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## KASIKORN ASSET MANAGEMENT CO., LTD.

Support PVD transfers

## Data as of 31 March 2025



## K Positive Change Equity RMF

## K-CHANGERMF

## Fund Type / AIMC Category

• Foreign Equity Fund / Retirement Mutual Fund (RMF) / Feeder Fund / SRI Fund

Global Equity

## Investment Policy and Strategy

• The Fund Code was renamed from KCHANGERMF on 12 March 2025.

• The Fund has sustainability objective and goal to make a positive change to social and/or environment through investing in the Master Fund that has investment policy, objective, goal and strategy consistent with the Impact Investing strategy of the Fund.

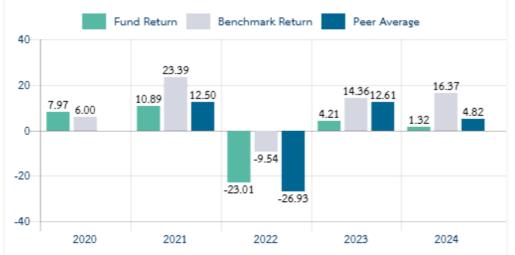
• The Fund mainly invests in Baillie Gifford Positive Change Fund - Class B accumulation (GBP) (Master Fund) which invests in the shares of companies globally whose products and/or services make a positive impact to society and/or the environment. This will include companies addressing critical challenges in areas such as, but not limited to; education, social inclusion, healthcare and the environment. The Master Fund invests in an actively managed portfolio of 25 – 50 global high quality growth companies.

• The Fund will use derivatives to hedge against exchange rate risk at fund manager's discretion.

• The Management Company of the Master Fund is Baillie Gifford & Co Limited.

• Seek to track performance of the Master Fund which applies active management strategy.

## Calendar Year Performance (% p.a.)



## Fund Performance (%)

	YTD	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year *
Fund Return	-7.82	-7.82	-2.36	-9.15
Benchmark Return	-4.55	-4.55	0.81	2.21
Peer Average	-3.12	-3.12	-3.69	-2.73
Fund Standard Deviation	20.53	20.53	19.12	18.71
Benchmark Standard Deviation	12.72	12.72	11.53	11.43
	3 Years *	5 Years *	10 Years *	Since Inception *
Fund Return	-5.97	N/A	N/A	-2.44
Benchmark Return	6.01	N/A	N/A	9.75
Peer Average	-3.11	N/A	N/A	N/A
Fund Standard Deviation	20.34	N/A	N/A	21.28
Benchmark Standard Deviation	13.05	N/A	N/A	12.67
Remark : * % p.a.				





Mainly invest in equities on average not less than 80% of NAV.

## Fund Information

Low

Inception Date	9 Nov 20
Dividend Payment Policy	No
Fund Maturity	Indefinite

### Fund Manager

Miss Veeraya Julamont (9 Nov 20)

## Benchmark :

1. MSCI ACWI Gross Total Return USD Index (100.00%) (converted to GBP and 90% adjusted by the cost of exchange rate risk hedging and converted to Thai Baht at the date of return calculation and 10% adjusted by exchange rate converted to Thai Baht at the date of return calculation)

This index is a benchmark of the Master Fund that has investment policy, objective, goal and strategy consistent with the Impact Investing strategy of the Fund.

## Warning:

Investment in Mutual Fund is not bank deposit.
Past performance is not indicative of future results.
Certified by Thai Private Sector Collective
Action Against Corruption: CAC

Investors can study Liquidity Risk Management Tools in the prospectus.



Prospectus

www.kasikornasset.com

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## K-CHANGERMF

## Subscription

Subscription date : Every trading day Business hours : 08:30 a.m. - 03:30 p.m. Min. initial subscription : 500 Baht Min. subsequent subscription : 500 Baht

## Redemption

Redemption date : Every trading day Business hours : 08:30 a.m. - 03:30 p.m. Min. redemption : 500 Baht Min. account balance : None Settlement period : T+4 (NAV Announce T+2, Settlement T+4 from 10 a.m.)

#### Remark :

## Fees charged to the Fund (% p.a. of NAV)

Fees	Max.	Actual
Management Fee	3.2100	1.2840
Total Fee	4.8685	1.3666

Remark : All Fees include VAT, specific business taxes, and other taxes.

• KAsset may consider changing the actual fees charged to reflect strategy or administrative costs.

## Fees charged to unitholders (% of trading value)

Max.	Actual
None	None
3.00	Waived
None	None
See Remark	
Actual charged	Waived
	None 3.00 None See Re

Remark : All Fees include VAT, specific business taxes, and other taxes.

