All Weather Capital Global Emerging Markets Fund

a sub-fund of

**Prescient Global Funds ICAV** 

An Irish collective asset-management vehicle established as an umbrella fund with segregated liability between sub-funds

**Interim Report and Financial Statements** 

for the 6 months ended 31 December 2022

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#### **General Information**

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Statement of Comprehensive Income For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022

		For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022	For the 6 months ended 31 December 2021
	Notes	USD	USD
Investment income  Net realised loss on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss  Net change in unrealised gain/(loss) on financial		(7,144,319)	(2,158,971)
assets and liabilities through profit or loss		5,545,383	(13,240,284)
Total net losses on financial assets and liabilities through profit or loss		(1,598,936)	(15,399,255)
Dividend income		1,496,798	1,343,431
Interest income from financial assets at amortised cost		6,823	16
Net foreign currency loss on cash and cash equivalents Other income Total net investment loss		(66,389) 125 (161,579)	(11,440) 1,845 (14,065,403)
Expenses Investment management fees Management and administration fees Audit remuneration Depositary fees Directors' fees Professional fees Other expenses Total expenses	6 6 8 6, 18 6 18	(302,438) (90,429) (2,408) (9,089) (5,608) (37,726) (22,866) (470,564)	(289,561) (94,217) (6,168) (9,471) (8,154) (33,687) (18,248) (459,506)
Net loss from operations before taxation		(632,143)	(14,524,909)
Taxation Withholding taxes on dividend income Capital gains tax Change in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares from		(146,749) (35,795)	(133,937) 43,923
operations		(814,687)	(14,614,923)

Gains and losses arose solely from continuing operations. There were no gains or losses other than those dealt with in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

Statement of Financial Position

As at 31 December 2022

	Notes	As at 31 December 2022 USD	As at 30 June 2022 USD
Assets			
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	11		
Transferable securities		90,371,877	97,559,404
Total financial assets at fair value	•	90,371,877	97,559,404
Financial assets measured at amortised cost			
Cash at bank		1,938,747	2,982,033
Accrued income and other receivables		264,399	445,709
Total assets	-	92,575,023	100,987,146
Liabilities			
Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost			
Payables	7	(158,685)	(183,823)
Total liabilities (excluding net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares)	•	(158,685)	(183,823)
Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable	-	(100,000)	(100,020)
participating shares	10	92,416,338	100,803,323

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable Participating Shares

For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022

	For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022	For the 6 months ended 31 December 2021
Balance at beginning of period	100,803,323	77,396,250
Contributions and redemptions by holders of redeemable participating shares		
Issue of redeemable participating shares during the period	-	26,634,450
Redemption of redeemable participating shares during the period	(7,572,298)	
Total contributions and redemptions by holders of redeemable participating shares Change in net assets attributable to holders of	(7,572,298)	26,634,450
redeemable participating shares from operations	(814,687)	(14,614,923)
Balance at end of period	92,416,338	89,415,777

Statement of Cash Flows For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022

For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022	For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 USD	For the 6 months ended 31 December 2021 USD
Cash flows from operating activities		
Change in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares from operations	(814,687)	(14,614,923)
Adjustment for:		
Dividend income	(1,496,798)	(1,343,431)
Interest income	(6,823)	(16)
Withholding taxes on dividend income	146,749	133,937
Net realised loss on financial assets at fair value	7 1 4 4 2 4 0	0.450.074
through profit or loss  Net change in unrealised (gain)/loss on financial	7,144,319	2,158,971
assets at fair value through profit or loss  Net foreign currency loss on cash and cash	(5,545,383)	13,240,284
equivalents	66,389	11,440
cquivalente	(506,234)	(413,738)
Decrease in other washingles	50.054	0.775
Decrease in other receivables	50,951 17,987	2,775 (29,128)
Increase/(decrease) in payables Purchase of financial assets at fair value through	17,907	(29,120)
profit or loss	(35,539,558)	(61,196,036)
Proceeds from sales of financial assets at fair	(00,000,000)	(0.,.00,000)
value through profit or loss	41,128,149	33,411,927
Cash generated from/(used in) operations	5,151,295	(28,224,200)
Dividends received	1,437,283	1,067,829
Interest received	6,823	16
Net cash generated from/(used in) operating activities	6,595,401	(27,156,355)
activities	0,333,401	(21,130,333)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from issues of redeemable shares	-	26,634,450
Payments for redemptions of redeemable shares	(7,572,298)	
Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities	(7,572,298)	26,634,450
	(1,012,200)	
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	(976,897)	(521,905)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of the period	2,982,033	1,845,219
Net foreign currency loss on cash and cash	2,002,000	1,070,210
equivalents	(66,389)	(11,440)
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the		· · · · · ·
period	1,938,747	1,311,874

Notes to the Financial Statements
For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022

#### 1 GENERAL

Prescient Global Funds ICAV (the "ICAV") is an open-ended umbrella type Irish collective asset-management vehicle with limited liability and segregated liability between funds, registered with and authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland (the "Central Bank") to carry on business as an ICAV pursuant to part 2 of the Irish Collective Asset-management Vehicles Act, 2015 (the "ICAV Act"). The ICAV was previously an open ended investment company with variable capital and segregated liability between funds, incorporated in Ireland on 14 November 1997 as a public limited company pursuant to the Companies Acts and was initially authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland ("the Central Bank") as a designated investment company under the name Prescient Global Funds plc (the "Company"), pursuant to Part XIII of the Companies Act, 1990 (as replaced by Part 24 of the Companies Act 2014). The Company was subsequently re-authorised with effect from 1 April 2011, pursuant to the UCITS Regulations. Effective from 13 November 2019 the Company converted to the ICAV.

The ICAV is structured as an umbrella fund consisting of different funds each comprising of one or more share classes. The shares issued in each fund will rank pari passu with each other in all respects provided that they may differ as to certain matters including currency of denomination, hedging strategies if any applied to the currency of a particular class, dividend policy, the level of fees and expenses to be charged to a fund or class, subscription or redemption procedures or the minimum subscription applicable. The assets of each fund will be invested separately on behalf of the fund in accordance with the investment objective and policies of the fund.

At the period end date the ICAV has forty three active sub-funds in existence:

27Four Global Balanced Fund of Funds

27Four Global Equity Fund of Funds

Abax Global Equity Fund

Abax Global Income Fund

All Weather Capital Global Emerging Markets Fund

Aylett Global Equity Fund

BACCI Global Equity Fund

Benguela Global Equity Fund

Blue Quadrant USD Capital Growth Fund

Equitile Global Equity Fund

Fairtree Global Equity Fund

Fairtree Global Flexible Income Plus Fund

Fairtree Global Listed Real Estate Fund

Global Flexible Fund

High Street Wealth Warriors Fund

Integrity Global Equity Fund

Laurium Africa USD Bond Fund

OMBA Moderate Risk Global Allocation Fund

Osmosis Resource Efficient European Equities Fund

Peregrine Capital Global Equity Fund

PortfolioMetrix Balanced Fund

PortfolioMetrix Cautious Fund

PortfolioMetrix Global Diversified Fund

PortfolioMetrix Global Equity Fund

PPS Global Equity Fund

Prescient China Balanced Fund

Prescient China Equity Fund

Prescient Core Global Emerging Markets Equity Fund

Prescient Core Global Equity Fund

Prescient Global Positive Return Fund

Prescient Global Balanced Fund

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 1 **GENERAL** (continued)

Prescient Global Equity Fund
Prescient Global Income Provider Fund
Riscura China Equity Fund
Riscura Emerging Markets Equity Fund
Saffron Global Enhanced Income Fund
Seed Global Equity Fund
Seed Global Fund
Sigma Select Global Leaders Fund
Sygnia 4th Industrial Revolution Global Equity Fund
Sygnia Global Income Fund
Sygnia Health Innovation Global Equity Fund
Umbra Balanced Fund

These interim financial statements (hereafter referred to as the "financial statements") represent the All Weather Capital Global Emerging Markets Fund (the "Fund"). Under the ICAV Act, it is permissible to have separate sets of financial statements for each sub-fund. As such, these financial statements only relate to the Fund. These financial statements are available free of charge on request from the Prescient Fund Services (Ireland) Limited (the "Administrator" or "Manager").

