,335	7,790
Seilern World Growth Fund	GBP H R Class	CHF H R Class	GBP H C Class	USD H C Class	EUR U C Class	EUR H C Class	GBP U C Class	CHF H C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2024	47.292	47.566	43.975	127.511	94.845	563.395	38,067	29.557
Redeemable participating shares issued	3,405	1,599	6,684	64,509	95,198	83,637	1,553	15,644
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(15,246)	(9,045)	(10,261)	(58,877)	(99,785)	(288,806)	(21,216)	(8,700)

40,398

133,143

90,258

358,226

18,404

36,501

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# **10.** Incorporation and share capital (continued)

Seilern America	USD U I Class	EUR H I Class	EUR U I Class	<b>GBP H I Class</b>	GBP U I Class	CHF U I Class	USD U R Class	EUR H R Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2024	172,787	274,952	471,271	305	23,325	5	130,052	195,892
Redeemable participating shares issued	34,054	739	78,740	7	4,196	154	7,703	5,250
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(118,280)	(164,466)	(223,374)	(142)	(20,087)	(154)	(29,886)	(38,435)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2024	88,561	111,225	326,637	170	7,434	5	107,869	162,707
Seilern America	EUR U R Class	GBP H R Class	GBP U R Class	GBP H C Class	USD H C Class	EUR H C Class	GBP U C Class	EUR U C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2024	95,524	46	862	5,985	35,878	187,693	1,582	26,572
Redeemable participating shares issued	28,171	-	-	795	21,027	20,986	115	37,909
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(24,484)	(21)	(226)	(2,867)	(9,187)	(138,843)	(1,444)	(6,066)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2024	99,211	25	636	3,913	47,718	69,836	253	58,415
Seilern America	CHF H C Class							
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2024	5							
Redeemable participating shares issued	-							
Redeemable participating shares redeemed								
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2024	5							

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# **10.** Incorporation and share capital (continued)

				EUR U R				
				(Founders)				
Seilern Europa	EUR U I Class	CHF U I Class	EUR U R Class	Class	<b>GBP H C Class</b>	USD H C Class	EUR H C Class	GBP U C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2024	25,273	5	101,805	44,663	577	47,733	34,018	342
Redeemable participating shares issued	12,018	889	3,968	-	585	12,246	26,088	82
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(19,681)	(698)	(11,162)	(12,622)	(55)	(4,016)	(10,991)	(1)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2024	17,610	196	94,611	32,041	1,107	55,963	49,115	423

Seilern Europa	CHF H C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2024	380
Redeemable participating shares issued	_
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2024	380

# **10.** Incorporation and share capital (continued)

Seilern World Growth Fund	EUR U I Class	USD U I Class	GBP U I Class	CHF U I Class	USD H R Class	EUR U R Class	EUR H R Class	GBP U R Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2023	1,046,145	1,420,975	20,155	25,740	207,322	1,063,344	1,316,185	11,791
Redeemable participating shares issued	199,642	329,268	14,625	21,095	26,363	375,976	309,111	2,036
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(511,523)	(189,404)	(8,321)	(8,644)	(28,284)	(253,537)	(259,890)	(1,559)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2023	734,264	1,560,839	26,459	38,191	205,401	1,185,783	1,365,406	12,268
Seilern World Growth Fund	GBP H R Class	CHF H R Class	GBP H C Class	USD H C Class	EUR U C Class	EUR H C Class	GBP U C Class	CHF H C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2023	49,417	52,129	91,299	132,640	45,482	539,469	34,258	17,563
Redeemable participating shares issued	1,405	23,330	3,570	37,245	115,510	312,792	5,353	16,757
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(3,530)	(27,893)	(50,894)	(42,374)	(66,147)	(288,866)	(1,544)	(4,763)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2023	47.292	47,566	43,975	127,511	94,845	563,395	38,067	29,557

# **10.** Incorporation and share capital (continued)

Seilern America	USD U I Class	EUR H I Class	EUR U I Class	<b>GBP H I Class</b>	GBP U I Class	CHF U I Class	USD U R Class	EUR H R Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2023	192,765	100,519	481,569	306	27,633	5	134,095	177,066
Redeemable participating shares issued	66,108	243,612	99,642	-	2,310	-	19,016	36,978
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(86,086)	(69,179)	(109,940)	(1)	(6,618)	_	(23,059)	(18,152)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2023	172,787	274,952	471,271	305	23,325	5	130,052	195,892
Seilern America	EUR U R Class	GBP H R Class	GBP U R Class	GBP H C Class	USD H C Class	EUR H C Class	GBP U C Class	EUR U C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2023	51,279	46	713	4,783	48,648	84,208	162	31,206
Redeemable participating shares issued	61,614	3,855	152	2,586	14,316	135,805	1,490	12,224
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(17,369)	(3,855)	(3)	(1,384)	(27,086)	(32,320)	(70)	(16,858)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2023	95,524	46	862	5,985	35,878	187,693	1,582	26,572
Seilern America	CHF H C Class							
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2023	5							
Redeemable participating shares issued	26,586							
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(26,586)							
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2023	5							

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# 10. Incorporation and share capital (continued)

				EUR U R				
				(Founders)				
Seilern Europa	EUR U I Class	CHF U I Class	EUR U R Class	Class	GBP H C Class	USD H C Class	EUR H C Class	GBP U C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2023	99,200	5	101,446	45,321	544	42,423	12,856	417
Redeemable participating shares issued	96,934	17,680	14,138	130	560	9,216	26,348	221
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	(170,861)	(17,680)	(13,779)	(788)	(527)	(3,906)	(5,186)	(296)
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2023	25,273	5	101,805	44,663	577	47,733	34,018	342
Soilann Funana	CHE H C Class							

Seilern Europa	CHF H C Class
Shares in issue as at 1 January 2023	380
Redeemable participating shares issued	-
Redeemable participating shares redeemed	
Shares in issue as at 31 December 2023	380

### 11. Significant shareholders

The single largest shareholders of each of the Sub-Funds respectively hold the following shares in the Company as at 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023:

	No	of Shares held	% Shareholding of Fund		
	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	
Seilern World Growth Fund – USD U I Class	275,468	261,804	7.24%	5.60%	
Seilern America – EUR U I Class	184,911	228,561	16.19%	12.75%	
Seilern Europa – EUR U R Class	62,897	65,053	28.29%	27.56%	

## 12. Exchange rates

The following exchange rates were used to translate assets and liabilities into the functional currency at 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023.

Sterling:	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
Danish Krone	GBP 1: 9.0193	GBP 1: 8.6028
Euro	GBP 1: 1.2095	GBP 1: 1.1540
Swedish Krona	GBP 1: 13.8381	GBP 1: 12.8472
Swiss Franc	GBP 1: 1.1350	GBP 1: 1.0729
United States Dollar	GBP 1: 1.2524	GBP 1: 1.2748
United States Dollar:	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
Euro	USD 1: 0.9657	USD 1: 0.9053
Sterling	USD 1: 0.7985	USD 1: 0.7844
Euro:	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
Danish Krone	EUR 1: 7.4573	EUR 1: 7.4546
Sterling	EUR 1: 0.8268	EUR 1: 0.8665
Swedish Krona	_	EUR 1: 11.1325
Swiss Franc	EUR 1: 0.9384	EUR 1: 0.9297
United States Dollar	EUR 1: 1.0355	EUR 1: 1.1047

The following exchange rates were used to translate Profit and Loss Account and Statement of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable Shares into the functional currency for the year ended 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023.

Sterling:	31 December 2024	31 December 2023
Euro	GBP 1: 1.1812	GBP 1: 1.1501
United States Dollar	GBP 1: 1.2778	GBP 1: 1.2441

## 13. Financial risk management

The Company may employ investment techniques and financial derivative instruments ("FDI") for efficient portfolio management ("EPM") and investment purposes, subject to the conditions and within the limits from time to time laid down by the Central Bank. Furthermore, new investment techniques and FDI may be developed which may be suitable for use by a Sub-Fund in the future and a Sub-Fund may employ such techniques and instruments subject to the prior approval, and any restrictions imposed by the Central Bank. Notwithstanding this, it is not proposed for the present that the Sub-Funds will employ investment techniques and FDI including, but not limited to, trading in futures and options and other derivatives for investment purposes.

The investment manager of the Company is Seilern Investment Management Limited (the "Investment Manager"). The Investment Manager monitors and measures the risk associated with the use of investment techniques and FDI and their contribution to the overall risk profile of the Company. There is a documented risk management process ("RMP") designed to ensure that investors in the Company are sufficiently protected from adverse events related to the use of FDI.

The Company shall ensure that in the case of each Sub-Fund, at all times it calculates the global exposure in accordance with Schedule 2 to the Central Bank UCITS Regulations. The Company uses a commitment approach to calculate global exposure.

## Market risk

Market risk embodies the potential for both gains and losses and includes price risk, currency risk and interest rate risk.

## **Price risk**

Price risk is the risk that the value of instruments will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether caused by factors specific to an individual investment, its issuer or all factors affecting all instruments traded in the market.

As the majority of the Company's financial instruments are carried at fair value with fair value changes recognised in the Profit and Loss Account, all changes in market conditions will directly affect net investment income.

Price risk is managed by the Investment Manager by constructing a diversified portfolio of instruments traded on various markets.

The risk of losing capital through price risk is reduced through detailed proprietary analysis and strict selection criteria which drives selection of the equities. As a result, the Company only invests in the highest quality companies listed on the stock exchanges of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development ("OECD") countries with proven track records and high predictability of future earnings growth.

Such companies generally will have most or all of the following characteristics: (i) multinational businesses including exposure to the fast growing economies of the world; (ii) steady, non-cyclical demand for their products or services; (iii) unbroken earnings growth records over the last ten years; (iv) global branded products or services often sought after by developing market consumers; (v) the potential for long term consistent earnings growth; (vi) high returns on equity reflecting a technological advantage over their competition or uniqueness of their products or services; (vii) dynamic management, and; (viii) internal resources sufficient to finance their global development and maintain their competitive position.

The breakdown of investment assets and liabilities is disclosed in the Schedule of Investments and in the financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss note.

Beta is a measure of the volatility or systematic risk of a portfolio in comparison to the entire market or a benchmark. Beta is designed to (a) assist investors understand whether a portfolio moves in the same direction as the rest of the market and (b) how volatile it is compared to the market. A fund with a beta measure of 1.00 is exactly correlated with the index. For share classes launched during the financial year, Beta has not been calculated.

