# Momentum Mutual Fund ICC Limited

# FGAM Global Cautious Fund - Class A USD

Fund data for the month ending 31 August 2021

# FG ASSET MANAGEMENT

#### Fund details

Manager:  Momentum Wealth International Limited	Investment manager:  Momentum Global Investment Management	Sub-investme FGAM (Pty)	<u> </u>	Currency: USD
Custodian: Northern Trust (Guernsey) Limited	Minimum subscription: USD 7,500	Inception date 25 May 200		Fund size: USD 24.7 million
Subscriptions / redemptions: daily	Valuation point: 11:00pm (Guernsey time) on the relevant Dealing Day	Initial fee: none	Financial year-end TER**:  1.49%	TER**: <b>1.49%</b>
Dividend payment dates: August and February	Dividends paid over the last 12 months: none	Price per sha	re (as at 31 August 2021):	Investment timeframe: 3 years +
Benchmark: 25% MSCI AC World, 50% ICE BofA Global Broad Market, 10% S&P Global Property, 10% LIBOR USD 7-Day, 5% LIBOR EUR 7-Day			ASISA sector: Fund of funds	

Subscriptions cut-off time:

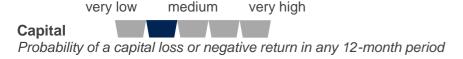
The application form to subscribe must be completed and received by the Administrator by no later than 12:00 noon (Guernsey time) on the relevant Dealing Day, with cleared funds to be received by 12:00 noon (Guernsey time) three Business Days after the relevant Dealing Day.

Written notice to redeem must be received by the Administrator by no later than 12:00 noon (Guernsey time) on the relevant Dealing Day.

Up to date Fund prices per share are available on www.morningstar.co.za or upon request from the Manager or Administrator.

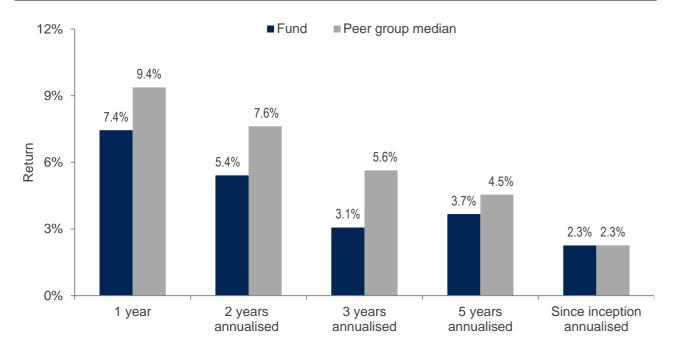
#### Investment objective

A conservative portfolio with an emphasis on capital preservation over capital appreciation during the full investment cycle, with a significant proportion of the portfolio held in the base currency aiming to achieve a reduced level of volatility. The Fund is ideally suited to investors with a low risk tolerance with an investment horizon of 3 years or longer. The Fund intends to achieve its investment objective through a diversified global portfolio primarily consisting of investments in participatory interests of portfolios of collective investment schemes or other similar schemes.





## Fund performance



#### Cumulative returns

	Highest performance	Lowest performance	Cumulative performance
2006	+3.1% (Nov 2006)	<b>-2.3%</b> (Jun 2006)	7.3%
2007	+2.4% (Sep 2007)	-1.8% (Dec 2007)	6.3%
2008	+2.2% (Dec 2008)	-8.7% (Oct 2008)	-18.5%
2009	+3.6% (May 2009)	-3.5% (Jan 2009)	6.9%
2010	+3.2% (Jul 2010)	-3.7% (May 2010)	1.4%
2011	+3.3% (Oct 2011)	-6.4% (Sep 2011)	-2.6%
2012	+4.2% (Jan 2012)	-4.2% (May 2012)	10.6%
2013	+2.9% (Sep 2013)	-3.8% (Jun 2013)	6.4%
2014	+2.4% (Feb 2014)	-1.8% (Sep 2014)	1.5%
2015	+5.1% (Oct 2015)	-3.8% (Aug 2015)	-3.5%
2016	+4.1% (Mar 2016)	-4.8% (Jan 2016)	2.7%
2017	+1.9% (Jul 2017)	0.1% (Oct 2017)	11.0%
2018	+2.2% (Jan 2018)	-4.2% (Oct 2018)	-6.5%
2019	+4.1% (Jan 2019)	<b>-2.4%</b> (May 2019)	9.6%
2020	+3.9% (Apr 2020)	-9.2% (Mar 2020)	2.9%
Since inception	+5.1% (Oct 2015)	-9.2% (Mar 2020)	40.8%

Source: Morningstar, Lipper Hindsight, Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Guernsey) Limited. Past performance is not indicative of future returns.

