

## Morgan Stanley Investment Funds

## Global Permanence Fund

(Accumulation Share Class)

## Investment Objective

Long term growth of your investment.

## Investment Approach

We seek established companies globally that benefit from efficient scale. We pursue companies that we believe have strong name recognition and sustainable competitive advantages with above average business visibility, the ability to deploy capital at high rates of return, strong balance sheets and an attractive risk/reward profile.

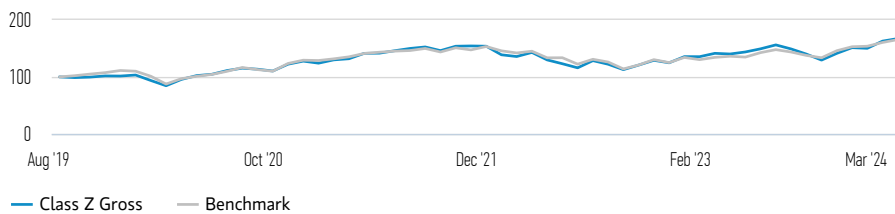
Investment Team	JOINED FIRM	YEARS OF INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE
Dennis Lynch, Head of Counterpoint Global	1998	30
Sam Chainani, CFA, Managing Director	1996	28
Jason Yeung, Managing Director	2002	27
Armistead Nash, Managing Director	2002	24
David Cohen, Managing Director	1993	36
Alexander Norton, Executive Director	2000	29
Manas Gautam, Executive Director	2015	12

Team members may be subject to change at any time without notice.

## Class Z Shares (% net of fees) vs. Index in USD

Performance of 100 USD Invested Since Inception (Cash Value)

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

Investment Performance (% net of fees) in USD<sup>†</sup>

	Cumulative (%)				Annualised (% p.a.)			
	1 M	3 M	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	INCEPTION
Class Z Gross	2.73	10.55	10.55	18.31	8.24	--	--	11.88
Benchmark	3.14	8.20	8.20	23.22	6.96	--	--	11.62

## 12 Month Performance Periods to Latest Month End (%)

	MAR'23	MAR'22	MAR'21	MAR'20	MAR'19	MAR'18	MAR'17	MAR'16	MAR'15	MAR'14
	-MAR'24	-MAR'23	-MAR'22	-MAR'21	-MAR'20	-MAR'19	-MAR'18	-MAR'17	-MAR'16	-MAR'15
Class Z Gross	18.31	-1.09	8.37	56.11	--	--	--	--	--	--
Class Z Net	--	--	--	54.55	--	--	--	--	--	--
Benchmark	23.22	-7.44	7.28	54.60	--	--	--	--	--	--

All performance data is calculated NAV to NAV. The sources for all performance and Index data is Morgan Stanley Investment Management.

Gross figure shown assumes reinvestment of all distributions and deduction of fund level costs, but does not reflect the deduction of any sales charge applicable at investor level.

Net figure shown assumes reinvestment of all distributions and deduction of fund level costs, which include the deduction of the Management, trustee/custodian and administration charges and the maximum sales charge applicable at investor level that may be taken out of your money before it is invested. Please see the Fund's current prospectus and the share class' Key Investor Information Document for complete details on fees and sales charges.

<sup>†</sup> Example: An investor wishes to purchase shares of USD 100. At the maximum sales charge of 5.75% the investor has to expend USD 106.10. The sales charge is only incurred upon subscription.

The value of the investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and an investor may not get back the amount invested.



## ★★★★★ Morningstar Overall Rating\*

Out of 2243 Funds. Based on Risk Adjusted Return. Class Z Shares: 3yr. rating 5 Stars.

Share Class	CLASS Z
Currency	U.S. dollars
ISIN	LU2027374128
Bloomberg	MSGBPRZ LX
Inception date	30 August 2019
Net asset value	\$ 41.81

Fund Facts	
Launch date	30 August 2019
Base currency	U.S. dollars
Benchmark	MSCI All Country World Net Index
Total net assets	\$ 61.87 million
Structure	Luxembourg SICAV
SFDR Classification <sup>^</sup>	Article 8

Charges (%)	CLASS Z
Max Entry Charge	1.00
Ongoing Charges	<b>0.86</b>
Management Fee	0.75

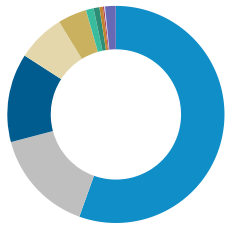
Entry Charge is a maximum possible figure. In some cases you might pay less, you can find this out from your financial adviser. Ongoing Charges reflect the payments and expenses incurred during the fund's operation and are deducted from the assets of the fund over the period. It includes fees paid for investment management (Management Fee), trustee/custodian, and administration charges. For more information please see the Charges and Expenses section of the prospectus.

