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This Product Highlights Sheet is an important document.

- It highlights the key terms and risks of this investment product and complements the Singapore Prospectus<sup>1</sup>.
- It is important to read the Singapore Prospectus before deciding whether to purchase the product. If you do not have a copy, please contact us to ask for one.
- You should not invest in the product if you do not understand it or are not comfortable with the accompanying risks.
- If you wish to purchase the product, you will need to make an application in the manner set out in the Singapore Prospectus.

# Manulife Global Fund (the "Fund") - Asian Short Duration Bond Fund (the "Sub-Fund")

Product Type	Investment Company The Shares are Excluded Investment Products	Launch Date	20 September 2021 <sup>2</sup>
Manager (termed as "Management Company")	Manulife Investment Management (Ireland) Limited	Custodian (termed as "Depositary")	Citibank Europe plc, Luxembourg Branch
Investment Manager	Manulife Investment Management (Hong Kong) Limited	Dealing Frequency	Every Dealing Day
Capital Guaranteed	No	Expense Ratio for Financial Year Ended 30 June 2024	0.99% - 1.27%³

## **PRODUCT SUITABILITY**

#### WHO IS THIS PRODUCT SUITABLE FOR?

This Sub-Fund is only suitable for investors who:

- seek income and/or long-term capital appreciation through investing primarily in a portfolio of debt securities issued or guaranteed by governments, agencies, supra-nationals and corporations in Asia (which, for the purpose of this Sub-Fund, shall include Australia and New Zealand); and
- are comfortable that the price and value of the Shares as well as any derived or accrued income may fall or rise, with potential loss of the original amount invested.

Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt on whether the Sub-Fund is suitable for them.

Refer to paragraph 6.2 "Investment Objective and Policy of the Sub-Funds" of the Singapore Prospectus and Appendix 1 "Information on the Sub-Funds" of the Luxembourg Prospectus for further information on product suitability.

## **KEY PRODUCT FEATURES**

### WHAT ARE YOU INVESTING IN?

- You are investing in a Sub-Fund of Manulife Global Fund, an umbrella structured, open-ended investment company which qualifies as a société d'investissement à capital variable under the law of 10 August 1915, as amended, of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg. The Fund qualifies as a UCITS.
- Under normal circumstances, the Sub-Fund intends to declare interim dividends
  at least once every calendar month after the end of the relevant calendar month,
  or at other time(s) to be determined by the Directors, upon the commencement
  of dealing in this Class of Shares. The amount of dividends (if any) is not
  guaranteed. No dividends will be paid for Class AA Acc, Class AA (SGD Hedged)
  Acc, Class I6 Acc and Class I6 (SGD Hedged) Acc Shares.
- In respect of MDIST (G) Shares of the Sub-Fund, dividends will be distributed
  out of realized gains, capital and/or gross income while charging all or part of
  their fees and expenses to capital (i.e. payment of fees and expenses out of
  capital).

Refer to paragraph 1.1 "The Company" of the Singapore Prospectus and Appendix II "Statutory and General Information" of the Luxembourg Prospectus for further information on features of the product.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Singapore Prospectus is available for collection during normal business hours from the Singapore Representative at 8 Cross Street, #16-01 Manulife Tower, Singapore 048424 or its appointed distributors.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Earliest Class incepted. Please refer to the Singapore Prospectus for the inception date of each Class.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Please refer to the Singapore Prospectus for the expense ratio of each Class.

 Any distribution involving payment or effective payment of dividends out of the Sub-Fund's capital may result in an immediate decrease in the NAV per Share of the relevant Class of the Sub-Fund.

## **Investment Strategy**

- The Sub-Fund aims to provide investors with income and/or long-term capital Refer to paragraph 6.2 appreciation through investing primarily in a portfolio of debt securities issued "Investment Objective by governments, agencies, supra-nationals and corporations in Asia (which, for the purpose of this Sub-Fund, shall include Australia and New Zealand).
- The Sub-Fund will invest at least 85% of its net assets in USD-denominated debt securities listed or traded in Asia and/or issued or guaranteed by governments, agencies, supra-nationals and corporate issuers domiciled in or with substantial business interests in Asia ("Asian Debt Securities"). Debt securities include but are not limited to bonds, commercial paper, short-term bills, certificate of deposits and negotiated term deposits.
- In addition, it is the Sub-Investment Manager's intention to maintain the Sub-Fund's portfolio with an aggregate average duration of less than three years.
- The Sub-Fund may invest up to 15% of its net assets in RMB-denominated debt Sub-Fund.
   securities that are circulated in the CIBM via Bond Connect.
- The Sub-Fund may invest up to 15% of its net assets in debt securities denominated in any currency, which are not Asian Debt Securities, and/or cash and cash equivalents.

