

# Artemis Target Return Bond Fund (the "fund")

Class I accumulation shares, GBP [ISIN: GB00BJXPPH66] A sub-fund of Artemis Investment Funds ICVC.

The fund is managed by Artemis Fund Managers Limited.

#### KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION

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# OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY

To achieve a positive return of at least 2.5% above the Bank of England (BOE) base rate, after fees, on an annualised basis over rolling three-year periods

#### Investment policy

#### What the fund invests in

- Bonds in any currency, directly or indirectly using derivatives, including:
  - Government bonds
  - Corporate bonds

  - Asset-backed securities - Mortgage-backed securities
- The fund may also invest in cash and near cash, other transferable securities, other funds (up to 10%) managed by Artemis and third party funds, and money market instruments.

The fund may use derivatives:

- · for investment purposes to achieve the fund objective, including taking long and short positions in sovereign bonds, credit spreads (via credit default swaps on single issuers or indices), interest rates or inflation
- to produce additional income or growth
- for efficient portfolio management purposes to reduce risk and manage the fund efficiently.

- · Globally.
- No more than 40% net exposure (longs minus shorts) in emerging market debt securities.
- At least 90% of the fund will be denominated in or hedged back to sterling.

#### Industries the fund invests in

#### Credit quality of bonds the fund invests in

- · Investment grade, being:
  - BBB- or above by Standard & Poor's; or
  - BBB- or above by Fitch; or
  - · Baa3 or above by Moody's
- No more than 40% net exposure (longs minus shorts) in below investment grade securities.
- Up to 10% in unrated bonds.
- The fund will not invest in bonds below B3 by Moody's, B-by S&P or B-by Fitch (the Minimum Bond Rating). Where the fund has exposure to an index the Minimum Bond Rating will apply to the average credit rating of bonds making up the index

#### Other limitations specific to this fund

- The fund's portfolio duration will vary between -2 years and +4 years.
- No more than 40% net exposure (longs minus shorts) in aggregate in a combination of emerging market debt securities and below investment grade securities.
- Up to 5% exposure to any non-government issuer of investment grade securities.
- Up to 3% exposure to an individual issuer of below investment grade securities or an issuer listed, headquartered or having significant business in emerging markets. In this context, emerging market countries means countries included in the MSCI Emerging Markets Index and those included in the World Bank definition of developing economies or those countries which are, in the manager's opinion, developing countries.

#### Investment strategy

- The fund is actively managed.
- A combination of three strategies is used:
  - Carry strategy: a global portfolio of investment grade corporate and government bonds. This aims to generate predictable returns over the medium term.
- Credit strategy: aims to generate returns through the manager's highest-conviction ideas on credit assets which are expected to rise or fall in value over a particular period. These ideas may be implemented through trades which are intended to exploit the relative prospects of two assets or indices, for example by taking a long position in one and a short position in the other.
- Rates strategy: aims to exploit expected movements in inflation rates, interest rates globally and the value of global government bonds. The manager seeks to generate returns by using derivatives to take long and short positions in global government bonds, inflation rates or interest rates.

#### **Benchmarks**

• Bank Of England Base Rate + 2.5%

BOE base rate is a measure of the interest rate at which the BOE, the UK's central bank, lends money to other banks. It is used as a way of estimating the amount of interest which could be earned on cash. It acts as a 'target benchmark' that the fund aims to outperform by at least 2.5%, after fees, on an annualised basis over rolling three-

There is no guarantee that the fund will achieve a positive return over a rolling three-year period or any other time period and your capital is at risk.

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- Distribution policy: This is an accumulation class. Income received is reinvested in the value of the fund.

# RISK AND REWARD PROFILE

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#### The risk indicator may not fully take into account the following risks and the following may affect fund performance:

- Market volatility risk: The value of the fund and any income from it can fall or rise because of movements in stockmarkets, currencies and interest rates, each of which can move irrationally and be affected unpredictably by diverse factors, including political and economic events
- . Currency risk: The fund's assets may be priced in currencies other than the fund base currency. Changes in currency exchange rates can therefore affect the fund's
- Absolute return risk: The fund is not guaranteed to produce a positive return and as an absolute return fund, performance may not move in line with general market trends or fully benefit from a positive market environment.
- Emerging markets risk: Compared to more established economies, investments in emerging markets may be subject to greater volatility due to differences in generally accepted accounting principles, less governed standards or from economic or political instability. Under certain market conditions assets may be
- Derivatives risk: The fund may invest in derivatives with the aim of profiting from falling ('shorting') as well as rising prices. Should the asset's value vary in an  $\,$ unexpected way, the fund value will reduce.
- · Credit risk: Investments in bonds are affected by interest rates, inflation and credit ratings. It is possible that bond issuers will not pay interest or return the capital. All of these events can reduce the value of bonds held by the fund.
- Higher-yielding bonds risk: The fund may invest in higher-yielding bonds, which may increase the risk to capital. Investing in these types of assets (which are also known as sub-investment grade bonds) can produce a higher yield but also brings an increased risk of default, which would affect the capital value of the fund.
- Bond liquidity risk: The fund holds bonds which could prove difficult to sell. As a result, the fund may have to lower the selling price, sell other investments or forego more appealing investment opportunities
- Counterparty risk: Investments such as derivatives are made using financial contracts with third parties. Those third parties may fail to meet their obligations to the fund due to events beyond the fund's control. The fund's value could fall because of loss of monies owed by the counterparty and/or the cost of replacement financial contracts
- · Mortgage- or asset-backed securities risk: Mortgage- or asset-backed securities may not receive in full the amounts owed to them by underlying borrowers.
- Charges from capital risk: Where charges are taken wholly or partly out of a fund's capital, distributable income may be increased at the expense of capital, which may constrain or erode capital growth.
- Leverage risk: The fund may operate with a significant amount of leverage. Leverage occurs when the economic exposure created by the use of derivatives is greater than the amount invested. A leveraged portfolio may result in large fluctuations in its value and therefore entails a high degree of risk including the risk that losses may be substantial.

Please refer to the fund's prospectus for full details of these and other risks which are applicable to this fund.



#### CHARGES FOR THE FUND

# One-off charges taken before or after you invest Entry charge None Exit charge None

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

#### Charges taken from the fund over a year

Ongoing charge	0.400%
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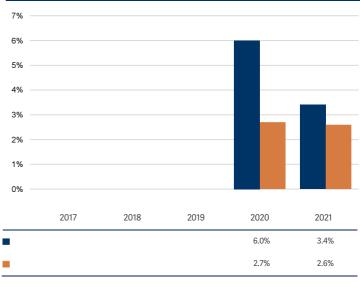
#### Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions

Performance fee None

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- · The annual management charge is taken from income.

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#### PAST PERFORMANCE



- Class I accumulation shares, GBPBank Of England Base Rate + 2.5%
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- Past performance is net of all charges except any costs incurred when investors buy or sell the fund.
- How the fund has performed in the past is not a guide to how it will perform in the future.
- Performance is calculated in sterling.
- Fund launch date: 3 December 2019.
- · Class launch date: 3 December 2019.

## **PRACTICAL INFORMATION**

Depositary: J.P. Morgan Europe Limited.

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**Remuneration policy:** Information about Artemis' remuneration policy is available at <a href="https://www.artemisfunds.com">www.artemisfunds.com</a>; a paper copy is available free of charge on request.

**Tax legislation:** UK tax legislation that applies to the fund may have an impact on your personal tax position.

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### **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY**

#### **Objective**

To grow capital over a five year period.

