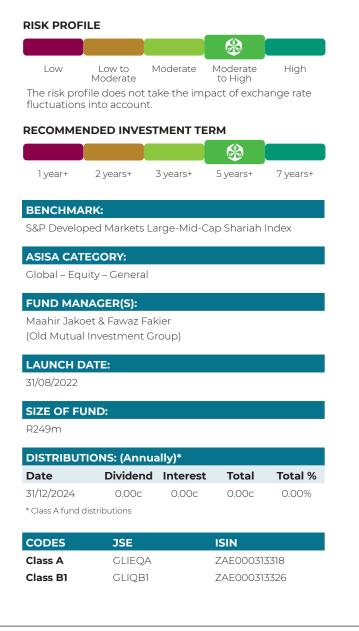
## FUND INFORMATION \_



## FUND OBJECTIVE

The investment objective of the Old Mutual Global Islamic Equity Feeder Fund is to maximise total return for investors by primarily gaining exposure to the Old Mutual Global Islamic Equity Fund. This Fund offers investors exposure to a broad spectrum of Shari'ah compliant global equity securities. The Fund shall not make investments in companies that conduct its core business in Shari'ah prohibited activities. Such activities include (but may not be limited to) conducting business in relation to alcohol, entertainment (pornography, gambling, etc) non-halaal related products, weapons and companies whose source of income is generated by interest. The Portfolio adheres to the standards of the Accounting and Auditing Organisation for Islamic Financial Institutions (AAOIFI) as interpreted by the Shari'ah Supervisory Board.

#### WHO IS THIS FUND FOR?

This fund suits investors seeking long term capital growth in an ethical, diversified investment through exposure to Shariah compliant developed market equities. These investors can tolerate stock market and currency volatility.

### INVESTMENT MANDATE

Apart from assets in liquid form and exchange rate swaps, the fund only holds participatory interests in the Old Mutual Global Islamic Equity Fund which primarily consists of securities approved by the Shariah Supervisory Board. Only derivatives structured in a shariah compliant manner may be used for efficient portfolio management purposes.

## **REGULATION 28 COMPLIANCE**

The fund aims to offer exposure to a specific asset class. It holds a higher allocation to both international assets and equities than what is allowed in terms of Regulation 28 of the Pension Funds Act. This fund is therefore not Regulation 28 compliant.

## CONTACT DETAILS

Funds are also available via Old Mutual Wealth.

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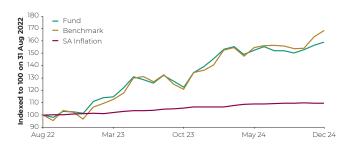
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## FUND PERFORMANCE AS AT 31/12/2024

#### PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION



Past performance is no indication of future performance.

	% Performance (Annualised)					
	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	7-Yr	10-Yr	Since Inception <sup>1</sup>
Fund (Class A)	14.3%	-	-	-	-	22.0%
Fund (Class B1) <sup>2</sup>	14.8%	-	-	-	-	22.5%
Benchmark	23.7%	12.3%	20.7%	20.3%	18.0%	25.0%

<sup>1</sup> Performance since inception of the fund.

<sup>2</sup> Class B1 is available through investment platforms such as Old Mutual Wealth.

The benchmark returns of this fund are lagged by one day in order to align with the pricing of the fund. Performance measurements over periods shorter than the recommended investment term may not be appropriate. Past performance is no indication of future performance. Fund returns are net of fees and measured against the benchmark.

## FUND COMPOSITION -

Canada

Denmark

Australia

Spain

Other

Finland

Sweden

Italy

Germany

Hong Kong

United Kingdom 1.3%

Switzerland

Korea

### **ASSET & PERCENTAGE ALLOCATION**

4.9%

41%

2.6%

1.6%

1.5% 1.4%

1.4%

0.8%

0.7%

0.7%

0.2%

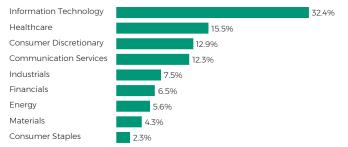
Old Mutual Global Islamic Equity Fund 98.3% Liquid Assets 1.7% COUNTRY ALLOCATION United States 72.9% Japan 5.6%

Risk Statistics (Since Inception)	
Maximum Drawdown	-7.4%
Months to Recover	2
% Positive Months	64.3%
Annual Standard Deviation	13.4%
Sharpe Ratio	1.07

Risk statistics are calculated based on monthly performance data from inception of the fund.