The ICAV had no employees during the period ended 31 December 2022.

#### 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION

#### i. Basis of Preparation

The financial statements are prepared under the historic cost convention as modified to include certain financial assets and financial liabilities classified at fair value through profit or loss.

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), as adopted by the European Union, and in accordance with ICAV Act. This interim financial report for the half-year reporting period ended 31 December 2022 has been prepared in accordance with Accounting Standard IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting.

The financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies applicable to a going concern. This basis presumes that funds will be available to finance future operations and that the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities, contingent obligations and commitments will occur in the ordinary course of business. The directors have considered factors such as the financial and operating performance of the Fund, nature of the assets and liquidity of portfolio, investor concentration and pipeline of the Fund which contribute to the Fund's ability to continue as a going concern. The Directors are satisfied that, for a period of at least twelve months from the date of approving the financial statements, it is appropriate to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements of the Fund.

### (a) Standards, amendments and interpretations that are issued and effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2022

There are no standards, amendments to standards or interpretations that are effective for annual periods beginning on 1 July 2022 that have a material effect on the financial statements of the Fund.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (continued)

- i. Basis of Preparation (continued)
- (b) New standards, amendments and interpretations issued but not yet effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 July 2022 and have not been early adopted

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are issued but not yet effective for annual periods beginning after 1 July 2022, and have not been early adopted in preparing these financial statements. None of these are expected to have a material effect on the financial statements of the Fund.

#### ii. Estimates and Judgements

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances the result of which forms the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources.

Actual results may differ from these estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised, if the revision affects only that period, or the period of the revision and the future period if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Uncertainties exist with respect to the interpretation of complex tax regulations and changes in tax laws on foreign withholding tax. Given the wide range of international investments, differences arising between the actual investment income and the assumptions made, or future changes to such assumptions, could necessitate future adjustments to tax expense already recorded. The Fund establishes provisions, based on reasonable estimates, for possible consequences of audits by the tax authorities of the respective countries in which it invests. The amounts of such provisions are based on various factors, such as experience of previous tax audits and differing interpretations of tax regulations by the taxable entity and the responsible tax authority. Such differences of interpretation may arise on a wide variety of issues depending on the conditions prevailing in the respective investment's domicile. As the Fund assesses the probability for litigation and subsequent cash outflow with respect to taxes as remote, no contingent liability has been recognised.

In the process of applying the Fund's accounting policies, the Manager has made estimates and judgements which may affect the amounts recognised in the financial statements. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

#### iii. Functional Currency and Foreign Currency Translation

The functional currency of the Fund is United States dollar ("USD" or "\$"). The items included in the Fund's financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which it operates (the "functional currency"). The functional currency of the Fund is the currency that reflects the fact that the redeemable participating shares of the Fund has been subscribed in this currency and the Fund's investments are mainly denominated in this currency. The presentation currency of the Fund is USD.

Transactions in foreign currencies are translated at the foreign currency exchange rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated to the functional currency at the foreign currency closing exchange rate ruling at the Statement of Financial Position date.

Notes to the Financial Statements
For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 2 BASIS OF PREPARATION (continued)

#### iii. Functional Currency and Foreign Currency Translation (continued)

Foreign currency exchange differences arising on translation and realised gains and losses on disposals or settlements of monetary assets and liabilities are recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. Non-monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies that are measured at fair value are translated to the functional currency at the foreign currency exchange rates ruling at the dates that the values were determined. Foreign currency exchange differences relating to investments at fair value through profit or loss and derivative financial instruments are included in gains and losses on investments.

All other foreign currency exchange differences relating to monetary items, including cash are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income within 'net foreign currency gain/(loss) on cash and cash equivalents'.

#### 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to the periods presented in the financial statements, unless otherwise stated.

#### i. Financial instruments

#### (a) Classification

In accordance with IFRS 9, the Fund classifies its financial assets and financial liabilities at initial recognition into the categories of financial assets and financial liabilities discussed below. In applying that classification, a financial asset or financial liability is considered to be held for trading if:

- (a) It is acquired or incurred principally for the purpose of selling or repurchasing it in the near term; or
- (b) On initial recognition, it is part of a portfolio of identified financial instruments that are managed together and for which there is evidence of a recent actual pattern of short-term profit-taking; or
- (c) It is a derivative (except for a derivative that is a financial guarantee contract or a designated and effective hedging instrument).

#### Financial assets

The Fund classifies its financial assets as subsequently measured at amortised cost or measured at fair value through profit or loss on the basis of both:

- The entity's business model for managing the financial assets;
- The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

#### Financial assets measured at amortised cost

A debt instrument is measured at amortised cost if it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest ("SPPI") on the principal amount outstanding. The Fund includes in this category short-term non-financing receivables including cash at bank and accrued income and other receivables.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

- i. Financial instruments (continued)
- (a) Classification (continued)

#### Financial assets measured at fair value through profit or loss

A financial asset is measured at fair value through profit or loss if:

- (a) Its contractual terms do not give rise to cash flows on specified dates that are SPPI on the principal amount outstanding;
- (b) It is not held within a business model whose objective is either to collect contractual cash flows, or to both collect contractual cash flows and sell;
- (c) At initial recognition, it is irrevocably designated as measured at fair value through profit or loss when doing so eliminates or significantly reduces a measurement or recognition inconsistency that would otherwise arise from measuring assets or liabilities or recognising the gains and losses on them on different bases.

The Fund includes in this category instruments held for trading. This category includes equity instruments which are acquired principally for the purpose of generating a profit from short-term fluctuations in price.

#### **Financial liabilities**

#### Financial liabilities measured at fair value through profit or loss

A financial liability is measured at fair value through profit or loss if it meets the definition of held for trading.

The Fund has no financial liability measured at fair value through profit or loss.

#### Financial liabilities measured at amortised cost

This category includes all financial liabilities, other than those measured at fair value through profit or loss. The Fund includes in this category payables and redeemable participating shares.

#### (b) Recognition

The Fund recognises financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss on the date the Fund becomes party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. A regular way purchase of financial assets was recognised using trade date accounting. From this date, any gains and losses arising from changes in fair value of the financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, were recorded within 'net realised gain/(loss) on financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss' and 'net change in unrealised gain/(loss) on financial assets and liabilities through profit or loss' in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

#### (c) Measurement

Financial instruments are measured initially at fair value (transaction price) plus, in case of a financial asset or financial liability not at fair value through profit or loss, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial asset or financial liability. Transaction costs on financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are expensed immediately, while on other financial instruments they are amortised.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### i. Financial instruments (continued)

#### (c) Measurement (continued)

Subsequent to initial recognition, all instruments classified at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value with changes in their fair value recognised in profit or loss in the Statement of Comprehensive Income.

