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# **Product Key Facts**

Morgan Stanley Investment Funds **Asian Property Fund** 

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This statement provides you with key information about this product.

This statement is a part of the offering document.

You should not invest in this product based on this statement alone.

### **QUICK FACTS**

Management Company	MSIM Fund Management (Ireland) Limited
Investment Manager (Investment Adviser)	Morgan Stanley Investment Management Limited located in the United Kingdom
Sub Adviser	Morgan Stanley Investment Management Company located in Singapore (internal delegation) & Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. located in the United States of America (internal delegation)
Depositary	J.P. Morgan SE, Luxembourg Branch
Ongoing Charges over a year (*)	Classes A, AX: 1.64% Classes AH, AHX: 1.67% Classes C, CX: 2.44% Classes CH, CHX: 2.47%
Dealing frequency	Daily, each Luxembourg Business Day
Dividend Policy	No dividends will be distributed (income/capital gains will be reinvested) for classes A, AH, C, CH.  Dividends if any will be distributed semi annually for classes AHX, AX, CHX, CX.
Base currency	USD
Financial year end of this sub-fund	31 December
Min. investment	No minimum initial and additional investment amounts

<sup>(\*):</sup> The ongoing charges figure is based on the total expenses charged to each class of the sub-fund as at 31 December 2021, calculated net of any fee waivers and expressed as a percentage of average net assets for the year. This figure is based on unaudited information derived from the audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 and may vary from year to year.

# **WHAT IS THIS PRODUCT?**

Morgan Stanley Investment Funds Asian Property Fund is a sub-fund of Morgan Stanley Investment Funds which is constituted in the form of a mutual fund. It is domiciled in Luxembourg and its home regulator is the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF).

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## **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT STRATEGY**

#### **Objective**

Long term growth of your investment.

#### Strategy

At least 70% of the sub-fund's value will be invested in equities of companies in the real estate industry Located (as defined in the Prospectus) throughout Asia and Oceania and funds and trusts with exposure to the real estate industry. The sub-fund may invest in funds such as closed-end Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITS) and publicly quoted property unit trusts. Where the sub-fund invests in funds and trusts, the investor will indirectly bear the ongoing costs of those investment vehicles.

The sub-fund may invest up to 30% of its value in other investments such as convertible bonds, preference shares, warrants and other equity linked instruments and up to 20% of its value in China A-Shares via Stock Connect.

The investment process may consider information about environmental, social and governance issues (also referred to as ESG) in its bottom-up stock selection process when making investment decisions. The Sub Adviser may engage with company management regarding corporate governance practices as well as what the Sub Adviser deems to be materially important environmental and/or social issues facing a company.

Financial derivative instruments may be used for efficient portfolio management, in order to gain exposure to certain markets at a lower cost or to reduce risk. The sub-fund does not invest extensively or primarily in financial derivatives instruments for investment purposes.

For the purpose of cash management, the sub-fund may hold cash and/or invest in cash equivalents such as money market instruments or money market funds, including those managed by the Investment Adviser, Sub Adviser or advisers affiliated either to the Investment Adviser or the Sub Adviser (please refer to the Prospectus for further details).

The sub-fund measures its performance against the FTSE EPRA Nareit Developed Asia Real Estate Net Total Return Index (the "Benchmark"). The sub-fund is actively managed and is not designed to track the Benchmark. Therefore, the management of the sub-fund is not constrained by the composition of the Benchmark.

#### **USE OF DERIVATIVES / INVESTMENT IN DERIVATIVES**

The sub-fund's net derivative exposure may be up to 50% of the sub-fund's net asset value.

#### WHAT ARE THE KEY RISKS?

Investment involves risks. Please refer to the offering document including the section headed "Risk Factors" for details including the risk factors.

1. Risk of Investment in the Real Estate Industry and REITS

The value of property related securities including funds and trusts can be affected by economic, political, market and interest rate changes. Such changes may adversely affect securities, regardless of company specific performance. The risk that one or more companies in the sub-fund's portfolio will fall, or fail to rise, can adversely affect the overall portfolio performance in any given period. Generally, a rise in interest rates will increase the cost of financing which may decrease the value of the portfolio.

REITS are companies that acquire and/or develop real property for long term investment purposes. They invest the majority of their assets directly in real property and derive their income primarily from rents. By investing in REITS through the sub-fund you will bear not only the proportionate share of the management fees of the sub-fund but also indirectly, the management expenses of the underlying REITS.

The underlying REITS which the sub-fund may invest in may not necessarily be authorized by the Securities and Futures Commission and the dividend or pay out policy of the sub-fund is not representative of the dividend or pay out policy of the underlying REITS.

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### 2. Risk of Investment in Equity

Funds which invest in equity securities are subject to the volatility of the capital markets on which these securities are traded and may incur significant losses. The price of equities can be influenced by many factors at the individual company level, as well as by broader economic and political developments, including trends in economic growth, inflation and interest rates, corporate earnings reports, demographic trends and catastrophic events. The value of shares may fall in value and decrease the value of your investment as a whole.

### 3. Emerging Market Risk

The Asia and Oceania regions contain developed and emerging market economies. Investing in companies operating in emerging market economies carries a higher level of risk as political, legal and operational systems may be less developed than developed markets.

