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# A Cell of The Offshore Mutual Fund PCC Ltd

## **Investment Objective**

The Martello Global Equity Fund ("the Fund") aims to achieve long term capital appreciation through investment in listed equities on a global basis.

The fund is primarily intended for investors with a long-term horizon of at least 5 years.

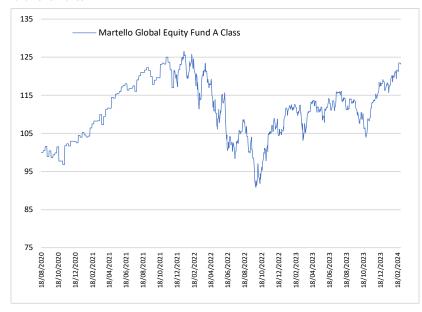
### Investment Strategy

The Fund will invest in a diversified portfolio of listed equities. Assets of the Fund are typically limited to, but not confined to, those companies listed on the markets of the UK, Europe and North America.

The investment advisor will apply a rigorous investment selection methodology to select securities for the Fund's investment portfolio. These criteria are designed to ensure that the Fund invests in high quality businesses with proven management competencies and strategy execution.

It is envisaged that the investment portfolio of the Fund will be concentrated, comprising between 20 and 30 stocks. However, the portfolio will be invested with the aim of providing a prudent spread of risk, and there are limits on the concentration of the investments held.

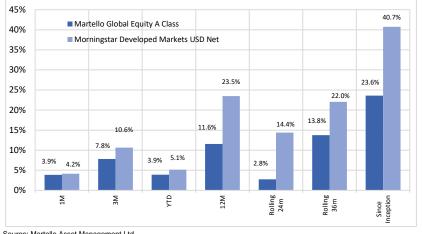
#### **Fund Performance**



Source: Bloomberg LLF

A Class daily dealing commenced 07 December 2021

# Total Return Performance % (USD) - Net of Fees



**Key Facts** 

Investment Advisor Martello Asset Management Ltd Risk Profile Medum High Low Launch Date 15 July 2020 Fund Value \$47,674,582 NAV Price (Fund Inception) 1.00 NAV Price (Class A) 1.1236107 NAV Price (Class F) 1.223935 GG00BMC50C89 ISIN Number (Class A) ISIN Number (Class F) GG00BLDDG718 Sedol (Class A) BMC50C8 Sedol (Class F) BLDDG71 THMGEAU GU Bloomberg (Class A)

Fund Category

Benchmark

Morningstar Developed Markets USD Net

Minimum Investment (A & C Class)

F Class

On Application

Dealing

Unit Type

Accumulation

Fee Structure

(Class F)

 Initial Fee
 0%

 Annual Management Fees (A Class)
 0.30%

 Administration Fees
 0.30%

 Investment Advisor Fee
 1.00%

 36 Months
 36 Months

 Total Expense Ratio (TER)
 1.61%

 Transaction Charges (TC)
 0.32%

 Total Investment Charge (TIC)
 1.93%

36 Month Total Expense Ratio (TER) and Transaction Charges (TC) is based on the latest available data and expressed as a percentage of the daily NAV of the Fund calculated over 36 months to 31 December 2023 and shown on an annualised basis. TER is a measure of the total costs associated with managing and operating an investment fund, excluding transaction costs which are shown separately. These costs consist primarily of management fees and include custody fees, audit fees and other operational and establishment expenses. Transaction costs are necessary costs in the management of the fund and include brokerage, taxes, and levies due on purchase and sale transactions. The TIC represents the sum of the TER and transaction charges.