# 13. Financial risk management (continued)

# Price risk (continued)

Price risk (continued)		<b>D</b> (	<b>D</b> .		
		Beta 31 December	Beta 31 December	NAV Impost CDD	NAV Immost CDD
	Index*	2024	2023	NAV Impact GBP 31 December 2024	NAV Impact GBP 31 December 2023
Seilern World Growth Fund			2020	01200000012021	21 200011001 2020
EUR U I Class	MSCI World Index	0.82	0.86	3,265,566	4,147,310
USD U I Class	MSCI World Index	0.93	1.15	27,469,604	37,832,074
GBP U I Class	MSCI World Index	0.69	0.89	497,343	611,176
CHF U I Class	MSCI World Index	0.96	0.95	2,813,585	235,873
USD H R Class	MSCI World Index	0.90	1.08	2,802,358	4,582,946
EUR U R Class	MSCI World Index	0.82	0.86	15,457,271	22,327,132
EUR H R Class	MSCI World Index	0.90	1.06	15,241,071	21,864,588
GBP U R Class	MSCI World Index	0.62	0.89	194,541	422,414
GBP H R Class	MSCI World Index	0.90	1.06	848,011	1,293,705
CHF H R Class	MSCI World Index	0.91	1.07	651,198	964,206
GBP H C Class	MSCI World Index	0.90	1.06	343,151	425,094
USD H C Class	MSCI World Index	0.90	1.08	1,003,426	1,079,365
EUR U C Class	MSCI World Index	0.82	0.86	410,182	435,054
EUR H C Class	MSCI World Index	0.90	1.06	2,401,345	4,513,169
GBP U C Class	MSCI World Index	0.69	0.89	97,533	248,888
CHF H C Class	MSCI World Index	0.90	1.07	209,967	211,977
Seilern America					
USD U I Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.11	1,277,994	3,636,551
EUR H I Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.10	785,061	3,038,652
EUR U I Class	S&P 500 Index	0.67	0.88	2,305,267	4,060,970
GBP H I Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.08	1,135	2,968
GBP U I Class	S&P 500 Index	0.56	0.90	49,894	232,134
CHF U I Class	S&P 500 Index	0.79	0.97	29	32
USD U R Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.11	1,355,762	2,406,819
EUR H R Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.10	1,067,792	2,025,324
EUR U R Class	S&P 500 Index	0.67	0.88	479,867	573,027
GBP H R Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.10	209	18,335
GBP U R Class	S&P 500 Index	0.56	0.90	5,113	10,388
GBP H C Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.10	26,291	59,687
USD H C Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.11	284,276	312,682
EUR H C Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	1.10	365,118	1,537,106
GBP U C Class	S&P 500 Index	0.56	0.90	1,169	9,311
EUR U C Class	S&P 500 Index	0.67	0.88	294,127	161,662
CHF H C Class	S&P 500 Index	0.70	0.91	23	31
Seilern Europa					
EUR U I Class	MSPE Index	1.01	0.91	155,161	194,153
CHF U I Class	MSPE Index	1.11	0.95	1,240	26
EUR U R Class	MSPE Index	1.01	0.91	1,209,098	1,144,154
EUR U R (Founders) Class	MSPE Index	1.01	0.91	633,364	768,679
GBP H C Class	MSPE Index	1.01	0.92	10,731	4,636
USD H C Class	MSPE Index	1.04	0.93	469,876	323,879
EUR H C Class	MSPE Index	1.03	0.92	372,121	228,220
GBP U C Class	MSPE Index	0.91	0.96	2,623	2,168
CHF H C Class	MSPE Index	1.03	0.92	2,432	2,158

\* The indices were chosen above as they are typically the benchmark indices for the relevant Sub-Funds.

## 13. Financial risk management (continued)

## **Currency risk**

The Company may invest in financial instruments and enter into transactions denominated in currencies other than its functional currency. Consequently, the Company is exposed to risks that the exchange rate of its currency relative to other foreign currencies may change in a manner that has an adverse effect on the value of that portion of the Company's assets or liabilities denominated in currencies other than the functional currency.

The Company's currency risk is managed on a daily basis by the Investment Manager in accordance with policies and procedures in place. The geographical analysis provided in the Schedule of Investments for each Sub-Fund broadly represents its currency exposure at financial year end. To the extent that any Sub-Fund of the Company holds securities denominated in currencies other than its base currency, the relevant share class may hedge against any currency exposure so arising. Details of the Share class level forward foreign currency contracts are included in the Schedule of Investments. In no case shall any hedging transaction exceed 100% of the Net Asset Value of the relevant class.

On each Business Day the Administrator calculates the Net Asset Value of each share class of the Sub-Funds and compares the current hedge ratio for each share class to the hedging methodology target ratio agreed with the Investment Manager. If the difference between the current hedge ratio and the target ratio exceeds a daily tolerance level, the administrative agent will instruct BBH, as a principal counterparty, to purchase or sell currency forward contracts on behalf of the share class as may be necessary to: (i) meet the hedge ratio or to cause the current hedge ratio to fall within the tolerance band and (ii) maintain a specific percentage investment in each currency designated by the Investment Manager on behalf of the Company.

In addition to the above controls, the Investment Manager receives daily position reports from the Administrator.

## Interest rate risk

The majority of the Seilern World Growth Fund's, Seilern America's and Seilern Europa's financial assets and liabilities are non-interest bearing. As a result, the Sub-Funds are not subject to significant amounts of risk due to fluctuations in the prevailing levels of market interest rates. Any excess cash is invested at short-term market interest rates.

## Credit risk

For cash accounts, funds deposited are liabilities of the banks, creating a debtor-creditor relationship between the bank and the Company. Cash accounts opened on the books of BBH are obligations of BBH while cash accounts opened on the books of a sub-custodian (agency accounts) are obligations of the sub-custodian. Accordingly, while BBH is responsible for exercising reasonable care in the administration of agency cash accounts, it is not liable for their repayment in the event the sub-custodian, by reason of its bankruptcy, insolvency or otherwise, fails to make repayment.

All cash at bank balances at the financial year end are held with BBH or with third party institutions approved by the Company on overnight deposit, or directly with a sub-custodian. Cash balances held at 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023 are detailed in the cash at bank note. The short-term credit ratings for all of the institutions are listed in the cash at bank note.

The Depositary must ensure that there is legal separation of non-cash assets held in depositary, that such assets are held on a fiduciary basis, and that appropriate internal control systems are maintained such that records clearly identify the nature and amount of all assets under depositary. The Depositary must also ensure the ownership of each asset and the location of documents of title for each asset.

All securities that BBH holds in custody (as global sub-custodian for and on behalf of the Depositary for further benefit of its underlying clients) are segregated from BBH's own assets, whether they are held in BBH's vault, in segregated accounts on the books of their sub-custodians, or in an account maintained at a central securities depository. BBH maintains segregated accounts per client on its own books as well as on the books of the sub-custodian in the local market, where this is possible. The Depositary must also ensure non-cash assets are held on a fiduciary basis through BBH's network of global sub-custodians.

## 13. Financial risk management (continued)

## Credit risk (continued)

BBH's sub-custodians are required by contract with BBH and generally by operation of law to segregate the securities of depositary clients from the general banking assets of the sub-custodian.

BBH performs both initial and ongoing due diligence reviews on the sub-custodians within its global depositary network through its network management group. Such reviews include an assessment of service level standards, management expertise, market information, depositary operations, reporting and technology capabilities at the sub-custodian, as well as reviews in relation to their reputation and standing in the market and their ongoing commitment to providing depositary services. Service level agreements are put in place with each sub-custodian, as well as the usual contractual arrangements, and these are reviewed on a regular basis through service review meetings, including on-site due diligence meetings.

Regular financial analysis of all sub-custodians is carried out by BBH's risk and credit group and is focused on the sub-custodian bank's capital adequacy, asset quality, earnings, liquidity and credit ratings as key indicators, amongst others. These reviews form part of BBH's routine assessment of a sub-custodian's financial strength and standing.

## Liquidity risk

The Company's constitution provides for the daily creation and redemption of shares, and it is therefore exposed to the liquidity risk of meeting shareholder redemptions at any time.

The Company's financial instruments do not include investments in unlisted equity investments, which are not traded in an organised public market, and which generally may be illiquid.

The Company's listed securities are considered to be readily realisable as they are listed on recognised stock exchanges.

The Investment Manager monitors the liquidity profile of each Sub-Fund on a daily basis in accordance with its Liquidity Risk Management Framework and the ESMA guidelines.

If repurchase requests on any dealing day exceed 10 per cent of the Shares in any Sub-Fund, the Company may defer the excess repurchase requests to subsequent dealing days and shall repurchase such Shares rateably. Any deferred repurchase requests shall be treated in priority to any repurchase requests received on subsequent dealing days.

The Company's redemption policy requires one day's notice before any dealing day. Settlements of subscriptions and redemptions shall be made within three Business Days of the dealing day. Based on the liquidity profile of the Sub-Funds, the assets held can broadly be described as liquid. The Sub-Funds at all times run an adequate cash position which enables them to withstand reasonably large redemptions without being forced to raise cash via the sale of assets. Liquidity of the stocks held in the Sub-Funds is calculated using the average daily volume of each security over the last 6 months and trading at a 20% participation rate.

Substantially all of the Company's liabilities, including net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares, are payable within one month.

## 14. Comparative net asset value

Net asset value			
	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	31 December 2022
Seilern World Growth Fund			
EUR U I Class	EUR96,499,390	EUR110,677,927	EUR129,088,151
USD U I Class	USD740,969,644	USD838,556,531	USD603,766,734
GBP U I Class	GBP14,354,739	GBP13,781,867	GBP8,798,793
CHF U I Class	CHF66,849,818	CHF5,349,878	CHF3,134,618
USD H R Class	USD77,674,415	USD108,053,585	USD87,717,136
EUR U R Class	EUR456,166,808	EUR595,828,660	EUR440,666,284
EUR H R Class	EUR408,064,173	EUR476,707,262	EUR378,253,479
GBP U R Class	GBP6,235,889	GBP9,546,860	GBP7,748,652
GBP H R Class	GBP18,867,494	GBP24,388,491	GBP20,755,966
CHF H R Class	CHF16,344,158	CHF19,406,831	CHF17,887,268
GBP H C Class	GBP7,651,830	GBP8,006,189	GBP13,420,704
USD H C Class	USD27,787,860	USD25,449,088	USD21,160,182
EUR U C Class	EUR12,119,702	EUR11,736,695	EUR4,611,761
EUR H C Class	EUR64,269,607	EUR98,246,784	EUR76,916,146
GBP U C Class	GBP2,815,068	GBP5,623,753	GBP4,246,240
CHF H C Class	CHF5,281,559	CHF4,254,181	CHF2,110,313
Seilern America			
USD U I Class	USD45,576,422	USD83,600,466	USD73,807,248
EUR H I Class	EUR27,033,110	EUR63,794,769	EUR18,888,414
EUR U I Class	EUR83,545,894	EUR106,233,806	EUR88,915,708
GBP H I Class	GBP32,523	GBP55,176	GBP44,747
GBP U I Class	GBP1,794,962	GBP5,202,612	GBP5,169,281
CHF U I Class	CHF820	CHF717	CHF623
USD U R Class	USD48,349,819	USD55,216,690	USD45,393,201
EUR H R Class	EUR36,821,224	EUR42,618,035	EUR31,490,285
EUR U R Class	EUR17,534,004	EUR14,990,233	EUR6,640,476
GBP H R Class	GBP6,001	GBP10,428	GBP8,333
GBP U R Class	GBP183,950	GBP231,903	GBP162,099
GBP H C Class	GBP753,205	GBP1,088,325	GBP696,197
USD H C Class	USD10,137,987	USD7,173,418	USD6,813,421
EUR H C Class	EUR12,572,607	EUR32,297,206	EUR11,767,792
GBP U C Class	GBP42,060	GBP242,866	GBP22,207
EUR U C Class	EUR10,643,575	EUR4,270,866	EUR4,112,457
CHF H C Class	CHF744	CHF727	CHF611
Seilern Europa			
EUR U I Class	EUR3,706,008	EUR4,911,249	EUR15,813,212
CHF U I Class	CHF25,309	CHF590	CHF547
EUR U R Class	EUR28,879,150	EUR28,910,604	EUR23,808,054
EUR U R (Founders) Class	EUR15,127,813	EUR19,423,040	EUR16,126,130
GBP H C Class	GBP212,083	GBP100,674	GBP77,732
USD H C Class	USD11,432,037	USD8,848,205	USD6,400,292
EUR H C Class	EUR8,707,376	EUR5,553,196	EUR1,745,515
GBP U C Class	GBP57,399	GBP45,030	GBP46,077
CHF H C Class	CHF53,413	CHF50,323	CHF42,742

