

## KEY INFORMATION DOCUMENT

### Purpose

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

## Barings Umbrella Fund plc Barings U.S. High Yield Bond Fund

### PRODUCT

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| <b>Product:</b>      | Barings U.S. High Yield Bond Fund - Tranche I GBP Distribution |
| <b>Manufacturer:</b> | Baring International Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited           |
| <b>Product code:</b> | IE00BYZRQM78   |
| <b>Website:</b>      | www.barings.com  |
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**Baring International Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited is authorised in Ireland and regulated by Central Bank of Ireland.**

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### WHAT IS THIS PRODUCT?

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| <b>Type:</b>                     | An umbrella fund constituted as an investment company with variable capital under the laws of Ireland   |
| <b>Term:</b>                     | The Fund does not have a targeted closure date and may be liquidated at any time, as further detailed in the Prospectus   |
| <b>Objectives:</b>               | <p>To provide high current income generation and, where appropriate, capital appreciation.</p> <p><b>Investment Policy:</b> The Fund invests principally in a portfolio of high yield corporate debt instruments, focusing on North American high yield instruments. Corporate debt instruments include bonds and notes. A high yield (sub-investment grade) debt instrument/security is one which carries a higher rate of interest, usually because the investors are accepting a higher degree of risk.</p> <p>The Fund is also permitted to invest to a lesser extent in other types of debt instruments such as other types of high yield corporate debt instruments, investment grade bonds, other Funds, cash and cash-equivalent securities and money market instruments. All portfolio investments will be denominated in USD. The Fund will invest at least 50% of its Net Asset Value in assets which exhibit positive or improving environmental ("E") and/or social ("S") characteristics.</p> <p>The Fund may use derivative instruments for both investment and hedging purposes. The return on a derivative is linked to movements in an underlying instrument referenced by the derivative such as currency or interest rates. The base currency of the Fund is USD.</p> <p><b>Share Class Currency Hedging:</b> This Share Class engages in currency hedging using derivative instruments to seek to limit the shareholder's currency risk by reducing the effect of foreign exchange rate fluctuations between the Share Class currency and the base currency of the Fund.</p> <p><b>Distribution Policy:</b> Income will be declared and distributed as a dividend quarterly.</p> <p><b>Dealing Frequency:</b> Daily. Investors can buy and sell their shares on demand on each Business Day (as defined in the Prospectus).</p> <p><b>Benchmark:</b> 'Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield Index'. The Fund is actively managed and is not designed to track the Benchmark so its performance may deviate materially from the Benchmark. The investment manager has complete discretion in making investments and is not constrained by the Benchmark. The Fund may invest significantly in instruments which are not included in the Benchmark. The Benchmark is used only for risk management and performance comparison purposes. The investment manager may consider, for example, issuer exposures, duration, sector weights, country weights, credit ratings and tracking error in each case relative to the Benchmark but does not use the Benchmark as an investment limitation.</p> |
| <b>Intended Retail Investor:</b> | The Fund is intended for all investors seeking income from their capital over a long-term investment horizon. Investors should have the ability to bear losses up to the amount they have invested in the Fund. The Fund does not offer capital protection.   |
| <b>Depository:</b>               | State Street Custodial Services (Ireland) Limited.  |
| <b>Further Information:</b>      | The Fund is a sub-fund of Barings Umbrella Fund plc, which is an investment company with variable capital with segregated liability between sub-funds, and investors may exchange their Shares in the Fund for Shares in other sub-funds of the Company. Please see the Prospectus for details. Further information about the Fund (including the current Prospectus and Supplement and most recent financial statements) is available at State Street Fund Services (Ireland) Limited.   |
| <b>Practical Information:</b>    | The Fund's price is calculated for each dealing day and is available online at <a href="http://www.barings.com">www.barings.com</a> and/or <a href="http://www.euronext.com/en/markets/dublin">www.euronext.com/en/markets/dublin</a> . Information on how to buy, sell and switch Units is available by contacting Barings (see above for contact details).  |

## WHAT ARE THE RISKS AND WHAT COULD I GET IN RETURN?

### Risk indicator



The risk indicator assumes you keep the product for 5 Years. The actual risk can vary significantly if you cash in at an early stage and you may get back less than your initial investment. You may have to pay significant extra costs to cash in early.

You may not be able to sell your product easily or may have to sell at a price that significantly impacts on how much you get back.

The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this product as class 2 out of 7, which is a low risk class.

This rates the potential losses from future performance at a low level, and poor market conditions are very unlikely to impact the capacity of the fund to pay you.

**Be aware of currency risk. You will receive payments in a different currency, so the final return you will get depend on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above.**

In addition to market risk other risks could be triggered i.e. counterparty risk, currency risk, interest rate risk, operational risk and liquidity risk. Refer to the Prospectus for full details.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

If we are not able to pay you what is owed, you could lose your entire investment.

### Performance scenarios

The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back.

What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted.

