

## Key Investor Information

This document provides you with key investor information about this Fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this Fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.



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# BNY Mellon Efficient Global High Yield Beta Fund

**STERLING W (INC.) (HEDGED) (ISIN: IE00BMYM6F20)**

a sub-fund of BNY Mellon Global Funds, plc. This Fund is managed by BNY Mellon Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A.

## Objectives and Investment Policy

### OBJECTIVE

To provide similar performance and levels of volatility as the Benchmark (detailed below) over the medium to long-term before fees and expenses.

### POLICY

#### The Fund will:

- invest the majority of its Net Asset Value (NAV) in high yield (rated Ba1/BB+/BB+ or below by Standard & Poor's, Moody's Investor Services, Fitch Ratings or an equivalent recognised rating agency) underlying bonds and similar debt investments included in the Benchmark;
- invest globally with no particular industry or sector focus;
- exclude direct investment in corporate issuers with material involvement in activities the Investment Manager deems harmful from an environmental and/or social perspective e.g. tobacco production and in line with the exclusions criteria and methodology provided by JP Morgan. All issuers in which investments are made follow good governance practices; and
- promote environmental and social characteristics pursuant to Article 8 of the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation ("SFDR").

#### The Fund may:

- invest in fixed rate corporate bonds and similar debt related securities;
- invest in debt or debt-related securities not included in the Benchmark where the issuer has other securities included in the Benchmark or expected to be added in the Benchmark in the future;
- invest up to 20% of its Net Asset Value (NAV) in emerging markets;
- invest up to 10% of its Net Asset Value (NAV) in collective investment schemes including open-ended exchange traded funds (ETF's);
- invest in derivatives (financial instruments whose value is derived from other assets) to help achieve the Fund's investment objective.

The Fund will also use derivatives with the aim of risk or cost reduction or to generate additional capital or income; and – hold cash for the purpose of hedging or liquidity.

**Benchmark:** The Fund will measure its performance against Bloomberg Global High Yield Corporate Bond TR Index USD Hedged (the "Benchmark"). The Investment Manager will use the Benchmark to construct the investment universe. The Fund is actively managed and does not seek to replicate the full constituents of the Benchmark. The Investment Manager has limited discretion to invest outside the Benchmark subject to the investment objective and policies disclosed in the Prospectus.

The majority of the Fund's holdings will be constituents of the Benchmark and as a result the Fund will be similar in its currency and sector exposures as well as the maturity and credit quality profile. The investment strategy restricts the extent to which the portfolio holdings may deviate from the Benchmark and consequently the extent to which it can outperform the Benchmark. The investment strategy provides similar volatility to the Benchmark over the medium to long term.

### OTHER INFORMATION

**Share Class Hedging:** The Fund's base currency is USD whereas this share class currency is GBP. In order to reduce the risk of exchange rate movements between the share class currency and the base currency, a hedging strategy is used, although its outcome is not guaranteed.

**Treatment of income:** income generated will be paid to shareholders quarterly on or before 11 February, 11 May, 11 August and 11 November.

**Dealing:** you can buy and sell your shares in the Fund between 9:00 and 17:00 (Irish Time) on each day which is a business day in Ireland and the U.S. Instructions received before 12:00 will receive the price quoted on that day. The minimum initial investment for this share class is GBP 15,000,000.

## Risk and Reward Profile

Lower risk

Potentially lower reward

Higher risk

Potentially higher reward

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We have calculated the risk and reward indicator, as shown above. As this Fund has less than 5 years performance data available, it is based on simulated volatility. It is not a guide to the future risk and reward rating of the Fund. The rating shown is not a target or guarantee and may shift over time. Even the lowest rating of 1 does not mean a risk-free investment.

This Fund is rated 4 because its simulated historical value has shown moderate volatility. With a Fund rating of 4, you have a moderate risk of losing money but your chance for gains is also moderate.

### THE FOLLOWING RISKS MAY NOT BE FULLY CAPTURED BY THE RISK AND REWARD INDICATOR:

**Geographic Concentration Risk:** Where the Fund invests significantly in a single market, this may have a material impact on the value of the Fund.

**Objective/Performance Risk:** There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve its objectives.

**Credit Risk:** The issuer of a security held by the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.

**Changes in Interest Rates & Inflation Risk:** Investments in bonds/ money market securities are affected by interest rates and inflation trends which may negatively affect the value of the Fund.

**Credit Ratings and Unrated Securities Risk:** Bonds with a low credit rating or unrated bonds have a greater risk of default. These investments may negatively affect the value of the Fund.

**Derivatives Risk:** Derivatives are highly sensitive to changes in the value of the asset from which their value is derived. A small movement in the value of the underlying asset can cause a large movement in the value of the derivative. This can increase the sizes of losses and gains, causing the value of your investment to fluctuate. When using derivatives, the Fund can lose significantly more than the amount it has invested in derivatives.

**Emerging Markets Risk:** Emerging Markets have additional risks due to less-developed market practices.

**Charges to Capital:** The Fund takes its charges from the capital of the Fund. Investors should be aware that this has the effect of lowering the capital value of your investment and limiting the potential for future capital growth. On redemption, you may not receive back the full amount you initially invested.

**Share Class Hedging Risk:** The hedging strategy is used to reduce the impact of exchange rate movements between the share class currency and the base currency. It may not completely achieve this due to factors such as interest rate differentials.

