

# SPW Global High Quality Fund - Retail

October 2021

## Objective

The fund aims in AUD to outperform the MSCI Daily World Total Return Net World Index, after management costs and usual expenses, over rolling 3 to 5 year periods.

## Strategy

The fund is an actively managed portfolio of global equities with a high quality bias and which are listed on recognised exchanges. The fund is exposed principally to high quality international listed companies. It seeks to invest in companies with predictable revenue growth that produce sustainable economic value over the long-term. The fund can have material exposure to cash where the portfolio manager considers this appropriate. Regional positioning is driven by bottom-up stock selection. The investment exposure is not subject to any geographical restrictions except that exposure to 'emerging' market listed companies is limited to no more than 30% of the assets. Sector positioning is also driven by bottom-up stock selection, and the investment exposure is not subject to any sector restrictions.

## Investment approach

### 1 Generation of stock ideas

- Screening process based upon a range of metrics
- Meetings with company management and investor relations
- Utilise external and sell-side research sources

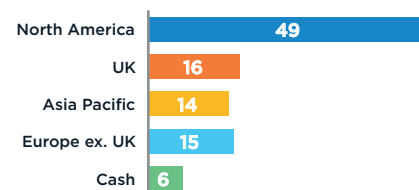
### 2 Fundamental analysis

- Rigorous and detailed bottom-up company analysis
- Focus on the capital structure of the business
- Look for strong and sustainable competitive advantages
- A strong and growing free cash flow trend over time

### 3 Portfolio construction

- Active management, constantly revisiting the thesis
- Understanding of risk-reward trade-off
- Buy and sell discipline based on fundamental valuation
- Risk is viewed as a permanent loss of capital

## Country allocation (% nav)



Geographical allocation as at 31.10.2021

## Sector allocation

(excl cash)	Weight %	Index %
Communication Services	20.0	8.8
Consumer Discretionary	9.9	12.4
Consumer Staples	13.9	6.7
Energy	0.0	3.3
Financials	3.3	13.8
Health Care	26.9	12.5
Industrials	2.7	10.2
Information Technology	19.1	22.9
Materials	0.0	4.1
Real Estate	0.0	2.7
Utilities	0.0	2.7

Sources: SPW/Bloomberg/MSCI

## Top 10 holdings

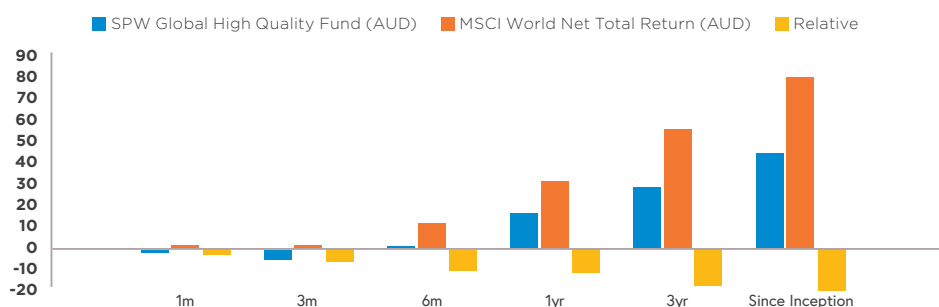
		Weight %
Anthem	Healthcare	5.4
Alphabet	Communications	4.9
NetEase	Communications	4.3
Facebook	Communications	4.0
Becton Dickinson	Healthcare	3.9
British American Tobacco	Consumer Staples	3.9
Alibaba	Consumer Discretionary	3.7
Tencent	Communications	3.7
Microsoft	Information Technology	3.6
Fiserv	Information Technology	3.6

## Monthly commentary

The SPW Global High Quality Fund underperformed the MSCI World Index during the month by 2.5%, with the fund down 1.0%. The best performing stock during the quarter was Microsoft (+13.1%). Microsoft has been a core holding of the fund since inception and the company continues to execute beyond expectations. Global IT spending continues to be a long-term driver for the company. Businesses going digital helps expand their cloud-computing platform, called Azure, by around 40% each quarter. This was borne out in their latest results which saw strength across the board. Legacy areas such as PCs, Windows and Office continue to grow double digits, despite supply constraints, and newer more strategic areas like Azure and LinkedIn are experiencing growth in the 30-50% range. Other strong performers this month were Anthem (+12.39%) and NetEase (+9.9). In terms of laggards, Sabre (-15.7%) and Fiserv (-12.7%) had difficult months. Sabre, and the travel industry in the US and Asia more generally, struggled as we saw a re-emergence of covid-19 and the delta variant.

## Performance

### SPW Global High Quality Fund performance vs MSCI World (since inception)



	1m	3m	6m	1yr	3yr	Since Inception
SPW Global High Quality Fund	-1.0%	-4.4%	0.7%	16.4%	28.5%	44.5%
MSCI World Net Total Return	1.5%	1.5%	11.7%	31.2%	55.5%	80.1%
Relative	-2.4%	-5.8%	-9.8%	-11.3%	-17.4%	-19.7%

Returns to 31.10.2021

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

## Key fund information

<b>Launch date:</b>	3 May 2017
<b>Investment manager:</b>	Sanlam Private Wealth (Pty) Ltd. ABN 18 136 960 775
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<b>Fund domicile:</b>	Australia
<b>Fund administrator</b>	Mainstream Fund Services
<b>Custodian:</b>	JP Morgan
<b>Other available share classes:</b>	Retail
<b>Initial charge:</b>	None
<b>Currency:</b>	Australian Dollar (AUD)
<b>Dealing times:</b>	9am - 5pm daily AEST
<b>Benchmark:</b>	MSCI Daily World Total Return Net World Index AUD
<b>Management costs:</b>	1.20% p.a. of the NAV of the class
<b>Buy/sell spread:</b>	0.20% / 0.20%
<b>Distributions:</b>	At least annually (end of June), and unless you choose otherwise, distributions are automatically reinvested
<b>Minimum investment:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Exit penalties:</b>	None
<b>Share price at 31.10.2021:</b>	APIR NAV per unit ETL8834AU AU\$ 1.1230

## Fund characteristics 31.10.2021

(excl cash)	Portfolio	Index
Fund Size (AUD millions)	22	
Number of Holdings	33	1561
Average Market Cap (A\$ billions)	381	52
Return On Equity	27%	10%
Price/Earnings**	18	19
Free Cash Flow Yield	4.8%	5.7%
Dividend Yield **	1.7%	1.7%

\*\* 12 months forward Sources: SPW/Bloomberg/MSCI  
^YUM, PM not included due to low or negative equity caused by changes to the balance sheet

## Important information

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Pieter Fourie, CFA CA (SA)  
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As Head of Global Equities, Pieter is the lead fund manager for the Sanlam Global High Quality Equity Fund having joined the firm in mid 2012. His responsibilities include the design, management and implementation of our global equity client offering including segregated mandates for high net worth individuals. Pieter oversees a team of five analysts focusing on global and UK equities across multiple industries. Current assets under management managed by the investment team in direct global and UK equity mandates is more than US\$2.1bn.

William Ball  
Senior Equity Analyst



William is a senior equity analyst, who is the deputy fund manager of the Sanlam Global High Quality Fund. Additionally, in conjunction with the Head of Global Equities, William is responsible for global equity research and managing the high net worth global equity mandates and the global equity offering. He has over 13 years of investment experience and a track record of investing in equities. Prior to joining Sanlam in 2009, William worked at Brown Shipley before moving to Merrill Lynch.

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