## 14. Comparative net asset value (continued)

Net asset value per unit			
	31 December 2024	31 December 2023	31 December 2022
Seilern World Growth Fund			
EUR U I Class	EUR163.73	EUR150.73	EUR123.39
USD U I Class	USD547.02	USD537.25	USD424.90
GBP U I Class	GBP539.85	GBP520.88	GBP436.57
CHF U I Class	CHF153.59	CHF140.08	CHF121.78
USD H R Class	USD546.45	USD526.06	USD423.10
EUR U R Class	EUR541.71	EUR502.48	EUR414.42
EUR H R Class	EUR356.91	EUR349.13	EUR287.39
GBP U R Class	GBP800.48	GBP778.19	GBP657.14
GBP H R Class	GBP532.21	GBP515.70	GBP420.01
CHF H R Class	CHF407.38	CHF408.00	CHF343.13
GBP H C Class	GBP189.41	GBP182.06	GBP147.00
USD H C Class	USD208.70	USD199.58	USD159.53
EUR U C Class	EUR134.27	EUR123.75	EUR101.40
EUR H C Class	EUR179.41	EUR174.38	EUR142.58
GBP U C Class	GBP152.96	GBP147.73	GBP123.95
CHF H C Class	CHF144.70	CHF143.93	CHF120.15
Seilern America			
USD U I Class	USD514.63	USD483.84	USD382.89
EUR H I Class	EUR243.05	EUR232.02	EUR187.91
EUR U I Class	EUR255.78	EUR225.42	EUR184.64
GBP H I Class	GBP191.53	GBP180.83	GBP146.26
GBP U I Class	GBP241.47	GBP223.05	GBP187.07
CHF U I Class	CHF163.91	CHF143.40	CHF124.66
USD U R Class	USD448.23	USD424.58	USD338.52
EUR H R Class	EUR226.30	EUR217.56	EUR177.84
EUR U R Class	EUR176.73	EUR156.93	EUR129.50
GBP H R Class	GBP239.45	GBP228.39	GBP182.50
GBP U R Class	GBP289.12	GBP269.06	GBP227.34
GBP H C Class	GBP192.48	GBP181.83	GBP145.57
USD H C Class	USD212.46	USD199.94	USD140.06
EUR H C Class	EUR180.03	EUR172.07	EUR139.75
GBP U C Class	GBP166.02	GBP153.50	GBP137.00
EUR U C Class	EUR182.21	EUR160.73	EUR131.78
CHF H C Class	CHF148.86	CHF145.44	CHF122.11
Seilern Europa			
EUR U I Class	EUR210.45	EUR194.33	EUR159.41
CHF U I Class	CHF129.13	CHF118.01	CHF109.33
EUR U R Class	EUR305.24	EUR283.98	EUR234.69
EUR U R (Founders) Class	EUR472.13	EUR434.88	EUR355.82
GBP H C Class	GBP191.62	GBP174.52	GBP142.99
USD H C Class	USD204.27	USD185.37	USD150.87
EUR H C Class	EUR177.28	EUR163.25	EUR135.78
GBP U C Class	GBP135.78	GBP131.53	GBP110.57
CHF H C Class	CHF140.56	CHF132.43	CHF112.48
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## 15. Fair value of assets and liabilities

FRS 102 on "Fair Value: Disclosure" requires disclosure relating to the fair value hierarchy in which fair value measurements are categorised for assets and liabilities. The disclosures are based on a three-level fair value hierarchy for the inputs used in valuation techniques to measure fair value.

The Company has classified fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements.

(i) Level 1: The unadjusted quoted price in an active market for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date.

(ii) Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable (i.e. developed using market data) for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.

(iii) Level 3: Inputs are unobservable (i.e. for which market data is unavailable) for the asset or liability.

The following tables show an analysis of assets and liabilities recorded at fair value as at both 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023.

## Seilern World Growth Fund

Investment in securities and derivative contracts at fair value as at 31 December 2024:

Description	Total GBP	Level 1 GBP	Level 2 GBP	Level 3 GBP
Equities Forward foreign currency	1,634,389,294	1,634,389,294	_	_
exchange contracts	937,633	_	937,633	_
<b>Total Financial Assets</b>	1,635,326,927	1,634,389,294	937,633	
Description	Total GBP	Level 1 GBP	Level 2 GBP	Level 3 GBP
Forward foreign currency				
exchange contracts	5,049,859	_	5,049,859	_
<b>Total Financial Liabilities</b>	5,049,859	_	5,049,859	

Investment in securities and derivative contracts at fair value as at 31 December 2023:

Description	Total GBP	Level 1 GBP	Level 2 GBP	Level 3 GBP
Equities	1,911,833,260	1,911,833,260	_	_
Forward foreign currency				
exchange contracts	8,933,163	-	8,933,163	_
<b>Total Financial Assets</b>	1,920,766,423	1,911,833,260	8,933,163	_
Description	Total GBP	Level 1 GBP	Level 2 GBP	Level 3 GBP
Forward foreign currency	021	021	021	021
exchange contracts	1,629,693	_	1,629,693	_
<b>Total Financial Liabilities</b>	1,629,693	_	1,629,693	

# 15. Fair value of assets and liabilities (continued)

## Seilern America

Investment in securities and derivative contracts at fair value as at 31 December 2024:

Description	Total USD	Level 1 USD	Level 2 USD	Level 3 USD
Equities Forward foreign currency	293,304,605	293,304,605	_	_
exchange contracts	13,153	_	13,153	_
Total Financial Assets	293,317,758	293,304,605	13,153	_
Description	Total USD	Level 1 USD	Level 2 USD	Level 3 USD
Forward foreign currency				
exchange contracts	1,274,834	_	1,274,834	_
Total Financial Liabilities	1,274,834	_	1,274,834	

Investment in securities and derivative contracts at fair value as at 31 December 2023:

Description	Total USD	Level 1 USD	Level 2 USD	Level 3 USD
Equities Forward foreign currency	431,941,358	431,941,358	-	—
exchange contracts	3,546,596	-	3,546,596	_
Total Financial Assets	435,487,954	431,941,358	3,546,596	_
Description	Total USD	Level 1 USD	Level 2 USD	Level 3 USD
Forward foreign currency	0.2	0.02	0.02	0.52
exchange contracts	59,722	-	59,722	
Total Financial Liabilities	59,722	-	59,722	

## Seilern Europa

Investment in securities and derivative contracts at fair value as at 31 December 2024:

Description	Total EUR	Level 1 EUR	Level 2 EUR	Level 3 EUR
Equities Forward foreign currency	66,465,012	66,465,012	_	_
exchange contracts	245,140	_	245,140	_
<b>Total Financial Assets</b>	66,710,152	66,465,012	245,140	_
Description	Total EUR	Level 1 EUR	Level 2 EUR	Level 3 EUR
Forward foreign currency				
exchange contracts	2,302	-	2,302	_
Total Financial Liabilities	2,302	_	2,302	

## 15. Fair value of assets and liabilities (continued)

## Seilern Europa (continued)

Investment in securities and derivative contracts at fair value as at 31 December 2023:

Description	Total EUR	Level 1 EUR	Level 2 EUR	Level 3 EUR
Equities Forward foreign currency	65,692,277	65,692,277	_	_
exchange contracts	32,742	_	32,742	_
<b>Total Financial Assets</b>	65,725,019	65,692,277	32,742	
Description	Total EUR	Level 1 EUR	Level 2 EUR	Level 3 EUR
Forward foreign currency	LUK	LUK	Lex	LUK
exchange contracts	242,437	_	242,437	_
<b>Total Financial Liabilities</b>	242,437	_	242,437	_

There has been no transfer between levels for securities held at 31 December 2024 and 31 December 2023 for any of the above Sub-Funds.

#### 16. Taxation

Under current law and practice the Company qualifies as an investment undertaking as defined in Section 739B of the Taxes Consolidation Act, 1997, as amended. On that basis, it is not chargeable to Irish tax on its income or gains.

However, Irish tax may arise on the happening of a "chargeable event". A chargeable event includes any distribution payments to shareholders or any encashment, redemption, cancellation or transfer of shares.

No Irish tax will arise on the Company in respect of chargeable events in respect of:

(a) a shareholder who is neither Irish resident nor ordinarily resident in Ireland for tax purposes, at the time of the chargeable event, provided appropriate valid declarations in accordance with the provisions of the Taxes Consolidation Act, 1997, as amended, are held by the Company; and

(b) certain exempted Irish tax resident shareholders who have provided the Company with the necessary signed statutory declarations.

Dividends, interest and capital gains (if any) received on investments made by the Company may be subject to withholding taxes imposed by the country from which the investment income/gains are received and such taxes may not be recoverable by the Company or its shareholders.

## 17. Related parties transactions

Parties are related if any one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions.

Peter Seilern-Aspang, a Director of the Company, held an indirect interest of 1,134.81 (31 December 2023: 1,138.61) Shares in Seilern World Growth Fund GBP H R Class. Alan & Carolyn McCarthy held 956 (31 December 2023: 956) Shares in Seilern World Growth Fund EUR H R Class and 613 (31 December 2023: 613) Shares in Seilern Europa EUR U R Class. Anton Seilern-Aspang, a Director of the Company, held an indirect interest of 2,222.79 Shares in Seilern World Growth Fund EUR H R and 1,550.76 in Seilern Europa EUR U R (Founders) Class.

## 17. Related parties transactions (continued)

Peter Seilern-Aspang was a director and a Chief Investment Officer of the Investment Manager. He resigned from these roles with effect from 31 December 2024. Peter Seilern-Aspang is also a director of the Manager. Marc Zahn was a director of the Manager. He resigned from this position with effect from 31 December 2024. Anton Seilern-Aspang is CEO and Member of the Management Board of the Manager. Management fees for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 were GBP25,499,101 (31 December 2023: GBP24,893,820).

The Company pays for research costs to Seilern Investment Management Limited. Research costs for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 were USD284,082 (31 December 2023: USD417,469).

The Board of Directors is not aware of any other transactions with related parties during the financial year ended 31 December 2024 (31 December 2023: none).