#### 4. Exchange Rate Risk

The value of your investment will be impacted by changes in the currency exchange rates between the sub-fund's base currency (US Dollars) and the currencies in which the underlying securities are denominated.

## 5. Exposure to the Euro and the Eurozone

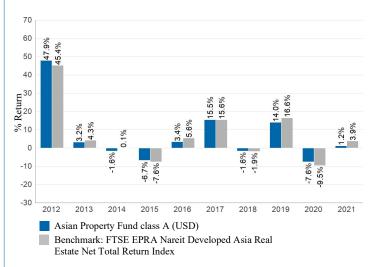
The Eurozone is an economic and monetary union of 19 European member states that have adopted the Euro as their common currency and sole legal tender. The success of the Euro and the Eurozone is therefore dependent on the general economic and political condition of each member state, as well as each state's credit worthiness and the willingness of the members to remain committed to monetary union and support for the other members. Currently, there are widely held concerns in the market regarding the credit risk associated with certain sovereigns, including some member states of the Eurozone, and the continued viability of the Eurozone.

Default by any state on its Euro debts or a material decline in the credit rating of any Eurozone state could have a material negative impact on the Company and its investments. A number of the sub-funds of the Company may operate in Euro and/or may hold Euro denominated assets either directly or as collateral. In addition, the Company's counterparties, banks, custodians and service providers may have direct or indirect exposure to these countries or currency and a default or credit decline could impact their ability to meet their obligations to and/or perform services for the Company. In the event of one or more member states exiting the Eurozone, or the abandonment of the Euro entirely, there may be material negative impact on some or all sub-funds of the Company and the value of investments, including risk of redenomination from Euro into another currency, possible capital controls and legal uncertainty as to the ability to enforce obligations and debts.

Prospective shareholders should inform themselves as to the risks surrounding the Eurozone crisis and the associated risk of an investment in the Company, taking into account the uncertainty as to how the Eurozone crisis and more general global economic situation will continue to evolve.

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### **HOW HAS THE FUND PERFORMED?**



Past performance information is not indicative of future performance. Investors may not get back the full amount invested.

The computation basis of the performance is based on the calendar year end, NAV-to-NAV, with dividend reinvested.

These figures show by how much the sub-fund increased or decreased in value during the calendar year being shown.

The sub-fund was launched in 1997.

This share class was launched in 1997.

Performance data has been calculated in USD including ongoing charges and excluding subscription fee and redemption fee you might have to pay.

The sub-fund measures its performance against the FTSE EPRA Nareit Developed Asia Real Estate Net Total Return Index.

### **IS THERE ANY GUARANTEE?**

This sub-fund does not have any guarantees. You may not get back the full amount of money you invest.

## WHAT ARE THE FEES AND CHARGES?

### Charges which may be payable by you

You may have to pay the following fees when dealing in the shares of the sub-fund.

Fee	What you pay
Subscription Fee (Sales Charge)	Up to 5.75% of the amount you buy for classes A, AH, AHX, AX. Up to 3% for classes C, CH, CHX, CX.
Switching Fee (Conversion Fee)	Usually nil, but up to 2% of the conversion value where the Management Company determine the trading activity of the investor has adversely affected other shareholders.
Redemption Fee	Usually nil, but up to 2% of the redemption value where the Management Company determine the trading activity of the investor has adversely affected other shareholders.
Contingent Deferred Sales Charges	Nil for classes A, AH, AHX, AX. Up to 1% of the amount redeemed, if the redemption is within 365 days of the date of subscription for classes C, CH, CHX, CX.

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## Ongoing fees payable by the Fund

The following expenses will be paid out of the sub-fund. They affect you because they reduce the return you get on your investments.

#### **Annual Rate**

Management Fee	<ul><li>1.40% of the average daily net assets for classes A, AH, AHX, AX.</li><li>2.20% of the average daily net assets for classes C, CH, CHX, CX.</li></ul>
Depositary Fee	The Depositary Fee will be paid out of the Administration Charge.
Performance Fee	Not applicable
Administration Charge	Currently $0.19\%$ of the average daily net assets, which is capped at the maximum annual rate of $0.25\%$ as set out in the Prospectus.

All fees and charges will remain in force for an unlimited period, and may be changed by the Management Company as set out in the Prospectus subject to obtaining the prior approval of the Securities and Futures Commission and provision of one month's prior notice to investors where there is an increase in fees and charges.

#### Other fees

You may have to pay other fees when dealing in the shares of the sub-fund.

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- You generally buy and redeem shares of the sub-fund at the sub-fund's next-determined net asset value (NAV) after the transfer agent receives your request in good order on or before 1pm (Central European Time) on the relevant dealing day. The distributors may impose earlier cut-off deadlines.
- If the sub-fund or a class of shares of the sub-fund is being held by investors of Hong Kong, the net asset value per share of the sub-fund is calculated and published daily on www.morganstanleyinvestmentfunds.com in USD.
- Investors may obtain the past performance information of other share classes offered to Hong Kong investors from www. morganstanleyinvestmentfunds.com.

#### **IMPORTANT**

If you are in doubt, you should seek professional advice.

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