Portfolio statistics	Fund	Index
P/E	16.21	22.00
P/B	3.34	3.22
Sharpe Ratio	0.92	1.92
Std Dev	12.50	10.87
Dividend Yield	2.36	2.50
Sortino Ratio	0.87	
Information Ratio	-1.17	
Beta	0.96	
Active Share	86.56	

Source: Martello Asset Management Ltd

The investment performance shown is for illustrative purposes only and is calculated on the published price of the Fund. It does not take into account initial fees, but is presented net of all other fees, including the annual management charge. Income is accumulated. Actual performance will differ based on the initial fees applicable, the actual investment date and the date of reinvestment of income. Past performance is not necessarily an indication of future performance. The Fund was launched in July 2020. The maximum and minimum consecutive 12-month returns are since inception. This is a measure of how much the Fund and the benchmark returns have varied per rolling 12-month period. All rolling 12-month figures for the Fund and the benchmark have been calculated using the Fund net asset value and the level of the relevant benchmark index.

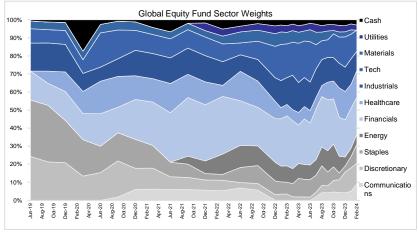


Monthly Returns Net of Fees (USD)

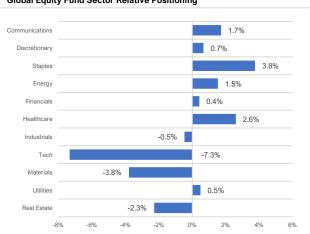
		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2024	A Class	+0.02%	+3.88%											+3.90%
	Benchmark	+0.93%	+4.15%											+5.12%
2023	A Class	+5.76%	-1.23%	-0.51%	+3.28%	-4.89%	+5.29%	+2.16%	-1.85%	-3.31%	-4.48%	+8.58%	+3.75%	+12.15%
	Benchmark	+7.21%	-2.38%	+2.52%	+1.64%	-1.20%	+6.05%	+3.46%	-2.49%	-4.35%	-3.14%	+9.36%	+5.24%	+22.92%
2022	A Class	-1.26%	-1.43%	+1.06%	-8.46%	+2.65%	-10.42%	+3.80%	-4.46%	-9.61%	+10.15%	+7.42%	-2.27%	-14.17%
	Benchmark	-5.59%	-2.25%	+2.52%	-8.25%	+0.01%	-8.82%	+7.97%	-4.11%	-9.43%	+7.16%	+7.03%	-4.04%	-18.31%
2021	A Class	-0.43%	+4.06%	+1.11%	+4.55%	+1.34%	+0.67%	+1.96%	+2.72%	-2.71%	+3.78%	-5.26%	+5.27%	+17.85%
	Benchmark	+2.93%	+1.66%	+0.63%	+5.32%	+1.11%	+1.20%	+1.13%	+2.64%	-3.21%	+4.29%	-2.39%	+4.25%	+20.98%
2020	A Class									-1.13%	-1.67%	+4.06%	+2.76%	+3.96%
	Benchmark									-3.93%	-2.53%	+14.17%	+3.10%	+10.22%

Source: Bloomberg LLP

## Sector Weightings



## Global Equity Fund Sector Relative Positioning

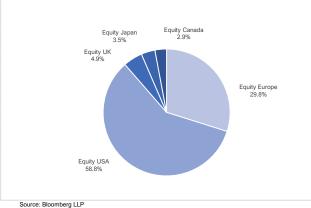


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Top 10 Holdings	Sector	%
Visa Inc	Financials	4.97%
Amazon.com Inc	Consumer Discretionary	4.99%
Berkshire Hathaway Inc	Financials	4.86%
Novo Nordisk A/S	Health Care	4.64%
UnitedHealth Group Inc	Health Care	4.58%
Alphabet Inc	Communication Services	4.10%
Vinci SA	Industrials	3.51%
UBS Group AG	Financials	3.50%
Chugai Pharmaceutical Co Ltd	Health Care	3.42%
Stellantis NV	Consumer Discretionary	3.41%

Source: Martello Asset Management Ltd





# Fund Commentary - February 2024

February was a strong month for equity markets globally. Earnings season came to an end for the majority of the funds holdings with nearly all either coming in line or beating analysts' estimates.