#### Investment policy

#### What the fund invests in

- 80% to 100% in company shares.
- Up to 20% in bonds, cash and near cash, other transferable securities, other funds (up to 10%) managed by Artemis and third party funds, money market instruments, and derivatives.

#### Use of derivatives

The fund may use derivatives:

- for investment purposes to achieve the fund objective, including by taking long and short positions
- to produce additional income or growth
- for efficient portfolio management purposes to reduce risk and manage the fund efficiently.

#### Where the fund invests

• United Kingdom, including companies in other countries that are headquartered or have a significant part of their activities in the United Kingdom.

#### Industries the fund invests in

Any

#### Other limitations specific to this fund

• Total short exposures to equity derivatives will not exceed 10% of the fund.

#### Investment strategy

- The fund is actively managed.
- The manager generates ideas from a number of sources of information, detailed financial analysis and wider economic analysis. A systematic approach is used to collect, assess, and crossreference this information.
- · A company's valuation relative to the industry in which it operates is also considered.
- While considering factors which are unique to a company, the manager seeks companies whose valuations are overly conservative in relation to their peers and that provide attractive opportunities for a future upgrade.
- $\bullet \ \ Short \ positions \ can \ be \ taken \ where \ stock-specific \ insight \ identifies \ an \ over-valued \ company.$

#### Benchmarks

• FTSE All-Share Index TR

A widely-used indicator of the performance of the UK stockmarket, in which the fund invests. It acts as a 'comparator benchmark' against which the fund's performance can be compared. Management of the fund is not restricted by this benchmark.

• IA UK All Companies NR

A group of other asset managers' funds that invest in similar asset types as this fund, collated by the Investment Association. It acts as a 'comparator benchmark' against which the fund's performance can be compared. Management of the fund is not restricted by this benchmark.

#### Other information

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# RISK AND REWARD PROFILE

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# The risk indicator may not fully take into account the following risks and the following may affect fund performance:

- Market volatility risk: The value of the fund and any income from it can
  fall or rise because of movements in stockmarkets, currencies and
  interest rates, each of which can move irrationally and be affected
  unpredictably by diverse factors, including political and economic
  events.
- Currency risk: The fund's assets may be priced in currencies other than the fund base currency. Changes in currency exchange rates can therefore affect the fund's value.
- Charges from capital risk: Where charges are taken wholly or partly out
  of a fund's capital, distributable income may be increased at the
  expense of capital, which may constrain or erode capital growth.
- Derivatives risk: The fund may invest in derivatives with the aim of profiting from falling ('shorting') as well as rising prices. Should the asset's value vary in an unexpected way, the fund value will reduce.
- Leverage risk: The fund may operate with a significant amount of leverage. Leverage occurs when the economic exposure created by the use of derivatives is greater than the amount invested. A leveraged portfolio may result in large fluctuations in its value and therefore entails a high degree of risk including the risk that losses may be substantial.

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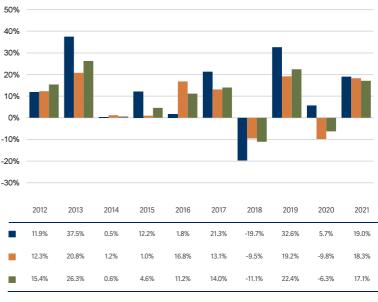
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Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing charge	0.840%
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific cond	litions
Performance fee	None

- · The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. The charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.
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- · The annual management charge is taken from income.

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#### PAST PERFORMANCE



- Class Laccumulation units GBP
- FTSE All-Share TR
- IA UK All Companies NR
- · Past performance is net of all charges except any costs incurred when investors buy or sell the fund.
- This class may have charges or a hedging approach different from those in the IA sector benchmark.
- How the fund has performed in the past is not a guide to how it will perform in the future.
- · Performance is calculated in sterling.
- Fund launch date: 3 April 1998.
- · Class launch date: 1 September 2010.

### PRACTICAL INFORMATION

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# **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY**

#### **Objective**

To grow capital over a five year period.

There is no guarantee that the fund will achieve a positive return over a five-year period or any other time period and your capital is at risk.

#### Investment policy

#### What the fund invests in

- At least 80% in shares of US companies, either directly or indirectly through derivatives.
- Up to 20% in shares, or derivatives of shares, of companies in other countries, bonds, cash, near
  cash, other transferable securities, other funds (up to 10%) managed by Artemis and third party
  funds, and money market instruments.

#### Use of derivatives

The fund may use derivatives:

- for investment purposes to achieve the fund objective, including taking long and short positions
- to produce additional income or growth
- for efficient portfolio management purposes to reduce risk and manage the fund efficiently
- to create leverage.

#### Industries the fund invests in

• Any

#### Other limitations specific to this fund

- Total derivatives (longs plus shorts) are likely to represent a significant proportion of the fund's
  gross exposure to companies, which will typically lie in a range of +100% to +200% of net asset
  value.
- Net exposure (longs minus shorts) to companies will typically lie in the range of +85% to +110% depending on market conditions.
- A significant proportion of the fund will be held in cash due to the level of derivative use.
- To allow the fund to manage counterparty risk, it may also invest its cash in government bonds, generally of less than one year maturity.

#### **Investment strategy**

- The fund is actively managed.
- The manager uses multiple sources of information, both to generate ideas and to assist in validating and testing candidate companies for investment. This is complemented by techniques such as data mining (examining large databases of information) and financial analysis.
- External research is also used in order to tap into knowledge already available and to look for different views.
- The manager carries out a significant amount of analysis of wider economic trends is carried out in order to understand cyclical and long-term trends and the outlook.
- The manager derives alpha by seeking to exploit market inefficiencies by buying shares in companies believed to be undervalued and by shorting shares believed to be overvalued.

#### **Benchmarks**

- S&P 500 TR GBP
- A widely-used indicator of the performance of 500 large publicly-traded US companies, some of which the fund invests in. It acts as a 'comparator benchmark' against which the fund's performance can be compared. Management of the fund is not restricted by this benchmark.
- IA North America NR
   A group of other asset managers' funds that invest in similar asset types as this fund, collated by the Investment Association. It acts as a 'comparator benchmark' against which the fund's performance can be compared. Management of the fund is not restricted by this benchmark.

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## **RISK AND REWARD PROFILE**

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# The risk indicator may not fully take into account the following risks and the following may affect fund performance:

- Market volatility risk: The value of the fund and any income from it can
  fall or rise because of movements in stockmarkets, currencies and
  interest rates, each of which can move irrationally and be affected
  unpredictably by diverse factors, including political and economic
  events.
- Currency risk: The fund's assets may be priced in currencies other than the fund base currency. Changes in currency exchange rates can therefore affect the fund's value.
- Derivatives risk: The fund may invest in derivatives with the aim of profiting from falling ('shorting') as well as rising prices. Should the asset's value vary in an unexpected way, the fund value will reduce.
- Cash risk: The fund may hold a large amount of cash. If it does so when markets are rising, the fund's returns could be less that if the cash was fully invested in other types of assets.
- Leverage risk: The fund may operate with a significant amount of leverage. Leverage occurs when the economic exposure created by the use of derivatives is greater than the amount invested. A leveraged portfolio may result in large fluctuations in its value and therefore entails a high degree of risk including the risk that losses may be substantial.

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#### CHARGES FOR THE FUND

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#### Charges taken from the fund over a year

Ongoing charge 0.890%

#### Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions

#### Performance fee

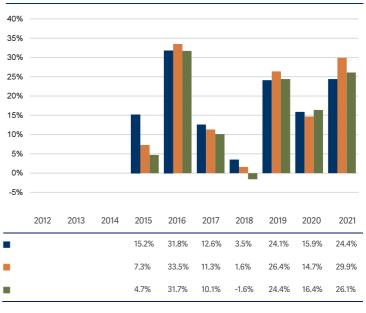
Exit charge

20.00% of the share class outperformance against the S&P 500 TR GBP. See the prospectus for more details. In the fund's last financial year the actual performance fee was 0.69% of the fund.

