

# JPM Europe (ex-UK) Sustainable Equity Fund

Class: JPM Europe (ex-UK) Sustainable Equity Fund C - Net Accumulation

## Fund overview

<b>ISIN</b> GB00B235HP90	<b>Sedol</b> B235HP9	<b>Bloomberg</b> JPMERCA LN	<b>Reuters</b> GB00B235HP90.LUF
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**Investment objective:** The Fund aims to provide capital growth over the long-term (5-10 years) by investing at least 80% of the Fund's assets in the shares of European Sustainable Companies (excluding the UK) in any economic sector, or companies that demonstrate improving sustainable characteristics. Sustainable Companies are those that the Investment Manager believes to have effective governance and superior management of environmental and/or social issues (sustainable characteristics).

### Investment approach

- Uses a bottom-up stock selection process.
- Uses the full breadth of the eligible equity investment universe through a combination of fundamental research insights and quantitative analysis.
- Integrates ESG aspects to identify companies with strong or improving sustainability characteristics.

### BENCHMARK USES

The Fund is actively managed. The Benchmark is a Performance Comparator and the Fund will bear some resemblance to its Benchmark. The Benchmark has been chosen as it reflects the main investment universe and strategy for the Fund. The Benchmark will not apply values and norms based screening to implement exclusions that the Investment Manager applies to this Fund.

<b>Portfolio manager(s)</b> Alexander Fitzalan Howard Joanna Crompton Richard P Webb Alexandra Sentuc	<b>Fund reference currency</b> GBP <b>Share class currency</b> GBP <b>Fund assets</b> £152.5m <b>NAV</b> 311.50p <b>Fund launch</b> 1 Nov 1964	<b>Class launch</b> 27 Jun 2011 <b>Domicile</b> United Kingdom <b>Entry/exit charges</b> Entry charge (max) 0.00% Exit charge (max) 0.00% <b>Ongoing charge</b> 0.63%
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## ESG information

### ESG approach - Best-in-class

An investment style that focuses on companies / issuers that lead their peer groups in respect of sustainability performance.

## Fund ratings As at 31 March 2024

**Morningstar Medalist Rating™** SILVER

**Analyst-Driven %** 10

**Data Coverage %** 96

**Overall Morningstar Rating™** ★★★★★

**Morningstar Category™** Europe ex-UK Equity

**FE Crown Fund** 🏆🏆🏆🏆🏆

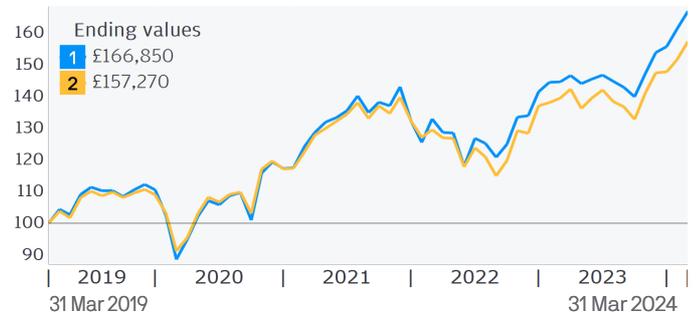
## Performance

**1 Class:** JPM Europe (ex-UK) Sustainable Equity Fund C - Net Accumulation

**2 Benchmark:** FTSE All-World Developed Europe ex UK Index (Net)

**3 Sector average:** Europe Excluding UK

### Growth of £ 100,000 Calendar years



### Quarterly rolling 12-month performance (%)

As at end of March 2024

	2019/2020	2020/2021	2021/2022	2022/2023	2023/2024
1	-11.30	40.16	6.98	8.74	15.37
2	-8.59	34.11	5.70	7.64	12.75

### Calendar Year Performance (%)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
1	1.09	10.25	16.50	19.27	-12.33	20.32	6.44	19.77	-6.40	14.91
2	-0.80	5.16	18.53	16.25	-9.84	19.46	8.12	16.75	-8.20	14.91

### Yield and cumulative performance (%)

Yield: **1.76%**

Latest dividend rate (may be estimated): **5.49p** Ex-dividend date: **1 Feb 2024**

	Cumulative				Annualised		
	1 month	3 months	1 year	YTD	3 years	5 years	10 years
1	3.42	8.39	15.37	8.39	10.30	10.78	8.75
2	3.68	6.64	12.75	6.64	8.66	9.48	7.89

### Performance Disclosures

**Past performance is not a guide to current and future performance. The value of your investments and any income from them may fall as well as rise and you may not get back the full amount you invested.**

### ESG

For more information on our approach to sustainable investing at J.P. Morgan Asset Management please visit

<https://am.jpmorgan.com/uk/esg>

## Portfolio analysis

Measurement	3 years	5 years
Correlation	0.94	0.97
Alpha (%)	1.52	1.19
Beta	0.96	1.05
Annualised volatility (%)	12.85	15.78
Sharpe ratio	0.77	0.69
Tracking error (%)	4.43	4.08
Information ratio	0.35	0.34

## Holdings *As at 29 February 2024*

Top 10	Sector	% of assets
Novo Nordisk	Pharmaceuticals And Biotechnology	6.9
ASML	Technology Hardware And Equipment	5.9
Nestle	Food Producers	4.5
Novartis	Pharmaceuticals And Biotechnology	4.2
Muenchener Rueckversicherungs	Non-Life Insurance	3.2
Siemens	General Industrials	3.2
SAP	Software And Computer Services	3.1
LVMH	Personal Goods	2.8
Schneider Electric	Electronic And Electrical Equipment	2.7
Roche	Pharmaceuticals And Biotechnology	2.5