Fund (Since Inception) 37.2% 24.7%	14.3%

## SECTOR ALLOCATION



## PRINCIPAL HOLDINGS

Holding	% of Fund
Alphabet Inc	5.6%
Nvidia	5.2%
Meta Platforms	5.1%
Apple Computer	4.5%
Microsoft Corporation	3.2%
Applied Materials	3.2%
Visa	2.7%
Novo Nordisk	2.6%
Booking Holdings	2.5%
Lilly (Eli) & Company	2.5%



## PORTFOLIO MANAGERS COMMENTARY

OLD MUTUAL INVESTMENT GROUP



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In 2024, Global equities were up 17.5% (in US dollar) despite losing ground over the quarter (down 1% in US dollar). This was led by the US, which gained 24.5% (in US dollar) over the year and follows last year's 20% plus return from the index. The last time this occurred in two consecutive years was the late 1990s. While interest rate cuts around the world meant financials did well globally, a large part of the performance is due to a surging Magnificent Seven. These US mega caps were up 67% (in US dollar) this year. This meant Growth outperformed Value significantly again (24% vs 11% in US dollar) and the US dollar had another year of strength against most currencies.

Over the quarter, as Trump started to take the lead in and eventually be elected the next US president, global bonds sold off significantly (Bloomberg Global Aggregate down 5% in US dollar) given his likely inflationary policies. For the year, even though global credit spreads tightened over the year, global bonds were down 1.7% in US dollar for the year.



The fund underperformed its benchmark

over the quarter. The top sector contributors

were the underweight in materials and the

overweight in communication services. The

contributors to alpha within these sectors

were the overweight in Packaging Corp and

the overweight in Alphabet. In contrast, the

underweight in information technology and

overweight in consumer discretionary detracted

from performance, specifically within these

sectors, the overweight exposure to Arista

Networks and underweight Tesla respectively.

The fund's objective is to only invest Shari'ah-

compliant equities, which are approved by

the Shari'ah board. The fund employs a

systematic approach to investing and has

positive exposure to businesses with Quality

Value and Growth characteristics, and delivers

returns by maintaining and capitalising on

As a result, the fund remains underweight

the US and underweight tech and has an

overweight exposure to the communication

these risk premia over time.

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services sector. The US stock market sentiment has become stretched as the S&P 500 trades at above 21x forward earnings, this is more than 25% pre-pandemic levels. This sky-high optimism warrants caution and, furthermore, a quality portfolio.

We need to observe the markets with caution as our proprietary in-house quant Macroeconomic indicators point us to an early slowdown; therefore, we remain cautious about global growth. The fund's dominant style exposure is to quality, which is more defensive and should hold up well in an environment of higher volatility. Historically when interest rates are being cut and bond yield decline then Quality tends to outperform Value.

We are comfortable with a large absolute weight to the US, as US equities tend to do better in a slowdown. Furthermore, we could potentially witness, a reduction in US tax rates, deregulation, and trade policies to help US manufacturing when Trump steps into office.

Source: Old Mutual Investment Group as at 31/12/2024

## OTHER INVESTMENT CONSIDERATIONS

ONGOING		
	Class A	Class B1
Annual service fees (excl. VAT)	0.80%	0.45%

Please note: Class B1 is available through investment platforms such as Old Mutual Wealth.

The fee is accrued daily and paid to the management company on a monthly basis. Other charges incurred by the fund, and deducted from its portfolio, include audit, custodian and trustee charges and service fees of collective investment schemes in which the fund holds interests. These are included in the TER.

	36 M	36 Months		12 Months	
Total Expenses (Incl. Annual Service Fee) (30/09/2024)	Class A	Class B1	Class A	Class B1	
Total Expense Ratio (TER) Incl. VAT	1.78%	1.37%	1.78%	1.37%	
Transaction Cost (TC)	0.13%	0.13%	0.13%	0.13%	
Total Investment Charge	1.91%	1.50%	1.91%	1.50%	

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TER is a historic measure of the impact the deduction of management and operating costs has on a fund's value. A higher TER does not necessarily imply a poor return, nor does a low TER imply a good return. The current TER, which includes the annual service fee, may not necessarily be an accurate indication of future TERs. Transaction Cost (TC) is a necessary cost in administering the fund and impacts fund returns. It should not be considered in isolation as returns may be impacted by many other factors over time including market returns, the type of fund, the investment decisions of the investment manager and the TER.

