

## FUND FACTS

**Fund Size (NAV EURm)**  
366.7

**Inception Date**  
May 8, 1990

**Domiciled**  
UK, UK-UCITS Fund

**Dealing Frequency**  
Daily

**Management Company**  
Baring Fund Managers Limited

**Investment Manager**  
Baring Asset Management Limited

**Share Classes**  
EUR/GBP/USD/  
USD Hedged  
(accumulating and distributing)

**Distribution Frequency**  
Annual

**Base Currency<sup>2</sup>**  
EUR

**Benchmark<sup>3</sup>**  
HDAX® (Total Return) Index

## PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

**Robert Smith**  
21 years of experience

**Paul Morgan, CFA**  
25 years of experience

## MARCH 2021 / FACTSHEET

OVERALL  
MORNINGSTAR RATING™\*



1. The Trust invests primarily in equities and equity-related securities of companies incorporated in, or exercising the predominant part of their economic activity in Germany, or quoted or traded on the stock exchanges in Germany.
2. The Trust is subject to risks, such as investment, equities and equity-related securities, currency risks and the risks of investing in small and mid-capitalisation companies and convertible bonds. The Trust's investment may be concentrated in German markets and the value of the Trust may be more volatile.
3. The Trust may invest in derivatives for efficient portfolio management (including hedging) purposes which may involve counterparty/credit, liquidity, valuation, volatility and over-the-counter transaction risks. Exposure to derivatives may lead to a high risk of significant loss by the Trust.
4. Investors may suffer substantial loss of their investments in the Trust.

## OBJECTIVE

The investment objective of the Trust is to achieve capital growth by investing in equities in Germany.

## STRATEGY

The Trust has the flexibility to invest in companies across all market capitalizations, but is generally biased towards small and mid-cap companies as Barings believes they offer higher growth potential.

| PERFORMANCE %        | Class A (Net) <sup>1</sup> | Benchmark <sup>3</sup> | CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE % | Class A (Net) <sup>1</sup> | Benchmark <sup>3</sup> |
|----------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------|
| March 2021           | 7.04                       | 7.11                   | 2020                        | -1.74                      | 2.90                   |
| 3 Months             | 10.92                      | 7.96                   | 2019                        | 24.09                      | 27.44                  |
| Year to Date         | 10.92                      | 7.96                   | 2018                        | -24.16                     | -16.98                 |
| 1 Year               | 55.92                      | 50.04                  | 2017                        | 21.73                      | 14.80                  |
| 3 Years (Annualised) | 2.79                       | 7.40                   | 2016                        | 2.62                       | 6.28                   |
| 3 Years (Cumulative) | 8.62                       | 23.87                  |                             |                            |                        |
| 5 Years (Annualised) | 6.42                       | 8.98                   |                             |                            |                        |
| 5 Years (Cumulative) | 36.48                      | 53.72                  |                             |                            |                        |

## PAST PERFORMANCE IS NOT NECESSARILY INDICATIVE OF FUTURE RESULTS.

Source: Morningstar/Barings. An investment entails a risk of loss. Performance is shown in EUR on a NAV per share basis, with gross income reinvested. If the investment return is denominated in currency other than USD/HKD, USD/HKD based investors are exposed to fluctuations in the exchange rate of the relevant currency against USD/HKD. Unless otherwise stated, all portfolio figures within this factsheet are as of the end of the month shown at the top of the front page.

1. Performance based on Class A EUR Acc Share. With effect from 30 April 2018, the representative unit class changed from Class A GBP Acc to Class A EUR Acc.
2. The base currency was converted from GBP to EUR as of 16 May 2015.
3. The benchmark is HDAX® (Total Return) Index. HDAX® is a registered trademark of Deutsche Börse AG. Please note that the use of a benchmark index is for comparative purposes only.

\*Please refer to page 3 for additional detail.

The Trust name was changed as of 30 April 2018 from Baring German Growth Trust to Barings German Growth Trust. The investment objective of the Trust remains unchanged.

## EQUITY PLATFORM<sup>1</sup>

Barings manages USD345+ billion of equities, fixed income, real estate, and alternative assets globally

We focus on building high-conviction, research-driven equity solutions for our clients. We have a long history of being early investors in new and established markets.

