As of 31 August 2020

### Fact Sheet

# MFS Meridian® Funds Continental European Equity Fund



#### Investment team

Portfolio Manager Matthew Barrett, ASIP

- 20 years with MFS
- 24 years in industry

Institutional Portfolio Managers\*\* Gabrielle Gourgey

- 14 years with MFS
- 25 years in industry

#### Benjamin Tingling, CAIA

- 5 years with MFS
- 14 years in industry

#### Fund benchmark

MSCI Europe (ex-UK) Index (net div)

#### A fund that seeks growth opportunities across Continental Europe

The fund's investment objective is to seek capital appreciation, measured in euros.

- Flexibility to invest across market capitalizations and styles country and sector weightings determined by research and security selection
- Focuses on downside risk by assessing the quality of the business model and through rigorous valuation
- Looks for quality continental European companies which we believe have enduring competitive advantages and strong management team
- Seeks companies with sustainable, above average growth, reasonable valuations, and strives to invest rather than speculate

#### Portfolio structure (%)

- Stocks (95.7)
- Cash & Cash Equivalents (4.3)



Top currency

weights (%)	
Euro	67.4
Swiss Franc	25.9
Swedish Krona	4.7
British Pound Sterling	1.5
Czech Koruna	0.5

#### Sectors (%)

	portfolio vs.	benchmark
Consumer Staples	19.7	13.2
Health Care	16.5	16.2
Information Technology	16.3	9.5
Consumer Discretionary	11.0	11.2
Industrials	9.8	14.9
Materials	8.4	7.2
Financials	5.9	14.3
Real Estate	3.7	1.5
Communication Services	2.4	3.9
Energy	1.2	2.8
Utilities	0.8	5.3
Cash & Cash Equivalents	4.3	N/A

#### Top 5 countries (%)

	portfolio vs.	portfolio vs. benchmark			
France	28.9	22.2			
Switzerland	25.9	20.9			
Germany	18.4	19.6			
Sweden	4.7	6.7			
Netherlands	4.4	8.6			

#### Portfolio facts

Net Assets (EUR)	19.6 million
Number of Issues	40

#### Top 10 holdings **NESTLE SA**

SAPSE
ROCHE HOLDING AG
NOVARTIS AG
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC SE
LVMH MOET HENNESSY
LOUIS VUITTON SE
LINDE PLC
L'OREAL SA
DEUTSCHE WOHNEN SE
CAPGEMINI SE

51.0% of total net assets

\*\* Advises and communicates on the management of the portfolio, but is not responsible for day-to-day management. Portfolio characteristics are based on equivalent exposure, which measures how a portfolio's value would change due to price changes in an asset held either directly or, in the case of a derivative contract, indirectly. The market value of the holding may differ. The portfolio is actively managed, and current holdings may be different.

Top holdings, portfolio characteristics and weightings do not reflect the effect of exposure/weightings for hedging of hedged share classes. Full holdings and net assets do reflect this hedging.

MFS Meridian Funds from time to time may be registered for sale in other jurisdictions or otherwise offered where registration is not required.

MFS Meridian Funds are not available for sale in the United States or Canada or to

### Growth of a €10,000 investment over 10 years and 1 year at NAV (%) as of 31-Aug-20



Fund returns assume the reinvestment of dividends and capital gain distributions but do not include a sales charge. Results would have been less favorable if the sales charge were included. This example is for illustrative purposes only and is not intended to represent the future performance of any MFS product. Past performance is not a reliable indicator for future results.

#### Calendar year total returns (%), not including sales charge A1EUR^

	'10	'11	'12	'13	'14	'15	'16	'17	'18	'19
Fund	12.32	-7.58	20.75	17.91	5.02	12.59	2.47	13.65	-6.01	27.40
Benchmark	8.63	-12.42	19.42	22.13	6.42	10.67	2.42	11.40	-10.86	27.10

Please see reverse for complete performance information and important disclosures.

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ANNUALIZED RETURNS AT NAV (%) ^								SHARE CLASS INFORMATION				
Class	Ongoing Charges (%)†	Start of Class Perf. Record	YTD^^	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr/Life	Sedol	WKN	ISIN	CUSIP	Bloomberg
A1EUR	1.85	28-Feb-06	-2.71	5.06	6.93	6.67	8.91	B08NDW3	A0F4WR	LU0219419214	L63663105	MFCEAE1 LX
A1GBP	1.85	18-Dec-01	2.53	3.91	5.90	10.92	9.78	B08NDX4	A0JJ07	LU0219432076	L63663139	MFSCEEA LX
I1GBP	0.75	18-Dec-01	3.21	5.02	7.05	12.15	11.01	B08NF16	A0J2Z2	LU0219434791	L63663154	MFSCEEI LX
I1USD 1	0.75	28-Feb-06	4.38	15.56	8.29	9.09	9.10	BBL4S25	A1W0LJ	LU0944405991	L6366J126	MCEEI1U LX
W1EUR 1	0.85	28-Feb-06	-2.02	6.16	8.02	7.77	9.68	BBL4SN6	A1W0LK	LU0944407773	L6366J134	MCEW1EU LX
WH1GBP 2,3	0.85	02-Feb-11	-2.11	6.41	8.74	8.18	7.47	B3Z04J2	A1H6R5	LU0583245823	L6367C161	MFSCW1G LX
Benchmark: MS	SCI Europe (e	x-UK) Index (net	div)									
EUR			-7.00	1.15	2.83	4.05	7.13					
GBP			-1.97	-0.08	1.72	8.38	7.96					
USD			-0.92	9.85	3.03	5.41	6.48					

Past performance is not a reliable indicator for future results. All financial investments involve an element of risk. The value of investments may rise and fall so you may get back less than originally invested.