Financial assets that are classified as financial assets at amortised cost are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method less impairment.

Financial liabilities, other than those at fair value through profit or loss, are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

#### (d) Fair Value Measurement Principles

The fair value of marketable investment securities, listed on a recognised stock exchange or traded on any other organised market, is based on quoted prices in an active market at the Statement of Financial Position date without any deduction for estimated future selling costs.

The Fund utilises the last traded market price for both financial assets and financial liabilities where the last traded price falls within the bid-ask spread. In circumstances where the last traded price is not within the bid-ask spread, management will determine the point within the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value.

#### (e) Derecognition

The Fund derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire or it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows in a transaction in which substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred or in which the Fund neither transfers nor retains substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership and does not retain control of the financial asset.

On derecognition of a financial asset, the difference between the carrying amount of the asset (or the carrying amount allocated to the portion of the asset derecognised), and consideration received (including any new asset obtained less any new liability assumed) is recognised in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. Any interest in such transferred financial assets that is created or retained by the Fund is recognised as a separate asset or liability.

The Fund may enter into sale and repurchase transactions whereby it transfers assets recognised on its Statement of Financial Position, but retains all or substantially all of its risks and rewards of the transferred assets. Such transferred assets are not derecognised.

The Fund derecognises a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged, cancelled or expired.

On derecognition of a financial liability, the difference between the carrying amount extinguished and the consideration paid (including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed) is recognised in profit or loss.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### i. Financial instruments (continued)

#### (f) Offsetting

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the Statement of Financial Position when, and only when, the Fund has a legal right to set off the recognised amounts and it intends either to settle on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

Income and expenses are presented on a net basis for gains and losses from financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss and foreign exchange gains and losses.

#### ii. Unsettled trades

Trade receivables and payables represent receivables for securities sold and payables for securities purchased that have been contracted for but not yet settled or delivered on the Statement of Financial Position date respectively.

#### iii. Amortised cost measurement

The amortised cost of a financial asset or financial liability is the amount at which the financial asset or financial liability is measured at initial recognition, minus principal repayments, plus or minus the cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of any difference between the initial amount recognised and the maturity amount, minus any reduction for impairment in the case of a financial asset.

#### iv. Investment income

Dividend income is recorded on an ex-dividend basis, gross of withholding tax. Bank interest income is recorded on an effective yield basis.

Net gains/(losses) from financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss includes all realised and unrealised fair value changes and foreign exchange differences, but excludes interest and dividend income, which are presented separately.

Net realised gains/(losses) from financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss are calculated using the average cost method.

#### v. Expenses

Expenses are accounted for on an accruals basis.

#### vi. Net asset value per share

The net asset value per redeemable participating share of the Fund is determined by dividing the value of the net assets of the Fund by the total number of redeemable participating shares of the Fund in issue at that time.

#### vii. Redeemable participating shares

All redeemable participating shares issued by the Fund provide investors with the right to require redemption for cash at the value proportionate to the investors' share in the Fund's net assets at redemption date. The Fund issues multiple classes of redeemable participating shares which are redeemable at the shareholder's option and may not have identical rights. Therefore the redeemable participating shares are classified as financial liabilities.

Notes to the Financial Statements
For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 3 SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### vii. Redeemable participating shares (continued)

Financial liabilities arising from the redeemable participating shares issued by the Fund are carried at the present value of the redemption amount representing the investors' right to a residual interest in the Fund's assets.

#### viii. Cash and cash equivalents

Cash at bank consists of highly liquid financial assets held with Northern Trust Fiduciary Services (Ireland) Limited (the "Depository"), with original maturities of less than three months. Citibank N.A. is used for investor and capital activities.

In accordance with the Investor Money Regulations 2015 for Fund Service Providers, subscription and redemption monies are routed through a cash collection account in the name of the ICAV.

#### ix. Distribution Policy

For distributing share classes, it is the intention that dividends will be distributed in respect of each annual period ending on 30 June in each year. Dividends will be paid out of the Fund's net investment income return (i.e. income from dividends, interest or otherwise, less its accrued expenses for the accounting period) and realised and unrealised capital gains net of realised and unrealised losses and (if declared) will normally be paid to Shareholders by the last business day of September of each year to the bank account specified by them in their application for shares. The amount of any dividend payment will be at the discretion of the Directors.

#### 4 TAXATION

As the ICAV qualifies under Section 739B of the Taxes Consolidation Act, 1997 as an investment undertaking. On that basis, it is not chargeable to Irish tax on its income or gains, other than on the occurrence of a chargeable event.

A chargeable event includes any distribution to shareholders or any redemption or transfer of shares, or the ending of a 'relevant period'. A relevant period is an eight year period beginning with the acquisition of shares by the shareholder and each subsequent period of eight years beginning immediately after the preceding relevant period.

A chargeable event does not include:

- a) Any transactions in relation to shares held in a recognised clearing system as designated by order of the Revenue Commissioners of Ireland: or
- b) An exchange of shares representing one fund for shares of another fund of the ICAV; or
- c) Any exchange of shares arising on a qualifying amalgamation or reconstruction of the ICAV with another fund or company.

In the absence of an appropriate declaration, the Fund will be liable to Irish tax on the occurrence of a chargeable event. Capital gains, dividends and interest received on investments made by the Fund may be subject to withholding taxes imposed by the country of origin and such taxes may not be recoverable by the Fund or its shareholders.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 5 SHARE CAPITAL

The ICAV has a variable share capital. On establishment, the authorised share capital of the ICAV was \$60,000 divided into 60,000 subscriber shares of a par value of \$1 each. All subscriber shares were redeemed at par value in July 2000. Subsequently there have been 2 subscriber shares issued on 5 February 2020 of a par value of \$1 each. There are in addition, 500,000,000,000 shares of no par value designated as unclassified shares. The unclassified shares are available for issue as participating shares. The holder of each participating share shall be entitled to such dividends as the Directors may from time to time declare. The number of participating shares in issue for each class at 31 December 2022 is noted in the table below. Participating shares are redeemable at the shareholder's option and are classified as financial liabilities. The rights of holders of shares of any class are the following:

- a. On a vote taken on a show of hands, be entitled to one vote per holder and, on a poll, be entitled to one vote per whole share;
- b. Be entitled to such dividends as the Directors may from time to time declare; and
- c. In the event of a winding up or dissolution of the Fund, have the entitlements referred to under the heading "Distribution of assets on a liquidation" as per the Prospectus.

The Fund provides for the daily creation and cancellation of shares.

The following table details the subscription and redemption activity during period ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021:

Number of shares	Class C1	Class C2
Shares in issue at 1 July 2022	63,880,393	46,068,822
Subscriptions	-	-
Redemptions	(7,564,735)	
Shares in issue at 31 December 2022	56,315,658	46,068,822
Number of shares	Class C1	Class C2
Shares in issue at 1 July 2021	41,397,778	20,000,000
Subscriptions	19,744,379	-
Shares in issue at 31 December 2021	61,142,157	20,000,000

#### 6 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND OTHER KEY SERVICE AGREEMENTS

#### **Related Party Transactions**

The Manager was appointed to the ICAV on 1 April 2011. The management and administration fees of the Manager will be payable by the ICAV and will not exceed 2.5% per annum of the net asset value of each class or such other amount as is set out in the Supplement, provided it does not exceed 2.5% per annum of the net asset value of the Fund.

