# NEDGROUP INVESTMENTS GLOBAL EMERGING MARKETS EQUITY FUND CLASS D

March 2024



#### Marketing Communication



Equity and property investments are volatile by nature and

Typically higher rewards

subject to potential capital loss. For full details of risks, please refer to the risk section in the Prospectus and KIID.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### INVESTMENT MANAGER:

Nedgroup Investments (IOM) Limited

#### SUB-INVESTMENT MANAGER:

Appointed 11 March 2019. NS Partners Ltd is authorised and regulated by the UK Financial Conduct Authority.

#### PORTFOLIO MANAGER:

Ian Beattie

## DOMICILE OF FUND:

Ireland

# INCEPTION DATE OF SUB FUND:

29/04/2019

# INCEPTION DATE OF CLASS D:

09/05/2019

#### MORNINGSTAR CATEGORY:

EEA Fund Global Emerging Markets Equity

# PERFORMANCE INDICATOR:

100% MSCI Emerging Markets

#### MARKET VALUE OF FUND:

USD 217 million

# SHARE PRICE: USD CLASS D

USD 1.1143 As at 28 March 2024

## MINIMUM INVESTMENT CLASS D:

USD4,000

# ANNUAL INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEE:

0.75%

## ON-GOING CHARGES 2

0.94%

As at 28 March 2024

Fees and charges (excl VAT) – please see Prospectus and Supplement for full details

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## **DEALING:**

Daily, cut-off 4pm T-1 Dublin

## SETTLEMENT:

Subscriptions: T+3

Redemptions: T+3

## APPROPRIATE RECOMMENDED TERM:

Minimum 5 years

# CONTACT CLIENT SERVICES CENTRE

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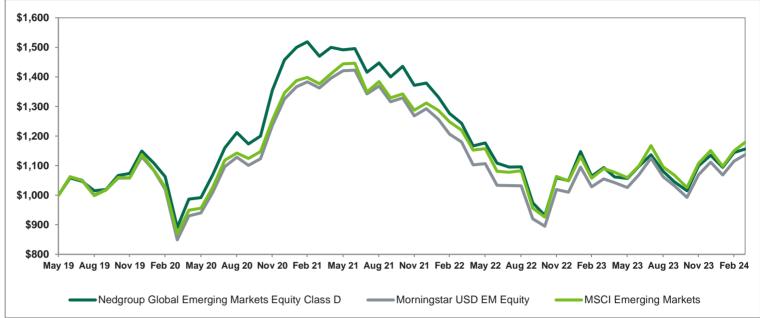
Email helpdesk@nedgroupinvestments.com

#### **FUND OBJECTIVE**

The Sub-Fund's objective is to provide investors with long term capital growth through investment primarily in equity and equity related securities issued by companies domiciled in or whose principal business activities are conducted in emerging markets countries with no particular industry or geographical focus. The Sub-Fund may also invest from time to time on an opportunistic basis in countries which are considered as frontier or developed markets to a maximum of 15% in aggregate. The Sub-Fund is actively managed and is not managed in reference to any benchmark.

#### PERFORMANCE

Past Performance is not indicative of future performance and does not predict future return



Source: Nedgroup Investments

Peer Group: Morningstar Emerging Markets Equity

# DISCRETE YEAR PERFORMANCE % CHANGE NET OF FEES

Year	Fund USD	Performance Indicator	Morningstar Category
2023	8.2%	9.8%	10.1%
2022	-13.8%	-12.1%	-12.9%
2021	-11.2%	-7.2%	-8.1%
2020	35.3%	27.9%	26.2%
2019*	10.8%	8.5%	5.8%

Source: Nedgroup Investments

Peer Group: Morningstar Emerging Markets Equity

\* Performance net of fees since inception of D class

## CUMULATIVE AND ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE % CHANGE NET OF FEES 1

Period	Fund USD	Performance Indicator	Morningstar Category
1 Month	1.0%	2.5%	2.0%
3 Months	1.8%	2.4%	2.3%
1 Year	5.7%	8.2%	7.8%
3 Years Ann	-7.7%	-5.1%	-5.8%
Year-to-Date	1.8%	2.4%	2.3%
Since Inception*	3.0%	3.5%	2.7%

