



**December 2024** 

Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-Dec-2024. All other data as at 16-Jan-2025.

This document is marketing material. For Investors in the UK. Investors should read the KIID/PRIIPs document and prospectus prior to investing, and should refer to the prospectus for the funds full list of risks.

### **FUND OVERVIEW**

- The Fund aims to achieve a return on your investment, through a combination of capital growth and income on the Fund's assets, which reflects the return of the equity market in the United Kingdom.
- The Fund is passively managed and invests in equity securities (e.g. shares) listed and traded on regulated markets in the United Kingdom.
- The return of the Fund will be compared with the return on an index which will initially be the MSCI UK Index (with net dividends), the Fund's benchmark index.

# **RISK INDICATOR**



**CAPITAL AT RISK:** The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

#### **KEY RISKS:**

- Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies.
   This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political, sustainability-related or regulatory events.
- The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market
  movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company
  earnings and significant corporate events.
- Counterparty Risk: The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.

## **KEY FACTS**

Asset Class: Equity

Benchmark: MSCI UK Index
Fund Launch Date: 31-Dec-1998
Share Class Launch Date: 17-Apr-2019

Fund Base Currency: GBP

Share Class Currency: EUR

Use of Income: Accumulating

Net Assets of Fund (M): 629.56 GBP

Morningstar Category: Other Equity

SFDR Classification: Other

**Domicile:** Ireland **ISIN:** IE00BJXFTQ35

Management Company: BlackRock Asset

Management Ireland Limited

#### **FEES AND CHARGES**

Annual Management Fee: 0.00%

Ongoing Charge: 0.02%
Performance Fee: -

# **DEALING INFORMATION**

**Dealing Frequency:** Daily, forward pricing basis

Settlement: Trade Date + 3 days

### **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

Price to Book Ratio: 1.78x

Price to Earnings Ratio: 14.24x

Standard Deviation (3y): 10.11

3y Beta: 1.00

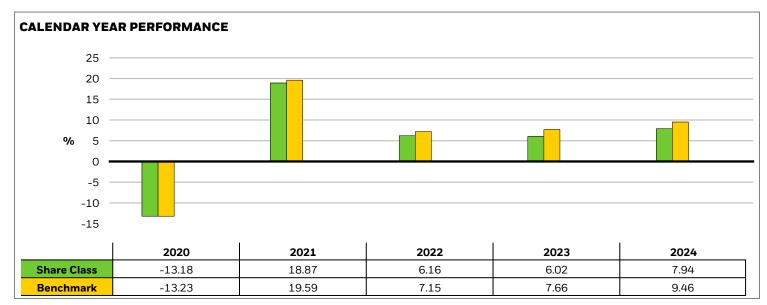
Number of Holdings: 78

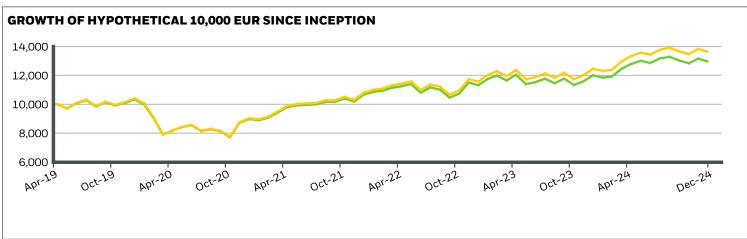
### **PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)**

Kieran Doyle

Group Index Equity PM Core DM EMEA







CI	CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE										
		CUMULATIVE (%)					ANNUALISED (% p.a.)				
		1m	3m	6m	YTD	<b>1</b> y	3у	5у	Since Inception		
	Share Class	-1.46	-0.55	0.81	7.94	7.94	6.70	4.63	4.55		
	Benchmark	-1.31	-0.20	1.52	9.46	9.46	8.08	5.55	5.49		

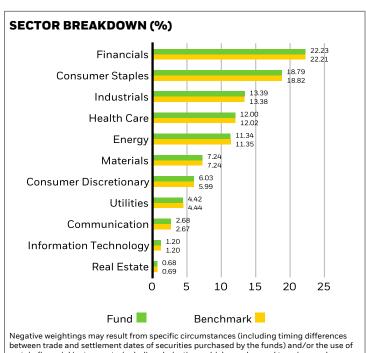
The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future performance and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in EUR, hedged share class benchmark performance is displayed in GBP. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. **Source:** BlackRock

Share Class iShares UK Index Fund (IE)Flex Hedged Euro

Benchmark MSCI UK Index



TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)	
ASTRAZENECA PLC	8.47%
SHELL PLC	8.02%
HSBC HOLDINGS PLC	7.46%
UNILEVER PLC	5.89%
RELX PLC	3.53%
BP PLC	3.32%
BRITISH AMERICAN TOBACCO	2.99%
DIAGEO PLC	2.94%
GLAXOSMITHKLINE	2.91%
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE GROUP PLC	2.83%
Total of Portfolio	48.36%
Holdings subject to change	



Negative weightings may result from specific circumstances (including timing differences between trade and settlement dates of securities purchased by the funds) and/or the use of certain financial instruments, including derivatives, which may be used to gain or reduce market exposure and/or risk management. Allocations are subject to change



#### GLOSSARY

**SFDR Classification: Article 8:** Products that promote environmental or social characteristics and promote good governance practices. **Article 9:** Products that have sustainable investments as an objective and follow good governance practices. **Other:** Products that do not meet the criteria to be classified as Article 8 or 9.

**Price to Earnings:** A valuation ratio of a company's current share price compared to its per-share earnings in the current forecast year, calculated as current share price divided by current earnings per share.

**Price to Book Ratio:** represents the ratio of the current closing price of the share to the latest quarter's book value per share.

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