The Manager charges a fee for management and administration services on a fee scale based on the net asset value of the Fund and ranges from 0.106% to 0.199% of the net asset value. The Manager is entitled to a minimum annual fee of \$4,000 for first 3 months and \$8,000 for each month thereafter which may be waived at the discretion of the Manager. The Manager is also entitled to a fixed minimum annual administration fee of \$7,300. Such fees, duties and charges will be charged to the Fund in respect of which they were incurred.

The management and administration fees incurred by the Manager during the period ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021 are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. The management and administration fees outstanding at 31 December 2022 and 30 June 2022 are disclosed in Note 7.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 6 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND OTHER KEY SERVICE AGREEMENTS (continued)

#### **Related Party Transactions (continued)**

The Fund appointed All Weather Capital Proprietary Limited (the "Investment Manager") to serve as investment manager to the Fund. The Fund will discharge the fees and out of pocket expenses of all service providers.

The investment management fee percentage charged by the Investment Manager for Class C1 and C2 is 0.55% and 0.85% of the net asset value of the Fund, respectively.

The investment management fees charged by the Investment Manager during the period ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021 are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. The investment management fees outstanding at 31 December 2022 and 30 June 2022 are presented in Note 7.

The Fund will pay the Investment Manager a performance fee of 15% of the difference between (i) the daily cumulative percentage movement of the net asset value per share of Class C1 (after deduction of all other fees and expenses); and (ii) the daily cumulative performance of the benchmark. There is no performance fee charged for Class C2.

The performance fees incurred during the period ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021 are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. The performance fees outstanding at 31 December 2022 and 30 June 2022 are presented in Note 7.

In addition, the Fund will discharge any transaction charges of the Depositary and any subdepositary (at normal commercial rates), which will be borne directly by the Fund. The ICAV may, at its discretion, also pay from this amount, commissions to distributors. The Investment Manager may from time to time at its sole discretion and out of its own resources rebate to intermediaries and/or shareholders part or all of the investment management fee.

In the case of any fees or expenses of a regular or recurring nature, such as audit fees, the Directors may calculate such fees and expenses on an estimated figure for yearly or other periods in advance and accrue the same in equal proportions over any period.

Hermanus Steyn (Director's fee: €11,250) and Carey Millerd (Director's fee: €11,250) are also Directors of the Manager. Their Director's fees cover all funds which form part of the ICAV.

Directors' fees that were charged for the period ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021 are disclosed in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. Any amounts that are due to the Directors as at 31 December 2022 and 30 June 2022 are disclosed in Note 7. In addition, the Directors receive reimbursement for travel and other out-of-pocket expenses relating to attendance at meetings and other matters, including any expenses relating to the performance of due diligence for the benefit of the Fund.

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#### 6 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND OTHER KEY SERVICE AGREEMENTS (continued)

#### **Related Party Holdings**

The following tables disclose all the related party shareholders. These shareholders are related parties to the Fund through either common control or common directorships.

Entity 31 December 2022	% of Net Assets
Allfunds Bank International SA AFBI Agulhas Nominees SPW Client FundSettle EOC Nominees Ltd - FS/Citi 6411472005/FP IOM  30 June 2022	0.10% 0.06%
Allfunds Bank International SA AFBI Agulhas Nominees SPW Client FundSettle EOC Nominees Ltd - FS/Citi 6411472005/FP IOM	0.09% 0.05%

#### **Key Service Agreements**

The Depositary shall be entitled to receive out of the assets of the Fund an annual fee, accrued at each Valuation Point and payable monthly in arrears, based on following fee scale:

- 0.02% on the Fund's net asset value up to \$250 million;
- 0.015% on the Fund's net asset value above \$250 million.

The minimum monthly fee shall be \$1,000, exclusive of out of pocket expenses.

The depositary fees incurred during the period ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021 are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. The depositary fees outstanding at 31 December 2022 and 30 June 2022 are presented in Note 7.

The Fund receives legal advice from Matheson Solicitors (31 December 2021: Dillon Eustace). The legal fees incurred during the period ended 31 December 2022 and 31 December 2021 are presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income within 'Professional fees'. There are no legal fees outstanding at 31 December 2022 and 30 June 2021.

#### 7 PAYABLES

	As at 31 December 2022 USD	As at 30 June 2022 USD
Withholding tax payable	(30,156)	(73,281)
Investment management fees payable	(51,078)	(55,378)
Management and administration fees payable	(15,241)	(18,773)
Audit fees payable	(3,585)	(8,552)
Depositary fees payable	(11,186)	(13,021)
Directors' fees payable	(3,091)	(7,232)
Professional fees payable	(6,965)	(5,854)
Other fees and expenses payable	(37,383)	(1,732)
	(158,685)	(183,823)

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#### 8 AUDIT REMUNERATION

The audit fees for the statutory audit, inclusive of VAT, for the period ended 31 December 2022 were \$2,408 (31 December 2021: \$6,168). Audit fees due at 31 December 2022 were \$3,585 (30 June 2022: \$8,552).

Auditor's remuneration was as follows:	31 December 2022 USD	31 December 2021 USD	
Statutory audit	2,408	6,168	
Other assurance services	-	-	
Tax advisory services	-	-	
Other non-audit services	-	-	
	2,408	6,168	

#### 9 TRANSACTION COSTS

Transaction costs are incremental costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, issue or disposal of a financial asset or financial liability. An incremental cost is one that would not have been incurred if the entity had not acquired, issued or disposed of the financial instrument. Transaction costs for the period ended 31 December 2022 of \$219,266 (31 December 2021: \$218,689) have been included in the Statement of Comprehensive Income. Only transaction costs which are separately identifiable are disclosed. These include transaction costs paid to depositories and sub-depositaries, identifiable brokerage charges and commissions, identifiable transaction related taxes and other market charges and separately identifiable transaction costs related to Financial Derivative Instruments.

#### 10 NET ASSET VALUE PER PARTICIPATING SHARE HISTORY

The net asset value per redeemable participating share for the Fund for the last three financial year ends is as follows:

	Currency	Total net asset value	Number of Participating Shares	Net asset value per Participating Share
As at 31 December 20	)22			
Class C1	USD	56,408,092	56,315,658	\$1.002
Class C2	USD	36,008,246	46,068,822	\$0.782
As at 30 June 2022				
Class C1	USD	64,469,347	63,880,393	\$1.009
Class C2	USD	36,333,976	46,068,822	\$0.789
As at 30 June 2021				
Class C1	USD	56,138,225	41,397,778	\$1.356
Class C2	USD	21,258,025	20,000,000	\$1.063

#### 11 FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS

	31 December 2022 USD	30 June 2022 USD
Equities	86,229,203	93,928,685
Preference shares	4,142,674	3,630,719
Total	90,371,877	97,559,404

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#### 12 SOFT COMMISSION ARRANGEMENTS

There were no soft commission arrangements affecting the Fund during period ended 31 December 2022 or 31 December 2021.