# 18. Soft commissions

There were no soft commission arrangements in place for the financial year ended 31 December 2024 (31 December 2023: none).

## 19. Securities Financing Transactions

The Company does not currently hold securities financing transactions or total return swaps.

## 20. Significant Events During the Financial Year

An updated Prospectus was noted by the Central Bank on 7 March 2024.

Mr. Anton Seilern-Aspang was appointed as a Director of the Company on 8 August 2024.

Mr. Marc Zahn resigned as a Director of the Company with effect from 31 December 2024.

There were no other significant events during the year.

# 21. Post Balance Sheet Events

Waystone Centralised Services (IE) Limited has been appointed Company Secretary with effect from 1 March 2025, replacing Brown Brothers Harriman Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited.

The Registered Office address of the Company has been changed from 30 Herbert Street, Dublin D02 W329, Ireland, to 35 Shelbourne Road, Dublin D04 A4E0, Ireland, with effect from 1st March 2025.

There were no other significant post balance sheet events.

## 22. Approval of financial statements

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 28 April 2025.

# SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) SEILERN WORLD GROWTH FUND FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

The following Schedules of Changes in Investments reflect the aggregate purchases of a security exceeding one per cent of the total value of purchases and aggregate disposals greater than one per cent of the total sales for the financial year. At a minimum the largest 20 purchases and 20 sales must be given or all purchases and sales if less than 20.

# **Significant Purchases and Sales**

	Purchased	Sales
	Cost	Proceeds
Investment	GBP	GBP
Accenture	4,153,140	26,848,672
Adobe	52,926,663	39,521,632
Alphabet	11,260,618	53,801,795
ANSYS	-	82,503,744
Dassault Systemes	41,269,188	19,568,455
Edenred SE	44,664,316	-
Edwards Lifesciences	14,897,313	25,086,561
Hermes International	17,084,715	39,358,630
IDEXX Laboratories	30,900,828	25,115,505
Intuitive Surgical	52,695,588	7,536,343
Lonza Group AG	8,482,152	64,917,859
MasterCard	9,104,053	41,083,236
Mettler-Toledo International	3,969,666	34,375,101
Microsoft	11,080,306	42,302,512
NIKE	36,080,417	20,394,788
Novo Nordisk	24,794,050	42,442,759
SAP SE	9,866,592	70,289,483
Tyler Technologies	7,088,944	54,238,716
UnitedHealth	34,922,745	40,729,215
Veeva Systems	4,155,254	32,858,626
West Pharmaceutical Services	36,839,406	37,294,878

# SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) SEILERN AMERICA FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

# Significant Purchases and Sales

	Purchased Cost	Sales Proceeds
Investment	USD	USD
A	2 001 077	0 174 207
Accenture	2,091,877	9,174,397
Adobe	8,672,024	11,719,522
Alphabet	4,250,610	16,244,322
ANSYS	-	23,700,100
Automatic Data Processing	938,111	10,609,555
Booking Holdings	2,302,228	14,536,625
CME Group	614,415	6,261,230
Edwards Lifesciences	3,444,352	11,489,178
Graco	692,296	5,873,845
IDEXX Laboratories	4,072,301	8,677,394
Intuitive Surgical	9,610,231	-
MasterCard	1,555,721	13,606,698
Mettler-Toledo International	1,115,359	12,017,403
Microsoft	2,421,854	18,449,902
Moody's	_	7,802,032
NIKE	4,447,133	6,782,186
Tyler Technologies	3,569,367	11,745,428
UnitedHealth	4,808,265	12,995,962
Veeva Systems	2,067,417	13,209,230
Visa	824,430	8,722,400
West Pharmaceutical Services	5,353,644	10,168,375
Zoetis	12,178,235	

# SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) SEILERN EUROPA FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

# Significant Purchases and Sales

Investment	Purchased Cost EUR	Sales Proceeds EUR
Belimo Holding AG	2,159,207	1,483,805
Chocoladefabriken Lindt & Spruengli AG	281,914	316,134
Dassault Systemes	2,335,477	1,180,380
Edenred SE	1,484,768	444,107
Essilor International	350,797	945,309
Hermes International	275,781	744,937
Industria de Diseno Textil	233,597	1,265,072
Intertek	_	2,286,539
Kone	1,293,509	619,939
L'Oreal	570,941	452,617
Lonza Group AG	426,730	2,876,726
Nestle	695,403	273,560
Novo Nordisk	1,820,924	2,303,493
Novonesis	199,221	760,933
Rational AG	280,859	1,021,138
Rightmove	390,215	940,637
Sage Group	2,320,173	_
SAP SE	447,805	2,462,123
SGS	223,405	211,170
Spirax Group	805,186	313,402
Straumann Holding AG	243,894	265,205

## **APPENDIX 1 (UNAUDITED)**

#### Remuneration Policy (unaudited) - Seilern International AG (the 'Manager')

In line with the requirements of the European Communities (Undertakings for Collective Investment in Transferable Securities) Regulations 2011, as amended (the "UCITS Regulations"), the Manager has adopted a remuneration policy which is consistent with the principles outlined in the ESMA guidelines on sound remuneration policies under the UCITS Directive (the "Remuneration Guidelines"). The remuneration policy is appropriate to the Manager's size, internal organisation and the nature, scope and complexity of its activities.

The Manager's remuneration policy applies to those categories of staff, including senior management, risk takers, control functions and any employee receiving total remuneration that falls into the remuneration bracket of senior management and risk takers, whose professional activities have a material impact on the risk profile of the Manager. The disclosure relating to the Manager's remuneration policy can be viewed on its website (https://www.seilernfunds.com).

In accordance with Regulation 24B(1) (b), (c), and (d) of the UCITS Regulations, the remuneration policy and its implementation is reviewed at least annually and it is confirmed that the policy was last updated on 7 March 2024.

Details of the remuneration paid by to employees and directors of the Manager during the financial year ended 31 December 2024 are as follows<sup>1</sup>:

Remuneration of staff of the Manager <sup>2</sup>		
Total remuneration for the past calendar year 2024	EUR	1,324,211.53
thereof fixed remuneration	EUR	1,202,195.33
thereof variable remuneration	EUR	122,016.20
Remuneration paid by the Company <sup>3</sup>	EUR	40,135.87
Total number of staff of the Manager as of 31.12.2024		8
Remuneration of individual employee categories of the Manager		
Total remuneration for «identified staff» <sup>4</sup> for the past calendar year 2024	EUR	1,097,230.50
thereof fixed remuneration	EUR	1,054,604.75
thereof variable remuneration	EUR	42,625.75
Total number of identified staff of the Manager as of 31.12.2024		6
Total remuneration for other staff of the company for the past calendar year 2024	EUR	226,981.03
thereof fixed remuneration	EUR	147,590.58
thereof variable remuneration	EUR	79,390.45
Total number of other staff of the company per 31.12.2024		2

The Manager has delegated investment management to the Investment Manager. No remuneration has been paid to the staff of the Investment Manager by the Company or the Manager. The Investment Manager pays remuneration to its staff in accordance with its own remuneration policy. The Manager has requested and the Investment Manager has provided confirmation that, being subject to CRD IV remuneration rules, it has a remuneration policy in place that is consistent with the Remuneration Guidelines and that is equally as effective as the requirements under Directive 2009/65/EC. The disclosure relating to the Investment Manager's remuneration policy can be viewed on its website (https://www.seilernfunds.com).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The amounts shown comprise the fixed and variable gross remuneration before deduction of taxes and employee contributions to social security institutions. Compensation is paid in either EUR or CHF depending on the staff member. EUR Figures are based on the 31. December 2024 EUR/CHF FX rate of 0.9384.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The total compensation refers to all employees of the Manager including members of its board of directors.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> No remuneration is paid directly by the Company to employees of the Manager other than Directors Fees paid by the Company to those of its Directors who are also employees of the Manager.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> "Identified staff" are employees whose professional activities have a material impact on the risk profile of the Manager or the risk profiles of the managed funds and/or the Company. Specifically, these are the members of the management bodies as well as other employees at a similar remuneration level, risk takers and the holders of significant control functions.

## **APPENDIX 2 (UNAUDITED)**

## **Total Expense Ratios (unaudited)**

The annualised Total Expense Ratio (TER) was calculated based on the version currently applicable of the "Guidelines on the calculation and disclosure of the TER of collective investment schemes" of the Asset Management Association Switzerland (AMAS). The TERs are not required to be included in this Report by the Central Bank. They are provided for information purpose only and are unaudited.

The TERs for the year ended 31 December 2024 are set out below:

	31 December 2024
Seilern World Growth Fund	
EUR U I Class	0.85%
USD U I Class	0.85%
GBP U I Class	0.85%
CHF U I Class	0.85%
USD H R Class	1.60%
EUR U R Class	1.60%
EUR H R Class	1.62%
GBP U R Class	1.60%
GBP H R Class	1.62%
CHF H R Class	1.62%
GBP H C Class	0.97%
USD H C Class	0.95%
EUR U C Class	0.95%
EUR H C Class	0.97%
GBP U C Class	0.95%
CHF H C Class	0.97%
Seilern America	
USD U I Class	0.88%
EUR H I Class	0.90%
EUR U I Class	0.88%
GBP H I Class	0.90%
GBP U I Class	0.88%
CHF U I Class	0.87%
USD U R Class	1.63%
EUR H R Class	1.65%
EUR U R Class	1.63%
GBP H R Class	1.39%
GBP U R Class	1.63%
GBP H C Class	1.00%
USD H C Class	0.98%
EUR H C Class	1.00%
GBP U C Class	0.98%
EUR U C Class	0.98%
CHF H C Class	0.89%
Seilern Europa	
EUR U I Class	0.98%
CHF U I Class	0.98%
EUR U R Class	1.73%
EUR U R (Founders) Class	0.73%
GBP H C Class	1.09%
USD H C Class	1.09%
EUR H C Class	1.09%
GBP U C Class	1.08%
CHF H C Class	1.09%
	1.0970

## **APPENDIX 3 (UNAUDITED)**

# Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation and Taxonomy Regulation

The Sub-Funds have been categorised as Article 8 financial products for the purposes of the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR). Information on the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by the Sub-Funds is available in the below annexes. This information is presented for the financial year ended 31 December 2024, the "reference period".
## ANNEX IV

Template periodic disclosure for the financial products referred to in Article 8, paragraphs 1, 2 and 2a, of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 6, first paragraph, of Regulation (EU) 2020/852

### Sustainable

investment means an investment in an economic activity that contributes to an environmental or social objective, provided that the investment does not significantly harm any environmental or social objective and that the investee companies follow good governance practices.

The EU Taxonomy is a classification system laid down in Regulation (EU) 2020/852, establishing a list of environmentally sustainable economic activities. That Regulation does not lay down a list of socially sustainable economic activities. Sustainable investments with an environmental objective might be aligned with the Taxonomy or not.

## Seilern World Growth (the "Fund")

Product

name:

Legal entity identifier:

635400BVTUXMO7T WJV58

## Environmental and/or social characteristics

Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective?

