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# BGF ESG Flex Choice Cautious Fund

## Class A2 USD

### BlackRock Global Funds

**BlackRock****December 2023**

Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-Dec-2023. All other data as at: 11-Jan-2024.

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#### FUND OVERVIEW

- The Fund aims to provide a return on your investment, with a cautious level of risk, through a combination of capital growth and income on the Fund's assets in a manner consistent with the principles of environmental, social and governance "ESG" focused investing.
- The Fund invests globally at least 80% of its total assets in units of funds which pursue a positive ESG objective or outcome, and do not adopt ESG exclusionary screens solely as their ESG policy, or, in the case of government bond exposures, track benchmark indices incorporating ESG requirements or comprised of bonds issued by governments that have an ESG sovereign rating of at least BB and being funds with status aligned with the SFDR Regulation (see prospectus for further details).
- Whilst the Fund's exposures may vary over time, it is intended that its direct and indirect exposure to equities will be targeted at 20% of NAV, and its direct and indirect exposure to fixed income (FI) securities will be targeted at 80% of NAV.

#### RISK INDICATOR

##### Lower Risk

Potentially Lower Rewards

##### Higher Risk

Potentially Higher Rewards



**CAPITAL AT RISK:** The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

#### KEY RISKS:

- Credit risk, changes to interest rates and/or issuer defaults will have a significant impact on the performance of fixed income securities. Potential or actual credit rating downgrades may increase the level of risk.
- The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements, political factors, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.
- The Fund may seek to exclude Funds which are not subject to ESG-related requirements. Investors should therefore make a personal ethical assessment of the Fund's ESG screening prior to investing in the Fund. Such ESG screening may adversely affect the value of the Fund's investments compared to a fund without such screening.
- Counterparty Risk: The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Credit Risk: The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Liquidity Risk: Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

