### 31 JULY 2021 I PINEBRIDGE GLOBAL FUNDS (UCITS) FACT SHEET

# Class: A1 EUR PineBridge Europe Small Cap Equity Fund



HONG KONG

#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

To achieve a high rate of return by making equity and equity-related investments in small companies, whose assets, products or operations are in Europe and who have a market capitalisation at the time of the acquisition of less than Euro 2 billion.

### **KEY FACTS**

Asset Class	Equity
Benchmark	EMIX Smaller European Companies Total Return Net Index
Fund Inception Date	01 Jan 1993
Fund Base Currency	USD
Fund Size (million)	US\$ 62.5
No. of Securities	30
Fund Type	UCITS
Distribution	No Distribution: Dividends Reinvested
Initial Charge	Maximum 5%

## PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)

Anik Sen

Portfolio Manager and Global Head of Equities

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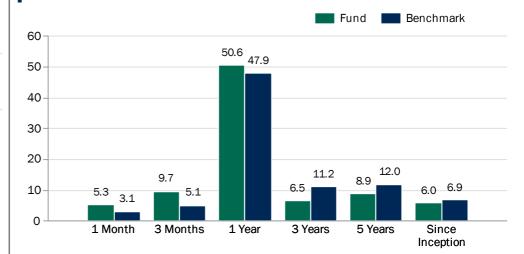
Robert Hinchliffe Portfolio Manager and Head of Industry Clusters

## **RISK DISCLOSURE:**

- The Fund invests primarily in equity and equity-related investments in small companies whose assets, products or operations are in Europe and may be exposed to additional risks (e.g. equity, market volatility, country selection, small and/or mid capitalised companies, liquidity, emerging markets, investment in Russia and Eurozone debt crisis risks, etc).
- The Fund may use financial derivative instruments ("FDI") for efficient portfolio management (including hedging) purposes only but will not use FDI extensively for any purpose. The use of FDI may expose the Fund to various risks such as counterparty, liquidity, correlation, credit, volatility, valuation and settlement risks.
- Dividends, if any, may be paid out of capital of the Fund at the discretion of the Manager. This
  amounts to a return or withdrawal of part of an investor's original investment or from any
  capital gains attributable to that original investment and may result in an immediate decrease
  in the net asset value of the Fund.
- Investors may be subject to substantial losses due to investment loss risk and the leveraging
  effect of using FDI.
- Investors should not rely solely on this material to make investment decisions.

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Access to growth opportunities across the European equity small cap market
- Unified process connected by growth categorization research, identifying compelling opportunities across each company's life cycle
- Interconnected investment insights, tied through global industry knowledge and on-the-ground presence



## PERFORMANCE IN SHARE CLASS CURRENCY (%)

## CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE IN SHARE CLASS CURRENCY (%)

•	2021 YTD	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Fund	22.1	1.2	25.5	-22.8	24.2	-4.5
Benchmark	19.1	7.3	28.6	-14.5	17.2	0.6

The Fund performance is calculated net of fees on NAV to NAV in EUR with dividends reinvested. Returns over one year are annualized. Performance is representative of A1 class in EUR. US/HK dollar-based investors are therefore exposed to fluctuations in the currency exchange rate. Past performance is not indicative of future results.

SHARE CLASS INFORMATION (For a full list of available share classes, please visit pinebridge.com.hk\*)

Share Class	Inception Date	Price as at 31/07/21	Min Investment	Management Fee	ISIN	Bloomberg
A1 EUR	03 Apr 2001	EUR 40.9737	EUR 1,000	1.30%	IE0030412666	PBIESAI

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#### **SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)**

FUND	BENCHMARK	
31.6	23.0	
13.7	9.3	
11.7	12.6	
8.5	10.0	
8.1	5.4	
8.0	12.3	
7.8	10.2	
7.1	4.6	
0.0	12.5	
3.5	0.0	
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### FUND ANALYSIS

l	3 YEARS
Information Ratio	-0.8
Sharpe Ratio	0.3
Alpha (%)	-4.8
Tracking Error (%)	5.9
Standard Deviation (%)	23.3
Beta	1.1
R Squared (%)	94.1

## **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

Wtd Avg Mkt Cap US\$ million	3,996.5
P/E Ratio	31.3
P/B Ratio	3.0
ROE (%)	10.7
Debt to Equity Ratio	0.74

## **GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN (%)**

•	FUND	BENCHMARK
United Kingdom	35.9	26.3
Germany	26.3	11.3
Italy	11.3	6.8
France	10.6	8.2
Belgium	4.3	3.4
Netherlands	3.6	3.5
Sweden	2.4	11.8
Austria	2.1	2.2
Other	0.1	26.4
Cash	3.5	0.0

## **TOP TEN HOLDINGS (%)**

•	FUND
Virbac SA	4.6
Aubay SA	4.5
VGP NV	4.3
Amadeus FiRe AG	4.3
Interpump Group S.p.A.	4.3
Spirax-Sarco Engineering PLC	4.3
St. James's Place Plc	4.2
SSP Group Plc	4.1
Coats Group plc	4.0
Bodycote plc	3.9

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Global client base that includes institutions and intermediaries Investment capabilities in multi-asset, fixed income, equities and alternatives

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