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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 Prospectus<sup>1</sup>.
- It is important to read the Prospectus before deciding whether to purchase units in 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 Prospectus.

# **EASTSPRING INVESTMENTS UNIT TRUSTS - GLOBAL BALANCED FUND** (the "Fund")

Product Type	Unit Trust	Inception Date	1 October 2007
Manager	Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited	Custodian	The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited
Trustee	HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Singapore) Limited	Dealing Frequency	Every Business Day
Capital Guaranteed	No	Expense Ratio for financial year ended 31 December 2020	1.65%

## PRODUCT SUITABILITY

#### WHO IS THE PRODUCT SUITABLE FOR?

The Fund is only suitable for investors who:

- seek total return in the medium to long term;
- · seek a fund that invests in both equities and bonds; and
- appreciate that their capital will be at risk and that the value of their investment and any derived income may fall as well as rise.

Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt whether this product is suitable for them.

## Further Information

Refer to "Product Suitability" of the Prospectus for further information on product suitability.

## **KEY PRODUCT FEATURES**

#### WHAT ARE YOU INVESTING IN?

 You are investing in a unit trust constituted in Singapore that aims to maximise total return in the medium to long term by investing primarily in a portfolio comprising global equities and high quality debt securities of major global bond markets. Refer to "Basic Information" and "Structure, Investment Objective, Focus and Approach" of the Prospectus for further information on features of the product.

## **Investment Strategy**

- The Manager adopts a relatively balanced approach towards equities and bonds exposure with the aim of achieving potentially higher returns while minimizing volatility.
- The asset mix will normally be 60% invested in the M&G Global Themes Fund and 40% invested in the Legg Mason Western Asset Global Bond Trust (the "underlying funds"). However, depending on the global market conditions, the Manager will vary the asset mix in the range of + / - 10%.

Refer to "Structure, Investment Objective, Focus and Approach" of the Prospectus for further information on the investment strategy of the product.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Prospectus is available for collection at Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited, 10 Marina Boulevard #32-01 Marina Bay Financial Centre Tower 2 Singapore 018983, during business hours or accessible at www.eastspring.com.sg.



## **Parties Involved**

#### WHO ARE YOU INVESTING WITH?

- · The Fund is constituted under Eastspring Investments Unit Trusts
- The Manager of the Fund is Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited
- The Investment Manager of the underlying fund, M&G Global Themes Fund, is M&G Investment Management Limited
- The Investment Manager of the underlying fund, Legg Mason Western Asset Global Bond Trust, is Legg Mason Asset Management Singapore Pte. Limited
- The Sub-Managers of the underlying fund, Legg Mason Western Asset Global Bond Trust, are Western Asset Management Company Pte. Ltd, Western Asset Management Company, LLC and Western Asset Management Company Limited
- · The Trustee is HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Singapore) Limited
- · The Custodian is The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Limited

Refer to "Basic Information", "The Manager", "Management of the Underlying Entities", "The Trustee and Custodian" and "Insolvency of the Parties" of the 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?

The value of the product and its dividends or coupons (if any) may rise or fall. These risk factors may cause you to lose some or all of your investment:

Refer to "Risks" of the Prospectus for further information on risks of the product.

## Market and Credit Risks

- You are exposed to equity risks. The underlying fund invests in equities and will be subject to risks such as fluctuations in market prices.
- You are exposed to interest rate and credit risks. The underlying fund invests in bonds which are subject to interest rate fluctuations and credit risks, such as risk of default by issuers.
- You are exposed to currency risks. The underlying funds' investments may be
  denominated in currencies that differ from the currency of the Fund, and accordingly,
  fluctuations in the exchange rates of these foreign currencies may affect the value
  of your units. If you are holding units in the USD Class and Euro Class and your
  reference currency is Singapore Dollar, you may be exposed to additional exchange
  rate risks.
- You are exposed to counterparty risks. The Fund and its underlying funds will be
  exposed to the credit risk on counterparties with which it trades and any default by
  such a counterparty could result in substantial losses to the Fund.

## **Liquidity Risks**

- The Fund is not listed and you can realise your units only on Business Days.
   There is no ready secondary market for the Fund. All realisation requests should be submitted in the manner set out in the Prospectus.
- You are exposed to liquidity risks of the underlying funds' investments and your realisation request may be deferred or suspended. The Fund may have investments which have high liquidity risks (for example, low trading volumes) and may incur substantial losses if it is unable to sell these investments at opportune times or prices. Under certain circumstances (not limited to the liquidity of the underlying investments in the underlying funds and the Fund) as detailed in the Prospectus, your realisation request may be deferred or suspended.

## **Product-Specific Risks**

You are exposed to derivatives risks. The Fund and/or the underlying funds
may use derivative instruments for efficient portfolio management and/or hedging
purposes. Derivatives involve risks different from, and, in some cases, greater than,
the risks presented by more traditional securities investments. Some of the risks
associated with derivatives are market risk, management risk, credit risk, liquidity
risk, operational risk and leverage risk.