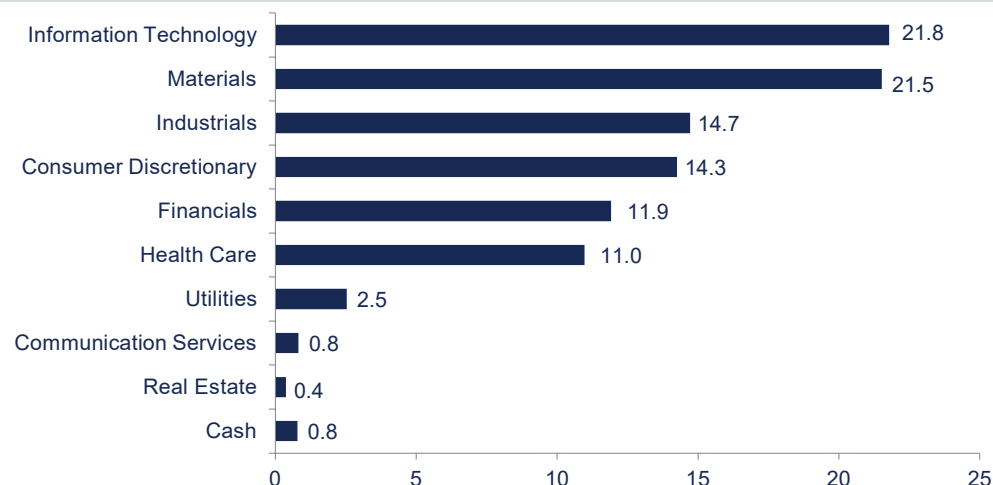
- Global Equities
- Emerging & Frontier Equities
- Small-Cap Equities

Equities investor base includes financial institutions, pensions, foundations and endowments and wholesale distributors

## CHARACTERISTICS<sup>2,3</sup>

| CHARACTERISTICS <sup>2,3</sup> | BARINGS GERMAN GROWTH TRUST |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Number of Holdings             | 85                          |
| Active Share (%)               | 53.05                       |
| Off Benchmark (%)              | 34.77                       |
| Tracking Error (%) (3Y Ann)    | 6.28                        |
| Information Ratio (3Y Ann)     | -0.47                       |
| Standard Deviation (3Y Ann)    | 24.45                       |
| Alpha (3Y Ann)                 | -3.38                       |
| Beta (Ex Ante)                 | 0.98                        |
| Av. Market Cap (EURb)          | 42.96                       |

## TOP SECTOR WEIGHTING (% OF NAV)<sup>3</sup>



## TOP HOLDINGS (% OF NAV)<sup>3</sup>

|                    |      |
|--------------------|------|
| Linde              | 8.80 |
| SAP                | 5.70 |
| Allianz            | 4.80 |
| BASF               | 4.29 |
| Daimler            | 4.27 |
| Deutsche Post      | 4.21 |
| Merck              | 3.30 |
| Hannover Rueck     | 3.19 |
| Munich Reinsurance | 2.87 |
| Lanxess            | 2.78 |

Offering documents can be downloaded here:

Key Facts Statement



Prospectus



Interim Report



Annual Report



1. Source: Barings, assets as of 31 December 2020.

2. Risk statistics based on gross performance.

3. As of 31 March 2021. Sector allocation is based on the classification of the MSCI sector.

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### CLASS A FEE SCHEDULE

| Investment Size                     | Fees                            |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Initial:<br>£1,000/€5,000/USD5,000  | Initial: up to 5.00%            |
| Subsequent:<br>£500/€1,000/USD2,500 | Annual Management<br>Fee: 1.50% |

### CLASS A ACTIVE IDS

| Name         | ISIN         | Bloomberg  | Lipper   |
|--------------|--------------|------------|----------|
| EUR ACC      | GB0008192063 | BARGGEA LN | 60045048 |
| EUR INC      | GB00B2PSLK99 | BARGAEI LN | 68128412 |
| GBP ACC      | GB0000822576 | BRGGGTA LN | 60045059 |
| GBP INC      | GB00B2PSLJ84 | BARGASI LN | 68128413 |
| USD ACC      | GB00BF2H6K58 | BRGGAAU LN | 68238306 |
| USD HGD. ACC | GB00BXVMKV60 | BAGGAUH LN | 68318004 |

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Morningstar Rating is for Class A EUR Acc Share only; other classes may have different performance characteristics.