US markets, in particular performed very strongly throughout February, returning 5.4% in USD terms. Performance from Europe and the UK was more tepid versus the US, but still finished the month in positive territory, up 2.0% and 0.7% respectively, in their respective currencies.

There was a number of excellent earnings releases during February, Monolithic Power Systems, Stellantis and Coca Cola all produced numbers that were well ahead of estimates. Monolithic delivered another beat and raise, citing growth in Al applications and increased semiconductor content in automobiles as the driving force. Stellantis increased its dividend and share buyback scheme returning profits to shareholders, whilst delivering adjusted net income that came in 19% ahead of estimates for the second half of 2023. Coke was able to pass on some of the increased cost pressures to customers. The company saw its organic revenue increase 12% YoY, with 2% coming from volume growth and the remainder coming from improved price mix.

During 2023, markets were exceptionally challenging for a number of reasons, but in particular the very narrow breadth displayed, with a small number of stocks producing the majority of the index returns. The fund was completely benchmark agnostic over this period, which detracted from performance. Throughout February, we implemented a rebalancing to reduce the risk profile of the portfolio and become more benchmark aware. You will have noticed the higher weights within the top holdings and some new names within the fund. Tracking error and volatility within the fund has reduced accordingly whilst also allowing us to stick with our winners and produce more sustainable and consistent returns over the long term.

Throughout the month, the best performing sectors were consumer discretionary (+13.2%), technology (+10.0%) and industrials (+5.8%) with materials and utilities detracting, returning (-6.1%) and (-5.7%) respectively. When looking at the individual stocks, the best performing were Monolithic Power Systems (+19.5%), Stellantis (+17.3%) and Garmin (+15.0%) with the detractors being Glencore (-6.1%) and Veolia (-5.7%). Throughout February, the fund returned 3.9% versus the benchmark return of 4.2%.

#### Additional factors to be considered when investing

The Fund is invested in a concentrated portfolio which comes with the risk of more volatile returns relative to the broader market.

Investors are reminded that an investment in a currency other than their own may expose them to a foreign exchange rate risk. Exchange rates may also have an independent, favourable or unfavourable impact on the value of the Fund. The Fund will invest in global equities and securities, which may expose the portfolio to specific country risks such as macroeconomic and political risks, foreign exchange risks, tax risks, settlement risks, potential limitations on the availability of market information as well as potential constraints on liquidity and the repatriation of funds.

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The Fund was approved by the Financial Sector Conduct Authority of South Africa on 30 July 2020 in terms of Section 65 of the Collective Investment Schemes Control Act, 2002 (the "Act"), Notice 2076 of 2003 as amended by notice 1502 of 2005 ("the conditions"). The Fund complies and is managed within the investment restrictions and guidelines for Foreign Collective Investment Schemes in terms of the Act. The Scheme and Fund are approved in terms of the Act. The Scheme is an affiliate member of the Association for Savings and Investment South Africa ("ASISA").

The Fund may use derivatives for efficient portfolio management purposes only, which may include currency hedging. Short-term borrowing will be allowed to the amount of 10% of the value of the Fund, only for purposes of the redemption of participating shares. Scrip lending will be allowed but may not exceed 50% of the market value of the portfolio. A schedule of fees and charges and maximum commissions is available from the Investment Advisor. The cell is valued daily at 23h00, on the business day preceding dealing day and is traded at the ruling price.

Additional information on the Fund can be obtained from the Investment Advisor (www.martello-am.com) or may be requested from the Manager. The latest prices may be viewed at https://www.martello-am.com/funds-martello-global-equity-fund. The Manager reserves the right to close the fund to new investors to manage the fund more effectively.

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