#### Marketing Communication

### **SMOT** VanEck Morningstar US SMID Moat UCITS ETF

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#### **Fund Details**

Base Currency	USD
Inception Date	12 January 2024
Domicile	Ireland
Net Assets	USD 13.4M
Shares Outstanding	600,000
Total Expense Ratio	0.49%
Product Structure	Physical (Full Replication)
UCITS Compliant	Yes
Rebalance Frequency	Semi-Annually, Staggered Quarterly
Distribution Frequency	Not Applicable
Income Treatment	Reinvestment
Swiss Valor	131748547
ISA Eligibility	Yes
SIPP Available	Yes
Countries of Registration	AT, CH, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, IE, IT, LU, NL, NO, PL, PT, SE, UK

#### **Index Information**

Reuters Ticker	.MSUMMFNU
Bloomberg Ticker	MSUMMFNU
Reconstitution Frequency	Semi-Annually, Staggered Quarterly
Inception Date	18 Mar 2011
Currency	USD
Index Type	Total Return Net
Index Provider	Morningstar

#### Fund Data

Number of Holdings	109
Price/Earnings Ratio <sup>*</sup>	
Price/Book Ratio <sup>*</sup>	
Weighted Avg. MCap	USD 20.5B
* Last 12 Months	

#### **Country Breakdown**

United States	98.82%
United Kingdom	0.66%
Bermuda	0.43%
Other/Cash	0.09%

#### **Fund Description**

The VanEck Morningstar US SMID Moat UCITS ETF (SMOT) is a UCITScompliant exchange traded fund that invests in a portfolio of equity securities with the aim of providing investment returns that closely track the performance of the Morningstar® US Small-Mid Cap Moat Focus Index<sup>™</sup> (MSUMMFNU).

Morningstar® US Small-Mid Cap Moat Focus Index<sup>™</sup> targets small- and mid-cap stocks with durable competitive advantages and attractive valuations, based on the forward-looking insights from Morningstar's equity research team. The rules-based index is reviewed quarterly. Please consult <u>http://indexes.morningstar.com</u> for detailed index information.



31 December 2024

#### **Performance History (%)**

Month End as of 31 Dec 2024	1 MO*	3 MO*	YTD*	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	ETF INCEPTION
ETF	-6.20	-0.42						13.21
MSUMMFNU (Index)	-6.19	-0.35	10.70	10.70	5.96	11.85	12.20	13.49

#### Past Performance as of 31 Dec 2023

# There is insufficient data to provide a useful indication of past performance to investors. The Fund was launched on 12 January 2024.

Past performance does not predict future returns. Performance quoted represents past performance. Current performance may be lower or higher than average annual returns shown. Performance data is displayed on a Net Asset Value basis, in Base Currency terms, with net income reinvested, net of fees. Brokerage or transaction fees will apply. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Investors must be aware that, due to market fluctuations and other factors, the performance of the ETFs may vary over time and should consider a medium/long-term perspective when evaluating the performance of ETFs. Investing is subject to risks, including the possible loss of principal. Source: VanEck.

\*Periods greater than one year are annualised.

Top 10 Holdings

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TAPESTRY INC	1.73%
LPL FINANCIAL HOLDINGS INC	1.68%
EXPEDIA GROUP INC	1.60%
CARNIVAL CORP	1.60%
LITHIA MOTORS INC	1.53%
NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE HOLDINGS LTD	1.51%
CARLYLE GROUP INC/THE	1.47%
ZOOM VIDEO COMMUNICATIONS INC	1.42%
WESCO INTERNATIONAL INC	1.41%
ASBURY AUTOMOTIVE GROUP INC	1.40%
SUBTOTAL - TOP 10	15.33%
REMAINING HOLDINGS	84.58%
OTHER/CASH	0.09%
TOTAL	100.00%
For a complete up-to-date listing of Fund holdings, please visit <u>www.vaneck.com</u>	

#### **Trading Information**

EXCHANGE	TRADING CURRENCY	ISIN	EXCHANGE TICKER	BLOOMBERG TICKER	REUTERS TICKER	SEDOL	IOPV SYMBOL
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE	USD	IE000SBU19F7	SMOT	SMOT LN	SMOT.L	BL57109	SMOTUSIV
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE	GBP	IE000SBU19F7	SMTV	SMTV LN	SMTV.L	BL570Z7	SMOTUSIV
DEUTSCHE BÖRSE	EUR	IE000SBU19F7	SMTV	SMTV GY	SMTV.DE	BL57121	SMOTEUIV
SIX Swiss Exchange CHF	CHF	IE000SBU19F7	SMOT	SMOT SE	SMOT.S	BL57132	SMOTUSIV
Borsa Italiana EUR	EUR	IE000SBU19F7	SMOT	SMOT IM	SMOT.MI	BL57110	SMOTEUIV

#### Key Risks

**Equity Market Risk:** The value of the securities held by a Moat ETF may fall suddenly and unpredictably due to general market and economic conditions in markets in which issuers or securities held by the funds are active.

**Concentration Risk:** Increases in interest rates have a significant impact on the value of fixed-income securities issued by governments and companies. Potential or actual downgrades in credit ratings can also impact prices. This is another risk factor of a Multi-Asset ETF.

**Foreign Currency Risk:** Because all or a portion of a Moat ETF are being invested in securities denominated in foreign currencies, the fund's exposure to foreign currencies and changes in the value of foreign currencies versus the Base Currency may result in reduced returns for the funds, and the value of certain foreign currencies may be subject to a high degree of fluctuation.

For more information on risks, please see the "Risk Factors" section of the relevant Fund's prospectus, available on www.vaneck.com.

#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

This is marketing communication. Please refer to the prospectus of the UCITS and to the Key Information Document ("KID") before making any final investment decisions. These documents are available in English and the KIDs in local languages and can be obtained free of charge at <u>www.vaneck.com</u>, from VanEck Asset Management B.V. (the "Management Company") or, where applicable, from the relevant appointed facility agent for your country.

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