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- The benchmark used to calculate the performance fee is provided by an administrator on the UK Benchmarks Register or ESMA register of benchmarks which includes details of all authorised, registered, recognised and endorsed UK, EU and third country benchmark administrators together with their regulator.
- The annual management charge is taken from income.

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#### PAST PERFORMANCE



- Class I accumulation shares, GBP
- S&P 500 TR GBP

None

None

- IA North America NR
- Past performance is net of all charges except any costs incurred when investors buy or sell the fund.
- This class may have charges or a hedging approach different from those in the IA sector benchmark.
- How the fund has performed in the past is not a guide to how it will perform in the future.
- · Performance is calculated in sterling.
- Fund launch date: 19 September 2014.
- · Class launch date: 19 September 2014.

# PRACTICAL INFORMATION

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#### **Baillie Gifford Pacific Fund - Class B Shares**

Accumulation Shares - ISIN GB0006063233 (also representative of Income Shares ISIN GB0006063340)

This Fund is a sub-fund of Baillie Gifford Overseas Growth Funds ICVC which is an Investment Company with Variable Capital. Baillie Gifford & Co Limited is the Authorised Corporate Director of the Fund and is wholly owned by Baillie Gifford & Co.

#### Objectives and investment policy

Objective

• The Fund aims to outperform (after deduction of costs) the MSCI AC Asia ex Japan Index, as stated in sterling, by at least 2% per annum over rolling five-year periods.

Policy

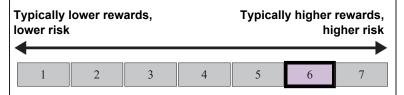
- The Fund will invest at least 90% directly or indirectly in shares of companies of any size and in any sector in Asia (excluding Japan) and Australasia.
- The Fund will invest in companies which are listed, incorporated, domiciled or conducting a significant portion of their business in Asia (excluding Japan) and Australasia.
- The indirect investment will be through collective investment schemes.
- The Fund will be actively managed.

Other Information

- You can sell some or all of your shares on any business day in the United Kingdom by contacting our Dealing Department by phone or post. Where properly completed documentation is received by post, shares will be sold at the next valuation point following receipt of the instruction.
- For Accumulation shares income will be re-invested. No further shares will be purchased but the reinvestment will be reflected in the price of your existing accumulation shares. You are, however, deemed to have received the income for tax purposes.
- For Income shares any income due to you will be paid into your bank or building society account, paid on the dates specified in the Prospectus.
- For further explanation and information see the investment objective and policy section of the Prospectus, which is available by contacting us.
- Recommendation: this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years.

#### Risk and reward profile

The Risk and Reward Indicator table demonstrates where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward. The higher the rank the greater the potential reward but the greater the risk of losing money. It is based on past data, may change over time and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund. The shaded area in the table below shows the Fund's ranking on the Risk and Reward Indicator.



- Please note that even the lowest risk class can lose you money and that extreme adverse market circumstances can mean you suffer severe losses in all cases.
- The Fund is classified in the category above because it invests in company shares which generally provide higher rewards and higher risks than other investments such as bonds or cash.
- The indicator does not take into account the following relevant material risks:
- Investment markets can go down as well as up and market conditions can change rapidly. The value of an investment in the Fund, and any income from it, can fall as well as rise and you may not get back the amount invested.
- The Fund has exposure to foreign currencies and changes in the rates of
  exchange will cause the value of any investment, and income from it, to fall
  as well as rise and you may not get back the amount invested.
- The Fund invests in emerging markets where difficulties in trading and custody
  of assets could arise, impacting your investment. The Fund's investment in
  frontier markets may increase this risk.
- Where possible, charges are taken from the Fund's revenue. Where there is insufficient revenue, the remainder will be taken from capital. This will reduce the capital value of the Fund.



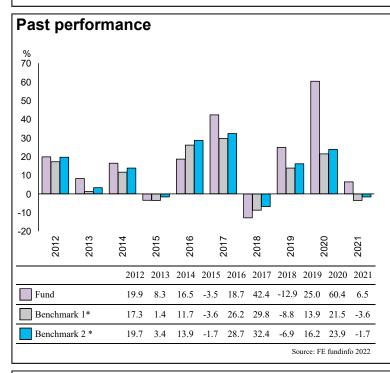
The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	0.00%
Exit charge	0.00%

These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested and before we pay out the sale proceeds of your investment. In some cases, you might pay less and you should speak to your financial adviser about this.

Charges taken from the Fund over a	year
Ongoing charges	0.76%
Charges taken from the Fund under s	specific conditions
Performance fee	NONE

- The ongoing charges figure is based on the last year's expenses and may vary from year to year. It excludes the costs of buying or selling assets for the Fund (unless these assets are shares of another fund).
- For the ongoing charges, the figure is for Accumulation shares and is at 30/06/2022.
- Portfolio transaction costs, which are not included in the calculation of the ongoing charges figure but are incurred by the Fund when buying or selling investments, may have an impact on performance and are paid from the
- The Fund's annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.
- The ongoing charges figure includes 0.05% of indirect fees. This may be higher than previous years as we now include indirect fees associated with closed-ended investment companies in the ongoing charges figure. It does not necessarily mean that fund expenses have gone up rather that a new way of showing them has been introduced through the Investment Association's Guidance on Disclosure of Fund Charges and Costs (July 2020, updated
- You can find further details about the charges in Part 5 of the Prospectus.



- You should be aware that past performance is not a guide to future performance.
- Fund launch date: 17/03/1989.
- Share/unit class launch date: 20/03/2000.
- · Performance is calculated in GBP.
- Performance is for Accumulation shares.
- · Performance reflects the annual charge but excludes any initial charge
- Performance figures are to 31 December each year.
- The Fund does not track the index.
- Source: FE and the relevant underlying index provider(s). For our legal notices and disclosures please visit www.bailliegifford.com/disclaimers
- \* Benchmark 1 MSCI AC Asia ex Japan
- \* Benchmark 2 MSCI AC Asia ex Japan + 2%

#### Practical information

- The Fund's Depositary is NatWest Trustee & Depositary Services Limited.
- This document describes only one share class and other share classes are available. Further information on the Fund, the Prospectus and the latest annual and interim reports are available from Baillie Gifford or by visiting the website at www.bailliegifford.com. The remuneration policy, which includes details of (a) how remuneration and benefits are calculated and (b) the committee responsible for approving all remuneration policies within the firm, is also at the website address noted. All such documents are available in English, on paper and are free of charge on request.
- This Key Investor Information Document describes the Baillie Gifford Pacific Fund only. The Prospectus and the annual and interim reports and accounts are prepared for the whole ICVC.
- The Baillie Gifford Pacific Fund is a sub-fund of Baillie Gifford Overseas Growth Funds ICVC. The assets of the Fund are segregated from other subfunds in the ICVC. This means that the assets of one sub-fund should not be used to meet the liabilities of another sub-fund.
- You can also find other information, including the Fund's latest prices, on our website.
- Tax laws in the United Kingdom may have an impact on your own tax position.
- You may at any time switch all or some of your shares in the Fund for shares in any fund of any of the Baillie Gifford ICVC(s).
- Baillie Gifford & Co 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.
- To contact us please call Client Relations on 0800 917 2113 (fax 0131 275 3955), visit our website at www.bailliegifford.com or email us at trustenquiries@bailliegifford.com.
- Your call may be recorded for training or monitoring purposes.