			No
It made sustainable investments with an environmental objective:%		(E/S) c have as investm	noted Environmental/Social haracteristics and while it did not s its objective a sustainable nent, it had a proportion of% ainable investments
in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy			with an environmental objective in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy
in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy			with an environmental objective in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy
			with a social objective
		-	oted E/S characteristics, but <b>did</b> i <b>ke any sustainable</b> ments
	in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable	in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	h an environmental ective:%    (E/S) c      have at investments    have at investments      in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy    □      in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy    □      in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy    □      ade sustainable investments    ☑      It promine a social objective:%    It promine not material

Unless otherwise stated, all data provided in this disclosure is measured as at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

## To what extent were the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by this financial product met?



Sustainability indicators

measure how the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product are attained. Through the investible universe (the "Seilern Universe"), the Fund promotes environmental and social characteristics across the metrics of corporate governance, business ethics, the environmental impact of products and services, emissions, effluents and waste, human capital and human rights and resource use in the supply chain. The Investment Manager (the "IM") does so by application of a range of exclusion criteria at all stages of a rigorous selection process. The IM invests only in companies with strong environmental policies and practices, namely relating to pollution and sustainable production, which may also include companies actively working to improve their environmental footprint, sustainable sourcing, recycling, waste treatment, and usage of materials and to reduce their emissions and energy consumption, as well as with strong policies relating to social characteristics such as the fair treatment of workers and the fair treatment of partners to their businesses and good corporate governance practices, such as strong, stable management and manage the business in the long-term interest of shareholders.

In order to maintain its position in the Seilern Universe, each company must, among others, continually meet sustainability tests. Over the course of 2024, these goals were met as evidenced by the fact that no companies were removed from Seilern Universe on account of not meeting any of the environmental and /or social characteristics promoted by the Fund.

## How did the sustainability indicators perform?

The sustainability indicators, values of which are provided by the third-party data suppliers, have been performing as expected throughout the year.

For Seilern World Growth, the carbon indicators posted mixed results with the Scope 1, Scope 2 and Scope 3 emissions increasing. There was a minor increase in the exposure of the Fund to thermal coal and a decrease in the exposure to oil & gas.

There was no change in labour relations metrics, with the same proportion of companies reporting "*no evidence of relevant controversies*". In addition, there was no immaterial change to the proportion of companies reporting "no involvement" in both child labour and forced labour controversies. The turnover data was mixed. While the proportion of companies that do not disclose data declined from 38 to 24 points, the sum of the "*high*" and "*average*" categories increased 5 percentage points.

The Fund continues to have no exposure to controversial weapons or tobacco products and the exposure to sanctions has declined over the course of the year from 10% to 5% of the portfolio. Involvement in supply chain controversies also remained flat.

From a governance point of view, there was an improvement in the proportion of chairs that were classed as "independent" and the portion of companies that disclosed a separate chair / CEO improved from 71% to 76%. The proportion of companies with dual class stock declined from 33% to 24%. There was no change increase in the weighted average age of directors (61) and the average director tenure remained constant at 7 years.

As always, these metrics are used by the IM as a starting point for further analysis rather than as a standalone determinant of the performance of E, S or G characteristics. On reflection for 2024, the overall performance of the companies in the Fund's portfolio with respect to the tracked sustainability indicators has been as expected.

## • ...and compared to previous periods?

A comparison of the performance of the sustainability indicators at the Fund level compared to previous periods is set out below.

	Dec-22	Dec-23	Dec-24	Chan ge
Envi	ronmental			
Revenue \$mn Avg (to corresponding year) Weighted	43,212	56,826	66,268	17%
Scope 1 Emissions (Avg) Weighted	43,224	50,920	56,587	11%

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Scope 2 Emissions (Avg) Weighted		585,505	807,097	1,084,260	34%
Scope 3 Emiss	sions (Avg) Weighted	1,541,759	2,549,905	3,770,962	48%
-	nissions (Avg) Weighted	628,729	858,017	1,140,846	33%
Weighted	<u> </u>		3,407,921	4,911,808	44%
Carbon Metric Avg (\$mn) We	Tonnes to Revenue ighted	71	83	91	9%
Thermal	No involvement	96%	96%	95%	0%
Coal Involvement	0-4.9%	4%	4%	5%	10%
	No involvement	70%	76%	86%	13%
Oil & Gas	0-4.9%	26%	24%	14%	-40%
Level of Involvement	5-9.9%	4%	0%	0%	0%
	10-24.9%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Soc	ial			<u></u>
	No evidence of relevant controversies	91%	90%	90%	0%
Labour Relations	Category 1	4%	5%	5%	0%
Issues	Category 2	0%	0%	0%	0%
	Category 3	4%	5%	5%	0%
	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Child Labour	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
Forced	No involvement	87%	86%	86%	0%
Labour	Involvement	13%	14%	14%	0%
	Does not disclose data	39%	38%	24%	-38%
Turnover	Low	9%	5%	5%	0%
Data	Average	9%	19%	24%	25%
	High	43%	38%	38%	0%
Controversial	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
Weapons usage	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sanctions from EU, US	No evidence of relevant controversies	96%	90%	95%	5%
& UN	Involvement	4%	10%	5%	-50%
Tobacco	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
Products	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Supply Chain	No Data	96%	95%	95%	0%
Controversie s	Past Incidents	4%	5%	5%	0%
	Go	vernance			
Chair	Independent	39%	33%	48%	43%
Classification	Non-Independent	61%	67%	52%	-21%
Separate	Yes	78%	71%	76%	7%
Chair / CEO	No	22%	29%	24%	-17%
Total Director (%Stock) Weig	Ownership Average Ihted	9%	10%	7%	-31%
	tor Age Weighted	60	61	61	1%
Average Direct Weighted	tor Tenure (Years)	7	7	7	1%

Board Structure (% Independent) Weighted		71%	73%	75%	2%
Dual Class	Yes	30%	33%	24%	-29%
Stock	No	70%	67%	76%	14%

N.B. Please note that certain figures reported this year for 2022 and 2023 may differ from those reported for the same periods in previous disclosures. This is due to the nature of ESG data availability and the methodology applied.

The ESG data used in our SFDR reporting is sourced from Sustainalytics, and for our product, the principle of 'latest available information' applies. This means that ESG data may be updated retrospectively as new or more accurate company-level disclosures become available. For this reason, historical data (e.g. for 2022 and 2023) retrieved at a later stage may differ from figures retrieved and reported previously. This reflects ongoing improvements in data coverage and quality rather than changes in the underlying methodology.

• What were the objectives of the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made and how did the sustainable investment contribute to such objectives?

The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

• How did the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective?

The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

How were the indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors taken into account?

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

Were sustainable investments aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights? Details:

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

The EU Taxonomy sets out a "do not significant harm" principle by which Taxonomy-aligned investments should not significantly harm EU Taxonomy objectives and is accompanied by specific Union criteria.

The "do no significant harm" principle applies only to those investments underlying the financial product that take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities. The investments underlying the remaining portion of this financial product do not take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.

Any other sustainable investments must also not significantly harm any environmental or social objectives.

How did this financial product consider principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors?

During 2024, the IM evaluated various data points to determine whether the investee company should be considered sustainable. The IM measured progress across the PAIs tracked in 2024, using metrics covering a range of E, S, and G characteristics. These included GHG emissions, exposure to fossil fuels, compliance with the UN Global Compact principles and the Seilern Universe's exposure to controversial weapons and tobacco products. This analysis was applied consistently at all stages of the investment process, starting from the initial companies' selection stage through to inclusion into Seilern Universe and further continuously through the investment management process.

ESG data is always used as a first port of call to undertake deeper investigations in each area measured. This is done case-by-case to give each metric its due attention.

**Principal adverse** impacts are the most significant negative impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors relating to environmental. social and employee matters, respect for human rights, anticorruption and anti-bribery matters.

Generally, companies that are identified through this process as having significant environmental and social risks shall be excluded from the Seilern Universe.



## What were the top investments of this financial product?

Please note that only the top 10 investments of the Fund are listed as the number of investments constituting 50% of the investments of the Fund during the period covered is less than 15, in accordance with Article 52(2) of the Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1288.

The list includes the
investments
constituting the
greatest proportion
of investments of
the financial product
during the reference
period which is: 1 Jan 2024
to 31 Dec 2024

Largest investments	Sector	% Assets	Country
Mastercard	Financials	7.43%	US
Microsoft Corp	Information Technology	7.07%	US
United Health	Health Care	6.26%	US
Sap Se	Information Technology	5.99%	Germany
West Pharmaceutical Services	Health Care	5.84%	US
Dassault Systèmes	Information Technology	5.61%	France
Adobe Inc	Information Technology	4.56%	US
Idexx Laboratories Inc	Health Care	4.51%	US
Alphabet	Information Technology	4.50%	US
Edwards Lifesciences Corp	Health Care	4.46%	US
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## What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

0% - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

## • What was the asset allocation?

95% of the Fund's portfolio was allocated to companies, policies and practices of which are aligned with the environmental and social characteristics that the Fund promotes. The remaining portion (<5%) of the portfolio was not aligned with the promoted characteristics and consisted of liquid assets (cash, ancillary liquid assets, bank deposits, money market instruments, and money market funds).

Asset allocation describes the share of investments in specific assets.



**#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** includes the investments of the financial product used to attain the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product.

**#20ther** includes the remaining investments of the financial product which are neither aligned with the environmental or social characteristics, nor are qualified as sustainable investments.

## In which economic sectors were the investments made?

Sector	% of AuM
Health Care	43.27
Information Technology	31.34
Financials	11.01
Consumer Disretionary	8.22
Communication Services	4.50
Cash	1.66

## To what extent were the sustainable investments with an environmental objective aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

0%. While the Fund promoted environmental characteristics, the Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy<sup>1</sup>

Yes: In fossil gas In nuclear energy

x No

To comply with the EU Taxonomy, the criteria for **fossil gas** include limitations on emissions and switching to fully renewable power or lowcarbon fuels by the end of 2035. For **nuclear energy**, the criteria include comprehensive safety and waste management rules.

Enabling activities

directly enable other activities to make a substantial contribution to an environmental objective.

Transitional

activities are activities for which low-carbon alternatives are not yet available and among others have greenhouse gas emission levels corresponding to the

best performance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change ("climate change mitigation") and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective – see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for fossil gas and nuclear energy economic activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.

Taxonomy-aligned activities are expressed as a share of:

-turnover reflecting the share of revenue from green activities of investee companies.

### -capital

**expenditure** (CapEx) showing the green investments made by investee companies, e.g. for a transition to a green economy.

## -operational expenditure

(OpEx) reflecting the green operational activities of investee companies. The graphs below show in green the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy. As there is no appropriate methodology to determine the taxonomy-alignment of sovereign bonds<sup>\*</sup>, the first graph shows the Taxonomy alignment in relation to all the investments of the financial product including sovereign bonds, while the second graph shows the Taxonomy alignment only in relation to the investments of the financial product other than sovereign bonds.



\*For the purpose of these graphs, 'sovereign bonds' consist of all sovereign exposures

What was the share of investments made in transitional and enabling activities?

