

# Islamic Global Responsible Equity Fund - USD I Class Accumulation Units

31 December 2024

## Investment manager

Principal Islamic Asset Management Sdn Bhd (Principal Islamic) is the Investment Manager of the Fund. Principal Islamic constitutes a partnership between Principal Financial Group and CIMB Group Holdings Berhad.

## Sub investment manager

Principal Asset Management (S) Ltd (PAM Singapore), is the Sub-Investment Manager.

## Fund managers

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27 Yrs Industry Exp

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23 Yrs Industry Exp

## Advisory<sup>1</sup>

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29 Yrs Industry Exp

## Investment objective

The fund seeks to provide investors with capital growth over the medium to long term through investments in globally diversified portfolio of Shariah-compliant equities. All investments made by the fund will be compliant with Shariah Investment Guidelines.

## Index

MSCI ACWI Islamic Index

## Fund facts

Fund size	\$34.91m
Base currency	USD
Fund domicile	IRELAND
UCITS qualifying	Yes
Dealing	10:00 AM GMT Daily
SFDR Categorisation	Article 8

## Unit class facts

Launch date*	13 May 2024
Currency	USD
Minimum investment	US\$ 1,000,000
Management fee(s)	0.80% pa
Income distribution	Accumulating

## Performance (%)

	1M	3M	YTD	1YR	3YR	5YR	SI
Fund Cumulative Net	-3.73	-6.12	3.02	3.02	-	-	5.90
Index Cumulative	-3.32	-4.78	4.61	4.61	-	-	13.93
Fund Annualised Net	-3.73	-6.12	3.02	3.02	-	-	2.12
Index Annualised	-3.32	-4.78	4.61	4.61	-	-	4.88

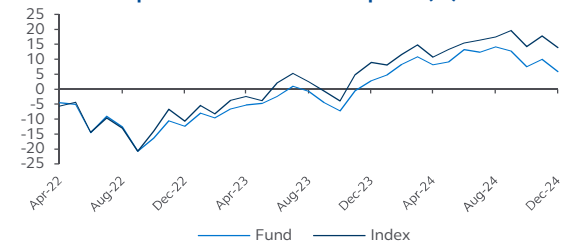
## 12-month rolling return (%)

Jan 20 - Dec 20	Jan 21 - Dec 21	Jan 22 - Dec 22	Jan 23 - Dec 23	Jan 24 - Dec 24
-	-	-	17.22	3.02

## Risk analysis

	1YR
Information Ratio	-0.3
Alpha	-1.7
Tracking Error	5.1
Standard Deviation	9.2
Beta	0.8

## Cumulative performance since inception (%)



Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

Source: Fund Administrator: BNY Mellon Fund Services (Ireland) DAC since February 2011, performance data prior to this date is sourced from PGI and/or its affiliates; and the Index.

Data: From December 2018, the performance data shown is based upon the Fund's Net Asset Value (NAV) prices of the last Irish business day of the month. For Funds not open for dealing on this day this will be an indicative NAV. The performance data shown is net of fees and other charges but excludes any potential entry/exit charges- as such the return an investor receives may be lower. Prior to December 2018, the performance data shown is based upon the Fund's month-end market close prices. (See performance note for further details.)

\*The Fund was previously named Principal Islamic Asset Management – Islamic Global Responsible Equity Fund and merged into Principal Global Investors Funds – Islamic Global Responsible Equity Fund on 10/05/2024. Performance reflected up to 10/05/2024 was achieved under the merged fund.

## Fund analysis

	Fund
Price/Earnings	26.5
Price/Book	3.5
Div Yield Wtd Avg	1.6

Any yields quoted on the fact sheet are calculated at portfolio level gross of tax and expenses.

