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## **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.

## Sarasin Food & Agriculture Opportunities, a sub-fund of Sarasin Funds ICVC Class A Accumulation Shares

ISIN:GB00B2Q8L643

## This Fund is managed by Sarasin Investment Funds Limited

#### **Objectives and Investment Policy**

#### Objective

We seek to grow the Fund through increases in investment value and income over a rolling 5 year period after deducting fees and costs.

#### Investment Policy

We invest at least 80% of the Fund in companies from around the world.

The Fund invests mainly in the shares of companies, but may also invest in other funds (including those managed by Sarasin), exchange traded funds (funds which can be traded on major stock exchanges similarly to a company share) and exchange traded commodities (which track the performance of a commodity index).

We avoid companies that are materially engaged in certain sectors, including the production or distribution of tobacco, armaments, gambling and adult entertainment.

The fund is actively managed. We carefully select the Fund's investments to have exposure to the food and agriculture sectors in any country/region.

We may only use derivatives to maintain the Fund's value, manage investment risk and to gain cost-effective access to investments. Derivatives are financial contracts whose value is linked to the price of another asset (e.g. indices, rates, share prices, currencies).

As the Fund invests in a very specific investment universe, investors should consider performance over a long term time period (5-10 years) against either a broad market index or peer group of Global Food and Agriculture funds such as the Morningstar EAA Fund Sector Equity Agriculture sector.

#### **Distribution Policy**

Any income due from your investment is reflected in the value of your shares rather than being paid out.

#### Dealing Frequency

You can buy and sell shares in the Fund before 12 noon GMT on any business day in London.

#### Recommendation

This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

For full investment objectives and policy details please refer to the  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Prospectus}}$  .

## **Risk and Reward Profile**

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The Risk and Reward Indicator table demonstrates where the fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and return, calculated using the volatility of monthly returns over five years. As it is based upon how the fund has performed in the past, you should note that the fund may well perform differently in the future. The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may shift over time.

The higher the rank the greater the potential reward but the greater the risk of losing money.

The Fund is ranked at 6 reflecting observed historical returns. This ranking is typically higher than a fund which invests in cash deposits, as company share price movements tend to be more volatile.

The following risks may not be fully captured by the Indicator:

- Liquidity Risk: In stressed market conditions the value of certain investments may be less predictable than normal. In some cases this may make such investments harder to sell at the last quoted market price, or at price considered to be fair. Such conditions could result in unpredictable changes in the value of your holding.
- Counterparty and Settlement Risk: The fund may enter into derivative transactions in over-the-counter markets, which will expose the fund to the credit risk of their counterparties. The fund may be exposed to the risk of settlement default where the counterparty may default on its obligations to perform under the

relevant contract. In the event of the bankruptcy or insolvency of a counterparty, the fund could experience delays in liquidating the position as well as significant losses, including declines in value during the period in which the fund seeks to enforce its rights.

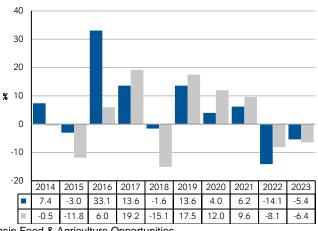
- Derivatives Risk can only be used to manage the fund more efficiently in an attempt to reduce the overall risk of its investments, reduce the costs of investing or generate additional capital or income. Although this may not be achieved and may create losses greater than the cost of the derivative.
- Derivatives: If a derivative transaction is particularly large or if the relevant market is illiquid (as is the case with many privately negotiated derivatives), it may not be possible to initiate a transaction to liquidate a position at an advantageous price, to assess or value a position or to assess the exposure to risk. An adverse price movement in a derivative position may also require a cash payment to counterparties that might in turn require, if there is insufficient cash available in a fund, the sale of investments under disadvantageous conditions.
- Small Cap Equities: Smaller company shares can be riskier as they
  may be more difficult to buy and sell and their share price may
  fluctuate more than that of larger companies.
- Emerging Market Equities Risk: Emerging markets may face more political, economic or structural challenges than developed markets and shares may be less liquid, meaning that investments may not be sold quickly enough to prevent or minimize a loss; they may therefore involve a higher risk than investing in developed markets.
- The fund has charges deducted from capital. This may reduce the potential for growth.

## Charges

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

One-off charges taken before	e-off charges taken before or after you invest				
Entry charge	No charge				
Exit charge	No charge				
ne entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some ases you might pay less - you can find this information by ontacting your financial adviser.					
Charges taken from the Fund over a year					
Ongoing charges	1.73%				
Charges taken from the Fund	arges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions				
Performance fee	No charge				

## Past Performance



Sarasin Food & Agriculture Opportunities

EAA Fund Sector Equity Agriculture'

## \*Source: Morningstar

## Practical Information

Depositary: NatWest Trustee and Depositary Services Limited.

You can get further detailed information regarding the Fund, including how to buy, sell and switch units within the Prospectus, the Annual and Semi-annual Reports and Accounts and Company's latest Value Assessment report which are available free of charge from Sarasin & Partners LLP. These are available in English only. You can

Benchmark: Where applicable, the target benchmark is selected because it is representative of the type of investments in which the Fund is likely to invest, and it is, therefore, an appropriate target in relation to the return that the Fund aims to provide. Where applicable, the comparator benchmark is selected because the Investment Manager and the Manager believe that the benchmark is a suitable comparison for performance purposes given the Fund's investment objective and policy. Fund Information: The Fund is a sub-fund of the Sarasin Funds ICVC which is an investment company with variable capital incorporated under the OEIC Regulations.

It is a UCITS scheme as defined in the FCA Collective Investment Schemes Handbook. This Key Investor Information Document describes a sub-fund of the Sarasin Funds ICVC and the Prospectus and Annual and Semi-annual Reports will be prepared for the entire Sarasin Funds ICVC. Liability Statement: Sarasin Investment Funds Limited 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. Funds ICVC: The assets of the Fund are segregated from those of the other sub-funds of Sarasin Funds ICVC; therefore, the assets of the Fund will not be available to mate a readient of a readient of

Tax Legislation: The Fund is subject to the tax laws and regulations of the United Kingdom. Depending on your own country of residence, this might have an impact on your investment. For further details you should consult a tax adviser. Remuneration Policy: The Remuneration Policy of the Manager, which describes how remuneration and benefits are determined and awarded, and the associated governance arrangements, is available at www.sarasinandpartners.com or free of charge from Sarasin & Partners LLP, Juxon House, 100 St Paul's Churchyard, London, EC4M 88U.

Representative Share Class: This document contains information on Class A Accumulation Shares only which have been selected as a representative share class of

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- The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the twelve month period ending 31.12.2023. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes: portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling in another fund "if any"
- We may apply a dilution adjustment to the share price of the fund to cover the dealing costs when there are large inflows and outflows from the fund. This adjustment is in place to protect the value of existing investors' holdings.
- For more information about charges, please refer to the relevant sections of the Prospectus available at www.sarasinandpartners.com

- The chart shows the Fund's annual performance in GBP for each full calendar year over the period displayed in the chart.
- Past performance is not a guide to future performance, prices may fluctuate and you may not get back your original investment.
- The performance figures include all ongoing charges and exclude any entry charges or exit charges.
- The past performance was calculated in GBP on a net asset value basis with gross dividends reinvested.
- The Fund was launched on 31/03/2008
- This Share Class was launched on 09/03/2012
- Sarasin regularly reviews available indices that could be used as performance benchmarks for its funds. As the Fund invests in a very specific investment universe, investors should consider performance over a long term time period (5-10 years) against either a broad market index or peer group of Global Food and Agriculture funds.