Flagship International Flexible Fund IC Limited

Minimum Disclosure Document - 31 August 2022



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NAV price per share (class 'A') | USc 98.3

FUND MANAGERS

Flagship Global Team

Fund size \$22.8m **Fund type** Mixed asset fund Launch date 02 April 2008

Flagship Asset Management (Pty) Ltd Cell Manager IP Fund Managers Guernsey Limited **Investment Manager** JTC Fund Solutions (Guernsey) Limited Administrator Custodian Butterfield Bank (Guernsey) Limited

Dealing Daily

Valuation point 12.00pm (Guernsey time) on the relevant Dealing Day Dividend policy All income will be accumulated and invested

Minimum initial investment \$10 000

Benchmark 50% MSCI World Equity Index

30% JP Morgan Global Bond Index 20% US\$ Overnight Call Rate

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Subscriptions cut-off time

The application form to subscribe must be completed and received, with cleared funds, by the Administrator by no later than 12.00 noon (Guernsey time) on the relevant

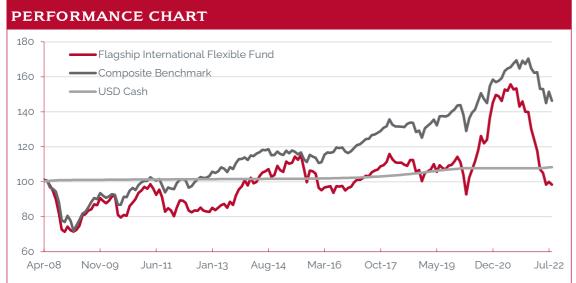
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Written notice to redeem must be received by the Redemptions cut-off time Administrator by no later than 12.00 noon (Guernsey time)

one Business Day before the relevant Dealing Day.

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund is a multi-asset, globally diversified portfolio investing in equities, bonds, property, and money market instruments without restriction. It does not impose target bands across any of these classes and may deviate materially from its benchmark (50% equities, 30% bonds, and 20% money market). We seek to achieve our investment objective of long-term capital growth with an acceptable level of risk through an actively-managed portfolio of assets, spread over a broad range of asset classes, currencies, and geographies in varying proportions over time. The Fund should be viewed as a medium to long term investment.



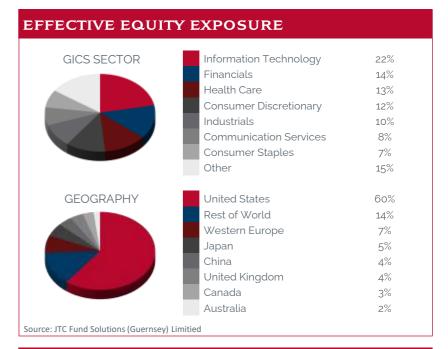
Annualised Performance (for periods > 1 year)					Fund	d	Bei	nchmark	0	utperfor	mance
Since inception					-0.1%	%		2.7%		-2.8%	6
10 Years				3.3%	,		7.6%		-4.3%	6	
7 Years				-1.8%	%	5.3%			-7.1%		
5 Years				-1.6%	%		2.9%		-4.4%	6	
3 Years				-2.89	%		2.2%		-5.0%	6	
2 Years				-11.7	-11.7% -1.4%			-10.3%			
1 Year				-35.9%			-13.6%		-22.3%		
Year-to-date					-29.7	%	-14.2%			-15.5%	
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	202
Fund	-14.3%	3.1%	21.9%	5.7%	-1.9%	-7.2%	14.7%	-9.9%	13.9%	27.1%	-3.7
Benchmark	-2.4%	7.9%	10.2%	1.7%	-1.9%	3.4%	12.1%	-4.9%	14.6%	10.3%	7.69
USD Cash	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.4%	1.0%	1.9%	2.1%	0.3%	0.09

Flagship International Flexible Fund IC Limited Class A
USD ★★★★

of the underlying funds are not guaranteed and may change in the future.). Past performance is not a guide to future returns.

Morningstar Rating™(Relative to Category)						
	Morningstar Return	Morningstar Risk	Morningstar Rating™			
3-Year	High	Above Average	****			
5-Year	Above Average	Above Average	***			

FUND EXPOSURES 41.2% **Dicks Sporting Goods** 1.4% Capri Holdings 1.3% Amazon 1.3% Applied Materials 1.1% PagSeguro Digital Ltd 1.1% Informa PLC 1.0% Square - Enix Holdings 1.0% Suncor Energy Inc 0.9% Schlumberger 0.9% Sedibelo Platinum 0.9% Other equity holdings 30.2% Property 5.0% Nu-Shares Nuveen Short-Term REIT 5.0% 4.7% Satrix Govi 4.7% **Cash and Strategic Income** 44.3% US Dollar 44.3% Euro 0.0% Other offshore cash 0.0% Commodities 4.8% 4.8% **TOTAL** 100.0% Source: JTC Fund Solutions (Guernsey) Limitied



FEES - CLASS A **Total Expense Ratio** 1.90% **Custody Fee** 0.05% Cell Manager Fee 1.50% Management and Administration fee 0.30% Other fund expenses 0.05%

FUND MANAGER COMMENTARY ~ AUGUST 2022

The Flagship International Flexible Fund returned -1.7% vs -3.4% for its composite benchmark (both in USD), in a month where equity markets again reversed course and turned red. Persistent inflation, strong labour data, and the subsequent outlook of interest rates staying higher-forlonger have dampened the outlook for global growth, dragging most equity markets down in the process.

The biggest contributors for the month were PagSeguro and Dick's Sporting Goods, while the main detractors were Zalando, Informa and Applied Materials.