  This Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority



#### KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION

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# BlackRock Sustainable Sterling Strategic Bond Fund

A sub-fund of BlackRock Investment Funds

Class Z Accumulating GBP

ISIN: GB00BZ6DDZ33

Manager: BlackRock Fund Managers Limited

#### Objectives and Investment Policy

- ► The Fund aims to provide a return on your investment (generated through an increase to the value of the Fund's assets and/or income received from those assets) of 4.5% per year (gross of fees) over the return of the 3-month Sterling Overnight Index Average in a manner consistent with the principles of sustainable investment.
- ▶ The Fund invests at least 80% of its total assets in fixed income (FI) securities (such as bonds) globally, and instruments related to such FI securities (i.e. other investments whose value is related to debt) and at least 50% of its total assets in Sterling denominated non-government FI securities that are investment grade (i.e. meet a specified level of creditworthiness) at the time of purchase and instruments related to such FI securities. However, the Fund will invest in the full range of FI securities which may include investments with a relatively low credit rating or which are unrated. The FI securities may be issued by companies, governments, government agencies and supranationals (e.g. the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development).
- ► The Fund may also invest in equity securities (e.g. shares) of companies and in asset backed and mortgage backed securities (i.e. financial securities backed by cash flows from debt), money market instruments (i.e. debt securities with short-term maturities), deposits, cash and other funds.
- ► The Fund's investment manager (IM) expects to achieve, in respect only of the corporate issuers in which the Fund invests, a Fund carbon emission intensity score of 20% less than an equivalent portfolio of companies that does not apply any environment, social or governance (ESG) criteria as represented by the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate Bond Index (Index). Securities issued by non-corporate issuers, such as government securities, are not included but may represent a material portion of the Fund's assets.
- ▶ The Fund applies the BlackRock EMEA Baseline Screens whereby the IM excludes direct investment in corporate issuers (only) which have certain levels of exposure to, or ties with, sectors including controversial weapons, nuclear weapons, civilian firearms, tar sands, thermal coal, tobacco and issuers deemed to have breached one or more of the UN Global Compact Principles (Screens). Further details regarding the Screens are available in the Fund's prospectus and at https://www.blackrock.com/corporate/literature/publication/blackrock-baseline-screens-in-europe-middleeast-and-africa.pdf.
- ▶ The Fund uses a proprietary methodology to evaluate whether, in the IM's assessment, issuers and securities display positive sustainability characteristics (such as those with beneficial ESG impacts for third parties and/or considered best in class ESG performers) or negative sustainability characteristics (such as those with harmful ESG impacts for third parties and/or considered worst in class ESG performers). The IM then weights the Fund's portfolio towards the former and away from the latter. Where consistent with this weighting and the Screens, the Fund may continue to invest to a very limited extent in issuers and securities that display negative sustainability characteristics and may invest in those evaluated as not having positive or negative characteristics or whose characteristics are undetermined.
- ► The Fund may also invest directly in derivatives (investments the price of which is based on one or more underlying assets) for investment purposes and for efficient portfolio management purposes, including to reduce the effect of exchange rate fluctuations between any non-Sterling denominated assets and Sterling.
- ► The Fund may, via derivatives, generate varying amounts of market leverage (i.e. where the Fund gains market exposure in excess of the value of its assets).
- ▶ The Fund is actively managed. The IM has discretion to select the Fund's investments and is not constrained by any benchmark. 3-month SONIA should be used by unitholders to compare the performance of the Fund. The Fund's carbon emission intensity score is measured against the Index.
- ▶ Recommendation: This Fund may not be appropriate for short-term investment.
- ▶ Your units will be accumulating units (i.e. dividend income will be included in their value).
- ► Your units will be denominated in Sterling, the Fund's base currency.
- ▶ You can buy and sell your units daily. The minimum initial investment for this unit class is £50,000,000.

For more information on the Fund, share/unit classes, risks and charges, please see the Fund's prospectus, available on the product pages at www.blackrock.com

#### Risk and Reward Profile



- This indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.
- ▶ The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time.
- The lowest category does not mean risk free.
- ► The Fund is rated five due to the nature of its investments which include the risks listed below. These factors may impact the value of the Fund's investments or expose the Fund to losses.
  - Changes to interest rates, credit risk and/or issuer defaults will have a significant impact on the performance of fixed income securities. Noninvestment grade fixed income securities can be more sensitive to changes in these risks than higher rated 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. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.

- Derivatives may be highly sensitive to changes in the value of the asset on
  which they are based and can increase the size of losses and gains, resulting
  in greater fluctuations in the value of the Fund. The impact to the Fund can be
  greater where derivatives are used in an extensive or complex way.
- The benchmark index only excludes companies engaging in certain activities inconsistent with ESG criteria if such activities exceed the thresholds determined by the index provider. Investors should therefore make a personal ethical assessment of the benchmark index'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.
- $\,\blacktriangleright\,$  Particular risks not adequately captured by the risk indicator include:
  - 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. If a financial institution is unable to meet its financial obligations, its financial assets may be subject to a write down in value or converted (i.e. "bail-in") by relevant authorities to receive the institution.
  - Liquidity Risk: Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

The charges 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.

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less. Please refer to your financial advisor or the distributor for the actual entry and exit charges.

\*Subject to a charge of up to 2% paid into the Fund where the Manager suspects excessive trading by an investor.

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the twelve month period ending 25 January 2022. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio trade-related costs, except costs paid to the custodian and any entry/exit charge paid to an underlying collective investment scheme (if any).

\*\* To the extent the Fund undertakes securities lending to reduce costs, the Fund will receive 62.5% of the associated revenue generated and the remaining 37.5% will be received by BlackRock as the securities lending agent. As securities lending revenue sharing does not increase the costs of running the Fund, this has been excluded from the ongoing charges.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry Charge	None
Exit Charge	None*

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before proceeds of your investments are paid out.

Charges taken from the Fund over each year	
Ongoing Charges	0.46%**
Charges taken from the Fund under certain condition	S
Performance Fee	None

#### Past Performance

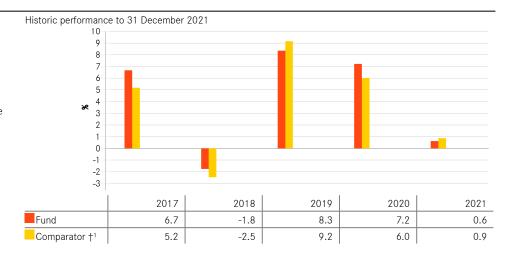
Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

The chart shows the Fund's annual performance in GBP for each full calendar year over the period displayed in the chart. It is expressed as a percentage change of the Fund's net asset value at each year-end. The Fund was launched in 2016. The unit class was launched in 2016.

Performance is shown after deduction of ongoing charges. Any entry/exit charges are excluded from the calculation.

