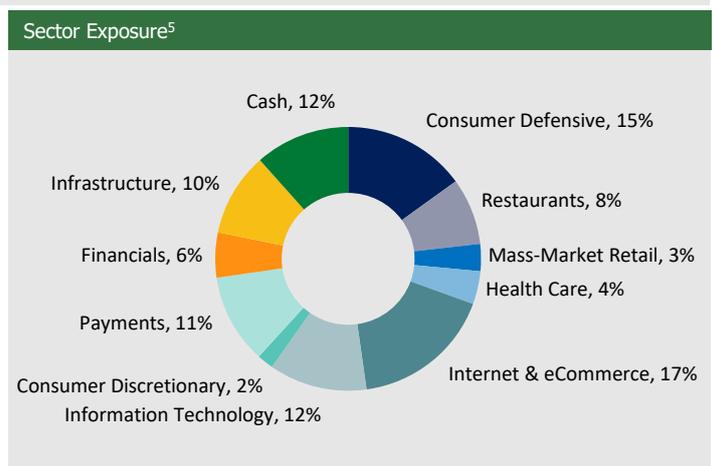


# MFG Global Sustainable (USD)

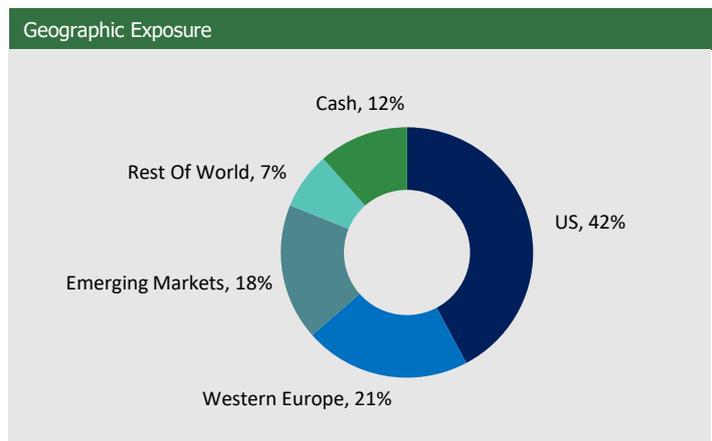
Portfolio Manager	Strategy Inception Date	Total Strategy Assets	Total Global Sustainable Assets <sup>1</sup>
Domenico Giuliano	1 October 2016	USD \$292.1 million	USD \$292.1 million

Objective	Approach
Capital preservation in adverse markets Attractive absolute risk-adjusted returns through the economic cycle  Deliver carbon intensity less than 1/3 of MSCI World	High conviction (20-50 securities), high quality focus, low turnover Dual-sleeve portfolio construction with dynamic allocation to cash (typically between 0% - 20%) Combined Risk Ratio cap of 0.8^ Integrated ESG with proprietary, multi-dimensional carbon emissions management. Certain stocks are excluded from the investment universe, including those with material exposures to gambling, alcohol, tobacco, adult entertainment and weapons, amongst other exposures as determined from time to time by MFG/Magellan

Top 10 Holdings <sup>2</sup>	Sector <sup>2</sup>	%
Alphabet Inc	Internet & eCommerce	7.7
Microsoft Corporation	Information Technology	7.5
Visa Inc	Payments	4.9
MasterCard Inc	Payments	4.7
Yum! Brands Inc	Restaurants	4.1
Novartis AG	Health Care	4.1
Unilever PLC	Consumer Defensive	3.8
Meta Platforms Inc	Internet & eCommerce	3.8
Reckitt Benckiser Group	Consumer Defensive	3.8
Nestle SA	Consumer Defensive	3.7
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>48.1</b>



Strategy Fundamentals <sup>2</sup>	Strategy
Number of Holdings	27
Carbon Intensity (CO <sub>2</sub> t/US\$1m revenue)	17
Return on Equity	33
P/E Ratio (1 year forward)	22
Interest Cover	18
Debt/Equity Ratio	85
Weighted Average Market Cap (USD million)	467,766