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#### KEY FACTS

**Constraint 1 :** USD UCITS Conservative benchmark without FX hedging

**Asset Class :** Multi Asset

**Fund Launch Date :** 15-Dec-2021

**Share Class Launch Date :** 15-Dec-2021

**Share Class Currency :** USD

**Use of Income :** Accumulating

**Net Assets of Fund (M) :** 14.02 USD

**Morningstar Category :** -

**SFDR Classification :** Article 8

**Domicile :** Luxembourg

**ISIN :** LU2368536913

**Management Company :** BlackRock (Luxembourg) S.A.

#### FEES AND CHARGES

**Annual Management Fee :** 0.84%

**Ongoing Charge :** 0.99%

**Performance Fee :** 0.00%

#### DEALING INFORMATION

**Minimum Initial Investment :** 5,000 USD \*

**Settlement :** Trade Date + 3 days

**Dealing Frequency :** Daily, forward pricing basis

\* or currency equivalent

#### PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

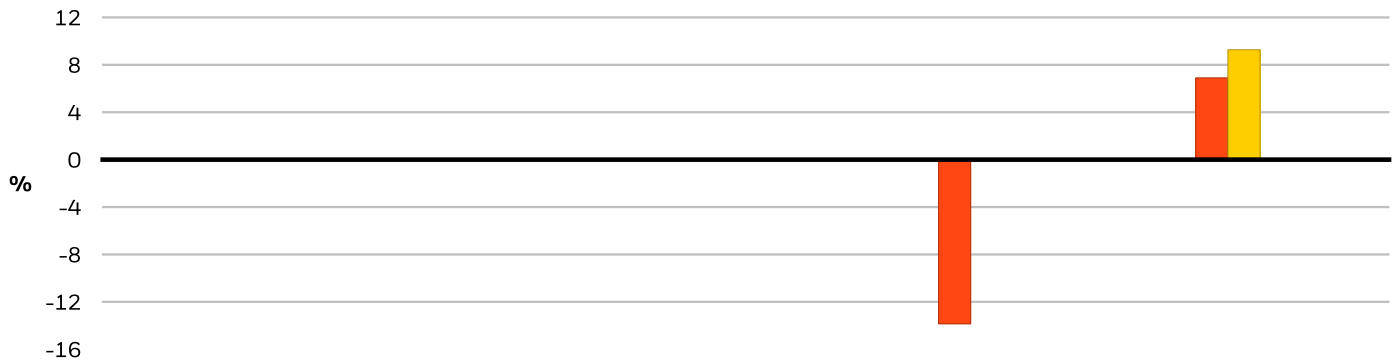
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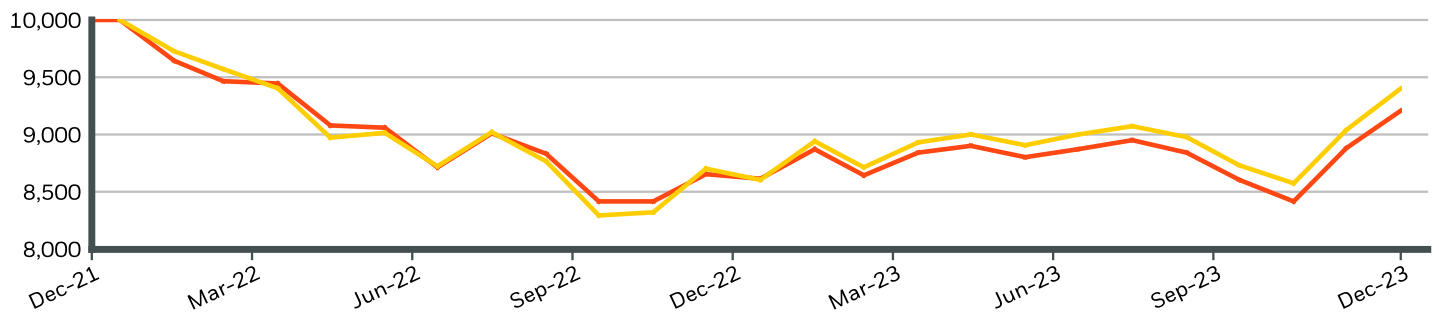
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**CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE**



	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
<b>Share Class</b>	-	-	-	-13.86	6.90
<b>Constraint 1</b>	-	-	-	-	9.27

**GROWTH OF HYPOTHETICAL 10,000 USD SINCE INCEPTION**



**CUMULATIVE & ANNUALIZED PERFORMANCE**

	CUMULATIVE (%)					ANNUALIZED (% p.a.)		
	1m	3m	6m	YTD	1y	3y	5y	Since Inception
<b>Share Class</b>	3.68	7.02	3.79	6.90	6.90	-	-	-3.49
<b>Constraint 1</b>	4.00	7.67	4.46	9.27	9.27	-	-	-

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future performance and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in USD, hedged fund benchmark performance is displayed in USD. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. Refer to the Key Facts section for share class & benchmark information. **Source:** BlackRock

- Share Class BGF ESG Flex Choice Cautious FundClass A2 USD
- Constraint 1 USD UCITS Conservative benchmark without FX hedging

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#### TOP HOLDINGS (%)

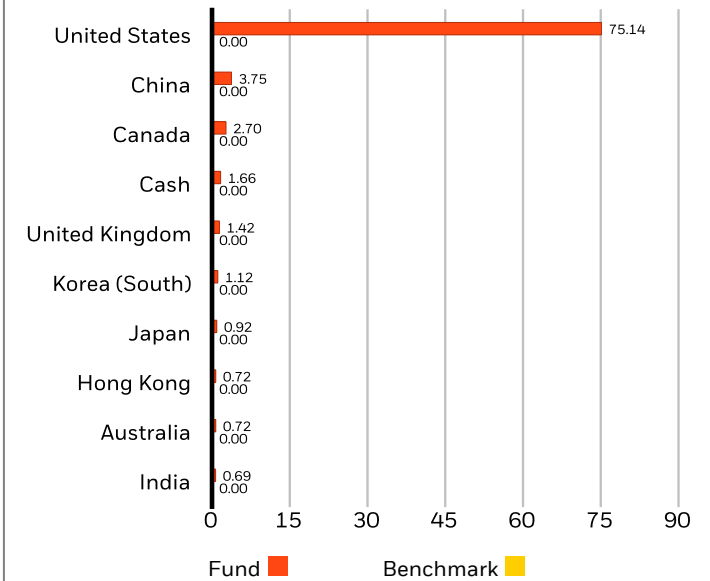
ISHARES \$ CORP BOND ESG UCIT USD D	18.28%
ISHARES USD TREASURY BOND 3- USD_D	12.41%
ISH \$ TSY BND 20+YR UCITS USD DIST	7.58%
ISHARES \$ TREASURY BOND 1-3YR UCIT	7.11%
ISHARES \$ HY CORP BOND ESG ETF	6.51%
ISHARES JPM ESG \$ EM BOND USD D	5.99%
ISHS \$ ASIA IG CORP BOND ETF USD A	5.61%
ISHRS TREAS 7-10YR USD DIST ETF	5.20%
ISHARES MSCI USA ESG SCREENE CDIS	5.03%
ISHARES GLOBAL AGG BOND ESG USD D	4.31%
<b>Total of Portfolio</b>	<b>78.03%</b>