†1 3 Month SONIA ARR compounded in arrears + 450 bps (GBP)

It is not intended that the performance of the Fund will track the index



#### **Practical Information**

- ▶ The trustee and depositary of the Fund is The Bank of New York Mellon (International) Limited, which also acts as custodian.
- ► Further information about the Fund can be obtained from the latest annual report and half-yearly reports of the Fund. These documents are available free of charge in English. These can be found, along with other information, such as unit prices, on the BlackRock website at www.blackrock.com or by calling Investor Services on 0800 44 55 22.
- Investors should note that the tax legislation that applies to the Fund may have an impact on the personal tax position of your investment in the Fund.
- ▶ The Fund is a sub-fund of BIF, an umbrella structure comprising different subfunds. This document is specific to the Fund and unit class stated at the beginning of this document. However, the Fund's prospectus, annual and half-yearly reports are prepared for the BIF umbrella.
- ▶ BlackRock Fund Managers 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 Fund's prospectus.
- ▶ Under UK law, BIF has segregated liability between its sub-funds (i.e. the Fund's assets will not be used to discharge the liabilities of other sub-funds within BIF). In addition, the Fund's assets are held separately from the assets of other sub-funds.
- ▶ Investors may switch their units in the Fund for units in another sub-fund within BIF, subject to meeting certain conditions as set out in the prospectus.
- ▶ The Remuneration Policy of the Management Company, which describes how remuneration and benefits are determined and awarded, and the associated governance arrangements, is available at www.blackrock.com/Remunerationpolicy or on request from the registered office of the Management Company.

#### **KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION**

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## CT GLOBAL FOCUS FUND (THE "FUND")

Class Z Accumulation Shares (GBP) GB00BF0Q8K85, a sub-fund of Columbia Threadneedle Specialist Funds (UK) ICVC (the "Company"), regulated by the FCA.

This sub-fund is managed by Threadneedle Investment Services Limited (the "Management Company") (part of the Columbia and Threadneedle group of companies).

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

The Fund aims to increase the value of your investment over the long term. It looks to outperform the MSCI ACWI Index over rolling 3-year periods, after the deduction of charges.

The Fund is actively managed, and invests at least 75% of its assets in a concentrated portfolio of shares of companies worldwide.

The Fund selects companies in which the fund manager has a high conviction that the current share price does not reflect the prospects for that business. These companies may be chosen from any economic sector or geographic region, with significant sector and share weightings taken at the fund manager's discretion. There is no restriction on company size, however, investment tends to focus on larger companies, such as those included in the MSCI ACWI Index.

The MSCI ACWI Index is regarded as an appropriate representation of the share performance of large and medium-sized companies worldwide, currently with more than 2,700 companies included. It provides a suitable target benchmark against which Fund performance will be measured and evaluated over time.

The Fund typically invests in fewer than 50 companies, which may include shares of some companies not within the Index. The Fund may also invest in other assets such as cash and deposits, and hold other funds (including funds managed by Columbia Threadneedle companies), when deemed appropriate.

The Fund is not permitted to invest in derivatives for investment purposes, but derivatives may be used with the aim of reducing risk or managing the Fund more efficiently. Derivatives are sophisticated investment instruments linked to the rise and fall of the price of other assets.

Income from investments in the Fund will be added to the value of your shares.

You can buy and sell shares in the Fund on any day that is a business day in London. You can find more detail on the objectives and investment policy of the Fund in the section of the prospectus with the heading "Investment Objectives, Policies and Other Details of the Funds".

For more information on investment terms used in this document, please see the Glossary published in the Document Centre on our website: www.columbiathreadneedle.com.

#### **Risk and Reward Profile**

The Risk and Reward Indicator table demonstrates where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward. The higher the rank the greater the potential reward but the greater the risk of losing money. It is based on past data, may change over time and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund. The shaded area in the table below shows the Fund's ranking on the Risk and Reward Indicator.

Lower Risk, Typically lower rewards Higher Risk, Typically higher rewards



- ■The Fund is rated 6 because historically it has shown a high level of volatility (how much the value of the Fund goes up and down).
- ■The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.
- ■The value of investments can fall as well as rise and investors might not get back the sum originally invested.
- ■Where investments are in assets that are denominated in multiple currencies, or currencies other than your own, changes in exchange rates may affect the value of the investments.
- ■The Fund has a concentrated portfolio (holds a limited number of investments and/or has a restricted investment universe) and if one or more of these investments declines or is otherwise affected, it may have a pronounced effect on the Fund's value.
- ■The Fund may invest in derivatives with the aim of reducing risk or minimising the cost of transactions. Such derivative transactions may benefit or negatively affect the performance of the Fund. The Manager does not intend that such use of derivatives will affect the overall risk profile of the Fund.
- ■The risks currently identified as applying to the Fund are set out in the "Risk Factors" section of the prospectus.



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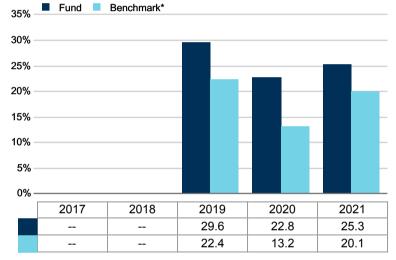
One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry Charge:	3.00%
Exit Charge:	0.00%

These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested. In some cases, you might pay less and you should speak to your financial adviser about this.

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Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing Charges:	0.90%
Charges taken from the fund under specific conditions	
Performance Fee:	NONE

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ending 30/04/21. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes the costs of buying or selling assets for the Fund (unless these assets are shares of another fund).

#### **Past Performance**



Source: Morningstar

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

Fund launch date: 17/04/2018

Share/unit class launch date: 17/04/2018

Performance is calculated in GBP.

All charges and fees, except any entry, exit and switching charge, have been included within the performance.

On 4 July 2022 the Fund name changed from Threadneedle

Global Focus Fund to CT Global Focus Fund.

\*MSCI ACWI

#### **Practical Information**

- ■Depositary: Citibank UK Limited.
- ■You can obtain further information regarding the Fund, the Company, its prospectus (in English only), latest annual reports and any subsequent half-yearly reports (in English, German, French, Dutch and Spanish only) free of charge from the Management Company. You can obtain other practical information, including current share prices, at columbiathreadneedle.com.
- Details of the remuneration policy, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the persons responsible for awarding them (including the composition of the remuneration committee), are available at columbiathreadneedle.com. A paper copy is available free of charge upon request.
- ■The tax legislation of the United Kingdom may have an impact on your personal tax position.
- ■Threadneedle Investment Services 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 UK-UCITS.
- ■This document describes a single fund of the Company. The prospectus and reports are prepared for the entire Company.
- ■The assets of the Fund are segregated by law and cannot be used to pay the liabilities of other funds of the Company.
- ■You may exchange your shares for shares of other funds of the Company, if available. Details can be found in the section of the prospectus with the heading "Switching/Converting". Details of other share classes of the Fund can be found in the Prospectus or at columbiathreadneedle.com.

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Class: Accumulation C

ISIN: GB00B80QGH28

# **European Index Fund**

a sub-fund of HSBC Index Tracker Investment Funds, (the "OEIC"); managed by HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited

Explanations of terms shown within the objectives and policy in bold, can be found within the glossary on our website: http://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com.

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

- The Fund aims to provide growth over the long term, which is a
  period of 5 years or more, by tracking the performance of the
  FTSE Developed Europe excluding UK Index (the "Index").
- The Index is made up of large and medium sized companies covering developed markets in Europe excluding the UK.
- The Fund will invest directly in shares (equities) of all of the companies that make up the Index and in the same or very similar proportions in which they are included in the Index.
- However, there may be circumstances when it is not possible or practical for the Fund to invest in shares of all the companies of the Index. The Fund may not invest in all the companies of the Index to manage transaction costs or to reflect market conditions, regulations or HSBC's banned weapons policy.
- The Fund may hold cash and other funds, including funds managed by the HSBC Group, to manage day-to-day cash flow requirements.

 The anticipated tracking error for the Fund is expected to be up to 0.20%.

#### Use of derivatives

- The Fund may invest in different types of derivatives for efficient portfolio management, including hedging. In particular the Fund may use derivatives to help it manage cash flows and dividend payments with the aim of generating returns that are consistent with the Index. The use of derivatives will be consistent with the risk profile of the Fund.
- Income is reinvested.
- You may sell your investment on any business day by contacting the administrator before the dealing deadline at 12pm.
- Recommendation: this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within a period of 5 years.