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2021年3月／基金月度報告

|                                            |
|--------------------------------------------|
| 基金資料                                       |
| 基金規模<br>366.7百萬歐元                          |
| 成立日期<br>1990年5月8日                          |
| 註冊地<br>英國，<br>可轉讓證券集體投資計劃基金                |
| 交易頻率<br>每日                                 |
| 管理公司<br>Baring Fund Managers Limited       |
| 投資經理<br>Baring Asset Management<br>Limited |
| 股份類別<br>歐元／英鎊／美元／<br>美元（對沖）<br>（累積及分派類別）   |
| 派息頻率<br>年度                                 |
| 基本貨幣 <sup>2</sup><br>歐元                    |
| 基準指數 <sup>3</sup><br>HDAX®（總額）指數           |
| 基金經理                                       |
| Robert Smith<br>21年經驗                      |
| Paul Morgan，<br>特許金融分析師<br>25年經驗           |

1. 本信託基金主要投資於在德國註冊成立或進行其主要經濟活動，或在德國的證券交易所上市或買賣的公司的股票及股票相關證券。
2. 本信託基金涉及投資、股票及股票相關證券、貨幣風險及投資於小型及中型公司及可換股債券所附帶的風險。本信託基金可集中投資於德國市場，而導致本信託基金的價值可能較為波動。
3. 本信託基金可投資於衍生工具作有效投資組合管理（包括對沖）用途。與衍生工具相關的風險包括對手方／信貸、流動性、估值、波動性及場外交易等風險。投資於衍生工具可能導致本信託基金承受重大虧損的高度風險。
4. 投資者投資於本信託基金可能蒙受重大損失。

投資目標

本信託基金的投資目標旨在透過投資於德國股票，從而達致資本增長。

投資策略

本信託基金可靈活地投資於所有市值的公司，但一般偏向於霸菱認為能夠提供較高增長潛力的中小型公司。

| 基金表現(%) | A類別<br>（淨計） <sup>1</sup> | 基準指數 <sup>3</sup> | 年度表現(%) | A類別<br>（淨計） <sup>1</sup> | 基準指數 <sup>3</sup> |
|---------|--------------------------|-------------------|---------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| 2021年3月 | 7.04                     | 7.11              | 2020    | -1.74                    | 2.90              |
| 3個月     | 10.92                    | 7.96              | 2019    | 24.09                    | 27.44             |
| 年初至今    | 10.92                    | 7.96              | 2018    | -24.16                   | -16.98            |
| 1年      | 55.92                    | 50.04             | 2017    | 21.73                    | 14.80             |
| 3年（年度化） | 2.79                     | 7.40              | 2016    | 2.62                     | 6.28              |
| 3年（累積）  | 8.62                     | 23.87             |         |                          |                   |
| 5年（年度化） | 6.42                     | 8.98              |         |                          |                   |
| 5年（累積）  | 36.48                    | 53.72             |         |                          |                   |

過往表現不一定反映未來績效。

資料來源：Morningstar／霸菱。投資須承擔損失的風險。表現數據以歐元計值及以每股資產淨值計算，總收益用於再投資。若投資收益以美元／港元以外的貨幣計算，以美元／港元作出投資的投資者需承受有關外幣兌美元／港元兌換率波動的風險。除非另有說明，否則本月度報告中所載投資組合的數據均截至本頁上方所示的月底。

1. 表現以A類別歐元累積計算。自2018年4月30日起，代表單位類別由A類別英鎊累積更改為A類別歐元累積。
2. 自2015年5月16日起，基本貨幣由英鎊更改至歐元。
3. 基準指數為HDAX®（總額）指數。HDAX®是Deutsche Börse AG的註冊商標。請注意基準指數僅作為比較之用。

