# Morgan Stanley Investment Funds Global Credit Fund

# (Accumulation Share Class)

## **Investment Objective**

To provide an attractive rate of relative return.

#### **Investment Approach**

Seeks to provide an attractive rate of relative return, measured in U.S. dollars, through investment primarily in high-quality issues of fixed income securities issued by corporations and other non-government issuers (corporate bonds) organised or operating in both developed and emerging markets and denominated in global currencies.

Investment Team	JOINED FIRM	YEARS OF INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE
Joseph Mehlman, Head of Global Investment Grade Credit	2002	22
Dipen Patel, Executive Director	2009	15
Stella Ma, CFA, Executive Director	2016	8

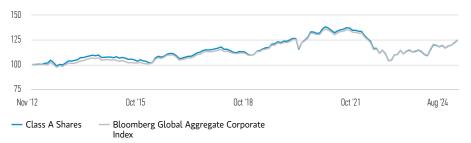
Team members may be subject to change at any time without notice.

Effective 30 August 2024, Richard Ford is no longer serving as Portfolio Manager on the Fund.

## Class A Shares (% net of fees) vs. Index in USD

Performance of 100 USD Invested Since Inception (Cash Value)

#### Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.



#### Investment Performance (% net of fees) in USD

-	Cumulative (%)			Annualised (% p.a.)				
	1 M	3 M	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	INCEPTION
Class A Shares	2.10	4.74	3.77	9.96	-3.14	0.21	1.27	1.88
Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate Index	1.92	4.71	3.43	9.57	-2.55	0.44	1.55	1.90
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Calendar Year Returns (%)	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Class A Shares	8.85	-17.51	-3.38	10.59	13.42	-5.55	9.53	3.25	-4.12	3.26
Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate Index	9.61	-16.72	-2.89	10.37	11.51	-3.57	9.09	4.27	-3.56	3.15

Effective 17th November 2022 the Morgan Stanley Investment Funds Sustainable Global Credit Fund was renamed to Global Credit Fund.

All performance data is calculated NAV to NAV, net of fees, and does not take account of commissions and costs incurred on the issue and redemption of units. The sources for all performance and Index data is Morgan Stanley Investment Management.

The value of the investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and an investor may not get back the amount invested.

## **BROAD MARKETS FIXED INCOME TEAM**

Share Class	CLASS A
Currency	U.S. dollars
ISIN	LU0851374255
Bloomberg	MSGCREA LX
Inception date	14 November 2012
Net asset value	\$ 31.13
Fund Facts	
Launch date	14 November 2012
Base currency	U.S. dollars
Index	Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate Index
Total net assets	\$ 64.96 million
Structure	Luxembourg SICAV
SFDR Classification <sup>†</sup>	Article 8
Charges (%)	CLASS A
Max Entry Charge	4.00
Ongoing Charges	1.04
Management Fee	0.80

Entry Charge is a maximum possible figure. In some cases you might pay less, you can find this out from your financial adviser. Ongoing Charges reflect the payments and expenses incurred during the fund's operation and are deducted from the assets of the fund over the period. It includes fees paid for investment management (Management Fee), trustee/custodian, and administration charges. For more information please see the Charges and Expenses section of the prospectus.

Minimum initial investment Minimum subsequent Investment		0
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Statistics (3 Year Annualised) CLA	SS A	INDEX
Excess Return (%)	0.59	
Alpha (%)	0.67	
Beta	0.99	1.00
Information ratio	-0.51	
R squared	0.99	1.00
Sharpe ratio -	0.69	-0.62
Tracking error (%)	1.16	
Volatility (Standard deviation) (%)	9.65	9.70
Characteristics FU	ND	INDEX
Duration (years) 5	.88	6.05
Average yield to maturity (%) 4	.99	4.55
Number of holdings	262	16,545

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## n Countries (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>1</sup>

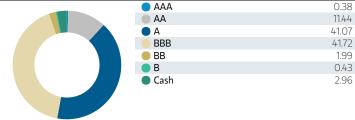
Top Countries (% of Total Ne	FUND	
	U.S.	44.48
	France	10.69
	<ul> <li>United Kingdom</li> </ul>	6.23
	Netherlands	4.81
	🛑 Australia	4.80
	Spain	3.95
	Germany	3.94
	🛑 Italy	3.16
	🛑 Canada	2.54
	Other	12.45
	Cash	2.96

Sector Allocation (% of Total Net Assets) <sup>1,2</sup>	PORTFOLIO
Government Related	4.00
Investment Grade Corporates	89.40
Industrial	36.82
Financial Institutions	44.99
Utility	7.59
High Yield Corporates	3.64
Cash & Equivalents	2.96

#### Currency Allocation (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>1</sup>

Currency Allocation (% of <sup>-</sup>	Total Net Assets) <sup>1</sup>	FUND
	US Dollar	67.39
	Euro	23.56
	British Pound	4.37
	😑 Canadian Dollar	3.13
	Japanese Yen	0.71
	Australian Dollar	0.51
	Swiss Franc	0.33





<sup>+</sup> This Fund is classified as an Article 8 product under the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation. Article 8 products are those which promote environmental or social characteristics and which integrate sustainability into the investment process in a binding manner.

