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# Wellington Emerging Local Debt Fund

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Wellington Emerging Local Debt Fund (the "Fund") a Fund of Wellington Management Funds (Ireland) plc (the "Company") ISIN: IE00B28HSV35

Management company: Wellington Luxembourg S.à r.l.

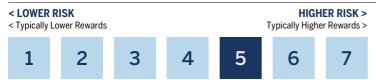
### **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY**

- The Fund seeks long-term total returns (capital appreciation and income).
- The Fund will be actively managed against the JP Morgan Government Bond Index Emerging Markets Global Diversified Index (the "Index"), investing primarily in emerging market local currency-denominated bonds. The Fund will generally be diversified by country, currency and issuer, but may hold concentrated positions from time to time. The Index consists of domestic currency government bonds to which international investors can gain exposure. The Index uses a weighting scheme to reduce the weight of large countries and redistributes the excess to the smaller weight countries with a maximum weight of 10% per country.
- The Fund will invest, either directly or via derivatives, in bonds (fixed or floating rate) issued by government, sovereign, quasi-sovereign agency, supranational or corporate issuers across multiple denominations and countries. The Fund may actively manage its exposure to both emerging and developed markets currencies. Average credit quality may be below investment grade.
- Derivatives will be used to hedge (manage) risk and/or volatility and for investment purposes (such as gaining exposure to a security). Derivatives will form a significant part of the strategy and will impact performance.
- The Index may be considered during portfolio construction and is used for performance comparison purposes. Fund securities may be components of the Index but are not expected to have similar weightings. The Investment Manager may limit the extent that issuer weightings, as well as overall interest rate duration, differ from the Index but this should not be expected to limit the Fund's ability to achieve long-term total returns in excess of the Index.

- The Fund will seek to support certain environmental, social and governance (ESG) characteristics and will abide by the following binding restrictions:
- The Fund will maintain an overall weighted average social (S) score in excess of the Index, using an internal rating scale of 1-5, where 1 is the best rating.
  The Fund will not invest in corporate or quasi-sovereign issuers that fail to comply with the United Nations Global Compact principles.
- Any income allocated to the Share class from the Fund is reinvested.
- Shares can be bought or sold daily in accordance with the Prospectus. The base currency of the Fund is USD.
- This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years. An investment in the Fund should not constitute a substantial proportion of an investment portfolio and may not be appropriate for all investors.
- The currency of this Share class is different to the base currency of the Fund and so the performance of the Share class will be subject to the impact of the movement of the exchange rate between the currencies.

For full investment objectives and policy details, please refer to the Prospectus.

## **RISK & REWARD PROFILE**



The indicator is not a measure of the risk of capital loss, but a measure of the previous ups and downs in value of the Fund. It is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indicator of the Fund's future risk profile. If the Fund has been in operation for less than 5 years, representative history, such as a comparable Share class or index, may have been used to create the indicator.

- The indicator may shift over time and is not a target or guarantee.
- The lowest category does not represent a risk-free investment.
- The Fund is classified as a 5 as over the past 5 years the average amount by which returns varied each year was equal to or above 10% and less than 15%.

# MATERIAL RISKS RELEVANT TO THE FUND WHICH ARE NOT FULLY CAPTURED BY THE INDICATOR:

**BELOW INVESTMENT GRADE:** Lower rated or unrated securities may have a significantly greater risk of default than investment grade securities, can be more volatile, less liquid, and involve higher transaction costs.

**BOND CONNECT:** The Bond Connect scheme allows investment into bonds on domestic Chinese markets. The rules of the Bond Connect scheme may not always permit the Fund to sell its assets and therefore expose the fund to clearing and settlement risks, which may cause financial loss.

**CAPITAL:** Investment markets are subject to economic, regulatory, market sentiment and political risk which can trigger unexpected capital loss.

**COUNTERPARTY:** The institutions with which the Fund may trade or invest, or to which assets may be entrusted, may fail to meet their obligations which could impact the operational capability or value of your investment.

**CREDIT:** The value of a bond may decline, or the issuer/guarantor may fail to meet payment obligations. Typically lower-rated bonds carry a greater degree of credit risk than higher-rated bonds.

**CURRENCY:** The value of the Fund may be affected by changes in currency exchange rates. Unhedged currency risk may subject the Fund to significant volatility.