The fund performance is calculated on a total return basis, net of all fees and in US dollar terms. NAV to NAV figures have been used for the performance calculations. The performance is calculated for the Fund. The individual investor performance may differ, as a result of various factors, including the actual investment date. Investment performance calculations are available for verification upon request. 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. Peer group median: Morningstar USD Cautious Allocation.

# Top holdings

Holdings	Asset type	Weight
<sup>1</sup> BlackRock Euro Ultra Short Bond	Money Market	16.1%
<sup>1</sup> iShares \$ Treasury Bond 1-3yr	Fixed Income	9.6%
<sup>1</sup> iShares \$ TIPS	Fixed Income	9.3%
BlackRock US Dollar Ultra Short Bond	Money Market	6.2%
<sup>1</sup> iShares Physical Gold ETC	Commodities	6.1%
<sup>1</sup> iShares US Corporate Bond Index	Fixed Income	5.2%
<sup>1</sup> iShares \$ Treasury Bond 3-7yr	Fixed Income	4.6%
<sup>1</sup> Sands Capital Global Growth	Equity	4.1%
<sup>1</sup> Catalyst Global Real Estate	Property	3.9%
<sup>1</sup> Cash	Cash	3.5%

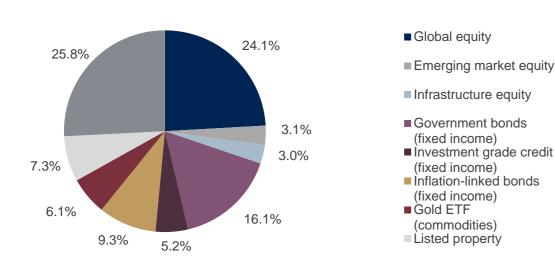
# Investment statistics (since inception)

	Fund	Benchmark <sup>†</sup>
Cumulative return:	40.8%	98.6%
Annualised return:	2.3%	4.6%
Annualised volatility:	7.4%	6.0%
1 year return	7.4%	9.2%
3 year return (annualised)	3.1%	7.0%
5 year return (annualised)	3.7%	5.7%

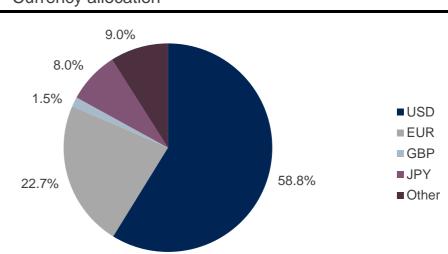
# <sup>1</sup> Direct holding

<sup>†</sup> The benchmark for performance comparison provided in this document comprised: (1) 10% MSCI World, 50% FTSE WorldBIG, 15% LIBID USD 7-Day, 10% LIBID GBP 7-Day, 15% LIBID EUR 7-Day prior to 01.08.11; (2) 20% MSCI AC World, 60% FTSE WorldBIG, 10% LIBOR EUR 7-Day, 10% LIBOR USD 7-Day between 01.08.11 and 31.08.12. With effect from 01.09.13 the 10% allocation in the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed index was replaced with the S&P Global Property index. This has been applied retrospectively. In addition, with effect from 01.07.18 the 50% allocation in the FTSE WorldBIG index was replaced with the ICE BofA Global Broad Market index. This has not been applied retrospectively. Replacement indices have had similar returns since the inception of the Fund and the changes have no significant impact on the performance comparison.

# Current asset allocation



# Currency allocation



Source: Momentum Global Investment Management Limited, Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Guernsey) Limited.

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<sup>\*</sup> Please refer to the fund supplement and scheme particulars for a detailed description of fees and fund facts.

<sup>\*\*</sup> 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 June 2021 is based on data for the period from 30 June 2020 to 30 June 2021 and the financial yearend 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.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Current asset allocation figures reflect the strategic classification of the collective investment schemes (or similar schemes) held by the Fund and do not look through to the underlying holdings of such schemes.



#### Market commentary

In a relatively quiet month for markets, equities made further progress while government bond markets slipped back. With the Delta variant continuing to spread, leading to the imposition of new restrictions by China and many other countries, consumer confidence, high frequency mobility and other leading indicators weakened.

Growth is also being restrained by two other developments in recent months. First, the increasing evidence of supply shortages, especially semiconductors but spreading well beyond that, due to the surge in demand as lockdowns were eased earlier in the year and to production disruption triggered by the pandemic. The second dampener has been the slowdown in China. With the economy recovering earlier than others last year from the pandemic the authorities removed stimulus measures and focussed more on financial stability in the early months of 2021. The resulting loss of momentum was then exacerbated by tightened regulations and sanctions on a wide range of the private sector, which has soured sentiment and confidence.

Developed markets, measured by the MSCI World index, returned 2.5% over the month, with the UK and US returning 1.9% and 3.0% respectively. Emerging markets rose 2.6% in local terms.