## MINIMUM INVESTMENTS \_

Monthly: R500 Lump sum: R10 000

Ad hoc: R500 (in addition to your monthly or lump sum investment)

\* These investment minimums are not limited to this fund. They can be apportioned across the funds you have selected in your investment contract.

#### LOW BALANCE CHARGE

Effective from 31 March 2025, a Prescribed Minimum Balance of R10 000 per fund per investment contract will apply. Failure to maintain the Prescribed Minimum Balance in any such fund will result in a Low Balance Charge\* of R30 per month excluding VAT being incurred. However, if there is an existing monthly debit order of a minimum of R500 into each underlying fund within your investment contract, the Low Balance Charge will not apply. Please refer to the link for a full disclosure on how the Low Balance Charge will apply to your investments. \*This charge will not apply if investing via investment platforms such as Old Mutual Wealth.

#### **INITIAL CHARGES (Incl. VAT):**

Initial adviser fee will be between 0% and 3.45%.

## DISCLOSURES -

We aim to treat our clients fairly by giving you the information you need in as simple a way as possible, to enable you to make informed decisions about your investments.

- We believe in the value of sound advice and so recommend that you consult a financial planner before buying or selling unit trusts. You may, however, buy and sell without the help of a financial planner. If you do use a planner, we remind you that they are entitled to certain negotiable planner fees or commissions.
- Investments in unit trusts should ideally be a medium- to long-term strategy that takes cognisance of the Recommended Investment Term
  of each individual fund as stipulated in its Minimum Disclosure Document. A fund's or an investment strategy's ability to provide benchmark
  performance, or to achieve its performance target over its Recommended Investment Term on a net of fee basis may be impacted by market
  illiquidity, differences in fund and market pricing points, concentration risk and other local (and where applicable global) events, such as
  market- and political developments, macro-economic factors and healthcare risks such as Covid-19, amongst others. Your fund value may
  therefore go up or down and the investment capital or return on your investment is not guaranteed. How a fund has performed in the past
  does not necessarily indicate how it will perform in the future.
- The fund fees and costs that we charge for managing your investment are disclosed in this Minimum Disclosure Document (MDD) and in the table of fees and charges, both of which are available on our public website or from our contact centre.
- Additional information of the proposed investment, including brochures, application forms and annual or quarterly reports, can be obtained, free of charge, from Old Mutual Unit Trust Managers (RF) (Pty) Ltd, from our public website at <u>www.oldmutualinvest.com</u> or our contact centre on 0860 234 234.
- Our cut-off time for client instructions (e.g. buying and selling) is at 15:00 each working day for all our funds, except for our money market funds, where the cut-off is at 12:30.
- The valuation time is set at 15:00 each working day for all our funds, excluding our money market funds which is at 13:00, to determine the daily ruling price (other than at month-end when we value the Old Mutual Index Funds and Old Mutual Multi-Managers Fund of Funds range at 17:00 close). Daily prices are available on the public website and in the media.
- Unit trusts are traded at ruling prices, may borrow to fund client disinvestments and may engage in scrip lending. The daily ruling price is based on the current market value of the fund's assets plus income minus expenses (NAV of the portfolio) divided by the number of units on issue.
- Excessive daily withdrawals from the fund may place the fund under liquidity pressures. In such circumstances a process of ring-fencing of withdrawal instructions and/or managed payouts over time may be followed.
- This fund holds assets in foreign countries and therefore it may have risks regarding liquidity, the repatriation of funds, political and macroeconomic situations, foreign exchange, tax, settlement, and the availability of information.
- A feeder fund is a portfolio that invests in a single fund which levies its own charges. This could result in a higher fee structure for the feeder fund.
- The Net Asset Value to Net Asset Value figures are used for the performance calculations. The performance quoted is for a lump sum investment. The performance calculation includes income distributions prior to the deduction of taxes and distributions are reinvested on the ex-dividend date. Performances may differ as a result of actual initial fees, the actual investment date, the date of reinvestment and dividend withholding tax. Annualised returns are the weighted average compound growth rates over the performance period measured. Performances are in ZAR and as at 31 December 2024. Sources: Morningstar and Old Mutual Investment Group (FSP no. 604).

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