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• Switching Out Fee

- Switching to KAsset's RMF : Waived

- Switching to Other AM's RMF : 1.00% of latest NAV before the switching date or switching amount, depending on the circumstances.

- Switching to KAsset's MF : Equal to the higher rate between the back-end fee of switch-out fund and the front-end fee of switch-in fund.

Asset Allocation		Top 5 Holdings	
Asset Type	% NAV	Security	% NAV
Unit Trust	98.70	Baillie Gifford Positive Change Fund	98.70
Deposit	2.65	Deposit (TMBThanachart Bank Pcl.)	2.60
Others	-1.35	Deposit (Kasikorn Bank Pcl.)	0.03
		Deposit (TMBThanachart Bank Pcl.)	0.01

## Master Fund

Security	% NAV
MercadoLibre	7.10
TSMC	5.80
ASML	4.90
Duolingo	4.80
HDFC Bank	4.40
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Master Fund Information as of 31 Mar 25

Statistical Data			
Maximum Drawdown	-40.50 %		
Recovering Period	N/A		
FX Hedging	93.91 %		
Portfolio Turnover Ratio	1.01		
Sharpe Ratio	-0.31		
Alpha	-11.98 %		
Beta	0.49		

## Country Breakdown

Country	% NAV
UNITED STATES	44.80
BRAZIL	9.90
SINGAPORE	7.00
TAIWAN, PROVINCE OF CHINA	5.80
NETHERLANDS	4.90
Master Fund Information as of 31 Mar 25	

## Sector Breakdown

Sector	% NAV
Information Technology	23.00
Financials	17.60
Industrials	16.60
Health Care	15.00
Consumer Discretionary	14.20
Master Fund Information as of 31 Mar 25	

## K-CHANGERMF

Fund Name : Baillie Gifford Positive Change Fund - Class B accumulation (GBP)

ISIN Code : GB00BYVGKV59

Bloomberg Code : BGPCBAG:LN

## Description

Maximum Drawdown is the percentage of the fund's maximum loss in the past 5 years (or since the fund's inception if it is launched for less than 5 years) which is measured from the highest NAV per unit to the lowest NAV per unit during such period. Maximum Drawdown is an indicator of the risk of loss from investing in the fund.

**Recovering Period** is the length of time that the fund takes in recovering from the point of maximum loss to earning back the initial investment.

FX Hedging is the percentage of foreign currency investment with FX hedging.

**Portfolio Turnover Ratio (PTR)** is the frequency of securities trading in the fund portfolio over a certain period, calculated by taking the lower value between the sum of the value of securities purchased and the sum of the value of securities sold of the fund in 1 year period divided by the average NAV in the same period. A fund with high Portfolio Turnover Ratio indicates frequent securities trading by fund manager resulting in high trading costs. Therefore, it is necessary to compare with the performance of the fund in order to assess the worthiness of such securities trading.

Sharpe Ratio is the ratio between marginal return of the fund compared to investment risk, calculated from the difference between the fund's rate of return and risk-free rate compared to the fund's standard deviation. Sharpe Ratio reflects the additional return that the fund should earn to compensate risk. A fund with higher Sharpe Ratio is considered having superior investment management efficiency as it generates higher marginal return under the same risk level.

Alpha is the fund's excess return compared to the benchmark. High Alpha means the fund can generate higher return than the benchmark resulting from fund manager's efficiency in selecting securities or seeking appropriate market timing.

**Beta** is level and direction of change in return of securities in portfolio in comparison to market price change. Beta of less than 1 indicates that the change in return of securities in portfolio is less than the overall market. Beta of more than 1 indicates that the change in return of securities in portfolio is greater than the overall market.

**Tracking Error** is the efficiency of the fund to imitate its return to benchmark. Low Tracking Error means the fund is effective in generating return close to benchmark. High Tracking Error means the fund generates return more deviate from benchmark.

Yield to Maturity is the rate of return earned on a bond held to maturity, calculated from the interest expected to receive in the future over that bond duration and paid back principal discounted to the present value. It is used to measure return of fixed income funds by calculating the weighted average of Yield to Maturity of each bond that the fund invests. As Yield to Maturity has standard unit in percentage per annum, it can be used to compare the returns between fixed income funds that have an investment policy of holding bonds until maturity and similar investment characteristics.

Duration and Yield to Maturity will be calculated based on direct investments.

The Investment Allocation will show only direct investments, except for Feeder Funds, which will display the information of the Master Fund.