Holdings subject to change

#### PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

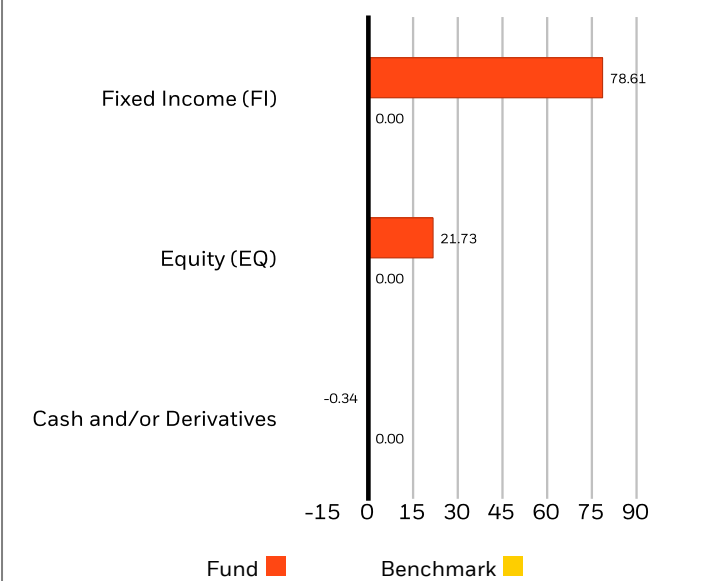
**Weighted Average Market Capitalization (M) :** 4,948 USD  
**Modified Duration :** 4.96  
**Price to Book Ratio :** 0.00x  
**Price to Earnings Ratio :** 0.00x  
**Number of Holdings :** 22

#### GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN (%)



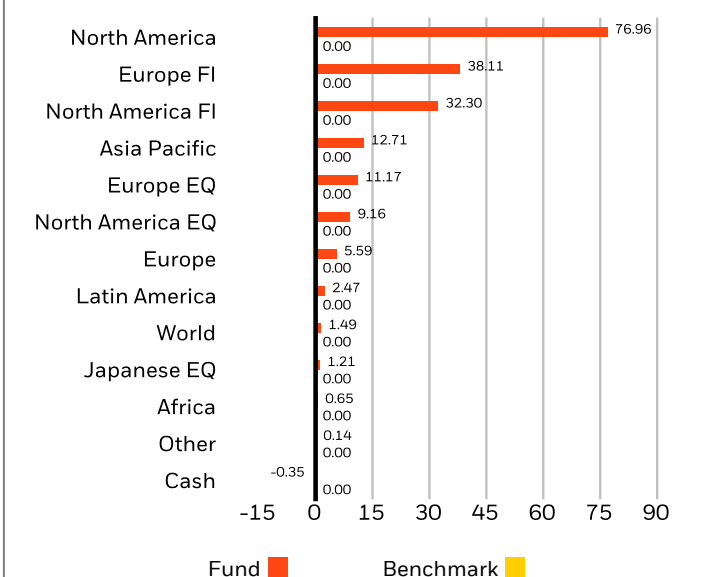
Allocations are subject to change. Source: BlackRock

#### ASSET TYPE BREAKDOWN (%)



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#### REGIONAL EXPOSURE (%)



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#### SUSTAINABILITY CHARACTERISTICS

Sustainability Characteristics can help investors integrate non-financial, sustainability considerations into their investment process. These metrics enable investors to evaluate funds based on their environmental, social, and governance (ESG) risks and opportunities. This analysis can provide insight into the effective management and long-term financial prospects of a fund.