Subscriptions (USD)	CLASS Z
Minimum initial investment	0
Minimum subsequent investment	0

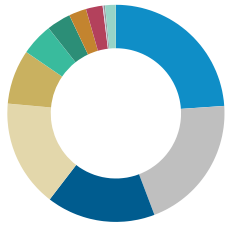
Statistics (3 Year Annualised)	CLASS Z	INDEX
Alpha (%)	0.97	--
Excess Return (%)	1.28	--
Beta	1.07	1.00
Information ratio	0.15	--
R squared	0.81	1.00
Sharpe ratio	0.28	0.26
Volatility (Standard deviation) (%)	19.80	16.62
Tracking error (%)	8.69	--
Up-capture ratio (%)	107.22	100.00
Down-capture ratio (%)	102.32	100.00

Characteristics	FUND	INDEX
Active share (%)	94.91	--
Number of holdings	43	2,841
Return on capital (%)	8.02	15.68
5 year EPS growth (%)	3.17	15.79
Sales growth (%)	14.72	8.63
Weighted median market capitalization (\$B)	32.70	115.59
D/E weighted median (%)	93.89	63.07
Turnover (%) <sup>#</sup>	88	--

<sup>#</sup> Portfolio turnover is sourced from the Fund's latest Annual/Semi-annual report. View the [latest report](#) for a description of methodology.

Top Countries (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>1</sup>

	FUND	INDEX
United States	55.49	63.82
France	15.42	2.84
United Kingdom	13.23	3.33
Canada	7.12	2.76
Switzerland	4.30	2.20
Netherlands	1.15	1.19
Italy	0.88	0.66
India	0.50	1.77
China	0.21	2.51
Brazil	0.11	0.52
Cash	1.60	--

Sector Allocation (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>1,2</sup>

	FUND	INDEX
Consumer Discretionary	23.92	10.90
Industrials	20.32	10.79
Information Technology	16.22	23.68
Health Care	16.00	11.14
Financials	8.11	16.06
Real Estate	4.81	2.20
Consumer Staples	3.59	6.43
Materials	2.60	4.24
Energy	2.50	4.55
Communication Services	0.14	7.56
Utilities	--	2.46
Other	0.21	--
Cash	1.60	--

Top Holdings (% of Total Net Assets)<sup>3</sup>

	FUND	INDEX
Cloudflare Inc	9.42	0.04
Royalty Pharma plc	6.61	0.02
Intercontinental Exchange Inc	5.42	0.11
Rentokil Initial PLC	5.25	0.02
Eurofins Scientific SE	5.06	0.01
Floor & Decor Holdings Inc	5.04	--
Canadian National Railway Co	4.84	0.10
American Tower Corp	4.68	0.13
Babcock International Group Plc	4.38	--
On Holding AG	4.30	--
<b>Total</b>	<b>55.00</b>	<b>--</b>

<sup>1</sup> This Fund is classified as an Article 8 product under the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation. Article 8 products are those which promote environmental or social characteristics and which integrate sustainability into the investment process in a binding manner.

<sup>2</sup> May not sum to 100% due to the exclusion of other assets and liabilities.

<sup>3</sup> For additional information regarding sector classification/definitions please visit [www.msci.com/gics](http://www.msci.com/gics) and the glossary at [www.morganstanley.com/im](http://www.morganstanley.com/im).

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## DEFINITIONS

The **5 year Earnings Per Share (EPS) growth rate** is the weighted average of earnings per share growth for all securities in the portfolio projected for the past five fiscal years.

Earnings per share for a company is defined as total earnings divided by shares outstanding.