3 Year rolling returns <sup>3</sup> (measured monthly)	1 Year	Since Inception
<b>Against MSCI World NTR Index<sup>+</sup></b>		
No of observations	12	34
Average excess return (% p.a.) (Gross)	-3.4	0.3
Average excess return (% p.a.) (Net)	-4.3	-0.6
Outperformance consistency (Gross)	0%	50%
Outperformance consistency (Net)	0%	50%

Performance <sup>3</sup>	3 Months (%)	1 Year (%)	3 Years (% p.a.)	5 Years (% p.a.)	Since Inception (% p.a.)
Composite (Gross)	-15.2	-17.1	2.5	6.6	7.7
Composite (Net)	-15.4	-17.7	1.7	5.8	6.9
MSCI World NTR Index <sup>+</sup>	-16.2	-14.3	7.0	7.7	8.9
Excess (Gross)	1.0	-2.8	-4.5	-1.1	-1.2
MSCI World Low Carbon NTR Index <sup>+</sup>	-16.6	-15.0	7.0	7.6	8.8

Annual Performance <sup>3</sup> (%)	CYTD	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016 <sup>+</sup>
Composite (Gross)	-21.8	16.3	10.1	27.2	-1.0	21.4	0.3
Composite (Net)	-22.2	15.3	9.2	26.2	-1.8	20.4	0.1
MSCI World NTR Index <sup>+</sup>	-20.5	21.8	15.9	27.7	-8.7	22.4	1.9
Excess (Gross)	-1.3	-5.5	-5.8	-0.5	7.7	-1.0	-1.6
MSCI World Low Carbon NTR Index <sup>+</sup>	-21.0	21.5	16.5	28.5	-8.9	22.2	1.4

<sup>1</sup> Comprised of all Sustainable Strategies.

<sup>2</sup> The data is based on a representative portfolio for the strategy. Sectors are internally defined. Geographical exposure is calculated on a look through basis based on underlying revenue exposure of individual companies held within the portfolio. Exposures may not sum to 100% due to rounding. Refer to the Important Notice below for further information.

<sup>3</sup> Rolling 3-year returns are calculated and rolled monthly for the duration of each period shown. The average excess return is then calculated for each period, with the outperformance consistency indicating the percentage of positive excess returns. Strategy inception is 1 October 2016.

<sup>4</sup> Returns are for the Global Sustainable Composite and denoted in AUD. Performance would vary if returns were denominated in a currency other than AUD. Refer to the GIPS Disclosure section below for further information. Strategy inception is 1 October 2016. Composite (Net) returns are net of fees charged to clients and have been reduced by the amount of the highest fee charged to any client employing that strategy during the period under consideration. Actual fees may vary depending on, among other things, the applicable fee schedule and portfolio size. Fees are available upon request.

<sup>^</sup> Combined risk ratio is a measure of relative beta and relative drawdown to MSCI World NTR USD Index<sup>+</sup>. Please contact MFGAM should you wish for further details on the calculation.

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\* Returns are only for part year.

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The representative portfolio for the Global Sustainable strategy changed on 1 November 2020 following the removal of the additional ESG exclusions from the previous representative portfolio.

USD is the currency used to calculate performance.

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## Market Commentary

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Global stocks fell for a second consecutive quarter in the three months to June after central banks tightened monetary policy to combat inflation, concerns grew the higher interest rates could pummel the US and global economies, doubts returned about the stability of the eurozone, and companies reported disappointing earnings and warned of pressure on margins. During the quarter, all of the 11 sectors fell in US-dollar terms. Consumer discretionary (-24%) fell the most while energy (-5.1%) fell least. The Morgan Stanley Capital International World Index dived 16% in US dollars.