The metrics below have been provided for transparency and informational purposes only. The existence of an ESG rating is not indicative of how or whether ESG factors will be integrated into a fund. The metrics are based on MSCI ESG Fund Ratings and, unless otherwise stated in fund documentation and included within a fund's investment objective, do not change a fund's investment objective or constrain the fund's investable universe, and there is no indication that an ESG or Impact focused investment strategy or exclusionary screens will be adopted by a fund. For more information regarding a fund's investment strategy, please see the fund's prospectus.

<b>MSCI ESG % Coverage</b>	98.29%	<b>MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC)</b>	A
<b>MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile</b>	54.79%	<b>MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10)</b>	6.33
<b>Funds in Peer Group</b>	146	<b>Fund Lipper Global Classification</b>	Mixed Asset USD Conservative
<b>MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity % Coverage</b>	51.87%	<b>MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES)</b>	101.28

All data is from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings as of **21 Dec 2023**, based on holdings as of **31 Aug 2023**. As such, the fund's sustainable characteristics may differ from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings from time to time.

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#### GLOSSARY

**SFDR Classification: Article 8:** Products that promote environmental or social characteristics and promote good governance practices.

**Article 9:** Products that have sustainable investments as an objective and follow good governance practices. **Other:** Products that do not meet the criteria to be classified as Article 8 or 9.

**Funds in Peer Group:** The number of funds from the relevant Lipper Global Classification peer group that are also in ESG coverage.

**Fund Lipper Global Classification:** The fund peer group as defined by the Lipper Global Classification.

**MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10):** The MSCI ESG Quality Score (0 - 10) for funds is calculated using the weighted average of the ESG scores of fund holdings. The Score also considers ESG Rating trend of holdings and the fund exposure to holdings in the laggard category. MSCI rates underlying holdings according to their exposure to industry specific ESG risks and their ability to manage those risks relative to peers.

**MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES):** Measures a fund's exposure to carbon intensive companies. This figure represents the estimated greenhouse gas emissions per \$1 million in sales across the fund's holdings. This allows for comparisons between funds of different sizes.

**Modified Duration:** A measure of price sensitivity of a bond to changes in interest rates. The Modified Duration of the fund is calculated as the average of the underlying bonds' modified duration values, adjusted to take account of their relative weight (size) within the fund.

**Price to Earnings:** A valuation ratio of a company's current share price compared to its per-share earnings in the current forecast year, calculated as current share price divided by current earnings per share.

**MSCI ESG % Coverage:** Percentage of the fund's holdings for which the MSCI ESG ratings data is available. The MSCI ESG Fund Rating, MSCI ESG Quality Score, and MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile metrics are displayed for funds with at least 65% coverage.

**Average Market Cap:** The average market capitalization of a fund's equity portfolio gives you a measure of the size of the companies in which the fund invests. Market capitalization is calculated by multiplying the number of a company's shares outstanding by its price per share.

**MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC):** The MSCI ESG Rating is calculated as a direct mapping of ESG Quality Scores to letter rating categories (e.g. AAA = 8.6-10). The ESG Ratings range from leader (AAA, AA), average (A, BBB, BB) to laggard (B, CCC).

**MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile:** The fund's ESG Percentile compared to its Lipper peer group.

**MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity % Coverage:** Percentage of the fund's holdings for which MSCI Carbon Intensity data is available. The MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity metric is displayed for funds with any coverage. Funds with low coverage may not fully represent the fund's carbon characteristics given the lack of coverage.

**Price to Book Ratio:** represents the ratio of the current closing price of the share to the latest quarter's book value per share.

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