## Market cap (%) (USD)



- 44.45 > 100 bn
- 47.70 10 bn < 100 bn
- 7.85 1 bn < 10 bn
- 0.00 < 1 bn

Regions (%) <i>As at 29 February 2024</i>	Compared to benchmark
France	-0.1
Switzerland	+1.6
Germany	+2.5
Netherlands	+3.5
Denmark	+0.5
Italy	+0.3
Spain	-0.9
Sweden	-4.9
Ireland	+1.0
Portugal	+0.1
Others	-5.7
Cash	+2.1

Sectors (%) <i>As at 29 February 2024</i>	Compared to benchmark
Pharmaceuticals And Biotechnology	+1.8
Non-Life Insurance	+4.3
Technology Hardware And Equipment	+3.1
Banks	+0.9
Personal Goods	+1.1
Electronic And Electrical Equipment	+4.7
Food Producers	+0.5
Software And Computer Services	+0.3
Construction And Materials	+0.3
General Industrials	+1.6
Others	-20.7
Cash	+2.1

## Key risks

The Fund is subject to **Investment risks** and **Other associated risks** from the techniques and securities it uses to seek to achieve its objective.

The table on the right explains how these risks relate to each other and the **Outcomes to the Shareholder** that could affect an investment in the Fund.

Investors should also read [Risk Descriptions](#) in the Prospectus for a full description of each risk.

**Investment risks** *Risks from the Fund's techniques and securities.*

Techniques	Securities	
Hedging	Equities	Smaller companies

**Other associated risks** *Further risks the Fund is exposed to from its use of the techniques and securities above.*

Currency	Market	Liquidity
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**Outcomes to the Shareholder** *Potential impact of the risks above*

Loss	Volatility	Failure to meet the Fund's objective.
Shareholders could lose some or all of their money.	Shares of the Fund will fluctuate in value.	

## General Disclosures

**Before investing, obtain and review the current Prospectus, Key Investor Information Document (KIID) and the Key Features Document/Terms & Conditions for this fund which are available in English from JPMorgan Asset Management (UK) Limited or at <https://am.jpmorgan.com>.**

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For additional information on the fund's target market please refer to the Prospectus.

The risk indicator is based on the historic volatility of the Net Asset Value of the Share Class over the last five years and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Share Class. The risk and reward category shown above is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and may change over time. A Share Class with the lowest risk rating does not mean a risk-free investment. See Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for details.

As at 06/12/21 the investment objective of the Sub-Fund was changed.

## Performance information

Source: J.P.Morgan Asset Management. Share class performance shown is based on the quoted price of the share class, assumes any net income was reinvested, and includes ongoing charges but not any entry or exit fees.

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The Yield reflects net distributions declared over the past 12 months as a percentage of the quoted price at the date shown. It does not include the Entry charge and investors may be subject to tax on their distributions. Where a portion of the fund's expenses are charged to capital this has the effect of increasing the distribution for the year and constraining the fund's capital performance to an equivalent extent.

The performance shown prior the launch date of this share class

relates to the A share class. The A share class performance has not been amended or simulated to adjust for the lower ongoing fees of the C share class.

## Information Sources

Fund information, including performance calculations and other data, is provided by J.P. Morgan Asset Management (the marketing name for the asset management businesses of JPMorgan Chase & Co and its affiliates worldwide).

**All data is as at the document date unless indicated otherwise.**

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## Definitions

**NAV** Net Asset Value of a fund's assets less its liabilities per Share.

**Quoted Price** The single price at which all client orders are executed.

**Morningstar Medalist Rating™** is the summary expression of Morningstar's forward-looking analysis of investment strategies as offered via specific vehicles using a rating scale of Gold, Silver, Bronze, Neutral, and Negative.

**Analyst-Driven %** Displays the percentage of Analyst's input into the overall rating assignment, including direct analyst coverage and inheritance of an analyst-rated pillar.

**Data Coverage %** Displays the percentage of available input data for rating calculation at the Pillar level.

**Overall Morningstar Rating™** assessment of a fund's past performance, based on both return and risk and shows how similar investments compare with their competitors. Investment decisions should not be based on a high rating alone.

**FE Crown rating** are quantitative ratings ranging from one to five designed to help investors identify funds which have displayed superior performance in terms of stockpicking, consistency and risk control.

FE Crown Fund Ratings are however purely quantitative and backward looking, and, as such, cannot offer any certainty about the future.

FE Trustnet crown rating as at 31 Mar 2024.

**Correlation** measures the strength and direction of the relationship between movements in fund and benchmark returns. A correlation of 1.00 indicates that fund and benchmark returns move in lockstep in the same direction.

**Alpha (%)** a measure of excess return generated by a manager compared to the benchmark. An alpha of 1.00 indicates that a fund has outperformed its benchmark by 1%.

**Beta** measures a fund's sensitivity to market movements (as represented by the fund's benchmark). A beta of 1.10 suggests the fund could perform 10% better than the benchmark in up markets and 10% worse in down markets, assuming all other factors remain constant. Usually the higher betas represent riskier investments.

**Annualised volatility (%)** measures the extent to which returns vary up and down over a given period.

**Sharpe ratio** performance of an investment adjusting for the amount of risk taken (compared a risk-free investment). The higher the Sharpe ratio the better the returns compared to the risk taken.

**Tracking error (%)** measures how much a fund's returns deviate from those of the benchmark. The lower the number the closer the fund's historic performance has followed its benchmark.

**Information ratio** measures if a manager is outperforming or underperforming the benchmark and accounts for the risk taken to achieve the returns. A manager who outperforms a benchmark by 2% p.a. will have a higher IR than a manager with the same outperformance but who takes more risk.