**Counterparty Risk:** The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as custody of assets or acting as a counterparty to

derivatives or other contractual arrangements, may expose the Fund to financial loss.

**Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Investment Approach**  
**Risk:** The Fund follows an ESG investment approach. This means factors other than financial performance are considered as part of the investment process. This carries the risk that the Fund's performance may be negatively impacted due to restrictions placed on its exposure to certain sectors or types of investments. The approach taken may not

reflect the opinions of any particular investor. In addition, in following an ESG investment approach, the Fund is dependent upon information and data from third parties (which may include providers for research reports, screenings, ratings and/or analysis such as index providers and consultants). Such information or data may be incomplete, inaccurate or inconsistent.  
A complete description of risk factors is set out in the Prospectus in the section entitled "Risk Factors".

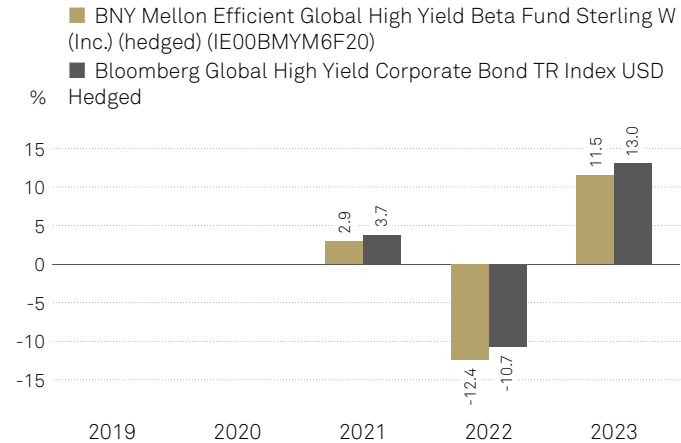
Charges

The charges cover the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and selling. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.	
<b>ONE-OFF CHARGES TAKEN BEFORE OR AFTER YOU INVEST</b>	
Entry charge	5.00%
Exit charge	None
<i>This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested and before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.</i>	
<b>CHARGES TAKEN FROM THE FUND OVER A YEAR</b>	
Ongoing charge*	0.30%
<b>CHARGES TAKEN FROM THE FUND UNDER CERTAIN SPECIFIC CONDITIONS</b>	
Performance fee	None

The entry charge shown is a maximum figure but you may pay less. The actual entry charge can be obtained from your financial adviser or distributor.

The ongoing charge is based on expenses calculated on 31 December 2023. This may vary from year to year. It excludes performance fees and portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid when buying or selling units in another investment fund.  
Currently BNY Mellon Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A. is temporarily partially absorbing (capping) some of the expenses incurred by the Fund which is reflected in the ongoing charge figure stated here. There is no guarantee that BNY Mellon Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A. will continue to cap the Fund's expenses and therefore the Fund's ongoing charge could increase significantly.  
\*It should be noted that the ongoing charge figure shown includes ongoing charges in respect of other open-ended investment funds but excludes ongoing charges from closed-ended funds held. The ongoing charges from closed-ended funds held were 0.00% as at 31 December 2023.  
More information about charges is available in the "Fees and Expenses" section of the Prospectus.

Past Performance



The chart includes all charges except entry charges.  
Fund launch date - 15 September 2020.  
Share class launch date - 15 September 2020.  
Performance of this share class is shown in GBP.  
Performance of the Benchmark is shown in USD.  
Past performance is not a guide to future performance.  
The chart shows the Fund's performance for each full calendar year against the Benchmark.

Practical Information

**Legal Status:** The Fund is a sub-fund (part) of BNY Mellon Global Funds, plc ("BNY MGF"), an umbrella structure comprising different sub-funds. The assets of the Fund are segregated from other sub-funds in BNY MGF and may not be used to discharge the liabilities or claims of any other sub-fund.  
**Documents:** Copies of the Prospectus, annual and semi-annual reports which are prepared for the umbrella, may be obtained free of charge from [www.bnymellonim.com](http://www.bnymellonim.com) or from BNY Mellon Fund Services (Ireland) Designated Activity Company, One Dockland Central, Guild Street, IFSC, Dublin 1, Ireland. These documents are available in English, French, German, Italian, Spanish and Portuguese.  
**Share price:** The latest share price and other information, including how to buy or sell shares, are available from the website and address given above. Other share classes are offered by the Fund as set out in the Prospectus.  
**Switching:** Investors may switch shares in the Fund for shares in other sub-funds of BNY MGF provided they satisfy the criteria applicable to investment in other sub-funds. Further information on switching is

contained in the "Voluntary Switching and/or Conversion of Shares" section of the Prospectus.  
**Liability statement:** BNY Mellon Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A. may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the Prospectus for the Fund.  
**Depositary:** The Bank of New York Mellon SA/NV Dublin Branch.  
**Tax:** The tax legislation of the Fund's domicile may have an impact on your personal tax position. For further details, please speak to an adviser.  
**Remuneration Policy:** Details of the up-to-date remuneration policy of BNY Mellon Fund Management (Luxembourg) S.A. including, but not limited to, a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the identity of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits are available on [www.bnymellonim.com](http://www.bnymellonim.com). A paper copy will be made available free of charge upon request.  
**Index Providers:** Further information about the index providers is set out under 'Benchmark Provider Disclaimers' in the Prospectus.