

# August 2024 TT SUSTAINABLE EM FUND

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# Strategy Information

#### **Target Return**

5% outperformance per annum on a three-year rolling basis

#### **Typical tracking error** 6-10%

**Comparative Benchmark** 

MSCI EM ex Fossil Fuels

Portfolio Manager Robert James | Diego Mauro | Assisted by: Basak Yeltekin, Head of ESG

### Assets under management

Strategy: USD 3,210,465,746
Inception October 2022

Vehicles Irish UCITS | Separate account

## **Fund Facts**

#### Fund name

TT Sustainable Emerging Markets Fund
(a sub-fund of TT International Funds plc
("the Company"))
Inception October 2022

Assets under management

## USD 9,493,366

**Published NAV** Bloomberg | www.ise.ie

**Base currency USD** 

## **Currency share classes**

USD, EUR, GBP (available as distribution or accumulation)

Minimum investment amounts (USD, EUR, GBP)

USD, EUR, GBP : 100,000 Additional share classes available.

**Pricing / liquidity** 

Daily

IDs Bloomberg: TTEOA2E ID | ISIN:

IE000K6V22Q0 Current NAV per share USD

Fees

Management: 0.8% p.a. Operating expenses: 0.50% (30/06/2024)

Auditor

**Deloitte & Touche** 

Administrator

Northern Trust

## **Registered countries**

Austria, Denmark (Inst.), Finland, Germany, Ireland, Italy (Inst.), Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway (Inst.), Singapore (Inst.), Spain, Sweden, Switzerland (Qual.) and United Kingdom The TT Sustainable Emerging Markets Equity strategy aims to outperform its benchmark, MSCI Emerging Markets ex Fossil Fuels Index, by 5% per annum over rolling three-year periods. It is an actively managed core Emerging Market equity strategy which utilises a combination of 'top-down' analysis with 'bottom-up' stock

# selection in its investment process.

Fund Performance (%)					
Past performance does not predict future returns					
	Fund Gross	Fund Net	Index*	Gross Rel.*	Net Rel.*
August	2.31	2.20	1.61	0.69	0.58
3 Months	5.37	5.04	6.33	-0.90	-1.22
YTD	12.20	11.17	9.57	2.40	1.46
1 Year	19.49	17.81	14.89	4.00	2.54
Incep.	19.14	17.46	15.56	3.09	1.63

The following information is in addition to, and should be read only in conjunction with, the performance data presented above.

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	Fund	Fund		Gross	Net
	Gross	Net	Index*	Rel.*	Rel.*
2024	12.20	11.17	9.57	2.39	1.46
2023	10.94	9.30	9.42	1.39	-0.10
2022	12.44	12.04	10.11	2.12	1.75
			Fund	Ir	ndex*
Tracking error:	ex ante	(%)	6.75		N/A
Beta			1.07		1.00
Active Share (%	)		75.17		N/A
Number of Holdings			50	1	L,236

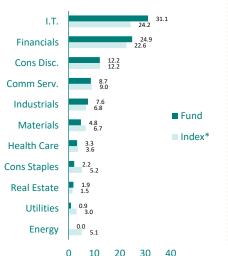
# Cumulative Performance (%)



# Top 10 Holdings (%)

	Fund	Index*	Active position
TSMC	9.8	10.2	-0.4
Tencent	8.1	4.5	3.6
Samsung Electronics	7.9	4.2	3.6
Galicia	4.8	0.0	4.8
ASE Technology	4.0	0.2	3.7
Mediatek	3.3	0.8	2.4
Axis Bank	2.8	0.4	2.4
Capstone Copper Corp	2.8	0.0	2.8
Kotak Mahindra Bank	2.5	0.3	2.2
SK Hynix	2.4	1.0	1.4

## Sector Allocation (%)



10 20 30 40

Source: TT International, MSCI \*MSCI EM ex Fossil Fuels \*\*Adjusted for the underlying country of risk for off-BM securities There is no sources in international, inscribed and international and international and international internatio (iv) assume reinvestment of portfolio distributions. This information may not be representative of the fund's current or future investments. TT will make available further information concerning such data, upon request.

All data stated is as at 31 Aug 2024.



