# **Key Information Document**

## **Purpose**

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

#### **Product**

# **Wellington US Brand Power Fund**

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A Fund of Wellington Management Funds (Luxembourg) III SICAV (the "Umbrella Fund")

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You are about to purchase a product that is not simple and may be difficult to understand

## What is this product?

#### Type

The Product is a share of the Sub-fund Wellington US Brand Power Fund (the "Fund") which is part of the Wellington Management Funds (Luxembourg) III SICAV (the "Umbrella Fund"), an open-ended investment fund with variable capital (société d'investissement à capital variable) of the umbrella type and is authorised under Part I of the 2010 Law and qualifies as UCITS under Article 1. paragraph 2) points a) and b) of the Directive.

#### Term

The Umbrella Fund and the Fund do not have a fixed term or maturity period, but the Management Company, with the approval of the Depositary, is entitled to give notice of the Umbrella Fund's dissolution at any time. In the event that the Management Company considers that changes in the political, economic, military, regulatory or business environments, or reductions in the scale of a Fund's total net assets compromise the effective management of a Fund, then the Management Company is empowered to liquidate the Fund at any time.

#### **Objectives**

The Fund seeks long-term total returns in excess of the S&P 500 Index ("Index"), primarily investing in US companies where the Investment Manager believes, brands are key determinates of long-term value.

The Fund will be actively managed, based on the view that strong, well-led brands are evergreen "patents" which can create demand, drive higher margins and returns on invested capital, and provide competitive advantages that can be hard for others to duplicate. The Investment Manager also believes strong brands can perform well in strong economic conditions but also show resilience during more difficult market conditions. Research is focused on identifying companies with strong brands (measured in terms of pricing power, gross margins, active loyalty, global reach, brand life cycle, and royalty relief valuation (a methodology used to derive a value for a brand) and attractive fundamentals (improving quality metrics, attractive upside/downside, capital allocation decisions, management track record and earnings revisions) in order to build a portfolio of companies with strong brands with attractive risk-adjusted returns whilst excluding companies with strong brands but poor fundamentals as well as companies with strong fundamentals but poor brand strength.

The Fund is unconstrained by market capitilisation and sector, but is expected to have a bias towards large-cap companies.

The Fund will be concentrated in the number of individual companies held and should be expected to have low turnover. The Fund may invest in non-US companies, subject to a maximum 10% of the Fund's net asset value.

The Index serves as a reference benchmark for performance comparison purposes. Whilst Fund securities may be components of the Index, the Index is not considered during portfolio construction and the Investment Manager will not manage the extent to which Fund securities differ from the Index. The Index is designed to measure performance of the broader US equity market.

The Fund will invest in shares and other securities with equity characteristics such as preferred stocks, convertible securities or depository receipts. The Fund may invest either directly or via derivatives.

While there are no restrictions on the Fund's ability to use derivatives for investment purposes (such as gaining exposure to a security), derivatives are mainly used to hedge (manage) risk.

The Fund will support certain environmental characteristics by maintaining a carbon footprint (weighted average intensity) that is at least 50% lower than the Index.

A minimum of 90% of the Fund's net assets will be aligned to the environmental characteristics of the Fund.

### Income policy

Any income allocated to the Share class from the Fund is reinvested.

## **Dealing Frequency**

Shares can be bought or sold daily in accordance with the Prospectus.

## Intended retail Investor

The Fund is intended for basic retail investors with a long-term investment horizon seeking capital appreciation and who are able to bear capital loss. Investors in the Fund should be prepared to accept, in normal market conditions, a high degree of volatility of net asset value from time to time. The Fund is suitable as an investment in a well-diversified portfolio.

#### Depositary

State Street Bank International GmbH Luxembourg Branch.

#### **Further Information**

Please refer to the 'Other relevant information' section below.

## What are the risks and what could I get in return?

#### **Risk Indicator**



Lower risk Higher risk



The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 5 years.

The actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less.

You may not be able to cash in early. You may have to pay significant extra costs to cash in early.

You may not be able to sell your product easily or you may have to sell at a price that significantly impacts on how much you get back.

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this Fund as 5 out of 7 which is a medium-high risk class. This rates the potential losses from future performance at a medium-high level. Poor market conditions will likely impact our capacity to pay you.

**Be aware of currency risk.** You will receive payments in a different currency, so the final return you will get depend on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above.

Please refer to the Prospectus for full details about any other risks materially relevant to the fund not included in the summary risk indicator such as liquidity, sustainability and operational risk.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

## **Performance Scenarios**

The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back.

What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted.

The unfavourable, moderate, and favourable scenarios shown are illustrations using the worst, average, and best performance of the product and the suitable benchmark over the last 10 years. Markets could develop very differently in the future.