### N/A

How did the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy compare with previous reference periods?

### N/A



What was the share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective not aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report

What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report



What investments were included under "other", what was their purpose and were there any minimum environmental or social safeguards?

"Other" investments included liquid assets (cash, ancillary liquid assets, bank deposits, money market instruments, and money market funds) held for the efficient



portfolio management purposes of servicing the day-to-day requirements of the Fund. No minimum environmental or social safeguards were applied.



What actions have been taken to meet the environmental and/or social characteristics during the reference period?

The most important actions to meet the environmental and social characteristics promoted by the Fund was the application of exclusion criteria for selection of the companies for the Seilern Universe and rigorous adherence to the Quality Growth criteria. This process ensures that each company added to and maintained in the Seilern Universe is a sustainable business and continues to meet these standards on an ongoing basis. The IM also tracks a range of E, S, and G-specific data provided by the third-party data providers to ensure that investee companies continue to perform in line with expectations and escalates issues identified and investigates further in line with the Responsible Investing Policy.

The IM adheres to a range of binding elements of the investment strategy to ensure that any individual element that brings the business's overall sustainability into question is investigated in greater detail. The process for this is as follows:

- The IM initially assesses the degree to which the breach of environmental, social, or governance characteristics interferes with the overall sustainability of the business.
- If it is deemed to jeopardise the overall sustainability of the business, the IM then engages with management on the issue.
- If management chooses a course of inaction and the IM has determined that the issue negatively affects the overall sustainability of the business, the IM disposes of the affected position, allocating capital away from the offending company and toward companies that promote sustainable characteristics.

Over the reference period, the IM was in contact with several companies explicitly relating to corporate governance issues, where it received adequate clarification of the concerns. No sales or divestment were made due to breaches of the Quality Growth criteria over the reference period.

In comparison to the Sustainalytics Universe, at the Fund level, 33.9% of the Fund's constituents ranked within the top decile, whilst 87.0% of the Fund ranked within the top quartile as of the end of 2024.

How did this financial product perform compared to the reference benchmark?

No index has been designated as a reference benchmark to determine whether the Fund is aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics that it promotes.

How does the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index?

N/A

• How did this financial product perform with regard to the sustainability indicators to determine the alignment of the reference benchmark with the environmental or social characteristics promoted?



Reference

benchmarks are indexes to measure whether the financial product attains the environmental or social characteristics that they promote. N/A

• How did this financial product perform compared with the reference benchmark?

N/A

• How did this financial product perform compared with the broad market index?

N/A

## ANNEX IV

## Template periodic disclosure for the financial products referred to in Article 8, paragraphs 1, 2 and 2a, of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 6, first paragraph, of Regulation (EU) 2020/852

investment means an investment in an economic activity that contributes to an environmental or social objective, provided that the investment does not significantly harm any environmental or social objective and that the investee companies follow good governance practices.

Sustainable

The EU Taxonomy is a classification system laid down in Regulation (EU) 2020/852, establishing a list of environmentally sustainable economic activities. That Regulation does not lay down a list of socially sustainable economic activities. Sustainable investments with an environmental objective might be aligned with the Taxonomy or not.

Product name: or the "Fund")

Seilern America ("SAM" Legal entity identifier:

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## Environmental and/or social characteristics

	Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective?						
	•		Yes	•		Νο	
[			ade sustainable investments an environmental objective: %		chara as its had a	moted Environmental/Social (E/S) acteristics and while it did not have objective a sustainable investment, it proportion of% of sustainable ments	
			in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy			with an environmental objective in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	
			in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy			with an environmental objective in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	
						with a social objective	
[			ade sustainable investments a social objective:%			noted E/S characteristics but <b>did not</b> any sustainable investments	

Unless otherwise stated, all data provided in this disclosure is measured as at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024.



Sustainability indicators measure how the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product are attained.

## To what extent were the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by this financial product met?

Through the investible universe (the "Seilern Universe"), the Fund promotes environmental and social characteristics across the metrics of corporate governance, business ethics, the environmental impact of products and services, emissions, effluents and waste, human capital and human rights and resource use in the supply chain. The Investment Manager (the "IM") does so by application of a range of exclusion criteria at all stages of a rigorous selection process. The IM invests only in companies with strong environmental policies and practices, namely relating to pollution and sustainable production, which may also include companies actively working to improve their environmental footprint, sustainable sourcing, recycling, waste treatment, and usage of materials and to reduce their emissions and energy consumption, as well as with strong policies and practices relating to social characteristics, such as the fair treatment of workers and the fair treatment of partners to their businesses, and good corporate governance, such as strong, stable management and manage the business in the longterm interest of shareholders.

In order to maintain its position in the Seilern Universe, each company must, among others, continually meet sustainability tests.

Over the course of 2024, the characteristics set forth above were promoted, as evidenced by the fact that no companies were removed from Seilern Universe on account of not meeting any of the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by the Fund.

## • How did the sustainability indicators perform?

The sustainability indicators, values of which are provided by the third-party data suppliers, have been performing as expected throughout the year.

For SAM, there was an increase in the carbon indicators across Scope 1, Scope 2 and Scope 3. There was no change to the exposure of the Fund to thermal coal and the exposure to oil & gas decreased.

There was no change in labour relations metrics, with the same proportion of companies reporting "*no evidence of relevant controversies*". In addition, there was no change to the proportion of companies reporting "no involvement" in child labour controversies and forced labour controversies saw "no involvement" increase from 85% to 86%. The turnover data was mixed. While the proportion of companies that do not disclose data decreased 8 points, the sum of the "*high*" and "*average*" categories increased 8 points.

The Fund continues to have no exposure to controversial weapons or tobacco products and the exposure to sanctions increased immaterially. Involvement in supply chain controversies also remained flat.

From a governance point of view, at the Fund level, the proportion of chairs that were classed as "independent" increased from 40% to 57% and the portion of companies that disclosed a separate chair / CEO saw a small increase to 76%. The proportion of companies with dual class stock saw a marginal decline from 25% to 24%. There was a marginal increase in the average age of directors of one year (from 62 to 63), however this was not material, while the average director tenure remained stable at 7 years.

As always, these metrics are used by the IM as a starting point for further analysis rather than as a standalone determinant of the performance of E and S characteristics. On reflection for 2024, the overall performance of companies in SAM's portfolio with respect to tracked sustainability indicators has been as expected.

### • ...and compared to previous periods?

A comparison of the performance of the sustainability indicators at the Fund level compared to previous periods is set out below.

		Dec-22	Dec-23	Dec-24	Change
		Environme	ental	1	
Revenue \$mn Avg (to corresponding year) Weighted		45329	59952	66268	11%
Scope 1 Emiss Weighted	sions (Avg)	24874	29162	56587	94%
Scope 2 Emiss Weighted	sions (Avg)	625508	853348	1084260	27%
Scope 3 Emiss Weighted	sions (Avg)	1549005	2582270	3770962	46%
Scope 1&2 En Weighted	nissions (Avg)	650382	882510	1140846	29%
Scope 1,2 & 3 (Avg) Weighte		2199387	3464780	4911808	42%
Carbon Metric Revenue Avg Weighted		53	66	91	37%
Thermal Coal	No involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
Involvement	0-4.9%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	No involvement	76%	75%	86.00%	15%
Oil & Gas Level of	0-4.9%	24%	25%	14.00%	-44%
Involvement	5-9.9%	0%	0%	0%	0%
	10-24.9%	0%	0%	0%	0%
		Social		-	
Labour	No evidence of relevant controversies	90%	90%	90.00%	0%
Relations	Category 1	5%	5%	5.00%	0%
Issues	Category 2	0%	0%	0.00%	0%
	Category 3	5%	5%	5.00%	0%
	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Child Labour	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
Forced Labour	No involvement	86%	85%	86%	1%
Laboui	Involvement	14%	15%	14%	-7%
	Does not disclose data	57%	60%	52%	-13%
Turnover Data	Low	5%	0%	0%	0%
Dala	Average	10%	10%	15%	50%
	High	28%	30%	33%	10%
Controversial Weapons	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
usage	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Sanctions from EU, US	No evidence of relevant controversies	95%	90%	95%	6%
& UN	Involvement	5%	10%	5%	-50%
Tobacco	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
Products	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Supply Chain	No Data	95%	95%	95%	0%
Controversie s	Past Incidents	5%	5%	5%	0%

Governance							
Chair	Independent	38%	40%	57%	43%		
Classification	Non- Independent	62%	60%	43%	-28%		
Separate	Yes	67%	75%	76%	1%		
Chair / CEO	No	33%	25%	24%	-4%		
	Total Director Ownership Average (%Stock) Weighted		9%	3%	-65%		
Average Direc Weighted	Average Director Age Weighted		62	63	2%		
Average Director Tenure (Years) Weighted		8	7	7	0%		
Board Structure (% Independent) Weighted		80%	83%	85%	2%		
Dual Class	Yes	33%	25%	24%	-4%		
Stock	No	67%	75%	76%	1%		

N.B. Please note that certain figures reported this year for 2022 and 2023 may differ from those reported for the same periods in previous disclosures. This is due to the nature of ESG data availability and the methodology applied.

The ESG data used in our SFDR reporting is sourced from Sustainalytics, and for our product, the principle of 'latest available information' applies. This means that ESG data may be updated retrospectively as new or more accurate company-level disclosures become available. For this reason, historical data (e.g. for 2022 and 2023) retrieved at a later stage may differ from figures retrieved and reported previously. This reflects ongoing improvements in data coverage and quality rather than changes in the underlying methodology.

 What were the objectives of the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made and how did the sustainable investment contribute to such objectives?

The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

 How did the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective?

The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

- How were the indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors taken
  into account?
  - N/A The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.
- Were sustainable investments aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights? Details:

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

The "do no significant harm" principle applies only to those investments underlying the financial product that take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities. The investments underlying the remaining portion of this financial product do not take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.

Principal adverse impacts are the most significant negative impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors relating to environmental. social and employee matters, respect for human rights, anticorruption and anti-bribery matters.

The EU Taxonomy sets out a "do not significant harm" principle by which Taxonomy-aligned investments should not significantly harm EU Taxonomy objectives and is accompanied by specific Union criteria.

Any other sustainable investments must also not significantly harm any environmental or social objectives.



How did this financial product consider principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors?

During 2024, the IM evaluated various data points to determine whether the investee company should be considered sustainable. The IM measured progress across the PAIs tracked in 2024 using metrics covering a range of E, S, and G characteristics. These included GHG emissions, exposure to fossil fuels, compliance with the UN Global Compact principles and the Seilern Universe's exposure to controversial weapons and tobacco products. This analysis was applied consistently at all stages of the investment process, starting from the initial companies' selection stage through to inclusion into Seilern Universe and further continuously through the investment management process.

ESG data is always used as a first port of call to undertake deeper investigations in each area measured. This is done case-by-case to give each metric its due attention.

Generally, companies that are identified through this process as having significant environmental and social risks shall be excluded from the Seilern Universe.