<sup>1</sup>May not sum to 100% due to the exclusion of other assets and liabilities. <sup>2</sup>For additional information regarding sector classification/definitions please visit

investments in Morgan Stanley liquidity funds.

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## DEFINITIONS

Alpha (lensen's) is a risk-adjusted performance measure that represents the average return on a portfolio or investment above or below that predicted by the capital asset pricing model (CAPM) given the portfolio's or investment's beta and the average market return. Prior to 6/30/2018 Alpha was calculated as the excess return of the fund versus benchmark. Average yield to maturity measures the annual return on interest-bearing securities. In this it is assumed that they will be held to maturity. This metric includes both the coupon payments received during the term of the security and the repayment of the capital on maturity. Beta is a measure of the relative volatility of a fund to the market's upward or downward movements. A beta greater than 1.0 identifies an issue or fund that will move more than the market, while a beta less than 1.0 identifies an issue or fund that

# Share Class A Risk and Reward Profile

- The fund may be impacted by movements in the exchange rates between the fund's currency and the currencies of the fund's investments.
- The value of bonds are likely to decrease if interest rates rise and vice versa.
- The value of financial derivative instruments are highly sensitive and may result in losses in excess of the amount invested by the Sub-Fund.
- Issuers may not be able to repay their debts, if this happens the value of your investment will decrease. This risk is higher where the fund invests in a bond with a lower credit rating.
- The fund relies on other parties to fulfill certain services, investments or transactions. If these parties become insolvent, it may expose the fund to financial loss
- Sustainability factors can pose risks to investments, for example: impact asset values, increased operational costs.
- There may be an insufficient number of buyers or sellers which may affect the funds ability to buy or sell securities.
- Investment in Fixed Income Securities via the China Interbank Bond Market may also entail additional risks, such as counterparty and liquidity risk.
- There are increased risks of investing in emerging markets as political, legal and operational systems may be less developed than in developed markets.
- Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. The value of investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and investors may lose all or a substantial portion of his or her investment.
- The value of the investments and the income from them will vary and there can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objectives.
- · Investments may be in a variety of currencies and therefore changes in rates of exchange between currencies may cause the value of investments to decrease or increase. Furthermore, the value of investments may be adversely affected by fluctuations in exchange rates between the investor's reference currency and the base currency of the investments.

#### **Additional A Share Classes**

	CURRENCY	LAUNCH	ISIN	BLOOMBERG
A (EUR)	EUR	29.04.2022	LU2473713118	MOSGCAE LX
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will move less than the market. The Beta of the Market is always equal to 1. Bloomberg stands for Bloomberg Global Identifier ('BBGID'). This is a unique 12 digit alphanumerical code designed to enable the identification of securities, on a Bloomberg Terminal. The Bloomberg Terminal, a system provided by Bloomberg L.P., enables analysts to access and analyse real-time financial market data. Each Bloomberg code starts with the same BBG prefix, followed by nine further characters that are listed for each share class of the Sub-Fund. **Cash & Equivalents** are defined as the value of assets that can be converted into cash immediately. These include commercial paper, open FX transactions, Treasury bills and other short-term instruments. Such instruments are considered cash equivalents because they are deemed liquid and not subject to significant risk of changes in values. Duration is a measure of the sensitivity of the price (the value of principal) of a fixed-income investment to a change in interest rates. Duration is expressed as a number of years. Rising interest rates mean falling bond prices, while declining interest rates mean rising bond prices. **Excess** Return or value added (positive or negative) is the portfolio's return relative to the return of the benchmark. **Information ratio** is the portfolio's alpha or excess return per unit of risk, as measured by tracking error, versus the portfolio's benchmark. **ISIN** is the international securities identification number (ISIN), a 12 digit code consisting of numbers and letters that distinctly identifies securities. **NAV** is the Net Asset Value per share of the Sub-Fund (NAV), which represents the value of the assets of a fund less its liabilities. Number of holdings provided are a typical range, not a maximum number. The portfolio may exceed this from time to time due to market conditions and outstanding trades. R squared measures how well an investment's returns correlate to an index. An R squared of 1.00 means the

portfolio performance is 100% correlated to the index's, whereas a low r-squared means that the portfolio performance is less correlated to the index's. **Sharpe ratio** is a risk-adjusted measure calculated as the ratio of excess return to standard deviation. The Sharpe ratio determines reward per unit of risk. The higher the Sharpe ratio, the better the historical riskadjusted performance. **Tracking error** is the standard deviation of the difference between the returns of an investment and its benchmark. **Volatility (Standard deviation)** measures how widely individual performance returns, within a performance series, are dispersed from the average or mean value.

#### INDEX INFORMATION

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