**Active Share** is a measure of the percentage of stock holdings in a manager's portfolio that differ from the benchmark index (based on holdings and weight of holdings). Active Share scores range from 0%-100%. A score of 100% means you are completely different from the benchmark. Active Share calculation may consolidate holdings with the same economic exposure.

**Alpha** (Jensen's) is a risk-adjusted performance measure that represents the average return on a portfolio or investment above or below that predicted by the capital asset pricing model (CAPM) given the portfolio's or investment's beta and the average market return. Prior to 6/30/2018 Alpha was calculated as the excess return of the fund versus benchmark. **Beta** is a measure of the relative volatility of a fund to the market's upward or downward movements. A beta greater than 1.0 identifies an issue or fund that will move more than the market, while a beta less than 1.0 identifies an issue or fund that will move less than the market. The Beta of the Market is always equal to 1. **Bloomberg** stands for 'Bloomberg Global Identifier (BBGID)'. This is a unique 12 digit alphanumeric code designed to enable the identification of securities, on a Bloomberg Terminal. The Bloomberg Terminal, a system provided by Bloomberg L.P., enables analysts to access and analyse real-time financial market data. Each Bloomberg code starts with the same BBG

## Share Class Z Risk and Reward Profile

- The Fund may be impacted by movements in the exchange rates between the Fund's currency and the currencies of the Fund's investments.
- The Fund relies on other parties to fulfill certain services, investments or transactions. If these parties become insolvent, it may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Sustainability factors can pose risks to investments, for example: impact asset values, increased operational costs.
- There may be an insufficient number of buyers or sellers which may affect the Fund's ability to buy or sell securities.
- Investment in China A-Shares via the Shanghai-Hong Kong and Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect programs may also entail additional risks, such as risks linked to the ownership of shares.
- There are increased risks of investing in emerging markets as political, legal and operational systems may be less developed than in developed markets.
- Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. The value of investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and investors may lose all or a substantial portion of his or her investment.
- The value of the investments and the income from them will vary and there can be no assurance that the Fund will achieve its investment objectives.
- Investments may be in a variety of currencies and therefore changes in rates of exchange between currencies may cause the value of investments to decrease or increase. Furthermore, the value of investments may be adversely affected by fluctuations in exchange rates between the investor's reference currency and the base currency of the investments.

prefix, followed by nine further characters that we list here in this guide for each share class of each fund. **Debt/equity (D/E)** is a measure of a company's financial leverage calculated by dividing its total liabilities by stockholders' equity. **Excess Return** or value added (positive or negative) is the portfolio's return relative to the return of the benchmark. **Information ratio** is the portfolio's alpha or excess return per unit of risk, as measured by tracking error, versus the portfolio's benchmark. **ISIN** is the international securities identification number (ISIN), a 12 digit code consisting of numbers and letters that distinctly identifies securities. **NAV** is the Net Asset Value per share of the Fund (NAV), which represents the value of the assets of a fund less its liabilities. **Number of holdings** provided are a typical range, not a maximum number. The portfolio may exceed this from time to time due to market conditions and outstanding trades. **R squared** measures how well an investment's returns correlate to an index. An R squared of 1.00 means the portfolio performance is 100% correlated to the index's, whereas a low r-squared means that the portfolio performance is less correlated to the index's. **Return on capital** is a measure of a company's efficiency at allocating the capital under its control to profitable investments, calculated by dividing operating income [excluding dividends and taxes] by total capital. **Sales growth** is the increase in sales over a specific period of time, often but not necessarily annually. **Sharpe ratio** is a risk-adjusted measure calculated as the ratio of excess return to standard deviation. The Sharpe ratio determines reward per unit of risk. The higher the Sharpe ratio, the better the historical risk-adjusted performance. **Tracking error** is the standard deviation of the difference between the returns of an investment and its benchmark. **Upside/downside market capture** measures annualized performance in up/down markets relative to the market benchmark. **Volatility (Standard deviation)** measures how widely individual performance returns, within a performance series, are dispersed from the average or mean value. **Weighted median market capitalization** is the point at which half of the market value of a portfolio or index is invested in stocks with a greater market cap, while the other half of the market value is invested in stocks with a lower market cap.

## INDEX INFORMATION

The **MSCI All Country World Index (ACWI)** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index designed to measure the equity market performance of developed and emerging markets. The term "free float" represents the portion of shares outstanding that

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