#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK

#### **Risk Factors**

The Fund's activities expose them to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including currency risk, interest rate risk and price risk), credit risk, liquidity risk and operational risk. The Fund's overall risk management programme focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the Fund's financial performance.

The Fund's objective is to achieve growth of the Fund's value in the medium to long term through investing in resource efficient public companies.

Asset allocation is determined by the Fund's Investment Manager, who manages the distribution of the assets to achieve the investment objective. Divergence from target asset allocations and the composition of the portfolio is monitored by the Fund's Investment Manager. In instances where the portfolio has diverged from target allocations, the Fund's Investment Manager will aim to rebalance the portfolio to fall in line with the target asset allocations.

The nature and extent of the financial instruments outstanding at the Statement of Financial Position date and the risk management policies employed by the Fund are discussed below.

#### **Market Risk**

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate. Market risk comprises three types of risk: currency risk, interest rate risk and price risk.

The Fund's strategy on the management of investment risk is driven by the Fund's investment objective. The Fund's market risk is managed on a daily basis by the Investment Manager in accordance with policies and procedures in place.

Details of the Fund's investment portfolio at 31 December 2022 are disclosed in the Schedule of Investments.

#### **Currency Risk**

The Fund hold assets in currencies denominated in currencies other than their functional currency. Consequently, the Fund is exposed to risks that the exchange rate of its currency relative to other foreign currencies change in a manner that has an adverse effect on the value of that portion of the Fund's assets or liabilities denominated in currencies other than its functional currency. The Fund's Investment Manager may, but are not obliged to mitigate this risk by using financial instruments.

The Investment Manager is responsible for monitoring the Fund's currency exposures.

The table below discloses the Fund's exposures to foreign currency at the reporting date, as well as a sensitivity analysis. Net currency exposures of less than 5% of the net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares have been grouped together as 'Other'.

Sensitivity analysis - As at 31 December 2022, had the USD strengthened by 5% in relation to the Fund for all currencies, with all other variables held constant, net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares would have decreased/(increased) by the amounts shown below.

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#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK (continued)

#### Market Risk (continued)

#### Currency Risk (continued)

	Monetary	Non-monetary			
	assets and	assets and	Total assets	Change in	Effect on net
	liabilities	liabilities	and liabilities	currency rate	assets
Currency	USD	USD	USD		USD
31 December 2	2022				
USD	1,816,766	15,689,143	17,505,909	N/A	-
BRL	103,613	4,763,931	4,867,544	5%	243,377
KRW	78,058	7,779,448	7,857,506	5%	392,875
TWD	25,163	7,926,902	7,952,065	5%	397,603
HKD	-	27,218,743	27,218,743	5%	1,360,937
ZAR	-	6,468,057	6,468,057	5%	323,403
Other	20,861	20,525,653	20,546,514	5%	1,027,326
Total	2,044,461	90,371,877	92,416,338		3,745,521
30 June 2022					
USD	2,806,541	14,653,226	17,459,767	N/A	-
BRL	89,669	7,010,107	7,099,776	5%	354,989
HKD	-	29,617,441	29,617,441	5%	1,480,872
KRW	32,535	7,672,672	7,705,207	5%	385,260
TWD	276,248	8,524,602	8,800,850	5%	440,043
ZAR	-	5,254,259	5,254,259	5%	262,713
Other	38,926	24,827,097	24,866,023	5%	1,243,301
Total	3,243,919	97,559,404	100,803,323		4,167,178

#### Interest Rate Risk

The Fund's interest bearing financial assets and liabilities expose it to risks associated with the effects of fluctuations in the prevailing levels of market interest rates on its financial position and cash flows. Any excess cash and cash equivalents are invested at short-term market interest rates.

The Fund's interest rate risk is managed on a daily basis by the Investment Manager in accordance with policies and procedures in place. Where the interest rate risks are not in accordance with the investment policy or guidelines of the Fund, the Investment Manager will aim to rebalance the portfolio.

The table below summarises the Fund's exposure to interest rate risk. It includes the Fund's assets and trading liabilities (excluding net assets attributable to the redeemable participating shares) at fair values, categorised by the earlier of contractual re-pricing or maturity dates. The net assets attributable to the redeemable participating shares is a non-interest bearing liability.

	Less than 1 Month USD	Non-Interest Bearing USD	Total USD
At 31 December 2022	1,938,747	90,477,591	92,416,338
At 30 June 2022	2,982,033	97,821,290	100,803,323

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK (continued)

#### Market Risk (continued)

#### Interest Rate Risk (continued)

At 31 December 2022 the sensitivity of the Fund's net assets attributable to the redeemable participating shares to a change of interest rates of a 100 basis points are summarised in the table below. If interest rates had lowered by 100 basis points, it would have resulted in an equal but opposite effect on the amounts shown below, on the basis that all other variables remain constant. The sensitivity analysis assumes that an increase in interest rates would have an increase in the interest income received for cash at bank during the period.

	Interest Sensitivity Gap USD	100bps Movement USD
As at 31 December 2022	1,938,747	19,387
As at 30 June 2022	2,982,033	29,820

Actual trading results may differ from this sensitivity analysis and this difference may be material.

#### Price Risk

Price risk is the risk that the value of the instrument will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether caused by factors specific to an individual investment, its issuer or all factors affecting all instruments traded in the market. It represents the potential loss the Fund might suffer through holding market positions in the face of price movements. The Investment Manager considers the asset allocation of the portfolio in order to minimise the risk associated with particular countries sectors whilst continuing to follow the Fund's investment objective.

The Fund trades in financial instruments to take advantage of market movements in equity markets.

All investments present a risk of loss of capital. The maximum loss of capital on equity securities is limited to the fair value of those positions. The Investment Manager endeavours to moderate this risk through a careful selection of investments and other financial instruments within specified limits. The Fund's overall market positions are monitored on a daily basis by the Investment Manager.

The Fund's investments in equities are susceptible to market price risk arising from uncertainties about future prices of the instruments. The Fund's policies are to manage price risk through diversification and selection of securities and other financial instruments within specified limits set by the Manager.

The sensitivity of the Fund's net assets attributable to the redeemable participating shares to changes in market prices are summarised in the tables below. The analysis is based on the assumptions that the relevant prices increased/decreased by the percentage disclosed in the table below, with all other variables held constant. This represents management's best estimate of a reasonable possible shift in the market prices of the investments held at 31 December 2022.

	Investments subject to price risk USD	% Increase / (Decrease)	Effect of Increase USD	Effect of Decrease USD
As at 31 December 2022	90,371,877	5%	4,518,594	(4,518,594)
As at 30 June 2022	97,559,404	5%	4,877,970	(4,877,970)

Actual trading results may differ from this sensitivity analysis and this difference may be material.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK (continued)

#### Credit Risk

The carrying amounts of financial assets best represent the maximum credit exposure at the period end date.

All transactions in listed securities are settled/paid upon delivery using approved brokers. The risk of default is considered minimal, as delivery of securities sold is only made once the broker has received payment. Payment is made on a purchase once the securities have been received by the broker. The trade will fail if either party fails to meet its obligation.

The Investment Manager of the Fund analyses credit concentration based on the counterparty of the financial assets that the Fund holds.