#### Risk and Reward Profile



The risk and reward indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.

The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and may shift over time. The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.

#### Why is this Fund in this specific category?

This Fund is classified in category 6 because its price or simulated data has shown high fluctuations historically.

# Material risks not fully captured by the Risk and Reward Indicator:

- Counterparty Risk The possibility that the counterparty to a transaction may be unwilling or unable to meet its obligations.
- Derivatives Risk Derivatives can behave unexpectedly. The pricing and volatility of many derivatives may diverge from strictly

- reflecting the pricing or volatility of their underlying reference(s), instrument or asset.
- Exchange Rate Risk Changes in currency exchange rates could reduce or increase investment gains or investment losses, in some cases significantly.
- Index Tracking Risk To the extent that the Fund seeks to replicate index performance by holding individual securities, there is no guarantee that its composition or performance will exactly match that of the target index at any given time ("tracking error")
- Investment Leverage Risk Investment Leverage occurs when the economic exposure is greater than the amount invested, such as when derivatives are used. A Fund that employs leverage may experience greater gains and/or losses due to the amplification effect from a movement in the price of the reference source.
- Liquidity Risk Liquidity is a measure of how easily the Fund's holdings can be quickly converted to cash. The value of the Fund's holdings may be significantly impacted by liquidity risk during adverse market conditions.
- Operational Risk Operational errors may affect transactions, valuation, accounting, financial reporting and other processes relating to the Fund.

Exit charge

The charges you pay are used to pay the running costs of the Fund, including the marketing and distribution costs. These charges reduce the potential growth of the 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 or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

#### Charges taken from the Fund over a year

Ongoing charge

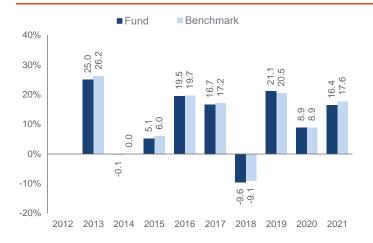
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions

Performance fee

- The entry and exit charges shown are the maximum that may be charged. In some cases you may pay less. You can obtain the actual charges from your financial adviser.
- A conversion charge may be payable.
- The ongoing charges figure is based on last year's expenses for the year ending 15/11/2021. Charges may vary from year to year.

Further information on Charges can be found in the "Fees and Expenses" section of the Fund's Prospectus.

#### **Past Performance**



- Warning: the performance returns before the change in investment objective(s) on 01 March 2013 were achieved under circumstances that no longer apply.
- Past performance is not a guide to future performance; the value of your investment and any income from it can go down as well as up.
- Performance returns are based on the net asset value with distributable income reinvested. Past performance takes account of all ongoing charges but not entry, exit or conversion charges.
- The past performance of this share class is calculated in GBP.
- The performance of the Fund is shown against the performance of the FTSE Developed Europe ex UK Index.
- Historically the benchmark has been: FTSE All World Developed Europe ex UK Gross from launch until 28/02/2013.
- The Fund was launched on 14 January 1989.

#### **Practical Information**

#### Depositary

State Street Trustees Limited.

#### **Further information**

Further information about the OEIC including the latest Prospectus, latest published prices of shares, annual report and half yearly report may be obtained free of charge, in English, from the Administrator, HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited, Sunderland SR43 4BF or by visiting www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com. The most recent Prospectus is available in English. This document describes a single share class of the OEIC. The Prospectus, annual and half yearly reports are prepared for the entire OEIC.

#### Share classes

Other share classes are available, as detailed in the Prospectus. It is possible to convert your shares into a different share class or switch your shares into a different Fund within the OEIC. Details of how to do this are in the Prospectus (please note an initial charge may apply).

#### **Remuneration Policy**

The Remuneration Policy of the Authorised Corporate Director, which describes the remuneration practices and governance arrangements for UCITS and AIFMD Authorised entities, is available at www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com (please select "About Us" then "Our Governance" then "Remuneration Practices and Governance Arrangements for UCITS and AIFMD Authorised Entities") or on request free of charge from the Administrator.

#### Tax

UK tax legislation may have an impact on your personal position.

#### **Management Company**

HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited, the Authorised Corporate Director, 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 OEIC.

#### Segregated liability

The OEIC is an umbrella investment company with segregated liability between Funds. This means that the holdings of one Fund are kept separate from the holdings of the other Funds and your investment in the Fund cannot be used to pay the liabilities of any other Fund.

The Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

This key investor information is accurate as at 02 February 2022.



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#### HSBC Global Funds ICAV - China Government Local Bond Index Fund

a sub-fund of HSBC Global Funds ICAV, (the "UCITS"); managed by HSBC Investment Funds (Luxembourg) S.A.

Class:SCHGBP ISIN:IE000ITR68Z1

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

#### **Investment Objective:**

The Fund aims to provide regular income and capital growth by tracking as closely as possible the performance of the Bloomberg China Treasury + Policy Bank Index (total return) (the Index).

#### **Investment Policy:**

The Index is comprised of Renminbi (CNY) denominated treasury bonds that are listed on China Interbank Bond Market. The currency of the Index is US dollars (USD) and returns are unhedged.

The Index includes fixed-rate government and policy bank bonds with a minimum outstanding amount of at least CNY 5 billion, and a maturity of at least one year.

The Fund is passively managed and invests in, or gain exposure to CNY bonds all of which are Index constituents. If the overall portfolio matches the characteristics of the Index, the Fund can also invest outside of the Index; into securities which are expected to provide similar performance and risk characteristics to certain Index constituents, or that were or will be Index constituents.

The Fund may invest in cash and money market instruments, may invest up to 10% of its assets in funds for efficient portfolio

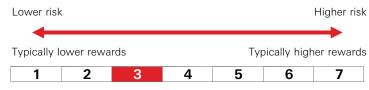
management purposes, may invest up to 100% of its assets in non-investment grade bonds.

The Fund may invest more than 10% and up to 100% of its assets in government bonds issued by a single government issuer (the People's Republic of China) which may be non-investment Grade; and may invest up to 20% in securities issued by the same non-government issuer. In exceptional market conditions this limit may be increased to 35%.

The Fund may also invest in derivatives for hedging and efficient portfolio management purposes (such as to manage risk and costs, or to generate additional capital or income).

- The Fund may enter into securities lending transactions for up to 30% of its assets. However, this is not expected to exceed 25%.
- The reference currency of your shares is GBP. Your shares seek to hedge the currencies of denomination of the underlying portfolio assets to GBP.
- Income is reinvested.
- You may sell your investment on most working days.
- Recommendation: this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within a period of 3 years.

#### **Risk and Reward Profile**



The risk and reward indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.

The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and may shift over time. The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.

#### Why is this Fund in this specific category?

This Fund is classified in category 3 because its price or simulated data has shown low to medium fluctuations historically.

# Material risks not fully captured by the Risk and Reward Indicator:

- Counterparty Risk The possibility that the counterparty to a transaction may be unwilling or unable to meet its obligations.
- Credit Risk A bond or money market security could lose value if the issuer's financial health deteriorates.
- Default Risk The issuers of certain bonds could become unwilling or unable to make payments on their bonds.