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Factsheet





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## Additional Information of K Positive Change Equity RMF (K-CHANGERMF)

## **Investment Policy**

The Fund mainly invests in Baillie Gifford Positive Change Fund - Class B accumulation (GBP) (Master Fund), under the Baillie Gifford Investment Funds ICVC, on average in the accounting period not less than 80% of NAV. The Master Fund invests in the shares of companies anywhere in the world whose products or behavior make a positive impact on society as a whole in the Baillie Gifford & Co Limited's opinion. This will include companies addressing critical challenges in areas such as, but not limited to; education, social inclusion, healthcare and the environment. The Master Fund's portfolio will be concentrated.

## Sustainability-related investment objectives

The Fund has an objective to invest in securities that make a positive impact on society and/or the environment or represent an improvement to the status quo through investing in the Master Fund.

### Sustainability goals

The Fund aims to deliver positive change to society and/or the environment through investing in the Master Fund whose sustainability goals are consistent with the Fund.

## Investment Framework

The Fund mainly invests in the Master Fund that has investment policy, objectives, goals and strategy consistent with the Impact Investing strategy of the Fund.

## Sustainability Benchmark

The Fund's benchmark is MSCI ACWI Gross Total Return USD Index\* which is a benchmark of the Master Fund that has investment policy, objectives, goals and strategy consistent with the Impact Investing strategy of the Fund. \*Converted to GBP and 90% adjusted by the cost of exchange rate risk hedging and converted to Thai Baht at the date of return calculation and 10% adjusted by exchange rate converted to Thai Baht at the date of return calculation.

However, the Management Company reserves the right to change the Fund's benchmark according to the Master Fund. If the Master Fund changes its benchmark and/or the Fund changes the Master Fund, including changing the method of converting benchmark to be consistent with actual investment, the Management Company will announce to unitholders via the Management Company's website.

## The Master Fund's Investment policy

The Master Fund's objective is to deliver attractive long-term investment returns and contribute towards a more sustainable and inclusive world through investing in the shares of companies anywhere in the world whose products and/or services make a positive impact on society and/or environmental.

The Master Fund will invest in shares of companies anywhere in the world whose products and/or services make a positive impact on society and/or the environment in the Baillie Gifford & Co Limited's opinion. This will include companies addressing critical challenges in areas such as, but not limited to; education, social inclusion, healthcare and the environment. The Master Fund's portfolio will be concentrated in 25-50 shares of companies in the world.

## The Master Fund's Sustainability-related investment objectives

The Master Fund aims to contribute towards a more sustainable and inclusive world.

## The Master Fund's Sustainability goals

The Master Fund aims to deliver attractive long-term investment returns and deliver positive change to society and/or the environment. The Master Fund will invest in companies addressing critical challenges in areas according to impact themes, such as, Social Inclusion and Education, Environment and Resource Needs, Healthcare and Quality of Life; and Base of the Pyramid. Additionally, the Master Fund publish the Impact Report annually to illustrate how they monitor investee companies' progress towards addressing critical social and/or environmental challenges. The Master Fund engages an independent limited assurance annually to seek Limited Assurance over Selected Information contained within the Positive Change Impact Report under International Standards on Assurance Engagements (UK) 3000 which is the assurance standard for non-financial information.

## The Master Fund's Investment Framework

The Master Fund will invest at least 90% in shares of companies anywhere in the world whose products and/or services make a positive impact on society and/or the environment in the Baillie Gifford & Co Limited's opinion. Investments will be made in companies addressing critical challenges in areas according to impact themes, such as: social inclusion and education; environment and resource needs; healthcare and quality of life; and base of the pyramid. The Master Fund will be concentrated and will invest in shares of companies of any size, any country and in any sector.

## The Master Fund's Sustainability Benchmark

The Master Fund's benchmark is MSCI ACWI Gross Total Return USD Index. The MSCI ACWI Index is designed to represent performance of the full opportunity set of large- and mid-cap stocks across Developed Markets and Emerging Markets countries. The Master Fund believes that Positive Change strategy (addressing critical social and/or environmental challenges) can stand up to any of the typical global equity strategies. The Master Fund uses benchmark to aid with the measurement and management of market risk exposures after consideration of the Master Fund's investment objective, policy and risk profile. The use of benchmarks as part of the internal risk management controls is not intended to act as a target or constraint for any of the Master Fund.