Refer to paragraph 6.2 "Investment Objective and Policy of the Sub-Funds" of the Singapore Prospectus and section 4 "Investment Objective and Investment Policy" and Appendix I "Information on the Sub-Fund" of the Luxembourg Prospectus for details on the structure of the

## **Parties Involved**

## WHO ARE YOU INVESTING WITH?

- The Asian Short Duration Bond Fund is a Sub-Fund of Manulife Global Fund.
- The Management Company and Distributor is Manulife Investment Management (Ireland) Limited.
- The Investment Manager is Manulife Investment Management (Hong Kong) Limited.
- The Sub-Investment Manager is Manulife Investment Management (Singapore) Pte. Ltd.
- The Depositary and Registrar is Citibank Europe plc, Luxembourg Branch.
- The Singapore Representative is Manulife Investment Management (Singapore) Pte. Ltd.

Refer to paragraph 3
"Management and
Administration" and
paragraph 4 "Other
Parties" of the Singapore
Prospectus and section 6
"Management and
Administration" of the
Luxembourg Prospectus
for further information on
the role and
responsibilities of these
entities and what
happens if they become
insolvent.

## **KEY RISKS**

# WHAT ARE THE KEY RISKS OF THIS INVESTMENT?

"Risk Factors" of the Singapore Prospectus and section 5 "General Risk Factors" and Appendix I "Information on the Sub-Funds" of the Luxembourg Prospectus for further information on risks of the product.

Refer to paragraph 8

The value of the Sub-Fund's assets may rise or fall due to normal market fluctuations and investors may not get back all of their investment.

# **Market and Credit Risks**

- You are exposed to investment risk. The Sub-Fund is subject to substantial
  market fluctuations and to the risks inherent in all investments. The Sub-Fund
  may fall in value and therefore investors may suffer losses.
- You are exposed to interest rate risk. When interest rates rise on certain currencies that the bonds are denominated in, the value of the bonds may reduce, resulting in a lower value for the relevant portfolio.
- You are exposed to credit risk. The Sub-Fund is exposed to the risk that a debt issuer will default or that negative perceptions of the issuer's ability to make such payments will cause the price of that bond to decline.

You are exposed to emerging markets risk. In respect of certain emerging
economies or markets in which the Sub-Fund may invest, it may be exposed
to higher risks than in developed economies or markets.

# **Liquidity Risks**

- You can only redeem your investment on Dealing Days. The Sub-Fund is not listed in Singapore and there is no secondary market for its Shares. You can only redeem your investment on a Dealing Day through the Sub-Fund.
- Your redemption request may be deferred. Redemption requests in excess of 10% of the total number of shares on any Dealing Day may be deferred to the next Dealing Day, when such redemptions will be effected in priority to later requests. Further, payment of redemption proceeds to a single Shareholder which are in excess of US\$500,000 may be deferred for up to seven Dealing Days after the relevant settlement day.

# **Product Specific Risks**

- You are exposed to risks associated with investing in China. The Sub-Fund is
  exposed to mainland China investment risks, mainland China tax, risks
  associated with investments via Bond Connect and Renminbi Currency and
  Conversion Risk.
- You are exposed to risks associated with investing in debt instruments with loss-absorption features. Debt instruments with loss-absorption features present more significant risks relative to traditional debt securities. Investments in securities with loss-absorption features may also expose investors to liquidity, valuation and sector concentration risks.
- You are exposed to financial derivative instruments (FDIs) risk. The Sub-Fund may use FDIs for the purposes of investment, efficient portfolio management and/or hedging and will therefore be subject to a greater extent to risks associated with investments in FDIs. Although the use of FDIs in general may be beneficial or advantageous, FDIs involve risks which differ from, and are, possibly, greater than the risks associated with traditional securities investments. The risks presented by FDIs include, but are not limited to, management risk, market risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and leverage risk.

# **FEES AND CHARGES**

## WHAT ARE THE FEES AND CHARGES OF THIS INVESTMENT?

Payable directly by you

Initial Charge	Up to 3% of subscription amount (except for Class I6 Shares where currently no Initial Charge is imposed)
Redemption Charge	N/A
Switching Charge	Up to 1% of the total Redemption Price payable on redeemed Shares

Refer to paragraph 7 "Fees, Charges and Expenses" of the Singapore Prospectus for further information on fees and charges.