Bond markets returned -0.5% in August, as measured by the Bank of America Merrill Lynch Global Broad Market index, with US Treasuries and US corporate investment grade bonds returning -0.1% and -0.3% respectively, compared with 0.5% from US high yield bonds.

As the impact of the pandemic progressively fades over the next 12 months, and with the combination of highly accommodative monetary policy and continuing fiscal support, the prospects are for abnormally high growth this year and next. While this will be at lower levels than the immediate post-pandemic recovery surge, it remains a strong environment for the corporate sector. We therefore remain broadly constructive about risk assets. Given the strength of equity markets over the past year, returns are likely to be harder to come by in the very short term and the Fed's tapering decision overhangs markets. It adds a dimension of risk and potentially higher volatility. But to date the Fed has flagged its intentions well and markets are prepared for some tightening. We should be prepared for some periods of volatility but we believe we are in a long market cycle and with patience and true diversification investors will be well rewarded in the year ahead.

Source: Bloomberg Finance LP, Momentum Global Investment Management Limited.

### Fees applicable to Class A participating shares

Investment management fee (per annum):				
Aggregate NAV of FGAM Funds	Fee			
Up to USD 100m	0.65%			
Over USD 100m	0.575%			

A sub-investment management fee of 0.50% is included in the investment management fee

Performance fees are not applicable to this Fund

#### Management and administration fee (per annum):

Aggregate NAV of **FGAM Funds** Fee Up to USD 30m 0.25% From USD 30m to USD 60m 0.23% Over USD 60m 0.20% subject to a minimum of USD 22,000 per annum

#### Custody fees: Up to USD 30m 0.05% From USD 30m to USD 60m 0.04% From USD 60m to USD 100m 0.03% Over USD 100m

Other applicable fees (per annum):

subject to a minimum of USD 8,000 per annum.

0.02%

(Custodian fee per transaction: USD 25) Distribution fees: 0.00%

Directors' fees: 0.00%

## Impact of underlying manager costs

Underlying manager costs (per annum):

This will depend on the managers selected for inclusion in the Fund. Managers typically charge fees for investment management (which may include performance fees) and administration, among other costs.

Currently the cheapest manager costs 0.07% per annum and the most expensive manager costs 1.45% per annum. The overall cost of the current manager blend is 0.39%. The methodology for calculating these figures is described in the Total Expense Ratio footnote on page 1.

#### Risk warnings and important notes

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.

Collective investments are traded at ruling prices. Commission and incentives may be paid and, if so, would be included in the overall costs. All performance is calculated on a total return basis, after deduction of all fees and commissions and in US dollar terms. Forward pricing is used.

The Fund invests in other collective investments, which levy their own charges. This could result in a higher fee structure for the Fund.

Fluctuations in the value of the underlying funds, 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.

Higher risk investments may be subject to sudden and larger falls in value in comparison to other investments. Higher risk investments include, but are not limited to, investments in smaller companies, even in developed markets, investments in emerging markets or single country debt or equity funds and investments in high yield or non-investment grade debt.

Notwithstanding ongoing monitoring of the underlying funds within the Fund, there can be no assurance that the performance of the funds will achieve their stated objectives.

The Fund will contain shares or units in underlying funds that invest internationally. The value of an investor's 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. The Fund may contain shares or units in underlying funds that do not permit dealing every day. Investments in such funds will only be realisable 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 except for the purpose of meeting short term liquidity requirements. Borrowings will not exceed 10% of the net asset value of the Fund. For such purpose, the

securities of the Fund may be pledged. No scrip borrowing will be allowed. The Cell is not permitted to enter into any form of borrowing or loan arrangement with other cells of the Company nor other collective investment schemes of the Manager. While derivative instruments may be used for hedging purposes, the risk remains that the relevant instrument may not necessarily fully correlate to the investments in the Fund and accordingly not fully reflect

changes in the value of the investment, giving rise to potential net losses.

Forward contracts are neither traded on exchanges nor standardised. Principals dealing in these markets are also not required to make markets in the currencies they trade, with the result that these markets may experience periods of illiquidity. Banks and dealers will normally act as principals and usually each transaction is negotiated on an individual basis.

The Manager has the right to close the Fund to new investors, in order to manage it more efficiently, in accordance with its mandate,

Investment in the Fund may not be suitable for all investors. Investors should obtain advice from their financial adviser before proceeding with an investment.

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This report should be read in conjunction with the prospectus of Momentum Mutual Fund ICC Limited and the supplement, in which all the current fees and fund facts are disclosed.

Copies of these scheme particulars, including the Prospectus, Fund Supplement, and the annual accounts of the Scheme, which provide additional information, are available, free of charge, upon request from Momentum Wealth International Limited, La Plaiderie House, La Plaiderie, St Peter Port, Guernsey, GY1 1WF, Telephone 0044 1481 735480, or from our website www.momentum.co.gg.

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