Northern Trust Fiduciary Services (Ireland) Limited ("NTFSIL") is the appointed Depositary of the Fund, responsible for the safe-keeping of assets. NTFSIL has appointed The Northern Trust Company ("TNTC") as its global sub-custodian. Both NTFSIL and TNTC are wholly owned subsidiaries of Northern Trust Corporation ("NTC"). As at period end date 31 December 2022, NTC had a long term credit rating from Standard & Poor's of A+ (30 June 2022: A+).

TNTC (as global sub-custodian of NTFSIL) does not appoint external sub-custodians within the U.S., the U.K., Ireland, Canada, Belgium, France, Germany, Netherlands and Saudi Arabia. However, in all other markets, TNTC appoints local external sub-custodians.

NTFSIL, in the discharge of its depositary duties, verifies the Fund's ownership of Other Assets, (as defined under Other Assets, Art 22(5) of UCITS V Directive 2014/91/EU), by assessing whether the Fund holds the ownership based on information or documents provided by the Fund or where available, on external evidence.

TNTC, in the discharge of its delegated depositary duties, holds in custody (i) all financial instruments that may be registered in a financial instruments account opened on the books of TNTC and (ii) all financial instruments that can be physically delivered to TNTC. TNTC ensures all financial instruments (held in a financial instruments account on the books of TNTC) are held in segregated accounts in the name of the Fund, clearly identifiable as belonging to the Fund, and distinct and separately from the proprietary assets of TNTC, NTFSIL and NTC.

In addition TNTC, as banker, holds cash of the Fund on deposit. Such cash is held on the Statement of Financial Position of TNTC. In the event of insolvency of TNTC, in accordance with standard banking practice, the Fund will rank as an unsecured creditor of TNTC in respect of any cash deposits.

Insolvency of NTFSIL and or one of its agents or affiliates may cause the Fund's rights with respect to its assets to be delayed.

The Investment Manager manages risk by monitoring the credit quality and financial position of the Depositary and such risk is further managed by the Depositary monitoring the credit quality and financial positions of sub-custodian appointments. Substantially all of the financial instruments excluding cash balances are held by the Depositary. Bankruptcy or insolvency of the Depositary may cause the Fund's rights with respect to securities held by the Depositary to be delayed or limited. The Investment Manager monitors its risk by monitoring the credit quality and financial position of the Depositary used by the Fund.

The Fund is exposed to risks from the use of the Depositary. To mitigate the risks, the Investment Manager employs procedures to ensure that the counterparties are reputable institutions and that the credit risk is acceptable to the Fund. The Fund only transacts with depositories who appoint a network of sub-depositaries that are regulated entities subject to prudential supervision, or with high credit-ratings assigned by international credit-rating agencies.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK (continued)

#### Credit Risk (continued)

Substantially all of the cash held by the Fund is held by the Depository. Bankruptcy or insolvency by the Depository may cause the Fund's rights with respect to the cash held by the Depository to be delayed or limited. The Investment Manager monitors this risk by monitoring the credit quality and financial positions of the Depository. If the credit quality or the financial position of the Depository deteriorates significantly the Investment Manager will move the cash holdings to another bank.

#### Liquidity Risk

This is the risk that the Fund will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Fund provides for the daily creation and cancellation of shares and it is therefore exposed to the liquidity risk of meeting shareholder redemptions at any time. To meet the redemption liability the Fund may be required to sell assets. The Fund's investments consist of listed equities and are therefore considered readily realisable as they are traded on major stock exchanges.

The residual contractual maturities of financial liabilities at the period end date are shown in the table below as at 31 December 2022:

	Less than 1 Month USD	1 – 3 Months USD	3 Months to 1 Year USD	Total USD
Financial liabilities Payables Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating	155,100	-	3,585	158,685
shares Total financial liabilities	92,416,338 <b>92,571,438</b>	<u> </u>	3,585	92,416,338 <b>92,575,023</b>

The residual contractual maturities of financial liabilities at the period end date are shown in the table below as at 30 June 2022:

	Less than 1 Month USD	1 – 3 Months USD	3 Months to 1 Year USD	Total USD
Financial liabilities Payables Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating	175,271	-	8,552	183,823
shares Total financial liabilities	100,803,323 100,978,594	-	8,552	100,803,323 100,987,146

The following table discloses where ownership in the Fund's shares are highly concentrated. Actions by these investors, such as redemption requests, could materially impact the Fund.

	Number of Investors	% of Net Assets
As at 31 December 2022	3	83.24%
As at 30 June 2022	2	74.54%

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK (continued)

#### Liquidity Risk (continued)

The Investment Manager monitors the Fund's liquidity risk on a periodic basis in accordance with the Fund's investment objectives and guidelines. The Fund's overall liquidity position is reviewed by the Board of Directors on a periodic basis.

#### **Operational Risk**

Operational risk is the risk of direct or indirect loss arising from a wide variety of causes associated with the Fund's processes and infrastructure, and from external factors other than market, credit and liquidity issues such as those arising from legal and regulatory requirements and generally accepted standards of corporate behaviour.

Operational risks arise from all of the Fund's operations. The Fund was established with the purpose of engaging in those activities outlined in the preceding paragraphs. All administration functions have been outsourced to the Administrator. The investment management function is carried out by the Investment Manager.

#### Fair values of financial assets and liabilities

IFRS 13 'Fair Value Measurement' requires the Fund to classify fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements.

The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

- Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (that is, as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices);
- Level 3: Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservable inputs).

Fair values for unquoted equity investments are estimated, if possible, using applicable price/earnings ratios for similar listed companies adjusted to reflect the specific circumstances of the issuer.

The level in the fair value hierarchy within which the fair value measurement is categorised in its entirety is determined on the basis of the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. If a fair value measurement uses observable inputs that require significant adjustment based on unobservable inputs, that measurement is a Level 3 measurement. Assessing the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgement, considering factors specific to the asset or liability.

The determination of what constitutes 'observable' requires significant judgement by the Directors of the Fund. The Directors consider observable data to be that market data that is readily available, regularly distributed or updated, reliable and verifiable, not proprietary, and provided by independent sources that are actively involved in the relevant market.

In the case of any transferable securities not listed, quoted or dealt in on a regulated market or for which no quotation or value is available which would provide a fair valuation of, or in respect of which the price is unrepresentative, the value of such security shall be determined on the basis of the probable realisation value and shall be determined with care and good faith by, the Investment Manager, a stockbroker or other competent person appointed by the Investment Manager and approved for this purpose by the Depositary.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK (continued)

#### Fair values of financial assets and liabilities (continued)

The following tables analyse within the fair value hierarchy the Fund's financial assets measured at fair value at 31 December 2022 and 30 June 2022.

	F	air value measu	red on the basis of	
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
31 December 2022	Active Market	Observable	Unobservable	Total
	Data	Market Data	Market Data	
	USD	USD	USD	USD
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss				
Equities	86,229,203	-	-	86,229,203
Preference shares	4,142,674	-	-	4,142,674
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Treference shares	90,371,877	-	- <del>-</del> -	90,371,877
Treference shares	90,371,877		red on the basis of Level 3	90,371,877
30 June 2022	90,371,877 F	- Fair value measu Level 2 Observable Market Data		90,371,877 Total
30 June 2022	90,371,877  F  Level 1  Active Market	Level 2 Observable	Level 3 Unobservable	
	90,371,877  F Level 1 Active Market Data	Level 2 Observable Market Data	Level 3 Unobservable Market Data	Total
30 June 2022  Financial assets at fair value through	90,371,877  F Level 1 Active Market Data	Level 2 Observable Market Data	Level 3 Unobservable Market Data	Total
30 June 2022  Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	90,371,877  F Level 1 Active Market Data USD	Level 2 Observable Market Data	Level 3 Unobservable Market Data	Total USD

Investments, whose values are based on quoted market prices in active markets, and therefore classified within Level 1, include actively traded equities and preference shares. The Fund does not adjust the quoted price for these instruments.