## What were the top investments of this financial product?

Please note that only the top 10 investments of the Fund are listed as the number of investments constituting 50% of the investments of the Fund during the period covered is less than 15, in accordance with Article 52(2) of the Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1288.

The list includes the investments constituting the greatest proportion of investments of the financial product during the reference period which is: 1 Jan 2024 -31 Dec 2024

Largest investments	Sector	% Assets	Country
Mastercard	Financials	7.81%	US
Microsoft Corp	Information Technology	7.18%	US
West Pharmaceutical Services	Health Care	6.45%	US
Unitedhealth	Health Care	5.96%	US
Tyler	Information Technology	5.81%	US
Idexx Laboratories Inc	Health Care	5.20%	US
Automatic Data	Industrials	4.57%	US
Alphabet	Information Technology	4.49%	US
Booking Holdings	Consumer Discretionary	4.38%	US
Edwards Lifesciences	Health Care	4.35%	US

## What was the proportion of sustainability-related investments?

0% - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

• What was the asset allocation?

95% of the Fund's portfolio was allocated to companies that are aligned with the environmental and social characteristics that the Fund promotes. The remaining portion (<5%) of the portfolio was not aligned with the promoted characteristics and consisted of liquid assets (cash, ancillary liquid assets, bank deposits, money market instruments, and money market funds).

Asset allocation describes the share of investments in specific assets.



**#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** includes the investments of the financial product used to attain the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product.

**#20ther** includes the remaining investments of the financial product which are neither aligned with the environmental or social characteristics, nor are qualified as sustainable investments.

To comply with the EU Taxonomy, the criteria for **fossil gas** include limitations on emissions and switching to fully renewable power or lowcarbon fuels by the end of 2035. For **nuclear energy**, the criteria include comprehensive safety and waste management rules.

### Enabling activities

directly enable other activities to make a substantial contribution to an environmental objective.

## Transitional activities are

activities for which low-carbon alternatives are not yet available and among others have greenhouse gas emission levels corresponding to the best performance. In which economic sectors were the investments made?

Sector	% of AuM
Health Care	35.84
Informational Technology	21.33
Financials	18.95
Consumer Distretionary	8.43
Industrials	8.00
Communication Services	4.49
Cash	2.96



0%. While the Fund promoted environmental characteristics, the Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy<sup>1</sup>

Yes:

In fossil gas

In nuclear energy

x No

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change ("climate change mitigation") and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective – see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for fossil gas and nuclear energy economic activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.

Taxonomy-aligned activities are expressed as a share of:

-turnover reflecting the share of revenue from green activities of investee companies.

### -capital

**expenditure** (CapEx) showing the green investments made by investee companies, e.g. for a transition to a green economy.

## -operational

expenditure (OpEx) reflecting the green operational activities of investee companies. The graphs below show in green the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy. As there is no appropriate methodology to determine the taxonomy-alignment of sovereign bonds\*, the first graph shows the Taxonomy alignment in relation to all the investments of the financial product including sovereign bonds, while the second graph shows the Taxonomy alignment only in relation to the investments of the financial product other than sovereign bonds.



For the purpose of these graphs, 'sovereign bonds' consist of all sovereign exposures.

What was the share of investments made in transitional and enabling activities?

### N/A

How did the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy compare with previous reference periods?

## N/A

What was the share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective not aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.



What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.



What investments were included under "other", what was their purpose and were there any minimum environmental or social safeguards?

investments with an environmental objective that **do not take into account the criteria** for environmentally sustainable economic activities under Regulation (EU) 2020/852. "Other" investments included liquid assets (cash, ancillary liquid assets, bank deposits, money market instruments, and money market funds) held for the efficient portfolio management purposes of servicing the day-to-day requirements of the Fund. No minimum environmental or social safeguards were applied.

# What actions have been taken to meet the environmental and/or social characteristics during the reference period?

The most important actions to meet the environmental and social characteristics promoted by the Fund was the application of exclusion criteria for selection of the companies for the Seilern Universe and rigorous adherence to the Quality Growth criteria. This process ensures that each company added to and maintained in the Seilern Universe is a sustainable business and continues to meet these standards on an ongoing basis. The IM also tracks a range of E, S and G-specific data provided by the third-party data providers to ensure that investee companies continue to perform in line with expectations and escalates issues identified and investigates further in line with the Responsible Investing Policy.

The IM adheres to a range of binding elements of the investment strategy to ensure that any individual element that brings the business's overall sustainability into question is investigated in greater detail. The process for this is as follows:

- The IM initially assesses the degree to which the breach of environmental, social or governance characteristics interferes with the overall sustainability of the business.
- If it is deemed to jeopardise the overall sustainability of the business, the IM then engages with management on the issue.
- If management chooses a course of inaction and the IM has determined that the issue negatively affects the overall sustainability of the business, the IM disposes of the affected position, allocating capital away from the offending company and toward companies that promote sustainable characteristics.

Over the reference period, the IM was in contact with several companies explicitly relating to corporate governance issues, where it received adequate clarification of the concerns. No sales or divestment were made due to breaches of the Quality Growth criteria over the reference period.

In comparison to the Sustainalytics Universe, at the Fund level, 15.08% of the Fund's constituents ranked within the top decile whilst 88.1% ranked within the top quartile as of the end of 2024

# How did this financial product perform compared to the reference benchmark?

No index has been designated as a reference benchmark to determine whether the Fund is aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics that it promotes.

Reference benchmarks are indexes to measure whether the financial

How does the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index?

N/A

product attains the environmental or social characteristics that they promote.

• How did this financial product perform with regard to the sustainability indicators to determine the alignment of the reference benchmark with the environmental or social characteristics promoted?

N/A

• How did this financial product perform compared with the reference benchmark?

N/A

• How did this financial product perform compared with the broad market index?

N/A

## ANNEX IV

Template periodic disclosure for the financial products referred to in Article 8, paragraphs 1, 2 and 2a, of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 and Article 6, first paragraph, of Regulation (EU) 2020/852

### Sustainable

investment means an investment in an economic activity that contributes to an environmental or social objective, provided that the investment does not significantly harm any environmental or social objective and that the investee companies follow good governance practices.

The EU Taxonomy is a classification system laid down in Regulation (EU) 2020/852, establishing a list of environmentally sustainable economic activities. That Regulation does not lay down a list of socially sustainable economic activities. Sustainable investments with an environmental objective might be aligned with the Taxonomy or not.

Product name: the "Fund")

Seilern Europa ("SE" or Legal entity identifier:

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## Environmental and/or social characteristics

Did this financial product have a sustainable investment objective?

•		Yes	• •		Νο	
	It made sustainable investments with an environmental objective: %			It promoted Environmental/Social (E/S) characteristics and while it did not have as its objective a sustainable investment, it had a proportion of% of sustainable investments		
		in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy			with an environmental objective in economic activities that qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	
		in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy			with an environmental objective in economic activities that do not qualify as environmentally sustainable under the EU Taxonomy	
					with a social objective	
	It made sustainable investments X with a social objective:%			It promoted E/S characteristics, but <b>did</b> not make any sustainable investments		

Unless otherwise stated, all data provided in this disclosure is measured as at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2024.

## To what extent were the environmental and/or social characteristics promoted by this financial product met?



Sustainability indicators

measure how the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product are attained. Through the investible universe (the "**Seilern Universe**"), the Fund promotes environmental and social characteristics across the metrics of corporate governance, business ethics, the environmental impact of products and services, emissions, effluents and waste, human capital and human rights and resource use in the supply chain. The Investment Manager (the "**IM**") does so by application of a range of exclusion criteria at all stages of a rigorous selection process. The IM invests only in companies with strong environmental policies and practices, namely relating to pollution and sustainable production, which may also include companies actively working to improve their environmental footprint, sustainable sourcing, recycling, waste treatment, and usage of materials and to reduce their emissions and energy consumption, as well as with strong policies relating to social characteristics such as the fair treatment of workers and the fair treatment of partners to their businesses and good corporate governance practices, such as strong, stable management and manage the business in the long-term interest of shareholders.

In order to maintain its position in the Seilern Universe each company must, among others, continually meet sustainability tests.

Over the course of 2024, the characteristics set forth above were promoted as evidenced by the fact that no companies were removed from Seilern Universe on account of not meeting any of the environmental and / or social characteristics promoted by the Fund

## • How did the sustainability indicators perform?

The sustainability indicators, values of which are provided by the third-party data suppliers, have been performing as expected throughout the year.

For SE, the carbon indicators decreased across Scope 1, Scope 2 and Scope 3 emissions. There was a decrease in the exposure of the Fund to thermal coal and oil & gas.

There was no change in labour relations metrics, with the same proportion of companies reporting "no evidence of relevant controversies". There was a change in the level of involvement in controversies relating to child labour (10% to 15%) and a decrease in forced labour controversies (15 to 10%). The increase in child labour related to a BBC investigation into luxury perfume brands, including Lancome, a majority owned subsidiary of L'Oreal in Egypt. According to the investigation, Egypt produced roughly half of the world's supply of jasmine and the investigation found that among the flower pickers were children younger than 15 years old. The Egypt regulation allows children as young as 15 to work in non-hazardous jobs, while children under the age of 15 are not allowed by the law to work between 19:00 and 07:00. Brands like Lancome and Aerin Beauty buy perfumes created at international fragrance houses which use jasmine oil from Egyptian factories. Although L'oreal made public commitments to ethical labour practices, there were concerns raised over the entire perfume industry that those practices were not followed. After the BBC investigation was published, L'oreal declared that it would contact its suppliers to investigate the allegations.

The proportion of companies that do not disclose data increased 15 points, the sum of the "*high*" and "*average*" categories decreased 15 points from 75% to 60%. These numbers appear high in absolute terms, however, the post-COVID recoil from unsustainable hiring practices is largely responsible. Many companies in the technology space have sought to right-size their organisations and have redeployed, reskilled, and let go of employees over the course in 2023, a practice that continued into 2024.

The Fund continues to have no exposure to controversial weapons, tobacco products and there has been no change to the involvement of companies in the Fund to sanctions from the EU, US and UN. Involvement in supply chain controversies also remained flat at 10%.

From a governance point of view, at the Fund level, there was an increase in the proportion of chairs that were classed as "independent" from 33% to 37% and the

portion of companies that disclosed a separate chair / CEO increased from 84% to 89% This number is significantly higher than Seilern America and Seilern World Growth Funds with the difference explained by regional conventions. The proportion of companies with dual class stock increased from 11% to 16%. The average age of directors declined one year and there was no change in average director tenure. As always, these metrics are used by the IM as a starting point for further analysis rather than as a standalone determinant of the performance of E, S or G characteristics. On reflection for 2024, the overall performance of the companies in the SE portfolio with respect to the tracked sustainability indicators has been as expected.

## • ...and compared to previous periods?

A comparison of the performance of the sustainability indicators at the Fund level compared to previous periods is set out below.