US stocks dropped as disappointing earnings (especially from retailers) added to pessimism that higher interest rates could send the US economy into recession. Inflation around 40-year highs prompted the Federal Reserve to deliver the first of two rate rises (that boosted the US cash rate by 1.25% to a range of 1.5% to 1.75%) in what is thought to be a series of rate increases that are expected to boost the key rate to above 3% by year end. As the University of Michigan consumer sentiment index slid to its lowest since the survey began in 1952 and mortgages surged to 14-year highs as the Fed commenced 'quantitative tightening' (asset selling), Fed chair Jerome Powell warned the country must accept a higher risk of recession to curb inflation. A report in June showed US inflation reached 8.6% in the 12 months to May, its fastest since 1981. Another report showed the US economy unexpectedly shrank at an annualised pace of 1.6% in the first quarter, whereas investors had expected a gain of 1.1%. The S&P 500 Index shed 16%.

European stocks slid as eurozone inflation set fresh record highs, the European Central Bank warned of tighter monetary policy and held an 'emergency meeting' to deal with the consequences, the European Commission downgraded growth forecasts and increased inflation predictions due to the energy crisis worsened by the Ukraine war, and the UK economic outlook crumbled. As a report showed eurozone inflation sped to 8.1% in the 12 months to May, ECB President Christine Lagarde warned the central bank's experiment with negative interest rates would end by September. The ECB held an unscheduled meeting to alleviate concerns that higher borrowing costs for indebted countries could destabilise the eurozone – the ECB said it would come up with a plan to control sovereign yields. On June 30, indebted Italy sold government 10-year bonds at 3.47%, the highest yields since 2014. The EC reduced its growth forecasts for the EU and euro area for 2022 to 2.7% from 4% previously and said inflation would exceed 6% over the year. A report showed the eurozone economy grew 0.6% in the first quarter. In the UK, the Bank of England raised its key rate for a fifth consecutive month by 0.25%, to boost the key rate to 1.25%, and warned the economy would contract. In political news, Emmanuel Macron in April defeated Marine Le Pen in the French presidential elections, to make Macron the first head of state to be re-elected since Jacques Chirac in 2002. But in June France was said to have become 'ungovernable' when Macron's centrist Ensemble (Together) alliance lost its parliamentary majority in general elections that saw the far left and far right thrive, the first such defeat for a president in the fifth republic that began in 1958. The Euro Stoxx 50 Index lost 12%.

Japan's Nikkei 225 Index shed 5.1% as a report showed the Omicron variant caused growth to contract at an annualised rate of 1% in the first quarter and an energy crisis loomed. Australia's S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index dived 12% after iron ore prices slid and the Reserve Bank of Australia raised its key rate by 0.75% in two steps to combat inflation running at 5.1%, as the Australian Labor Party in national elections secured government after nine years in opposition. China's CSI 300 Index jumped 6.2% as Beijing implemented monetary and fiscal stimulus and large cities reopened after lockdowns enforced under a zero-covid policy. The MSCI Emerging Markets Index tumbled 12% in US dollars as the higher US dollar put pressure on countries with large debts denominated in the US currency and a global economic slowdown loomed.

## Strategy Commentary

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The strategy recorded a negative return for the quarter. Among the biggest detractors as a rise in government bond yields applied a greater discount to future profits were the investments in Netflix, Alphabet and Meta Platforms. Netflix dived after the streaming service reported an unexpected decline in subscribers during the first quarter, when 200,000 people cancelled their subscriptions. Alphabet, the parent of Google, dropped after first-quarter revenue growth of 20% disappointed due to poorer-than-expected ad sales in Europe and on YouTube. Meta, the owner of Facebook, fell on concerns that a possible recession might reduce advertising volumes, Apple's privacy changes would erode its capabilities to target online ads, and TikTok's popularity was lowering user time for its younger users.

The biggest contributors as defensives outperformed cyclicals were the investments in Reckitt of the UK and Unilever. Reckitt gained after the consumer-goods company in the first quarter raised the prices of its goods by enough to protect margins from rising input prices. Unilever, the Anglo-Dutch multinational, did likewise.

*Index movements and stock contributors/detractors are based in local currency terms unless stated otherwise.*