## **FEES AND CHARGES**

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

## Payable directly by you

You will need to pay the following fees and charges as a percentage of your gross investment sum:

Initial Sales Charge Up to 5% (maximum 5%) Realisation Charge 0% (maximum 2%) 1% (maximum 3%) Switching Fee

Appointed distributors may (depending on the specific nature of services provided) impose other fees and charges not disclosed here. Please check with the relevant appointed distributor for further details.

### Payable by the Fund from invested proceeds

The Fund will pay the following fees and charges to the different parties:			
Management Fee^ (a) Retained by Manager (b) Paid by Manager to financial advisers/distributors (trailer fee)	1.35% per annum (maximum 2% p.a.) (a) 35% to 70% <sup>2</sup> of Management Fee (b) 30% to 65% <sup>3</sup> of Management Fee		
Trustee's and Custodian Fee	Below 0.05% per annum (maximum 0.2% p.a.)		
Registrar's Fee	More than 0.1% per annum if the Fund's total asset under management is less than S\$5 million, plus transactional fees		
Other fees charged by the underlying funds e.g. preliminary charge, realisation fee, management fee, performance fee, trustee/custodian fee	M&G Global Themes Fund The annual charge of 1.36% charged by the authorised corporate director of the M&G Global Themes Fund includes its fees and expenses, fees and expenses of the service providers (including those of the investment manager and the depositary of the M&G Global Themes Fund), fees for the provision of		

hedging services, and all the costs, charges, fees and expenses payable in relation to the operation and management of the M&G Global Themes Fund. In addition to the annual charge, other payments may be made from the M&G Global Themes Fund, such as portfolio transaction costs, extraordinary expenses, interest on borrowing and charges incurred in effecting or terminating such borrowing, and taxation and duties payable in respect of the property of the M&G Global Themes Fund or of the issue or redemption of shares.

Legg Mason Western Asset Global Bond Trust Preliminary charge: Currently 3% (maximum

Management fee: 0.75% p.a. (maximum 0.75%) Trustee's fee - Currently 0.075% p.a. on 1st S\$10 million. 0.05% p.a. on balance of S\$10 million and above. Maximum 0.15% p.a. subject always to a minimum of S\$15,000 p.a.

You should check with the agent or distributor through whom you subscribe for units of the Fund whether they impose other fees and charges not included in the Prospectus.

^ This is an aggregate of the total management fee payable by the Fund to the Manager and to the underlying funds. Subscription and realisation fees are currently not payable by the Fund on its investments into the underlying funds.

Refer to "Fees and Charges" of the Prospectus for further information on fees and charges.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Management Fee is retained by the Manager, as may be agreed between the parties.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> This range may change from time to time without prior notice depending on the agreement between (i) the Manager and (ii) the relevant financial adviser/distributor. Your financial adviser is required to disclose to you the amount of trailer fee it receives from the Manager.



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

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

The indicative issue and realisation price per unit (NAV per unit) of the Fund will be available from <a href="www.eastspring.com.sg">www.eastspring.com.sg</a> normally one Business Day after each relevant Dealing Day.

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

- You can exit the Fund by submitting a signed written instruction or realisation form to the Manager or the appointed distributor from whom you purchased your units.
- If you are a first-time investor in the Fund, you will have the right to cancel your subscription within 7 calendar days from the date of your subscription without incurring the sales charge stated above. However, you will have to take the risk for any price changes in the NAV of the Fund.
- Partial realisations are subject to minimum holding requirements.
- Your realisation price is determined as follows (please note that appointed distributors may impose a different cut-off time):
  - If you submit your realisation request to the appointed distributor by 3.00 p.m.
     Singapore time on a Business Day, the realisation price will be based on the NAV per unit at the close of business on that Business Day.
  - o If you submit your realisation request after 3.00 p.m. Singapore time or on a day which is not a Business Day, the realisation price will be based on the NAV per unit at the close of business of the next Business Day.
- You will normally receive the realisation proceeds within seven Business Days from the date the Manager receives and accepts your realisation request.
- The realisation proceeds that you will receive will be the realisation price multiplied by the number of units sold, less any charges. Currently, no realisation charge is imposed. An example is as follows:

Realisation Request for 1,000 units

Realisation Price

Realisation proceeds

\$1.100

\$1,100

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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

You may contact Eastspring Investments (Singapore) Limited at (65) 6349 9711 or visit our appointed distributors listed on <a href="https://www.eastspring.com.sg">www.eastspring.com.sg</a>.

## **APPENDIX: GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

Business Day: any day other than Saturday, Sunday or gazetted public holiday on which commercial

banks in Singapore are generally open for business, or where the context expressly requires, any day other than Saturday, Sunday or gazetted public holiday on which commercial banks in Singapore or elsewhere are generally open for business, or any

other day as the Manager and the Trustee may agree in writing.

**Dealing Day:** a Business Day in Singapore.

**NAV:** Net Asset Value.

Refer to "Cancellation of Subscription by New Investors", "Realisation of Units" and "Obtaining Prices of Units" of the Prospectus for further information on valuation and exiting from the product.