There were no transfers between the fair value hierarchy levels for the period ended 31 December 2022 or 31 December 2021, except for the Russian positions (refer to Note 16). Transfers between levels of the fair value hierarchy are deemed to have occurred at the beginning of the reporting period.

For financial assets and liabilities carried at amortised cost, these are short term whose carrying amounts approximate fair value, because of their short-term nature and the high credit quality of counterparties. For net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares, the Fund routinely redeem and issue the redeemable shares at the amount equal to the proportionate share of net assets of the Fund at the time of redemption, calculated on a basis consistent with that used in these financial statements. Accordingly, the carrying amount of the net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares approximates their fair value. These shares are categorised into Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy.

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#### 13 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND ASSOCIATED RISK (continued)

#### **Capital Management**

The Fund regards net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares as capital.

The Fund's objectives for managing capital are:

- to invest the capital in investments meeting the description, risk exposure and expected return indicated in its prospectus;
- to achieve consistent returns while safeguarding capital by investing in accordance with its investment policy or holding cash;
- to maintain sufficient liquidity to meet the expenses of the Fund; and
- to maintain sufficient size to make the operation of the Fund cost-efficient.

Neither the ICAV nor the Fund have any externally imposed capital requirements.

#### 14 CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

As at the date of approval of these financial statements, the Directors are not aware of any contingent liability relating to the Fund.

#### 15 EXCHANGE RATES

The foreign exchange rates used in the financial statements expressed as USD are as follows:

	31 December 2022	30 June 2022
Brazilian Real	5.29	5.23
Chinese Yuan Renminbi	6.92	6.71
Euro	0.94	0.96
Hong Kong Dollar	7.81	7.85
Indian Rupee	82.76	79.03
Indonesian Rupiah	15,489.00	14,944.00
Korean Won	1,258.44	1,297.51
Mexican Peso	19.49	20.18
Polish Zloty	4.39	4.50
Pound Sterling	0.83	0.82
South African Rand	17.01	16.39
Swedish Krona	10.42	-
Taiwan Dollar	30.73	29.74
Thai Baht	34.56	35.36
Turkish Lira	18.72	16.70

#### 16 SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE PERIOD

The outbreak of the Russia-Ukraine war in early 2022 has had significant impact on global financial markets. The Board of Directors has written down the investments held in Russia to \$nil, resulting in unrealised losses of \$2,332,206 which decreased the net assets of the Fund. The Investment Manager will pay close attention to the development of the war and evaluate its impact on the financial position and operating results of the Fund. This is considered to be a non-adjusting event after the reporting period. The Investment Manager will continue to remain alert to the situation and monitor the subscriptions and redemptions of the Fund.

Notes to the Financial Statements For the 6 months ended 31 December 2022 (continued)

#### 17 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Directors are not aware of any material events which occurred after the reporting date and up to the approval date of these financial statements.

#### 18 RECLASSIFICATION OF PRIOR PERIOD COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Certain prior period comparatives have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

#### 19 APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on 23 February 2023.

Schedule of Investments As at 31 December 2022

As at 31 December	er 2022	Fair Value	% of
Shares/Nominal	Security	USD	Net Assets
Financial assets	at fair value through profit or loss		
Equities - 93.31%	% (30 June 2022: 93.18%)		
Brazilian equities	s – 0.67% (30 June 2022: 3.35%)		
61,681	Localiza Rent a Car	620,707	0.67%
270	Localiza Rent a Car SA RTS	550	0.00%
Total Brazilian ed	juities (30 June 2022: \$3,379,389)	621,257	0.67%
Chinese equities	- 10.91% (30 June 2022: 11.27%)		
140,468	Baidu Inc	2,010,092	2.18%
879,366	Brilliance China Automotive Ltd	492,308	0.53%
56,934	NIO Inc	555,107	0.60%
21,118	Pinduoduo Inc	1,722,172	1.86%
495,337	Ping An Insurance H	3,277,604	3.55%
26,800	ThunderSoft	388,549	0.42%
70,637	Yanghe	1,638,767	1.77%
Total Chinese eq	uities (30 June 2022: \$11,361,917)	10,084,599	10.91%
Dutch equities -	0.00% (30 June 2022: 0.82%)		
Total Dutch equit	ies (30 June 2022: \$830,942)	-	-
Hona Kona equit	ies – 23.20% (30 June 2022: 24.17%)		
295,262	AIA Group Ltd	3,283,316	3.55%
230,648	Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	2,548,556	2.76%
49,194	JD.com Inc	1,387,761	1.50%
119,200	Meituan Company	2,667,807	2.89%
81,055	NetEase Inc	1,188,969	1.29%
322,000	Sands China Ltd	1,068,418	1.16%
123,329	Tencent Holdings Ltd	5,277,121	5.71%
210,500	Wuxi Biologics Cayman Inc	1,613,993	1.75%
933,600	Wynn Macau Ltd	1,040,556	1.13%
226,000	Xiaomi Corp	316,746	0.33%
212,800	XPeng Inc	1,045,496	1.13%
<b>Total Hong Kong</b>	equities (30 June 2022: \$24,364,628)	21,438,739	23.20%
Indian equities -	14.14% (30 June 2022: 12.00%)		
11,781	Eicher Motors Ltd	459,470	0.50%
41,227	HDFC Bank Ltd	2,820,339	3.05%
80,228	Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd	2,556,881	2.77%
29,910	ICICI Bank Ltd	654,730	0.71%
132,182	Infosys Ltd	2,380,598	2.58%
18,190	Kotak Mahindra Bank	401,612	0.43%
52,786	Reliance Industries Ltd	3,246,339	3.51%
13,872	Tata Consultancy Services	545,874	0.59%
·	ties (30 June 2022: \$12,092,816)	13,065,843	14.14%
Indonesian equit	ies – 2.55% (30 June 2022: 2.86%)		
840,313	Bank Central Asia	463,857	0.50%
2,066,593	Bank Negara Indonesia	1,230,830	1.34%
2,070,730	Bank Rakyat Indonesia	660,430	0.71%
	equities (30 June 2022: \$2,880,784)	2,355,117	2.55%
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Schedule of Investments (continued) As at 31 December 2022

