

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.



DWS ESG Top World

ISIN: DE0009769794, Security code: 976979, Currency: EUR

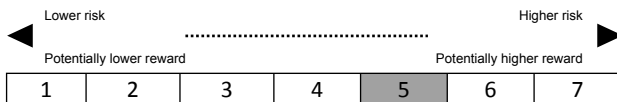
The management company is DWS Investment GmbH, a member of the DWS Group.

Objectives and investment policy

The fund is actively managed. The fund is managed in reference to a benchmark. The objective of the investment policy is to achieve sustained capital appreciation that exceeds the benchmark (MSCI AC World (NR)). To achieve this, the fund invests predominantly in equities of domestic and foreign issuers. The following aspects shall be considered when selecting the equities: a strong market position of the companies, sound financial ratios and high-quality corporate management with a focus on generating rising income in the long term. The strategic orientation of the company shall be focused on long-term growth trends. When selecting investments, environmental and social aspects and the principles of good corporate governance (ESG aspects) are taken into consideration alongside the financial performance. The portfolio generally comprises approximately 40 to 60 individual securities. The majority of the fund's securities or their issuers are expected to be components of the benchmark. The fund management will use its discretion to invest in securities and sectors that are not included in

the benchmark in order to take advantages of specific investment opportunities. It is expected that the portfolio will not necessarily have a similar weighting to the benchmark. The positioning of the fund can deviate substantially from the benchmark (e.g., by holding positions that are not contained in the benchmark, as well as by a substantial underweighting or overweighting). The actual leeway in this respect is normally relatively high. In general, a deviation reflects the fund manager's assessment of the particular market situation. This may lead to a more defensive and narrower positioning or to a more active and broader positioning relative to the benchmark. Despite the fact that the fund aims to outperform the benchmark, the potential outperformance might be limited depending on the prevailing market environment (e.g. less volatile market environment) and actual positioning versus the benchmark. The fund distributes annually. You may request the redemption of shares generally on a daily basis.

Risk and reward profile



The calculation of the risk and reward profile is based on historical data that cannot be used as a reliable indicator for the future risk profile. This risk indicator is subject to changes; the classification of the fund may change over time and cannot be guaranteed. Even a

fund that is classified in the lowest category (category 1) does not represent a completely risk-free investment. The fund is classified in category 5 because its share price fluctuates comparatively strongly and the likelihood of both losses and gains is therefore relatively high. The following risks could be of particular significance for the fund: The fund invests in equities. Equities are subject to strong price fluctuations and thus also to the risk of price decreases.

A more detailed description of risks and other general information can be found in the risk section(s) of the prospectus.

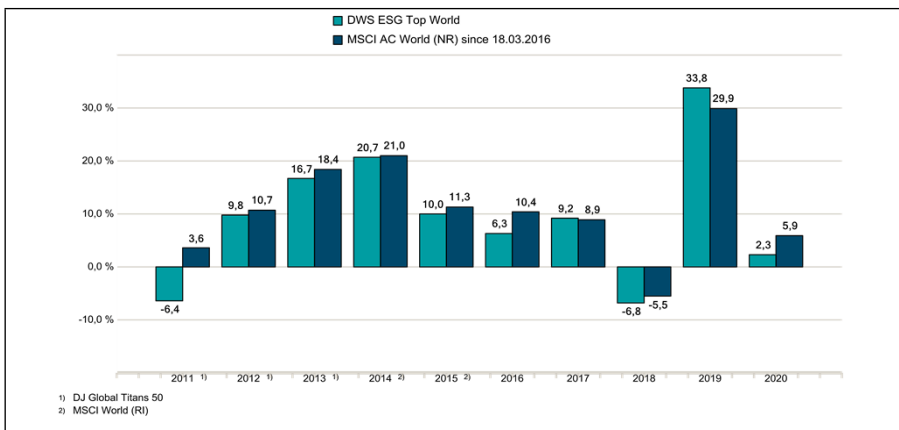
Charges

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 or after you invest	
Entry charge	4.00 %
Exit charge	None
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested (entry charge) and before the proceeds of your investment are paid out (exit charge).	
Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	1.45 %
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less - you can find this out from your financial adviser or distributor. The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the fiscal year ending 30.09.2020. It may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs and performance fees, if any. Additional information on costs can be found in the cost section(s) of the prospectus.

Past performance



Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. All costs and fees that were withdrawn from DWS ESG Top World were deducted during the calculation. Entry and exit charges were not taken into account. DWS ESG Top World was launched in 1997.

Practical information

The depositary is State Street Bank International GmbH, Germany. Copies of the prospectus and the periodic reports are available free

of charge in the language of this document. The documents as well as other information (including the latest share prices) are available

free of charge. The documents are available on your local DWS website or at www.dws.com. Information on the current remuneration policy of the management company, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated is published on the Internet at <https://www.dws.com/footer/Legal-Resources/dws-remuneration-policy?setLanguage=en>. The information will be sent to you in paper form free of charge upon request. The taxation regime applicable to the fund in Germany may affect your personal tax situation. DWS Investment GmbH

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 sales prospectus. This fund is authorised in Germany and is regulated by the German Federal Financial Supervisory Authority (Bundesanstalt für Finanzdienstleistungsaufsicht). DWS Investment GmbH is authorised in Germany and is regulated by the Bundesanstalt für Finanzdienstleistungsaufsicht.

This key investor information is accurate as at 11.05.2021.