Investors should consider the risks, including lower returns, related to currency movements between their investing currency and the portfolio's base currency, if different

Other share classes are available for which performance and expenses will differ. Returns would have been lower had sales charges, of up to 6% of the net asset value (NAV), or any commissions, fees or other charges that your financial intermediary may charge been reflected.

Performance results reflect ongoing charges and any applicable expense subsidies and waivers in effect during the periods shown. All historic results assume the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains.

The source for all fund data is MFS. Source for benchmark performance: SPAR, FactSet Research Systems Inc.

Fund Inception Date: 27 February 2006

- Results represent the percent change in NAV.
- ^^ Periods less than one year are actual not annualized.
- Ongoing charges are expressed at an annual rate as a percentage of net assets. They are based on annualized expenses for the most recent six month period available in either January or July. For a Class with less than the full period of data available, or where adjustment is necessary to reflect current charges, the ongoing charges figure is an estimate. Please see the KIID of the relevant Class for the most recent expense information.
- 1 The MFS Meridian Funds offer several share classes each with different expenses. Performance reflects the performance of a relevant older class with the same currency until the actual start of class performance record of the class detailed. Performance for periods prior to that date may have been higher or lower had the actual share class fees and expenses been reflected.
- Hedged share classes aim to reduce exchange rate and return fluctuations between the applicable non-base currency hedged share class and the unhedged base currency class of the fund. From time to time shareholder transactions in the share class could result in a gain or a loss, which could be significant, in the share class value that is attributable to the adviser's hedging activities rather than to its investment management activities. Other share classes will not share in these gains or losses.
- The class was re-designated as a Hedged Share Class on 22 September 2015; performance shown prior to this date was unhedged and does not reflect the current currency hedging techniques applied to the class.
  - Class I shares are only available to certain qualifying institutional investors.

    Class W shares are available to discretionary portfolio management or independent advisory accounts, clients of financial intermediaries otherwise prohibited from receiving compensation from the Fund, and to employees of MFS and its affiliates.

TRAILING 3-YEAR RISK MEASURES VS. BENCHMARK (A1EUR)						
Beta	0.85					
Standard Deviation	12.97 vs. 14.60					

**Beta** is a measure of the volatility of a portfolio relative to the overall market. A beta less than 1.0 indicates lower risk than the market; a beta greater than 1.0 indicates higher risk than the market. It is most reliable as a risk measure when the return fluctuations of the portfolio are highly correlated with the return fluctuations of the index chosen to represent the market.

**Standard Deviation** is an indicator of the portfolio's total return volatility, which is based on a minimum of 36 monthly returns. The larger the portfolio's standard deviation, the greater the portfolio's volatility.

RISK ANI	RISK AND REWARD PROFILE CLASS (A1EUR)								
Lower R     (typically I)	lisk ower rewards)				H (typically hig	igher Risk ► her rewards)			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7			

The rating is based on past volatility of returns and may be different in the future or for other classes of the fund.

See the fund's offering documents for more details, including information on fund risks and expenses.

The offering documents (sales prospectus and Key Investor Information Documents (KIIDs)), articles of incorporation and financial reports are available to investors at no cost in paper form or electronically at meridian.mfs.com, at the offices of the paying agent or representative in each jurisdiction or from your financial intermediary. KIIDs are available in the following languages; Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Italian, Norwegian, Portuguese, Spanish, and Swedish. The sales prospectus and other documents are available in English. For additional information, call 416.506.8418 in Toronto or 352.464.010.600 in Luxembourg or your local paying agent or representative. Ireland: Bridge Consulting Limited, 33 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, Ireland. Tel: +353 (0)1-631-6444 United Kingdom: Facilities Agent: MFS International (UK) Ltd.,One Carter Lane, London, EC4V 5ER UK. Tel: 44.(0)20.7429.7200.

MFS Meridian Funds is an investment company with a variable capital established under Luxembourg law. MFS Investment Management Company (Lux) S.à.r.l. is the management company of the Funds, having its registered office at 4, Rue Albert Borschette, L-1246, Luxembourg, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg (Company No. B.76.467). The Management Company and the Funds have been duly authorised by the CSSF (Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier) in Luxembourg.

MFS Meridian Funds are recognised under Section 264 of the Financial Services and Markets Act of 2000 (reference number 435996) and U.K. investors should note that holdings of shares in the funds will not be covered by the provisions of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme, or by any similar scheme in Luxembourg.

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#### Important risk considerations

The fund may not achieve its objective and/or you could lose money on your investment in the fund. **Stock**: Stock markets and investments in individual stocks are volatile and can decline significantly in response to or investor perception of, issuer, market, economic, industry, political, regulatory, geopolitical, and other conditions. **Concentrated**: The portfolio's performance could be more volatile than the performance of more diversified portfolios. **Geographic**: Because the portfolio may invest a substantial amount of its assets in issuers located in a single country or in a limited number of countries, it may be more volatile than a portfolio that is more geographically diversified. **Please** see the prospectus for further information on these and other risk considerations.

#### Benchmark and vendor disclosures

MSCI Europe (ex-UK) Index (net div) - a market capitalization-weighted index that is designed to measure European equity market performance, excluding the United Kingdom.

It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

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