		Dec-22	Dec-23	Dec-24	Chan ge
		Environm	ental	<u> </u>	
Revenue \$mn Avg (to		16,040	16,841	17,036	1%
corresponding year)	,				
Scope 1 Emissions		195,950	202,775	188,027	-7%
Scope 2 Emissions		164,881	143,485	137,279	-4%
Scope 3 Emissions		6,862,516	7,074,041	5,702,801	-19%
Scope 1&2 Emission Weighted	360,832	346,260	325,306	-6%	
Scope 1,2 & 3 Emis Weighted	( <b>D</b> )	7,223,348	7,420,302	6,028,107	-19%
Carbon Metric Tonn Avg (\$mn) Weighted	b	218	218	229	5%
Thermal Coal Involvement	No involvement	86%	85%	90%	6%
mvolvement	0-4.9%	14%	15%	10%	-33%
	No involvement	76%	80%	85%	6%
Oil & Gas Level of	0-4.9%	10%	5%	5%	0%
Involvement	5-9.9%	10%	10%	5%	-50%
	10-24.9%	5%	5%	5%	0%
Social					
Labora Dalationa	No evidence of relevant controversies	81%	90%	90%	0%
Labour Relations Issues	Category 1	5%	0%	0%	0%
	Category 2	10%	5%	5%	0%
	Category 3	5%	5%	5%	0%
	Involvement	10%	10%	15%	58%
Child Labour	No Involvement	90%	90%	85%	-6%
Forced Labour	No involvement	81%	85%	90%	6%
	Involvement	19%	15%	10%	-33%
	Does not disclose data	19%	20%	35%	75%
Turnover Data	Low	10%	5%	5%	0%
	Average	10%	15%	20%	33%
	High	62%	60%	40%	-33%
Controversial	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%
Weapons usage	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%

Sanctions from EU, US & UN	No evidence of relevant controversies	100%	100%	100%	0%	
	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Tobacco Products	No Involvement	100%	100%	100%	0%	
	Involvement	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Supply Chain	No Data	90%	90%	90%	0%	
Controversies	Past Incidents	10%	10%	10%	0%	
		Governa	Governance			
Chair	Independent	45%	33%	37%	11%	
Classification	Non- Independent	55%	67%	63%	-5%	
Separate Chair /	Yes	95%	84%	89%	7%	
CEO	No	5%	16%	11%	-34%	
Total Director Ownership Average (%Stock) Weighted		11%	10%	10%	-5%	
Average Director Ag	56	57	56	-2%		
Average Director Te Weighted	5	6	6	7%		
Board Structure (% Independent) Weighted		56%	58%	57%	-2%	
Dual Class Stock	Yes	15%	11%	16%	50%	
Dual Class Slock	No	85%	89%	84%	-6%	

N.B. Please note that certain figures reported this year for 2022 and 2023 may differ from those reported for the same periods in previous disclosures. This is due to the nature of ESG data availability and the methodology applied.

The ESG data used in our SFDR reporting is sourced from Sustainalytics, and for our product, the principle of 'latest available information' applies. This means that ESG data may be updated retrospectively as new or more accurate company-level disclosures become available. For this reason, historical data (e.g. for 2022 and 2023) retrieved at a later stage may differ from figures retrieved and reported previously. This reflects ongoing improvements in data coverage and quality rather than changes in the underlying methodology.

# • What were the objectives of the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made and how did the sustainable investment contribute to such objectives?

The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

## How did the sustainable investments that the financial product partially made not cause significant harm to any environmental or social sustainable investment objective?

The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

- How were the indicators for adverse impacts on sustainability factors taken into account?
- N/A The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.
- Were sustainable investments aligned with the OECD Guidelines for Multinational Enterprises and the UN Guiding Principles on Business and Human Rights? Details:

Principal adverse impacts are the most significant negative impacts of investment decisions on sustainability factors relating to environmental, social and employee matters, respect for human rights, anticorruption and anti-bribery matters.

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

The EU Taxonomy sets out a "do not significant harm" principle by which Taxonomy-aligned investments should not significantly harm EU Taxonomy objectives and is accompanied by specific Union criteria.

The "do no significant harm" principle applies only to those investments underlying the financial product that take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities. The investments underlying the remaining portion of this financial product do not take into account the EU criteria for environmentally sustainable economic activities.

Any other sustainable investments must also not significantly harm any environmental or social objectives.

How did this financial product consider principal adverse impacts on sustainability factors?

During 2024, the IM evaluated various data points to determine whether the investee company should be considered sustainable. The IM measured progress across the PAIs tracked in 2024, using metrics covering a range of E, S, and G characteristics. These included GHG emissions, exposure to fossil fuels, compliance with the UN Global Compact principles, and the Seilern Universe's exposure to controversial weapons or tobacco products. This analysis was applied consistently at all stages of the investment process, starting from the initial companies' selection stage through to inclusion into Seilern Universe and further continuously through the investment management process.

ESG data is always used as a first port of call to undertake deeper investigations in each area measured. This is done case-by-case to give each metric its due attention.

Generally, companies that are identified through this process as having significant environmental and social risks shall be excluded from the Seilern Universe.





## What were the top investments of this financial product?

Please note that only the top 8 investments of the Fund are listed as the number of investments constituting 50% of the investments of the Fund during the period covered is less than 15, in accordance with Article 52(2) of the Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1288.

The list includes the investments constituting **the greatest proportion of investments** of the financial product during the reference period which is: 1 Jan 2024 -31 Dec 2024

Largest investments	Sector	% Assets	Country
SAP SE	Information Technology	8.76%	Germany
Dassault Systemes	Information Technology	7.96%	France
LONZA GROUP AG-REG	Health Care	7.78%	Switzerland
Novo Nordisk	Health Care	7.25%	Denmark
Rightmove	Communication Services	6.37%	UK
Essilor	Health Care	4.64%	France
Belimo	Industrials	4.62%	Switzerland
Hermes	Consumer Discretionary	4.52%	France



0% - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

## • What was the asset allocation?

95% of the Fund's portfolio was allocated to companies that are aligned with the environmental and social characteristics that the Fund promotes. The remaining portion (<5%) of the portfolio was not aligned with the promoted characteristics and consisted of liquid assets (cash, ancillary liquid assets, bank deposits, money market instruments, and money market funds).

Asset allocation describes the share of investments in specific assets.



**#1 Aligned with E/S characteristics** includes the investments of the financial product used to attain the environmental or social characteristics promoted by the financial product.

**#2Other** includes the remaining investments of the financial product which are neither aligned with the environmental or social characteristics, nor are qualified as sustainable investments.

## In which economic sectors were the investments made?

Sector	% of AuM
Health Care	23.44
Industrials	20.09
Information Technology	20.06
Consumer Staples	11.46
Consumer Discretionary	8.63
Communication Services	6.37
Materials	4.14
Financials	3.89
Cash	1.92

(m)

## To what extent were the sustainable investments with an environmental objective aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

0%. While the Fund promoted environmental characteristics, it did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

## Did the financial product invest in fossil gas and/or nuclear energy related activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy<sup>1</sup>

Yes:

In fossil gas

In nuclear energy



To comply with the EU Taxonomy, the criteria for **fossil gas** include limitations on emissions and switching to fully renewable power or lowcarbon fuels by the end of 2035. For **nuclear energy**, the criteria include comprehensive safety and waste management rules.



directly enable other activities to make a substantial contribution to an environmental objective.

Transitional activities are activities for which low-carbon alternatives are not yet available and among others have greenhouse gas emission levels corresponding to the best performance.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Fossil gas and/or nuclear related activities will only comply with the EU Taxonomy where they contribute to limiting climate change ("climate change mitigation") and do not significantly harm any EU Taxonomy objective – see explanatory note in the left hand margin. The full criteria for fossil gas and nuclear energy economic activities that comply with the EU Taxonomy are laid down in Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2022/1214.

Taxonomy-aligned activities are expressed as a share of:

-turnover reflecting the share of revenue from green activities of investee companies.

### -capital

**expenditure** (CapEx) showing the green investments made by investee companies, e.g. for a transition to a green economy.

## -operational

expenditure (OpEx) reflecting the green operational activities of investee companies. The graphs below show in green the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy. As there is no appropriate methodology to determine the taxonomy-alignment of sovereign bonds\*, the first graph shows the Taxonomy alignment in relation to all the investments of the financial product including sovereign bonds, while the second graph shows the Taxonomy alignment only in relation to the investments of the financial product other than sovereign bonds.



\*For the purpose of these graphs, 'sovereign bonds' consist of all sovereign exposures

What was the share of investments made in transitional and enabling
 activities?

## N/A

How did the percentage of investments that were aligned with the EU Taxonomy compare with previous reference periods?

### N/A

What was the share of sustainable investments with an environmental objective not aligned with the EU Taxonomy?

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.

What was the share of socially sustainable investments?

N/A - The Fund did not hold any sustainable investments during the period covered by the report.



What investments were included under "other", what was their purpose and were there any minimum environmental or social safeguards?

sustainable investments with an environmental objective that **do not take into account the criteria** for environmentally sustainable economic activities under Regulation

(EU) 2020/852.

are



"Other" investments included liquid assets (cash, ancillary liquid assets, bank deposits, money market instruments, and money market funds) held for the efficient portfolio management purposes of servicing the day-to-day requirements of the Fund. No minimum environmental or social safeguards were applied.

What actions have been taken to meet the environmental and/or social characteristics during the reference period?

The most important actions to meet the environmental and social characteristics promoted by the Fund were the application of exclusion criteria for selection of the companies for the Seilern Universe and rigorous adherence to the Quality Growth criteria. This process ensures that each company added to and maintained in the Seilern Universe is a sustainable business and continues to meet these standards on an ongoing basis. The IM also tracks a range of E, S, and G-specific data provided by the third-party data providers to ensure that investee companies continue to perform in line with expectations and escalates issues identified and investigates further in line with the Responsible Investing Policy.

The IM adheres to a range of binding elements of the investment strategy to ensure that any individual element that brings the business's overall sustainability into question is investigated in greater detail. The process for this is as follows:

- The IM initially assesses the degree to which the breach of environmental, social, or governance characteristics interferes with the overall sustainability of the business.
- If it is deemed to jeopardise the overall sustainability of the business, the IM then engages with management on the issue.
- If management chooses a course of inaction and the IM has determined that the issue negatively affects the overall sustainability of the business, the IM disposes of the affected position, allocating capital away from the offending company and toward companies that promote sustainable characteristics.

Over the reference period, the IM was in contact with several companies explicitly relating to corporate governance issues, where it received adequate clarification of the concerns. No sales or divestment were made due to breaches of the Quality Growth criteria over the reference period.

In comparison to the Sustainalytics Universe, at the Fund level, 32% of the Fund's constituents ranked within the top decile whilst 66.2% ranked within the top quartile as of the end of 2024

# How did this financial product perform compared to the reference benchmark?

No index has been designated as a reference benchmark to determine whether the Fund is aligned with the environmental and/or social characteristics that it promotes.

Reference benchmarks are indexes to measure whether the financial

How does the reference benchmark differ from a broad market index?

N/A

product attains the environmental or social characteristics that they promote.

• How did this financial product perform with regard to the sustainability indicators to determine the alignment of the reference benchmark with the environmental or social characteristics promoted?

N/A

• How did this financial product perform compared with the reference benchmark?

N/A

• How did this financial product perform compared with the broad market index?

N/A