- Emerging Markets Risk Emerging markets are less established, and often more volatile, than developed markets and involve higher risks, particularly market, liquidity and currency risks.
- Exchange Rate Risk Changes in currency exchange rates could reduce or increase investment gains or investment losses, in some cases significantly.
- Index Tracking Risk To the extent that the Fund seeks to replicate index performance by holding individual securities, there is no guarantee that its composition or performance will exactly match that of the target index at any given time ("tracking error").
- Interest Rate Risk When interest rates rise, bond values generally fall. This risk is generally greater the longer the maturity of a bond investment and the higher its credit quality.
- Investment Leverage Risk Investment Leverage occurs when the economic exposure is greater than the amount invested, such as when derivatives are used. A Fund that employs leverage may experience greater gains and/or losses due to the amplification effect from a movement in the price of the reference source.
- Liquidity Risk Liquidity Risk is the risk that a Fund may encounter difficulties meeting its obligations in respect of financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or other financial assets, thereby compromising existing or remaining investors.
- Operational Risk Operational risks may subject the Fund to errors affecting transactions, valuation, accounting, and financial reporting, among other things.

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

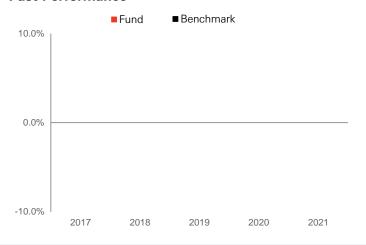
One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	0.00%
Exit charge	0.00%
This is the maximum that might be taken out of yo	our money before

it is invested or before the proceeds of	your investment are paid out.
Charges taken from the Fund over a	a year
Ongoing charge	0.33%
Charges taken from the Fund under	certain specific conditions
Performance fee	None

- The entry and exit charges shown are the maximum that may be charged. In some cases you may pay less. You can obtain the actual charges from your financial adviser.
- A conversion charge of up to 1.00% of the Net Asset Value of the Shares which are being converted may be payable to the relevant
- The ongoing charges figure shown here is an estimate of the charges as the share class has not been priced for a full financial year. The UCITS' annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

Further information on Charges can be found in the "Charges and Expenses" section of the Fund's Prospectus.

#### **Past Performance**



- Past performance is not a guide to future performance; the value of your investment and any income from it can go down as well as up.
- Performance returns are based on the net asset value with distributable income reinvested. Past performance takes account of all ongoing charges but not entry, exit or conversion charges.
- The past performance of this share class is calculated in GBP.
- The investment benchmark for the Fund is the Bloomberg China Treasury + Policy Bank Index (total return).
- Historically the benchmark has been: Bloomberg Barclays China Treasury and Policy Bank 9% Capped Bond Index (Total Return) from launch until 14/10/2021.
- The Fund was launched on 28 October 2019.
- Insufficient data is available to provide past performance figures.

#### **Practical Information**

#### Depositary

HSBC Continental Europe.

#### **Further information**

Further information about the UCITS including the Prospectus, the most recent annual and semi-annual reports of the UCITS and the latest prices of shares, may be obtained free of charge, in English, from the Administrator by emailing ifsinvestorqueries@hsbc.com, or by visiting www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com.

This document describes a single sub-fund of the UCITS. The Prospectus, annual and semi-annual reports are prepared for the entire UCITS.

It is possible to switch your shares into shares of a different share class or sub-fund within the ICAV. Details of how to do this are in the "How to convert between sub-funds / Classes" section of the Prospectus.

#### **Remuneration Policy**

The up-to-date remuneration policy of the Management Company, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are determined, is available at http://www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com/luxembourg. A paper copy is available free of charge from the Management Company.

The Fund is subject to Irish tax regulations. This may have an impact on your personal tax position.

#### **Management Company**

HSBC Investment Funds (Luxembourg) S.A. 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.

#### Segregated liability

HSBC Global Funds ICAV is an open-ended umbrella type Irish collective asset-management vehicle with limited liability and segregated liability between sub-funds incorporated under the laws of Ireland. This means that the holdings of one sub-fund are kept separate from the holdings of the other sub-funds and your investment in the Fund cannot be used to pay the liabilities of any other sub-fund.



This document provides you with the 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.

# LF Ruffer Diversified Return Fund, I Accumulation, a fund within LF Ruffer Managed Funds (ISIN: GB00BMWLQW82)

The fund is managed by Link Fund Solutions Limited.

#### Objective and investment policy

#### Objective

To achieve a positive return (an increase in value of the fund) with a focus on capital preservation in all market conditions after all costs and charges have been taken, over any 12 month period.

There is no guarantee that the objective will be met over any time period and you may get back less than you invest.

#### Investment Policy

To invest globally, including emerging markets (which are countries whose economies are progressing towards becoming advanced) in the following asset classes: equities (company shares), bonds (loans to either a company or government that usually pay interest), alternative investments (property and precious metals), money market instruments (which are short term loans that pay interest) and cash. As part of the equity exposure, the fund may invest in Investment Trusts. Investment in open-ended funds is limited to 10% of total assets by value.

The Investment Manager seeks to create a balanced portfolio by investing in both protective assets, such as bonds, derivatives and cash, and growth assets, such as equities. The Investment Manager seeks to identify opportunities where the potential rewards outweigh the potential risks through analysis of a company's markets, product/service offering, competitive position, financial strength and competence of its management.

Other features of the fund:

- The fund is actively managed. The Investment Manager uses its expertise to select investments for the fund and has the discretion to invest without the need to adhere to a particular benchmark.
- The fund may invest in other funds (including those managed by the Manager, the Investment Manager and their associates).
- The fund will not invest directly in alternative assets, but by using for example other funds.
- The fund can invest across different geographic regions, industry sectors and market capitalisations without limitation.
- You can buy and sell shares in the fund on each business day.
- Income from the fund will be added to the value of your investment.
- Derivatives (whose value is linked to that of another investment, e.g company shares, currencies) may be used for investment purposes and to manage the risk profile of the fund.
- Recommendation: This fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

### Risk and reward profile



- This indicator shows how much a fund may have risen and fallen in the past, and therefore how much a fund's returns may have varied. It is a measure of the fund's volatility. As the fund has less than 5 years price history, this calculation incorporates the volatility of an appropriate benchmark index. The higher a fund's past volatility the higher the number on the scale and the greater the risk that investors in that fund may have made losses as well as gains.
- The fund has been classed as 5 because its volatility has been measured as above average.
- This indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of this fund.
- The risk and reward profile shown is not guaranteed to remain the same and may shift over time. The lowest number on the scale does not mean that a fund is risk free.
- Currency Risk: As the fund can be exposed to different currencies, changes in exchange rates may decrease the value of your investment.

- Counterparty Risk: The failure of a firm involved in a transaction with the fund or providing services to the fund may expose the fund to financial loss.
- Derivatives Risk: A derivative may not perform as expected and may create losses greater than its cost.
- Emerging Markets Risk: The fund may invest in emerging markets, which are markets in countries that are developing. Emerging markets may have more political and economic risks than developed markets, resulting in price movements that may cause a loss to the fund.
- Changes in Interest Rate Risk: A rise in interest rates generally cause bond prices to fall.
- Credit Risk: The value of a bond may be affected by its credit rating, the lower the rating the higher the risk of the issuer not paying interest or repaying the loan.
- Liquidity Risk: The fund may invest in assets where, in difficult market conditions, there is an increased risk that a position cannot be bought or sold in a timely manner or at a reasonable price and the Manager may suspend dealing in the fund.
- Alternative Investment Risk: The fund may invest in other investment vehicles to gain indirect exposure to alternative assets such as property and precious metals. Exposure to such investments can involve a higher degree of risk that may increase the risk of investment loss. The performance of such vehicles can be volatile and there is a risk that investors may experience a delay in receiving redemption proceeds.
- For full details of the fund's risks, see prospectus from the address in 'Practical Information' overleaf.