Source: Nedgroup Investments

# PORTFOLIO STATISTICS

Portfolio Statistics	Fund USD	Morningstar Category
Lowest 1 year return	-35.1%	-32.6%
Highest 1 year return	64.9%	60.5%
Standard deviation	19.4%	18.9%
Sharpe ratio	0.05	0.03

Source: Nedgroup Investments

Peer Group: Morningstar Emerging Markets Equity

1) Performance net of fees. Performance is calculated for the portfolio and individual investment performance may differ as a result of initial fees, the actual investment, the actual investment date, the date of any reinvestment and dividend withholding tax. Data source Nedgroup Investments (IOM) Limited.

2) The on-going cost shown is estimated. The on-going fee is a measure of the actual expenses incurred in the management of the Classes of the Sub-Fund. The on-going fee shown is expressed as a percentage of the monthly average value of the portfolio calculated over a 12-month period as at the date shown. The current on-going fee cannot be used as an indication of future on-going fees. A higher on-going fee does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low on-going fee imply a good return.

Funds are generally medium to long-term investments. The value of your investment may go down as well as up. International investments may be subject to currency fluctuations due to exchange rate movements. Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. Nedgroup Investments does not guarantee the performance of your investment and even if forecasts about the expected future performance are included you will carry the investment and market risk, which includes the possibility of losing capital.

<sup>\*</sup> Performance net of fees since inception of D class

#### NEDGROUP INVESTMENTS GLOBAL EMERGING MARKETS EQUITY FUND CLASS D

#### March 2024



#### **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

HOLDING	
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing	9.3%
Samsung	8.2%
Tencent	3.9%
Varun Beverages	3.1%
HDFC	2.9%
SK Hynix	2.8%
Max Healthcare Institute	2.5%
Bharti Airtel	2.3%
Trip.com Group	1.9%
PetroChina	1.9%

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Source: Nedgroup Investments

# COUNTRY ALLOCATION

COUNTRY	
India	18.6%
Taiwan	17.9%
China	16.9%
Korea, Republic of	16.5%
Thailand	2.9%
Brazil	2.8%
Mexico	1.7%
South Africa	1.0%
Other	18.1%
Cash	3.6%

Total	100.0%

Source: Nedgroup Investments

#### **EQUITY SECTOR ALLOCATION**

SECTOR	
Information Technology	33.6%
Financials	17.9%
Consumer Discretionary	14.1%
Communication Services	8.2%
Consumer Staples	7.0%
Industrials	5.0%
Energy	4.8%
Health Care	3.6%
Utilities	2.9%
Real Estate	1.9%
Materials	1.0%
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Source: Nedgroup Investments

**Total** 

#### TEAM BIOGRAPHIES (As at December 2021)

lan Beattie, Co-Chief Investment Officer, Portfolio Manager, Asia. lan joined the firm in 1996. He began his career at Royal Insurance as an Asian equity fund manager and also ran a Balanced Fund. Ian became Head of Asia in 1997 and Co-Chief Investment Officer in April 2009.

lan holds a B.Sc., Economics, from City University and holds the ASIP qualification from the CFA institute UK

Tim Bray, Co-Chief Investment Officer, Tim joined the firm in 1985 having prior experience with Coutts & Company. He took responsibility for research and stock selection in the UK in 1992 after building a successful track record in the resource markets. Tim has managed Equity Income, Emerging Market and Balanced Portfolios. He became Co-Chief Investment Officer in April 2009.

Tim received his B.Sc., Financial Economics, from the University of London.

Simon Ward, Economist & Investment Strategist, Simon joined the firm in 1994 from Lombard Street Research, one of the most prestigious analytical firms in London. Simon is chief economist and strategist producing liquidity and economic research and analysis.

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After receiving his B.A., Economics, from Cambridge University in 1983, Simon went on to earn an M.Sc., Economics, and an M.Sc., Finance, from the University of London.

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Fees are outlined in the relevant Sub-Fund supplement available from the Investment Manager's website. The Sub-Funds are valued using the prices of derlying securities prevailing at 11pm Iris before the dealing date. Prices are published on the Investment Manager's website. A summary of investor rights can be obtained, free of charge at www.nedgroupinvestments.com.

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