		Fair Value	% of
Shares/Nomin	al Security	USD	Net Assets
Financial asse	ets at fair value through profit or loss (continued)		
Equities - 93.3	31% (30 June 2022: 93.18%) (continued)		
Korean equitie	es - 8.42% (30 June 2022: 7.60%)		
12,967	KT&G Corp	942,818	1.02%
1,777	Naver Corp	250,642	0.27%
153,041	Samsung Electronics Co Preferred Stock	6,141,390	6.65%
7,460	SK Hynix	444,598	0.48%
Total Korean	equities (30 June 2022: \$7,672,670)	7,779,448	8.42%
Mexican equit	ies – 3.71% (30 June 2022: 3.59%)		
299,022	Fomento Economico Mexicano SAB	2,325,802	2.52%
153,482	Grupo Financiero Banorte	1,101,516	1.19%
Total Mexican	equities (30 June 2022: \$3,617,590)	3,427,318	3.71%
Peruvian equi	ties – 0.49% (30 June 2022: 0.79%)		
3,365	Credicorp Ltd	456,496	0.49%
Total Peruviar	equities (30 June 2022: \$796,322)	456,496	0.49%
Polish equities	s – 1.02% (30 June 2022: 1.02%)		
11,012	Dino Polska S.A.	941,746	1.02%
•	quities (30 June 2022: \$1,025,697)	941,746	1.02%
Portuguese ec	quities – 2.03% (30 June 2022: 2.68%)		
86,921	Jeronimo Martins SGPS SA	1,872,402	2.03%
•	ese equities (30 June 2022: \$2,697,436)	1,872,402	2.03%
Russian equit	ies – 0.00% (30 June 2022: 0.00%)		
143,452	Gazprom OAO	_	_
8,952	Magnit GDR	_	_
2,682	Polyus PJSC	-	_
16,499	TCS Group Holding PLC	-	-
	equities (30 June 2022: \$0)	-	-
Singaporean e	equities – 0.53% (30 June 2022: 0.62%)		
9,327	Sea Ltd	485,284	0.53%
·	rean equities (30 June 2022: \$623,603)	485,284	0.53%
South African	equities - 5.49% (30 June 2022: 3.61%)		
46,674	Anglogold Ashanti Ltd	903,211	0.98%
123,748	Harmony Gold Mining Company Ltd	427,691	0.46%
176,009	Hosken Consolidated Investments Ltd	1,619,064	1.76%
3,209	Naspers Ltd - N Shares	532,723	0.58%
124,473	Remgro Ltd	973,284	1.05%
233,465	Sibanye Stillwater Ltd	613,675	0.66%
Total South Af	rican equities (30 June 2022: \$3,640,606)	5,069,648	5.49%
Swiss equities	s – 1.74% (30 June 2022: 0.00%)		
877,873	Africa Oil Corp	1,610,397	1.74%
Total Swiss ed	uities (30 June 2022: \$0)	1,610,397	1.74%

Schedule of Investments (continued) As at 31 December 2022

		Fair Value	% of
Shares/Nomina	I Security	USD	Net Assets
Financial assets	s at fair value through profit or loss (continued)		
Equities - 93.31	% (30 June 2022: 93.18%) (continued)		
Taiwan equities	- 8.58% (30 June 2022: 8.46%)		
179,939	Hon Hai Precision Industry Co	584,953	0.63%
105,573	MediaTek Inc	2,147,154	2.33%
355,939	TSMC	5,194,795	5.62%
•	uities (30 June 2022: \$8,524,602)	7,926,902	8.58%
Thai equities –	1.52% (30 June 2022: 1.88%)		
329,323	Kasikornbank PCL	1,405,449	1.52%
,	ies (30 June 2022: \$1,894,924)	1,405,449	1.52%
Turkish equities	s – 0.52% (30 June 2022: 0.62%)		
65,743	BIM Birlesik Magazalar	480,823	0.52%
Total Turkish ed	quities (30 June 2022: \$623,577)	480,823	0.52%
UK equities – 4.	15% (30 June 2022: 5.43%)		
18,055	BHP Group PLC	558,346	0.60%
35,731	British American Tobacco PLC	1,410,881	1.53%
1,766,742	Eco Atlantic Oil & Gas Ltd	393,294	0.42%
208,623	Glencore Xstrata PLC	1,398,409	1.51%
26,650	Polymetal International PLC	78,727	0.09%
Total UK equition	es (30 June 2022: \$5,471,103)	3,839,657	4.15%
-	64% (30 June 2022: 2.41%)		
37,030	Freeport-McMoRan Inc	1,407,140	1.52%
79,753	Melco Resorts & Entertainment Ltd	917,160	0.99%
10,313	Philip Morris International Inc	1,043,778	1.13%
Total US equitie	es (30 June 2022: \$2,430,079)	3,368,078	3.64%
Total equities (3	30 June 2022: \$93,928,685)	86,229,203	93.31%
Preference sha	res – 4.48% (30 June 2022: 3.60%)		
Brazilian prefer	ence shares – 4.48% (30 June 2022: 3.60%)		
536,296	Banco Bradesco PN	1,536,883	1.66%
354,007	Itau Unibanco PN	1,674,077	1.81%
201,045	Petrobras PN	931,714	1.01%
•	oreference shares (30 June 2022: \$3,630,719)	4,142,674	4.48%
Total preference	e shares (30 June 2022: \$3,630,719)	4,142,674	4.48%

Schedule of Investments (continued) As at 31 December 2022

Shares/Nominal Security	Fair Value USD	% of Net Assets
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (continued)		
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	90,371,877	97.79%
Net current assets	2,044,461	2.21%
Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable participating shares	92,416,338	100.00%
Analysis of Portfolio as at 31 December 2022		
Instrument type Transferable securities and money market instruments admitted to official stock ex Cash and cash equivalents Other assets Total assets	change listing	% of Total Assets 97.62% 2.09% 0.29% 100.00%

All equities are listed on official stock exchanges.

Significant Changes in Portfolio Composition for the period ended 31 December 2022.

Description Purchases	Shares	Cost USD
Hosken Consolidated Investments Ltd	176,009	1,805,815
Africa Oil Corp	877,873	1,733,682
Ping An Insurance H	283,000	1,683,729
Eco Atlantic Oil & Gas Ltd	4,712,454	1,607,014
Pinduoduo Inc	21,764	1,581,192
Melco Resorts & Entertainment Ltd	174,850	1,392,820
Remgro Ltd	172,437	1,336,245
XPeng Inc	212,800	1,278,516
Petrobras PN	234,179	1,241,180
Meituan Company	49,200	1,107,309
Exxon Mobil Corp	11,415	1,103,428
Tencent Holdings Ltd	30,700	1,086,868
Baidu Inc	69,000	1,075,429
Regional SAB de CV	187,175	1,065,236
Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd	35,599	1,038,052
TotalEnergies SE	20,017	1,004,913
Glencore Xstrata Plc	181,703	923,832
Heineken NV	9,127	902,611
NIKE Inc	7,856	893,544
Samsung Electronics Co Preferred Stock	23,090	856,989
Sales		Proceeds USD
Sands China Ltd	788,000	1,976,469
JD.com Inc	67,600	1,883,117
Naspers Ltd - N Shares	10,429	1,715,885
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	153,000	1,642,111
Glencore Xstrata Plc	275,122	1,573,705
Wynn Macau Ltd	1,788,000	1,506,651
Ambev On Ltd	502,152	1,422,805
Petrobras PN	211,767	1,270,830
Ping An Bank Co Ltd	680,700	1,240,407
British American Tobacco PLC	29,779	1,187,789
Regional SAB de CV	187,175	1,122,395
Vale S.A	84,480	1,059,145
TotalEnergies SE	20,017	1,047,099
Exxon Mobil Corp	11,415	1,027,208
Ping An Insurance H	159,500	929,661
Credicorp Ltd	6,628	843,955
Jeronimo Martins SGPS SA	37,442	830,185
Heineken NV	9,127	814,489
ASML Holding NV	1,743	807,047
Eco Atlantic Oil & Gas Ltd	2,945,712	780,656