# Comparison of RMF / ThaiESG

## Comparison of Retirement Mutual Funds (RMF) and Thailand ESG Funds (ThaiESG)

		RMF	ThaiESG**
?	What is it?	Mutual funds to promote retirement savings	Mutual funds to promote sustainable investing
	% Tax deduction of income	Not exceeding 30% of taxable income per year	Not exceeding 30% of taxable income per year
<u>.</u>	Maximum tax deduction amount	<b>Up to 500,000 Baht;</b> <u>Total deduction</u> for all investment amounts for retirement* must not exceed 500,000 Baht	Up to 300,000 Baht; Excluding investment amounts for retirement* For purchase of investment units between January 1, 2024 - December 31, 2026
	Eligible investment period	<b>2001 - present</b> (Investors are required to invest continuously every year or at least every alternate year)	2024 - 2026
	Investment policy	Invest in various asset classes	Invest in Thai equities and/or bonds that meet ESG criteria
	Holding period	5 years from the purchase date and the investor is age 55	At least 5 years from the purchase date For purchase of investment units between January 1, 2024 - December 31, 2026

\*Investment amounts for retirement include RMF, Provident Fund (PVD), Government Pension Fund (GPF), annuity life insurance premiums, Private Teacher Aid Fund under the Private School Act, and National Savings Fund (NSF).

\*\*For purchase of ThaiESG funds before January 1, 2024, and/or between January 1, 2027 - December 31, 2032, investors will be eligible for a tax deduction of up to 30% of their taxable income, applicable only to the proportion not exceeding 100,000 Baht, provided that the investment units are held for at least 8 years from the purchase date.

Information as of December 26, 2024. Should there be any changes, the company will update the information and announce it through the website www.kasikornasset.com. Investors are advised to comply with the rules specified in the investment prospectus of each fund and the Revenue Department's regulations.

## Important note regarding non-compliance with investment conditions



In case of non-compliance with RMF investment conditions, and investment units are held for less than 5 years (from the purchase date)

- 1. All tax benefits previously received must be repaid. If the tax repayment is delayed, investors will be subject to a charge of 1.50 percent per month, <u>calculated retroactively from April of the year following the year in which the non-compliant redemption is made</u>.
- 2. Any capital gains derived from the non-compliant redemption are considered income in the year of the redemption and must be included in your tax calculation. KASIKORN ASSET MANAGEMENT Co., Ltd. (KAsset) shall withhold tax at the source per the applicable personal income tax rate.

## In case of non-compliance with RMF investment conditions and investment units are held for more than 5 years

- 1. Tax benefits received for the past 5 years must be repaid. If the tax repayment is delayed, investors will be subject to a charge of 1.50 percent per month, <u>calculated retroactively from April of the year following the year in which the non-compliant redemption is made.</u>
- 2. Any capital gains from the redemption shall not be included in your tax calculation.

# For investments exceeding RMF limit (the proportion exceeding 30% of taxable income or 500,000 Baht, whichever is applicable)

- 1. The investment amount that exceeds the limit is not tax-deductible.
- 2. Any capital gains derived from selling investment units that exceed the limit are considered income in the year of redemption and must be included in the tax calculation.
- 3. Non-compliant redemption of investment units that exceed the limit may be considered non-compliance with the investment conditions of the entire RMF.



In case of non-compliance with ThaiESG investment conditions (investment units are redeemed before the required 8-year\*\* and/or 5-year\*\*\* holding period ends)

- 1. All tax benefits previously received must be repaid. If the tax repayment is delayed, investors will be subject to a charge of 1.50 percent per month, <u>calculated retroactively from April of the year in which the tax deduction was claimed until the date of repayment</u>.
- 2. Any capital gains derived from the non-compliant redemption are considered income in the year of the redemption and must be included in your tax calculation. KASIKORN ASSET MANAGEMENT Co., Ltd. (KAsset) shall withhold tax at the source per the applicable personal income tax rate.
- 3. If investment units are redeemed within one year of the purchase date, investors will be subject to an exit fee of 1.50 percent of the transaction value (currently <u>waived</u>).

# For investments exceeding ThaiESG limit (the proportion exceeding 30% of taxable income or 100,000 Baht\*\* and/or 300,000 Baht\*\*\*, whichever is applicable

- 1. The investment amount that exceeds the limit is not tax-deductible.
- 2. Any capital gains derived from selling investment units that exceed the limit are considered income in the year of redemption and must be included in the tax calculation, even if the investment units have been held for more than 8 years\*\* and/or 5 years\*\*\*.
- 3. If investment units are redeemed within one year of the purchase date, investors will be subject to an exit fee of 1.50 percent of the transaction value (currently <u>waived</u>).
- \*\* For purchase of ThaiESG funds before January 1, 2024, and/or from January 1, 2027 onwards.

\*\*\* For purchase of ThaiESG funds between January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2026, in accordance with the Ministerial Regulation announced on December 3, 2024

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