INVESTMENT COMMENTARY

After enjoying some reprieve in July, August was another tough month for global equities. The S&P 500 was down 4% for the month, and is now down almost 16% year-to-date. The tech-heavy Nasdaq declined 4.5%, while the MSCI All Country World Index fared slightly better, down 3.7%.

US inflation showed its first signs of peaking, as prices increased by 8.5% in July, slightly below the expectation of 8.7% and well below the 9.1% from June. Jobs data in the US remains resilient, as the economy added 528 000 jobs during the month, more than double the expected 250 000. Unemployment also reached its lowest level since the 1960's, and all those jobs lost during the pandemic have now been recovered.

The fact that employment data remains this strong suggests it is unlikely that a recession will be declared, even though GDP numbers have contracted for 2 quarters in a row, one of the main technical indicators of a recession. This gives the Federal Reserve the freedom to continue with aggressive rate hikes

in their effort to get inflation back to acceptable levels.

The BoE raised rates for the 6th time since December with the largest increase in 27 years, as inflation came in at 10.1% in July. However, in contrast with central banks globally, China reduced policy rates after some macro indicators were worse than expected, notably, the highest unemployment rate on record for 16- to 24-year-olds. China's economic recovery continues to be hampered by regular and highly restrictive Covid lockdowns.

The Russian offensive in Ukraine seems to have ground to a halt in the face of stiff resistance from the Ukrainians who appear to be making slight advances in the South, taking back occupied territory from the Russian army and launching attacks of their own on Crimean airbases. It's possible the death of Mikhail Gorbachev, the last president of the Soviet Union and the man widely credited for helping end the Cold War, is an ominous sign for Vladimir Putin and his ambitions of again unifying the former power.

Fees Applicable

Investment management fee:

0.30%

Custody fees

0.05%

TER

Cell manager fees:

Class B Shares: 0.00% Class C Shares: 0.65%

Performance Fees

Class A: No performance fee is applicable Class B: No performance fee is applicable Class C: No performance fee is applicable

The Flagship International Flexible Fund Class A USD has a Total Expense Ratio (TER) of 1.90%. Financial year-end TER 2.00%. The Total Expense Ratios (TERs) are the percentages of the net asset value of the class of the Financial Product incurred as expenses relating to the administration of the Financial Product. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. A current TER may not necessarily be an accurate indication of future TERs. The TER to 30 September 2021 is based on data for the period from 1 October 2019 to 30 September 2021 and the financial year-end TER is based on data for the financial year-end to 30 June 2021. Cost ratios are calculated using historical actual and/or estimated data and are provided solely as an indication/guide as to the annual expenses/costs that could be incurred. These ratios do not represent any current/actual charges or fees.

Risk Considerations and Important Information

- Collective investments are generally medium to long term investments. The value of units may go down as well as up, and past performance is not necessarily a guide to the future. Investment in the Fund entails risks which are detailed in The Supplement.
- Fund share prices per class are calculated on a net asset value basis, which is the total value of all assets in the portfolio attributable to a share class including any income accruals and less any permissible deductions (such as brokerage, taxation, auditor's fees, bank charges, director and custodian fees and the annual management fee) from the portfolio, divided by the number of Fund shares of the class in issue.
- Portfolio performance is calculated on a NAV to NAV basis. Dividends will be paid in accordance with the Scheme and Cell Particulars.
- Collective investments are traded at ruling prices. Commission and incentives may be paid. All performance is calculated Total Return, Net of all fees and commissions and in US dollar terms. Forward pricing is used. Up to date Fund prices per share are available on www.bloomberg.com or upon request from the Manager or Administrator.
- Annualised returns are period returns re-scaled to a period of 1 year. This allows investors to compare returns of different assets that they have owned for different lengths of time. Actual annual figures are available to investors upon request. Investment performance calculations are available for verification upon request. The performance is calculated for the Fund. The individual investor performance may differ, as a result of various factors, including the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment and dividend withholding tax.
- The Fund may invest in other collective investments, which levy their own charges. This could result in a higher fee structure for the Fund.
- $\bullet \ \ \text{A schedule of fees and charges and maximum commissions is available on request from the \ Manager. } \\$
- Fluctuations in the value of the underlying assets and the income from them and changes in interest rates mean that the value of the Fund and any income arising from it may fall, as well as rise, and is not guaranteed.
- Deductions of charges and expenses mean that you may not get back the amount you invested.
- The fees charged within the Fund and by the managers of the underlying funds are not guaranteed and may change in the future.
- Notwithstanding ongoing monitoring of the underlying assets within the Fund, there can be no assurance that the performance of the Fund will achieve its stated objectives.
- The Fund may contain shares or units in underlying funds that do not permit dealing every day. Investments in such funds will only be realizable on their dealing days. It is not possible to assess the proper market price of these investments other than on the fund's dealing days.
- No borrowing will be undertaken by the Fund save for the purpose of short term liquidity requirements. Borrowings will not exceed 10% of the NAV of the Fund. For such purpose the securities of the Fund may be pledged. No scrip borrowing will be allowed.
- The Manager has the right to close the Fund to new investors, in order to manage it more efficiently, in accordance with its mandate.
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- The Fund will contain shares or units in underlying funds that invest internationally. The value of your investment and the income arising from it will therefore be subject to exchange rate fluctuations.
- Foreign securities may have additional material risks, depending on the specific risks affecting that country, such as: potential constraints on liquidity and the repatriation of funds; macroeconomic risks; political risks; foreign exchange risks; tax risks; settlement risks; and potential limitations on the availability of market information.