Recommended holding period:		5 years	5 years	
Example Investment:		10,000 USD		
		If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 5 years	
Scenarios				
Minimum	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment.			
Stress	What you might get back after costs	2,640 USD	2,520 USD	
	Average return each year	-73.60%	-24.09%	
Unfavourable	What you might get back after costs	7,490 USD	9,410 USD	
	Average return each year	-25.10%	-1.21%	
Moderate	What you might get back after costs	11,130 USD	16,200 USD	
	Average return each year	11.30%	10.13%	
Favourable	What you might get back after costs	14,230 USD	22,210 USD	
	Average return each year	42.30%	17.30%	

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

Unfavourable scenario: This type of scenario occurred for an investment using the benchmark as stated in the prospectus between 2021 and 2024. Moderate scenario: This type of scenario occurred for an investment using the benchmark as stated in the prospectus between 2015 and 2020. Favourable scenario: This type of scenario occurred for an investment using the benchmark as stated in the prospectus between 2016 and 2021.

## What happens if Wellington Luxembourg S.à r.l. is unable to pay out?

The assets of the Fund are held in safekeeping by its depositary. In the event of the insolvency of the Management Company, the Fund's assets in the safekeeping of the Depositary will not be affected. However, in the event of the Depositary's insolvency, or someone acting on its behalf, the Fund may suffer a financial loss. However, this risk is mitigated to a certain extent by the fact the Depositary is required by law and regulation to segregate its own assets from the assets of the Fund. The Depositary will also be liable to the Fund and the investors for any loss arising from, among other things, its negligence, fraud or intentional failure properly to fulfil its obligations (subject to certain limitations).

There is no compensation or guarantee scheme protecting you from a default of the Fund's depositary.

## What are the costs?

The person advising on or selling you this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment.

#### Costs over Time

The tables show the amounts that are taken from your investment to cover different types of costs. These amounts depend on how much you invest, how long you hold the product and how well the product does. The amounts shown here are illustrations based on an example investment amount and different possible investment periods.

We have assumed:

- In the first year you would get back the amount that you invested (0 % annual return). For the 5 year holding period we have assumed the product performs as shown in the moderate scenario
- 10,000.00 USD

	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 5 years
Total costs	47 USD	352 USD
Annual cost impact (*)	0.5%	0.5% each year

(\*) This illustrates how costs reduce your return each year over the holding period. For example it shows that if you exit at the recommended holding period your average return per year is projected to be 10.6 % before costs and 10.1 % after costs.

We may share part of the costs with the person selling you the product to cover the services they provide to you. They will inform you of the amount.

These figures include the maximum distribution fee that the person selling you the product may charge. This person will inform you of the actual distribution fee.

#### **Composition of Costs**

One-off costs upon entry or exit		If you exit after 1 year
Entry costs	We do not charge an entry fee.	0 USD
Exit costs	We do not charge an exit fee for this product, but the person selling you the product may do so.	0 USD
Ongoing costs taken each ye	ar	
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	0.42% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate based on actual costs over the last year.	42 USD
Transaction costs	0.05% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate of the costs incurred when we buy and sell the underlying investments for the product. The actual amount will vary depending on how much we buy and sell.	5 USD
Incidental costs taken under	specific conditions	
Performance fees	There is no performance fee for this product.	0 USD

## How long should I hold it and can I take money out early?

## Recommended holding period: 5 years

This product has no required minimum holding period but is designed for long-term investment; you should have an investment horizon of at least 5 years.

The Management Company shall redeem shares of this Fund at the redemption price on each dealing day. Redemptions of the applicable Fund will be effected at the valuation point on the relevant dealing day. The price is based on the net asset value per share of each class determined at the valuation point. Redemption requests received after the dealing deadline will be treated as having been received by the following dealing deadline unless otherwise determined by the Management Company.

Please contact your broker, financial adviser or distributor for information on any costs and charges relating to the sale of the shares.

## How can I complain?

If you choose to invest in the Fund and subsequently have a complaint about it or the Management company or any distributor of the Fund, you should in the first instance contact:

- the Transfer Agent on +353 1 242 5452, via email at WellingtonGlobalTA@statestreet.com
- the Management Company by post at 33, Avenue de la Liberté L-1931 Luxembourg, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg.

## Other relevant information

Further information on the Fund or other Share classes or Funds of the Umbrella Fund, including the Prospectus, latest annual report, any subsequent semi-annual reports, and Share prices can be obtained by emailing or calling the Fund's Transfer Agent. Please see contact details below. Documents are available in English and are free of charge.

Tel: +353 1 242 5452

Email: Wellington Global TA@statestreet.com

The following facilities are available from www.eifs.lu/wellingtonmanagementfunds:

- Information on how orders (subscription, repurchase and redemption) can be made and how repurchase and redemption proceeds are paid;
- information and access to procedures and arrangements related to investors' rights and complaints handling;
- information in relation to the tasks performed by the facilities in a durable medium;
- the latest sales prospectus, the articles of association, the annual and semi-annual reports, as well as the key investor information documents.

You can find information related to the product past performance on the last 5 years and to previous performance scenario calculations at:

- https://docs.data2report.lu/documents/KID\_PP/KID\_annex\_PP\_Wellington\_LU2294321687\_en.pdf.
- https://docs.data2report.lu/documents/KID\_PS/KID\_annex\_PS\_Wellington\_LU2294321687\_en.pdf.

The Prospectus, the Key Information Document, the articles of association, as well as the annual and semi-annual reports can be obtained free of charge and upon simple request from the representative and paying agent in Switzerland:

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