



# Stewart Investors Global Emerging Markets Ex-China Leaders Fund Class E USD

## a subfund of First Sentier Investors Global Umbrella Fund plc (the Company) – Fund Factsheet

31 December 2024

### Investment objective and policy

The Fund aims to grow your investment over the long term.

The Fund invests in shares of mid and large-sized companies in emerging markets or where the majority of their activities take place in emerging markets excluding China and that are listed on exchanges worldwide. These companies generally have a total stock market value of at least US\$1 billion. The Fund invests in shares of high-quality companies which are positioned to contribute to, and benefit from, sustainable development. Investment decisions around high quality companies are based on three key points: (i) Quality of management (ii) Quality of the company franchise including its social usefulness, their environmental impacts and efficiency and responsible business practices, and (iii) Quality of the company's finances and their financial performance. Sustainability is a key part of the approach.

Pursuant to the EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (EU 2019/2088), this Fund also has sustainable investment as its objective under Article 9.

### Fund information

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|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Fund launch date        | 11 July 2024                         |
| Share class launch date | 11 July 2024                         |
| Fund size (US\$m)       | 1.9                                  |
| Benchmark               | MSCI Emerging Markets ex China Index |
| Number of holdings      | 28                                   |
| Fund manager(s)         | Jack Nelson/Sujaya Desai             |
| Minimum investment      | US\$100,000/US\$0 subsequent         |
| Initial charge          | 0%                                   |
| Ongoing charges †       | 0.75%                                |
| Share type              | Accumulation                         |
| Sedol                   | BN6KGP1                              |
| ISIN                    | IE000RXZITL1                         |
| Research rating ‡       | Morningstar®:Bronze                  |

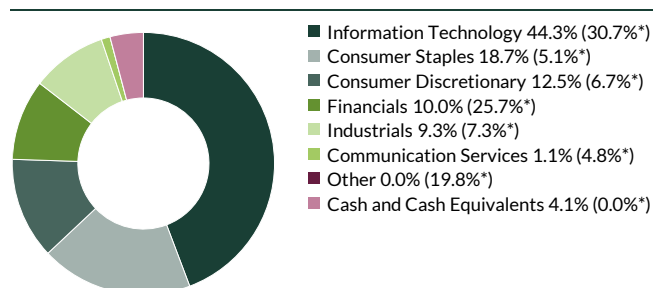
### Cumulative performance (% in USD) to 31 December 2024

Under Financial Conduct Authority regulations, we are not allowed to show performance data for funds launched less than a year ago. If you are a financial advisor or an existing client in this fund please call our client service team for performance details.

### Ten largest holdings

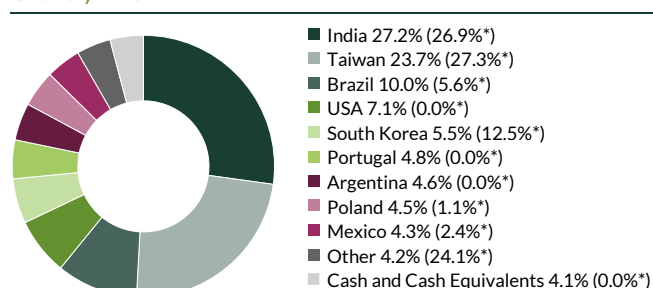
| Stock name                  | %   | Stock name                    | %   |
|-----------------------------|-----|-------------------------------|-----|
| Taiwan Semiconductor (TSMC) | 9.5 | Jeronimo Martins, SGPS S.A.   | 4.8 |
| Mahindra & Mahindra         | 8.3 | Globant SA                    | 4.6 |
| HDFC Bank                   | 6.8 | Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. | 4.4 |
| Tata Consultancy Serv. Ltd  | 5.4 | Weg S.A.                      | 4.0 |
| EPAM Systems, Inc.          | 5.3 | Delta Electronics, Inc.       | 3.8 |

### Sector breakdown



\*Index weight

### Country breakdown



\*Index weight

Sector and country classifications provided by FactSet and Stewart Investors.

Cash equivalents may include T-Bills.

### For further information

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The value of investments and any income from them may go down as well as up and is not guaranteed. Investors may get back significantly less than the original amount invested.

### The Fund may experience the following risks:

**Currency risk:** The Fund invests in assets which are denominated in other currencies; changes in exchange rates will affect the value of the Fund and could create losses. Currency control decisions made by governments could affect the value of the Fund's investments and could cause the Fund to defer or suspend redemptions of its shares.

**Emerging market risk:** Emerging markets tend to be more sensitive to economic and political conditions than developed markets. Other factors include greater liquidity risk, restrictions on investment or transfer of assets, failed/delayed settlement and difficulties valuing securities.

For further information on risks, please refer to the Risk Factors section in the Company prospectus.

Investment should be made on the basis of the Prospectus and Key Information Document. If you are in any doubt as to the suitability of any of our funds for your investment needs, please seek independent financial advice.



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