

# iShares Edge MSCI Europe Momentum Factor UCITS ETF EUR (Dist)

## **April Factsheet**

Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 30-Apr-

All other data as at 08-May-2019

For Investors in the UK. Investors should read the Key Investor Information Document and Prospectus prior to investing.

The Fund seeks to track the performance of an index composed of a sub-set of MSCI Europe stocks that have been experiencing an upward price trend.

#### **KEY BENEFITS**

- 1 Exposure to a sub-set of MSCI stocks that have been experiencing an upward price trend
- 2 Direct investment in regional companies experiencing an upward price trend
- 3 Regional exposure with a focus on stocks that have been experiencing an upward price trend

**Key Risks:** 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. Index Methodology Risk: Although the Benchmark Index aims to seek exposure to securities with high quality characteristics from within the Parent Index, there is no guarantee that this objective will be achieved.

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# GROWTH OF 10,000 EUR SINCE INCEPTION



# 12 MONTH PERFORMANCE PERIODS (% EUR)

				31/3/2017 - 31/3/2018		2018 Calendar Year
Fund	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.01%	N/A
Benchmark	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.15%	N/A

# ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE (% EUR)

	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
Fund	2.72%	N/A	N/A	N/A	4.03%
Benchmark	2.86%	N/A	N/A	N/A	4.29%

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in EUR, hedged fund benchmark performance is displayed in EUR. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. Performance data is based on the net asset value (NAV) of the ETF which may not be the same as the market price of the ETF. Individual shareholders may realize returns that are different to the NAV performance. 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



Capital at risk. All financial investments involve an element of risk. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it will vary and your initial investment amount cannot be guaranteed.

Equity

#### **KEY FACTS**

Asset Class

**Fund Base Currency** FUR **Share Class Currency EUR Fund Launch Date** 16-Jan-2015 Share Class Launch Date 23-Feb-2018 **Benchmark** MSCI Europe Momentum Index ISIN IE00BG13YJ64 **Total Expense Ratio** 0.25% Semi-Annual **Distribution Type Domicile** Ireland Methodology Optimised **Product Structure** Physical Rebalance Frequency Semi-Annual Yes **ISA Eligibility** Yes SIPP Available Yes **UK Distributor/Reporting Status** No/Yes Use of Income Distributina

Net Assets of FundEUR 815,257,379Net Assets of Share ClassEUR 39,483,227Number of Holdings124Shares Outstanding7,688,079Benchmark TickerMAEUMMTDistribution Yield2.17%

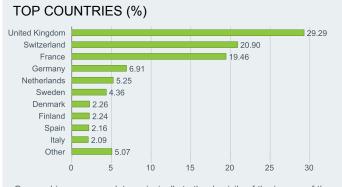
## TOP HOLDINGS (%)

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NESTLE SA	5.32
ROCHE HOLDING PAR AG	4.92
BP PLC	4.58
NOVARTIS AG	4.28
ASTRAZENECA PLC	3.94
SANOFI SA	3.59
GLAXOSMITHKLINE PLC	3.25
DIAGEO PLC	3.07
ROYAL DUTCH SHELL PLC	2.69
SAFRAN SA	2.40
	38.04

Holdings are subject to change.

Key Risks Continued: Factor Focus Risk: Indices with a factor focus are less diversified than their parent index because they have predominant exposure to a single factor rather than the multiple factor exposure of most indices. Therefore they will be more exposed to factor related market movements. Investors should consider this fund as part of a broader investment strategy. 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.

SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)				
	Fund			
Health Care	24.93			
Consumer Staples	15.09			
Energy	13.12			
Industrials	11.45			
Information Technology	8.97			
Materials	7.68			
Consumer Discretionary	6.48			
Financials	5.82			
Utilities	1.83			
Communication	1.72			
Real Estate	1.68			
Cash and/or Derivatives	1.23			



Geographic exposure relates principally to the domicile of the issuers of the securities held in the product, added together and then expressed as a percentage of the product's total holdings. However, in some instances it can reflect the country where the issuer of the securities carries out much of their business.

## **DEALING INFORMATION**

Exchange London Stock Exchange Ticker **IEMD Bloomberg Ticker** IEMD LN RIC IEMD.L **SEDOL** BG13YJ6 **Trading Currency EUR** This product is also listed on: Berne Stock Exchange

#### **GLOSSARY**

Total Expense Ratio (TER): A measure of the total costs associated with managing and operating a fund. The TER consists primarily of the management fee plus other expenses such as trustee, custody, or operating expenses. It is expressed as a percentage of the fund's total net asset value. Distribution yield: The distribution yield represents the ratio of distributed income over the last 12 months to the fund's current Net Asset Value

Product Structure: Indicates whether the fund buys the actual underlying securities in the index (i.e. Physical) or whether the fund gains exposure to those securities by buying derivatives, such as swaps (known as 'Synthetic'). Swaps are a form of contract that promises to provide the return of the security to the fund, but the fund does not hold the actual security. This can introduce a risk that the counterparty defaults on the "promise" or contract.

Methodology: Indicates whether the product is holding all index securities in the same weight as the index (replicating) or whether an optimised subset of index securities is used (optimised/sampled) in order to efficiently track index performance.

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