The unfavourable, moderate, and favourable scenarios shown are illustrations using the worst, average, and best performance of the product / a suitable benchmark over the last 10 years. Markets could develop very differently in the future.

| Recommended holding period: 5 Years<br>Investment 10 000 GBP |  |                          |   |
|--|--|--------------------------|---|
| Scenarios  |  | If you exit after 1 year | If you exit after 5 years<br>(recommended holding period) |
| <b>Minimum</b>   | <b>There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment.</b> |                          |   |
| <b>Stress scenario</b>                                       | <b>What might you get back after costs</b>   | <b>7 460 GBP</b>         | <b>7 110 GBP</b>  |
|  | Average return each year   | - 25.37%                 | - 6.58%   |
| <b>Unfavourable scenario</b>                                 | <b>What might you get back after costs</b>   | <b>8 580 GBP</b>         | <b>10 400 GBP</b>   |
|  | Average return each year   | - 14.16%                 | 0.79%   |
| <b>Moderate scenario</b>                                     | <b>What might you get back after costs</b>   | <b>10 670 GBP</b>        | <b>11 970 GBP</b>   |
|  | Average return each year   | 6.70%                    | 3.66%   |
| <b>Favourable scenario</b>                                   | <b>What might you get back after costs</b>   | <b>12 120 GBP</b>        | <b>14 460 GBP</b>   |
|  | Average return each year   | 21.17%                   | 7.66%   |

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

Unfavourable: This type of scenario occurred for an investment between 10/2017 and 09/2022.

Moderate: This type of scenario occurred for an investment between 06/2019 and 05/2024.

Favourable: This type of scenario occurred for an investment between 02/2016 and 01/2021.

## WHAT HAPPENS IF BARING INTERNATIONAL FUND MANAGERS (IRELAND) LIMITED IS UNABLE TO PAY OUT?

The assets of the Fund are segregated from those of Baring International Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited. The Depositary is responsible for the safekeeping of the Fund's assets. To that effect, if Baring International Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited defaults, there will be no direct financial impact on the Fund. In addition, the Fund's assets shall be segregated from the Depositary's assets, which limits the risk of the Fund suffering some loss in case of default of the Depositary. You may face a financial loss if your broker or the entity from whom you purchased the Fund was to default.

As an investor in the Fund, there is no compensation or guarantee scheme in place.

## WHAT ARE THE COSTS?

The person advising on or selling you this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment.

### Costs over Time

The tables show the amounts that are taken from your investment to cover different types of costs. These amounts depend on how much you invest, how long you hold the product and how well the product does. The amounts shown here are illustrations based on an example investment amount and different possible investment periods:

We have assumed:

- In the first year you would get back the amount that you invested (0% annual return). For the other holding periods we have assumed the product performs as shown in the moderate scenario.
- GBP 10 000 is invested.

| Investment 10 000 GBP | If you exit after 1 year | If you exit after 5 years |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>Total Costs</b>    | <b>164 GBP</b>           | <b>1 014 GBP</b>          |
| Annual Cost Impact*   | 1.6%                     | 1.7% each year            |

(\*) This illustrates how costs reduce your return each year over the holding period. For example it shows that if you exit at the recommended holding period your average return per year is projected to be 5.4% before costs and 3.7% after costs.

### Composition of Costs

| One-off costs upon entry or exit                                   |   | If you exit after 1 year |
|--|---|--------------------------|
| <b>Entry costs</b>   | We do not charge any entry fee.   | N/A                      |
| <b>Exit costs</b>  | We do not charge an exit fee for this product, but the person selling you the product may do so.  | N/A                      |
| <b>Ongoing costs</b>   |   |                          |
| <b>Management fees and other administrative or operating costs</b> | 0.81% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate based on actual costs over the last year.   | 82 GBP                   |
| <b>Transaction costs</b>   | 0.81% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate of the costs incurred when we buy and sell the underlying investments for the product. The actual amount will vary depending on how much we buy and sell. | 82 GBP                   |
| <b>Incidental costs taken under specific conditions</b>            |   |                          |
| <b>Performance Fee</b>   | There is no performance fee for this product.   | N/A                      |

## HOW LONG SHOULD I HOLD IT AND CAN I TAKE MONEY OUT EARLY?

**Recommended holding period: 5 Years**

The Fund's recommended holding period is 5 years as the Fund invests for the long term. Investors can sell their shares on demand on each Business Day (as defined in the Fund's Supplement of the Prospectus). For further information on the Fund's divestment procedure and when divestment is possible, please refer to the "Redemption of Shares" section of the Fund's Prospectus.

## HOW CAN I COMPLAIN?

If you have a complaint in relation to the Fund, Barings International Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited and/or any person advising on or selling the Fund, you may write to us directly. Contact details are provided below. Any complaint will be handled in accordance with our internal complaints handling procedures.

**Website:** [www.barings.com](http://www.barings.com)  
**E-mail:** [complianceireland@barings.com](mailto:complianceireland@barings.com)  
**Postal address:** 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, Ireland

Barings will handle your request and provide you with a feedback as soon as possible

## OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

You can obtain further information on this Fund including the full prospectus free of charge at [www.barings.com](http://www.barings.com)

Without prejudice to ad hoc reviews, this Key Information Document is updated at least every 12 months.

A detailed list of the risks associated with investing in this product, together with risks relevant to the market in which this Company invests, is available at [www.barings.com](http://www.barings.com)

The Company's latest annual and interim reports, monthly factsheet and full portfolio details are also available at [www.barings.com](http://www.barings.com), together with information relating to the Company's gearing and management fee.

The past performance of this product can be found on [barings.com](http://barings.com) or by following this link

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Past performance shows the fund's performance as the percentage loss or gain per year over the last 7 years. Previous performance scenario calculations can be found at [barings.com](http://barings.com) or by following this link

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