# **GAM Star Disruptive Growth** Institutional GBP Accumulation

Marketing Material - Data as of 31.03.2023

NAV per share GBP 48.2676

# Investment

# **Fund description**

Investment objective:

The investment objective of the Fund is to achieve capital appreciation. The Fund seeks to achieve this objective through investing primarily in equity and equity related securities (such as warrants and rights issues) of companies listed on or dealt in Recognised Markets worldwide, and up to 10% of its net assets in unlisted equities, in each case which demonstrate long term growth opportunities within sectors whose business models are driven by new technologies

Opportunities:

A highly qualified and experienced management team actively manages the Fund on the basis of a fundamental valuation

The objective is to identify the potential investments that, in the Investment manager's opinion, are most attractive and to generate

interesting and positive opportunities for investors.

The Fund invests in a broadly diversified equity universe and seeks opportunities for returns wherever they exist

Risk factors:

Currency Risk - Non Base Currency Share Class: Non-base currency share classes may or may not be hedged to the base currency of the Fund. Changes in exchange rates will have an impact on the value of shares in the Fund which are not denominated in the base currency. Where hedging strategies are employed, they may not be fully effective.

Concentration Risk: Concentration in a limited number of securities and industry sectors may result in more volatility than investing in broadly diversified Funds.

Counterparty Risk / Derivatives: If a counterparty to a financial derivative contract were to default, the value of the contract, the cost to replace it and any cash or securities held by the counterparty to facilitate it, may be lost.

Capital at Risk: All financial investments involve an element of risk. Therefore, the value of the investment and the income from it

will vary and the initial investment amount cannot be guaranteed.

Special Country Risk / China: Changes in China's political, social or economic policies may significantly affect the value of the

Fund's investments. China's tax law is also applied under policies that may change without notice and with retrospective effect.

# Risk profile



#### **Fund facts**

Fund management company GAM Fund Management Limited Investment management company GAM International Management Limited Fund managed by Mark Hawtin Legal structure UCITS

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Benchmark MSCI World Growth Index in GBP (Spliced)

Benchmark 2 MSCI World Growth Index in GBP Inception date of the fund 01.02.2011 Inception date of the class 22.06.2012 Total fund assets GBP 218.6 m

Total class assets GBP 83.8 m Base currency of the class GBP

Min investment of the class available on request Investment manager and sponsor fees 10.65% Ongoing charge 20.98% as at 31.12.2022 Performance fee calculation methodology

10% of any Share Class Return above the MSCI World Growth Index, subject to a High Water Mark Performance fee 0.00% as at 31.12.2022 financial

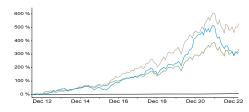
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### **Fund performance**

Performance in %	Cumulative							Annualised		
	YTD	1M	3M	1Y	3Y	5Y	Since launch	3Y	5Y	Since
Fund	7.11	2.26	7.11	-21.30	32.65	68.30	315.56	9.88	10.96	14.14
Benchmark	12.05	4.74	12.05	-3.74	57.27	114.55	529.38	16.30	16.48	18.62
Benchmark 2	12.05	4.74	12.05	-3.74	57.27	88.46	335.42	16.30	13.50	14.64
Rolling performance										
March-		201	8/	:	2019/	20	020/	2021/		2022/
March(%)		20	19		2020	2	:021	2022		2023
Fund		17.	69		7.81	74	4.80	-3.57		-21.30
Benchmark		21.	82	•	11.99	4:	2.49	14.67		-3.74
Benchmark 2		15.	09		4.12	42	2.49	14.67		-3.74

# Performance - % Growth



# Fund statistics\*

Statistic	Fund	Benchmark
Alpha (%)	-0.18	n.a.
Beta	0.91	n.a.
Correlation	0.85	n.a.
Sharpe Ratio**	0.84	1.20
Maximum drawdown	-37.07	-20.73
Annualised standard deviation (%)	16.16	14.98

Computed since inception

\*\* Risk free rate is Average GBP 1 Month Deposit Rate

# Key information regarding the share class:

As of 20.1.20, the GAM Star Technology Fund was renamed the GAM Star Disruptive Growth Fund. On 20.01.2020 the benchmark shown on this factsheet changed from MSCI World Information Technology Index in GBP to MSCI World Growth Index in GBF (Spliced) from launch. Therefore, the performance of the benchmark shown until 20.01.2020 is the performance of MSCI World Technology Index in GBP and the performance after that is the performance of MSCI World Growth Index in GBP.

Excludes administration and custodian fees.

Please see the current fund prospectus for further details on fees and charges.

# Calendar year performance



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Key to charts and tables:

AM Star Disruptive Growth - GBP Institutional; Benchmark: MSCI World Growth Index in GBP (Spliced); Benchmark 2: MSCI World Growth Index in GBP; Cash Index: Average GBP 1 Month Deposit Rate

Past performance is not an indicator of future performance and current or future trends. The performance values refer to the net asset value and are calculated without the commission and costs incurred on issue, redemption or swapping (e.g. transaction and custody costs of the investor). The fund does not include the security of capital which is characteristic of a deposit with a bank or building society. The indications are based on figures denominated in GBP. If this currency is different from the currency of the country in which the investor is resident, the return may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Indices cannot be purchased directly

# **Asset allocation**

Meta Platforms

Top 10 holdings				Currency exposure			
	Name	Industry	% of Fund	Name	% of Fund		
	Microsoft	Information Technology	7.5	US Dollar	82.8		
	Afiniti International Class C Pref.	Consumer Discretionary	5.9	Euro	5.9		
	Alphabet A	Communication Services	4.5	Pound Sterling	3.4		
	Intuitive Surgical	Healthcare	4.3	Japanese Yen	3.3		
	PTC	Information Technology	3.5	Hong Kong Dollar	2.7		
	Sensata Technologies Holding	Industrials	3.3	Other	1.8		
	BayCurrent Consulting	Industrials	3.3				
	Cloudflare	Information Technology	3.1				
	ServiceNow	Information Technology	3.1				

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## Asset allocation, continued

#### Industry breakdown

Information Technology 44.54 % Consumer Discretionary 17.23 % 14 54 % Communication Services Healthcare 8.90 % Industrials 8.80 % Financials 5.74 %

#### Geographic breakdown

United States	77.90 %	
China	8.	22 %
Germany	4	.55 %
Japan	3	3.26 %
Israel	2	2.79 %
UK		1.69 %
Norway		1.34 %

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Key to charts: Fund: GAM Star Disruptive Growth - Institutional GBP Accumulation

High water mark: the high water mark principle establishes a cap on or allows for a potential rise in performance fees. According to this principle, the investment fund manager only receives the relevant remuneration when the fund exceeds the highest level of return that it has ever achieved.

Ongoing charge: the ongoing charge is a measure of the annual expenses incurred by a fund and is expressed as a percentage. It allows an accurate comparison of the costs of funds from different

Risk rating: The summary risk indicator is a combination of a market risk measure and credit risk measure. The market risk measure is based on an annualized volatility measure, calculated over the last 5 years of history if available. Where 5 years' performance history is not available the data is supplemented by proxy fund, benchmark data or a simulated historical series as appropriate. This profile is determined using historical data, as such may not be a reliable indication for the future risk profile. The credit risk measure is assessing credit and concentration risk within the portfolio. The indicators are not guaranteed and may shift over time. The lowest category does not mean 'risk free'.

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