\*有關詳情，請參閱第三頁。

股票投資平台<sup>1</sup>

霸菱於全球管理總值超過  
3,450億美元的股票、固定收  
益、房地產及另類資產

我們專注於為客戶構建具有高  
信念度及以研究推動的股票投  
資方案。我們於新興市場和成  
熟市場有長久的投資經驗

- 環球股票
- 新興及前趨市場股票
- 小型股票

股票投資者包括金融機構、退  
休金、基金會及捐贈基金和零  
售分銷商

銷售文件可於此下載：

產品資料概覽



基金章程



中期報告



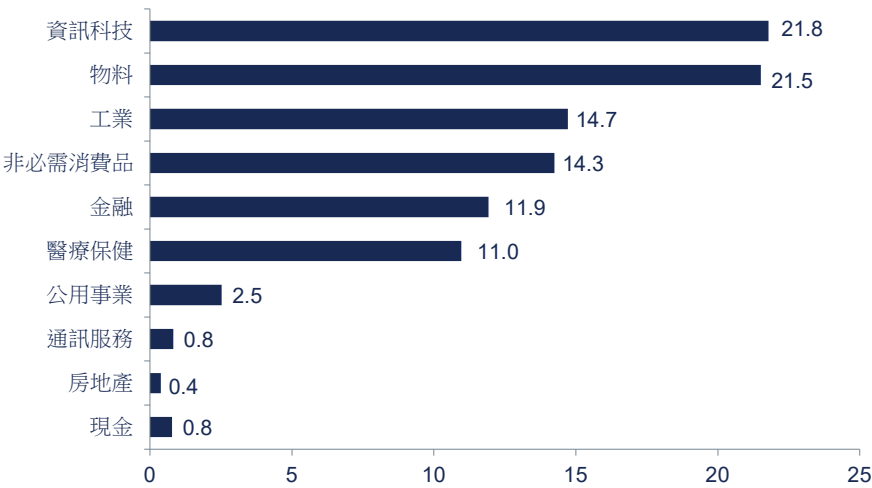
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基金特徵<sup>2,3</sup>

| 基金特徵 <sup>2,3</sup> | 霸菱德國增長基金 |
|---------------------|----------|
| 持有投資數目              | 85       |
| 主動投資比率(%)           | 53.05    |
| 偏離指標(%)             | 34.77    |
| 歷史跟蹤誤差(%) (3年年度化)   | 6.28     |
| 訊息比率 (3年年度化)        | -0.47    |
| 標準差 (3年年度化)         | 24.45    |
| 阿爾法系數 (3年年度化)       | -3.38    |
| 貝他系數 (事前預測)         | 0.98     |
| 平均市值 (十億歐元)         | 42.96    |

主要行業比重 (佔資產淨值%)<sup>3</sup>



主要投資 (佔資產淨值%)<sup>3</sup>

|                    |      |
|--------------------|------|
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1. 資料來源：霸菱，資產規模截至2020年12月31日。  
2. 風險統計以總額表現計算。  
3. 截至2021年3月31日。行業分佈乃根據MSCI行業分類。

如欲了解更多，請聯絡霸菱團隊

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| A類別費用詳情                               |                                       | A類別活躍股份編號 |              |            |          |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|----------|
| 認購金額                                  | 費用                                    | 類別        | ISIN         | 彭博         | 理柏       |
| 首次投資額：<br>1,000英鎊／5,000歐元／<br>5,000美元 | 認購費（初次手續費）：<br>最高5.00%<br>年度管理費：1.50% | 歐元累積      | GB0008192063 | BARGGEA LN | 60045048 |
| 其後投資額：<br>500英鎊／1,000歐元／<br>2,500美元   |                                       | 歐元收益      | GB00B2PSLK99 | BARGAEI LN | 68128412 |
|                                       |                                       | 英鎊累積      | GB0000822576 | BRGGGTA LN | 60045059 |
|                                       |                                       | 英鎊收益      | GB00B2PSLJ84 | BARGASI LN | 68128413 |
|                                       |                                       | 美元累積      | GB00BF2H6K58 | BRGGAAU LN | 68238306 |
|                                       |                                       | 美元對沖 累積   | GB00BXXMKV60 | BAGGAUH LN | 68318004 |

詳情請參閱基金章程。請聯絡閣下的分銷商以查詢所有其他可供當地投資者認購的股份類別。

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