**DERIVATIVES:** Specific risks such as operational issues, complexity, and valuation may be linked to the possible use of derivatives.

**EMERGING MARKETS:** Emerging markets may be subject to custodial and political risks, and volatility. Investment in foreign currency entails exchange risks.

**HEDGING:** Any hedging strategy using derivatives may not achieve a perfect hedge. **INTEREST RATES:** The value of bonds tends to decline as interest rates rise. The

change in value is greater for longer term than shorter term bonds.

**LEVERAGE:** The use of leverage can provide more market exposure than the money paid or deposited when the transaction is entered into. Losses may therefore exceed the original amount invested.

**LIQUIDITY:** The Fund may invest in securities that are less liquid and may be more difficult to buy or sell in a timely fashion and/or at fair value. Sub-investment grade fixed income instruments can suddenly become illiquid in case of market crash.

**OPERATIONAL:** The impact of breakdowns in systems, internal procedures and human error.

**SUSTAINABILITY:** A Sustainability Risk can be defined as an environmental, social or governance event or condition that, if it occurs, could cause an actual or potential material negative impact on the value of an investment. Further information on specific Sustainability Risks can be found in the Fund's prospectus.

A more detailed description of the risk factors that apply to the Fund is set out in the section "Risk Factors" in the Prospectus.

### CHARGES

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

ONE-OFF CHARGES TAKEN BEFORE OR AFTER YOU INVEST		
Entry Charge	0.00%	
Exit Charge	0.00%	
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested / before the proceeds of your investment are paid out. Separately, your financial advisor or intermediary may charge you a transaction fee.		
CHARGES TAKEN FROM THE FLIND OVER A YEAR		

Ongoing Charges	0.60%

CHARGES TAKEN FROM THE FUND UNDER CERTAIN SPECIFIC CONDITIONS	
Performance Fee	N/A

#### PAST PERFORMANCE



### PRACTICAL INFORMATION

DEPOSITARY: State Street Custodial Services (Ireland) Limited.

FURTHER INFORMATION: The Prospectus, the Key Investor Information Document, the articles of association, as well as the annual and semi-annual reports can be obtained free of charge and upon simple request from the representative and paying agent in Switzerland:

BNP PARIBAS SECURITIES SERVICES, Paris, succursale de Zurich Selnaustrasse 16 8002 Zurich Switzerland

**SEGREGATED LIABILITY:** The assets and liabilities of each Fund are segregated by law. Accordingly each Fund is only liable for its own liabilities.

**SWITCHING RIGHTS:** Investors may switch from one Share class or Fund to another subject to meeting certain conditions as set out in the Prospectus.

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the 12 month period ending December 2021. This figure may vary from year to year.

The ongoing charges figure excludes Fund transaction costs, except in the case of depositary fees and an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling Shares in another collective investment undertaking.

A more detailed description of the charges that apply to the Fund is set out in the section "Charges and Expenses" in the Prospectus.

Past performance does not guarantee future results.

- Any Share class performance is expressed as a percentage change of the Share class's net asset value at each year-end, adjusted to reflect the reinvestment of any declared distributions in the year. Performance is shown after deduction of ongoing charges. Any entry/exit fees or taxes that may arise from an investment in this Share class are excluded from the calculation.
- The year of inception of the Share class is 2010.
- The graph shows annual performance in JPY.
- The Share class does not intend to track the Index.

**TAX LEGISLATION:** Tax legislation of the Company's Home State may have an impact on the personal tax position of the investor.

**LIABILITY STATEMENT:** Wellington Luxembourg S.à r.l. 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 Umbrella Fund.

**COMPANY INFORMATION:** This document describes a Share class of a Fund of the Company whereas the Prospectus and annual reports are prepared for the entire Company named at the beginning of the document.

**SWING PRICING:** The Fund may suffer dilution of the Net Asset Value due to investors buying or selling Shares at a price that does not take into account trading costs. To counteract this, a partial swing pricing mechanism is currently employed to protect Shareholders interests.

**REMUNERATION POLICY:** A copy of the Company's remuneration policy and practices can be found at http://sites.wellington.com/KIIDS\_wmf/. A paper copy is available free of charge upon request.