Payable by the Sub-Fund from investment proceeds

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Management Company Fee	Prior to 1 June 2025: Up to 0.013% per annum With effect from 1 June 2025: Up to 0.04% per annum	
Management Fee (% per annum)	Class AA Shares: 0.60% of NAV* Class I6 Shares: 0.35% of NAV*	
(a) Retained by the Investment Manager	40% to 50% of the Management Fee	
(b) Paid by the Investment Manager to Singapore Distributors (trailer fee)	50% to 60%# of the Management Fee	
Formation Expenses (amortised over 5 years from inception)	Approximately US\$30,000	
Depositary Fee / Settlement Charge	Depositary Fee: From 0.003% per annum up to 0.40% per annum of the value of assets of a Sub-Fund.  Settlement Charge: From US\$6 up to US\$130 per transaction	

Administration Fee Up to 0.5% per annum of the NAV of the Fund (excluding reasonable out-of-pocket expenses)

The management company fee is paid to the Management Company and the Management Fee is paid to the Investment Manager.

- \* The management fees may be increased to a maximum of 6% p.a. of the NAV of the Sub-Fund by giving not less than three months' prior notice to the Depositary and to the Shareholders.
- \*Your Singapore Distributors are required to disclose to you the amount of trailer fee they receive from the Investment Manager. No trailer fee is paid by the Investment Manager to the Singapore Distributors for Class 16 Shares.

Investors should note that subscriptions for Shares through any Singapore Distributor may incur additional fees and charges. Investors are advised to check with the relevant Singapore Distributor if such additional fees and charges are imposed by them.

## **VALUATIONS AND EXITING FROM THIS INVESTMENT**

#### **HOW OFTEN ARE VALUATIONS AVAILABLE?**

- The Sub-Fund will be valued on every Dealing Day. The price of the Shares is quoted on a forward basis and will likely be available 1 Business Day after each relevant Dealing Day.
- The price of the Sub-Fund will be made available on the website at http://www.fundsupermart.com/main/fundinfo/dailyPrices.svdo.

HOW CAN YOU EXIT FROM THIS INVESTMENT AND WHAT ARE THE RISKS AND COSTS IN DOING SO?

- You can exit the Sub-Fund by completing a prescribed application form requesting redemption of Shares on any Dealing Day through the relevant appointed Singapore Distributor through which the Shares were purchased. Some appointed Singapore Distributors may offer a cancellation policy whereby you will not incur the initial and redemption charges (if any), if redemptions are made during the relevant period. The Fund does not offer such cancellation policy.
- You will receive the redemption proceeds within 3 Dealing Days, and in any
  event not more than 30 days, from the relevant Dealing Day provided that a
  duly completed redemption request in a prescribed format and such other
  information as may be reasonably required has been provided.
- Your redemption price is determined as follows (please note that Singapore Distributors may impose their own dealing deadlines on investors which may be earlier):
  - If you submit the redemption request for Shares before 4.00 pm Singapore time on a Dealing Day, you will be paid a price based on the NAV of the Sub-Fund at the close of that day.
  - If you submit the redemption request for Shares after 4.00 pm Singapore time, you will be paid a price based on the NAV at the close of the next day.
- The net redemption proceeds that you will receive will be the exit price multiplied by the number of Shares sold, less any charge. Currently, no redemption charge is imposed. An example is as follows:

 1,000 Shares
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 \$\$1.0500
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 \$\$1,050.00

 Redemption Request
 NAV per Share
 Gross Redemption Proceeds

 \$\$1,050.00
 Nil
 =
 \$\$1,050.00

Gross Redemption Redemption Net Redemption
Proceeds Charge Proceeds

**CONTACT INFORMATION** 

## **HOW DO YOU CONTACT US?**

For enquiries in relation to the Fund or any Sub-Fund, investors may contact the Singapore Representative at 8 Cross Street, #16-01 Manulife Tower, Singapore 048424, telephone number: (65) 6501 5438, or any appointed Singapore Distributors.

Refer to paragraph 14 "Obtaining Price Information" of the Singapore Prospectus for further details.

Refer to paragraph 11 "Redemption" of the Singapore Prospectus for further information on valuation and exiting from the product.

# **APPENDIX: GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

**Business Day:** means, in respect of each Sub-Fund, a full day on which banks in Luxembourg are open for business except that (i) any day on which any exchange or market on which a substantial portion of the relevant Sub-Fund's investments is traded in accordance with the Sub-Fund's investment objective and policy is closed, or (ii) such other day(s) as the Directors may determine, shall not be a Business Day.

**Dealing Day:** means, in respect of each Sub-Fund, any day which is a Business Day of the Sub-Fund (and a business day in the local jurisdiction in which the Sub-Fund is available for investment through distributor(s) other than the Distributor), except that (i) any day during a period of suspension of valuation of a Sub-Fund and/or (ii) such other day(s) as the Directors may from time to time determine, shall not be a Dealing Day. A list of the Business Days which will be excluded as Dealing Days for certain Sub-Funds from time to time can be obtained from the Company's website at www.manulifeglobalfund.com.

NAV: Net Asset Value.

**UCITS:** means an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities within the meaning of EC European Parliament and Council Directive 2009/65 of 13 July 2009 as may be amended from time to time.