## Top 10 holdings (%)

	Fund
Microsoft Corp	9.3
Tesla Inc	4.4
ServiceNow Inc	2.7
Linde PLC	2.4
Trane Technologies PLC	2.4
Alphabet Inc-CL A	2.4
Abbott Laboratories	2.4
Nvidia Corp	2.3
Intuit Inc	2.2
Schneider Electric Se	2.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32.6</b>

No. of holdings 65

## Geographic allocation (%)

	Fund
United States	54.9
France	6.4
United Kingdom	5.7
Japan	5.5
Canada	2.9
Taiwan	2.8
Netherlands	2.6
Germany	2.1
Australia	1.6
India	1.5
South Korea	1.4
Denmark	1.2
Switzerland	1.1
Other	4.7
Cash	5.5

## Sector allocation (%)

	Fund
Information Technology	32.8
Health Care	13.7
Industrials	13.0
Consumer Discretionary	9.2
Energy	8.3
Materials	6.1
Communication Services	5.3
Consumer Staples	3.5
Financials	2.7
Other	0.0
Cash	5.5

Source: Principal Global Investors and/or its affiliates and the Index.

Data: This data/analysis is not sourced from the Fund's official record. It is based upon data from the internal systems of Principal Global Investors and/or its affiliates. Performance shown in this section is gross which does not take into account any fees or other charges which, if taken into account, would reduce the figures shown.

## Fund codes

Bloomberg	PGIGRUI ID
ISIN	IE000H3P7UX9
Lipper	68801251
SEDOL	BP9N4L3
Valoren	134820136

## Registration

Ireland, Singapore, Switzerland and UK

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## Fund overview

The objective of the Fund is to provide capital growth over the medium to long term. The Fund seeks to achieve its objective by investing in a globally diversified portfolio of Shariah-compliant equities that demonstrate positive fundamental change (synonymous with 'businesses becoming better') where they are seen to be actively improving and becoming stronger businesses, and at attractive relative valuations. This Fund is classified as an ESG Orientated Fund under the European Union's Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulations (SFDR). The Fund promotes, among other characteristics, environmental or social characteristics, or a combination of those characteristics and the companies in which the investments are made follow good governance practices pursuant to Article 8 of SFDR. The environmental characteristics considered by the Fund include but are not limited to carbon footprint. The social characteristics considered by the Fund include but are not limited to health and wellbeing.

## Organisation

Principal Islamic acts as a global partner to institutional global investors, providing a range of innovative Shariah-compliant solutions to help diversify investment portfolios and achieve financial goals. We offer customised mandate for institutional investors and Undertaking for Collective Investment Trust (UCITS) via the Principal Global Investors Funds platform. Principal Islamic is a joint venture between Principal Financial Group and CIMB Group, and headquartered in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. This allows Principal Islamic to leverage on Malaysia's comprehensive Islamic financial infrastructure and its adopted global regulatory, legal and Shariah best practices, whilst Principal Global Investors (the asset management arm of Principal Financial Group) lends its expertise in global asset management.

## Risk warnings

- The price of equity securities fluctuates based on changes in a company's financial condition, overall market and economic conditions and market sentiment, resulting in an increased potential for volatility.
- The Fund may utilise a number of derivative instruments in managing the Investment Objective of the Fund. The primary risks associated with the use of such instruments are credit risk, counterparty risk and collateral risk.
- There are specific risks associated with investments in emerging markets, resulting from potentially less developed market practices. These include legal, political and fiscal instability, settlement, liquidity, currency, accounting standards and custodial risk.
- The market value of Sukuk is affected by changes in prevailing interest rates. The Fund may also be exposed to credit and default risk by investing in such securities. Additionally, due to its size, the Sukuk market may present liquidity risk. There is a higher default risk associated with investment in below investment grade Sukuk.
- The value of an investment may fluctuate due to changes in exchange rates between currencies and may or may not be hedged back to the Fund's base currency.

## Performance note

The Fund is actively managed and aims to outperform the MSCI ACWI Islamic Index (the "Index"). The portfolio manager may reference the Index as part of the investment management process and the majority of the Fund's investments will be in securities that are components of the Index. However, the portfolio manager maintains full discretion to select investments for the Fund in line with the above investment policy and with prior approval from the Shariah Adviser.

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<sup>1</sup>Advisory refers to acting as sub-investment manager to the Investment Manager in relation to the Portfolio. Christopher Leow Eu Jin is the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Investment Officer of Principal Asset Management (S) Pte Ltd, and provides investment management services to the Investment Manager, which the Fund Managers may consider in making their investment decisions.

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