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## TT International

Total assets under management USD 5,319,512,226

Locations London, New York and Hong Kong

www.ttint.com

## Investment Strategy

We believe that EMs are structurally inefficient, thereby offering attractive rewards to successful active managers. Such inefficiencies are principally due to: insufficient analysis of the interplay between top-down and bottom-up factors; the under-researched nature of numerous EM companies; and behavioural biases stemming from the skewed index composition.

We also believe that powerful secular growth opportunities exist in Emerging Markets, which are often overlooked by traditional and quantitative strategies, and that the best returns are made by consistently investing in undervalued growth companies.

To exploit these inefficiencies and opportunities, we systematically apply a rigorous investment process, which aims to identify attractively valued companies in the context of their assets or earnings, verify their investment case via a variety of different sources, and identify the catalyst that will release value.

The key features of this process are:

- Strong top-down / bottom-up linkage with rigorous fundamental stock selection
- High active share and high conviction portfolio typically 40-50 stocks
- A specific focus on Free Cash Flow in order to understand the potential for the company to grow, and ultimately to return capital to shareholders.
- Active currency management to manage risk and add alpha

The Sustainable EM strategy follows an identical approach to that of TT's standard EM process, which has consistently added value for investors since 2011. However, recognising that there is increasing investor focus and capital flows towards EM companies that display strong ESG credentials, TT's Sustainable EM strategy has the following additional features:

- Focuses on companies that are making positive contributions to the UN Sustainable Development Goals
- Excludes companies that derive >10% of their revenues from fossil fuels & related sectors, tobacco, cannabis, alcoholic beverages, gambling, weapons, and adult entertainment
- Qualifies as a Light Green (Article 8) Fund, under SFDR classification

# Why TT?

TT International offers a range of long-only and hedge fund strategies designed to meet clients' investment objectives and risk budgets. We have over 30 years' experience of conviction investing and a strong track record of delivering compelling risk-adjusted returns.

TT manages assets for a growing institutional client base, which is increasingly diverse in type and location.

To align our interests, TT's investment teams are compensated based on the returns they deliver to clients, and many of our employees also invest their own assets alongside those of our clients.

Furthermore, we believe that investment performance suffers from diseconomies of scale if assets under management grow too large. We therefore limit capacity in all of our products, enabling us to remain nimble and maximising our chances of success. Rather than simply being asset gatherers, we pride ourselves on our investment-led culture that focuses on doing what is right for existing clients.

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## Additional Fund Performance Information:

Fund 12-Month Discrete Periods (%)			
	Sep 23 - Aug 24		
Gross of fees	19.5		
Net of fees	17.8		
Index	14.9		
Relative (gross)	4.0		
Relative (net)	2.5		

#### Important Information

#### **Shareholder Rights**

A Prospectus is available for the Fund and Key Investor Information Documents (KIIDs) are available for each share class of each the sub-funds of the Fund.

The Fund's Prospectus can be obtained from www.ttint.com/fund-documentation/ and is available in English.

The KIIDs can be obtained from www.ttint.com/fund-documentation/ and are available in one of the official languages of each of the EU Member States into which each sub-fund has been notified for marketing under the Directive 2009/65/EC (the UCITS Directive).

In addition, a summary of investor rights is available from www.ttint.com/fund-documentation/. The summary is available in English.

The sub-funds of the Fund are currently notified for marketing into a number of EU Member States under the UCITS Directive. The Fund can terminate such notifications for any share class and/or sub-fund of the Fund at any time using the process contained in Article 93a of the UCITS Directive.

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Switzerland: Prospectus, Key Investor Information Documents, Articles of Association, annual and semi-annual reports of the Fund may be obtained free of charge from the Swiss Representative (First Independent Fund Services AG, Klausstrasse 33, 8008 Zurich) and Paying Agent (NPB New Private Bank Ltd, Limmatquai 1, CH-8024 Zurich).

#### Additional risks

FDI Risk: FDI may fluctuate in value rapidly and leverage through FDI may cause losses that are greater than the original amount paid for the relevant FDI.

Operational Risk: human error, system and/process failures, inadequate procedures or control may cause losses to the Fund.

Liquidity Risk: the Fund may have difficulty buying or selling certain securities readily which may have a financial impact on the Fund. Credit/Counterparty Risk: a party with whom the Fund contracts for securities may fail to meet its obligations (e.g. fail to pay principal or interest or to settle an FDI) or become bankrupt, which may expose the Fund to a financial loss.

For more information on these and other risk factors that apply to the Fund, see the section entitled "Risk Factors" in the Prospectus.