### Charges for this fund

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

One-off charges taken	before or after you invest	
Entry Charge	None	
Exit Charge	None	
Charges taken from th	e fund over the year	
Ongoing Charges	0.93%	
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions		
Performance Fee	None	

The ongoing charges figure is capped at 0.93% until further notice. This figure may vary from year to year. If the cap was not in place, the uncapped estimated ongoing charges figure would be 0.96% based on fund launch estimates. The ongoing charges are taken from the income of the fund. They exclude portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the fund when buying or selling units in another collective investment undertaking.

You may also be charged a dilution adjustment (an adjustment to cover dealing costs incurred by the fund) on entry to or exit from the fund.

For more information about the dilution adjustment and other charges, please see the prospectus Sections 3.5 & 7, which may be obtained free of charge from the address in 'Practical Information' below.

### Past performance

- Because the share class has less than one calendar year's performance, there is insufficient data to provide a useful indication of past performance.
- The fund was launched in September 2021.
- The share class was launched on 1 September 2021.

#### **Practical information**

LF Ruffer Managed Funds	This key investor information document describes a fund within the LF Ruffer Managed Funds company. The prospectus and periodic reports are prepared for the entire company.
Documents	Copies of the latest Value Assessment report, Prospectus and the Annual and Semi-Annual reports for the LF Ruffer Managed Funds may be obtained from www.linkfundsolutions.co.uk or by writing to Link Fund Solutions Limited, PO Box 389, Darlington, DL1 9UF. These documents are available in English and are free of charge.  Details of Link Fund Solutions' Remuneration Code are available on the website www.linkfundsolutions.co.uk. This sets out a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the identities of persons responsible for awarding the
	remuneration and benefits. A paper copy is available free of charge on request.
Prices of shares and further information	The latest published prices of shares in the fund and other information, including how to buy and sell shares are available from www.linkfundsolutions.co.uk, by calling 0345 601 9610 during normal business hours or by writing to Link Fund Solutions Limited, PO Box 389, Darlington, DL1 9UF.
Right to switch	Subject to any restrictions on the eligibility of investors for a share class, a shareholder in one fund may be able to switch all or some of his shares in one fund for shares in another fund in the company. See the prospectus for full details.
Fund Segregation	LF Ruffer Managed Funds is an umbrella fund with segregated liability between funds. This means that the holdings of this fund are maintained separately under UK law from the holdings of other funds of LF Ruffer Managed Funds and your investment in this fund will not be affected by any claims against another fund of LF Ruffer Managed Funds.
Depositary	The Bank of New York Mellon (International) Limited
Tax	UK tax legislation may have an impact on your personal tax position.
Liability	Link Fund Solutions 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 LF Ruffer Managed Funds.

This fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. Link Fund Solutions Limited is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

This key investor information is accurate as at 18/02/2022.

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### Man GLG High Yield Opportunities Fund Professional Income Shares (Class D)

(ISIN:GB00BJK3W271) Man GLG High Yield Opportunities Fund (the 'Fund') is a sub-fund of Man Fixed Interest ICVC (the 'Company'). Man Fund Management UK Limited, part of Man Group plc, is the Authorised Corporate Director.

#### Objectives and investment policy

- The Fund seeks to provide income and capital growth by investing mainly in sub-investment grade bonds (debt securities of issuers that are considered to have a higher risk of failing to make interest payments or repay the initial amount borrowed than "investment grade" issuers, who are considered to carry a low to medium risk).
- The debt securities in which the Fund may invest include those issued by corporate bodies, and those issued or guaranteed by governments or supranational bodies. The Fund may also invest in other transferable securities (such as shares), money market instruments (investments usually issued by banks or governments that are a short term loan), deposits, cash or cash equivalents and other funds (which may include those managed by the ACD or its associates). The Fund may hold a significant portion (or all) of its value in cash and/or liquid assets where it is believed to be in the interests of the Fund and its investors. The Fund will invest at least 80% of its assets in securities rated below investment grade by Standard & Poor's (i.e. below BBB minus) or Moody's (i.e. below Baa3) or an equivalent external rating agency under normal market conditions. The Fund may invest up to 30% of its assets in securities that provide exposure to emerging markets (developing countries). The Fund may invest in or hold distressed, stressed and special situations credit investments (being investments, the issuers of which, are subject to events impacting on their current valuations). Such investments may be in the form of debt instruments or certain credit-related equities.
- The Fund is actively managed, meaning that the Investment Adviser will use its expertise to pick investments to achieve the Fund's objective, however, the Investment Adviser may use the ICE BofA Global High Yield Index as a guide in selecting assets for the Fund. The Fund principally uses a bottomup approach to select assets (i.e. focusing on analysing individual investments, rather than markets), and will consider a number of factors, mainly using the issuer's financial statements, for example, leverage (indebtedness), cash-flow and earnings.
- The Fund may pursue a 'long-short strategy', which means that, in addition
  to buying and holding assets with the expectation that they will rise in value,
  it may take positions against issuers which are viewed as overvalued or
  expected to fall in value ('short' positions).
- Use of financial derivative instruments ("FDI"). The Fund may use FDI (instruments whose prices are dependent on one or more underlying assets) to take 'short' positions in order to achieve the investment objective and for

- efficient portfolio management to hedge (a technique using investments to reduce risk) against anticipated movements in a market or security, or where it is more economically effective than directly holding the underlying asset.
- Benchmarks. The Fund is managed with reference to benchmarks. The ICE BofA Global High Yield Index, is considered to constrain the assets in which the Fund may invest and is used for investment purposes (which can include construction of the Fund's portfolio universe and/or to assist with the management of risk in the Fund).
- Dealing. Shares can be bought and sold on each Business Day, as detailed in the Fund prospectus.
- Investment Horizon: This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 3 years.
- Treatment of income. Income earned on investments will be distributed to investors as an income payment.

#### Risk and reward profile

Lower risk

Higher risk

Typically lower rewards

Typically higher rewards

Typically higher rewards

Typically higher rewards

- The lowest category does not mean 'risk free'.
- The risk and reward profile is not guaranteed and may change over time.
- Historical data may not be a reliable indication for the future.
- The risk category for this share class is 4 as funds of this nature engage in strategies that typically have a moderate volatility. The calculation is based on the historical volatility of the Fund's performance. Where there is insufficient Fund performance the calculation is based on either the historical volatility of a relevant benchmark for the investment strategy or the manager's Value at Risk limit for the Fund. Please refer to the prospectus for further information relating to the Value at Risk.

# The following risks may not be fully captured by the risk and reward profile:

- The Fund is subject to normal market fluctuations and the risks associated with investing in international securities markets. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it may rise as well as fall and you may not get back the amount originally invested.
- The Fund may invest a significant proportion of its assets in non-investment grade securities (such as "high yield" securities) which are considered higher risk investments that may cause income and principal losses for the Fund. They are instruments which credit agencies have given a rating which indicates a higher risk of default. The market values for high yield bonds and other instruments tend to be volatile and they are less liquid than investment grade securities.

- The Fund may invest a significant proportion of its assets in securities with exposure to emerging markets which involve additional risks relating to matters such as the illiquidity of securities and the potentially volatile nature of markets not typically associated with investing in other more established economies or markets.
- The fund may make investments or hold trading positions in markets that are volatile and which may become illiquid.
- The Fund will be exposed to credit risk on counterparties with which it trades in relation to on-exchange traded instruments and 'over-the-counter' ("OTC", "non-exchange") transactions.
- OTC instruments may also be less liquid and are not afforded the same protections that may apply to participants trading instruments on an organised exchange.
- The Fund's use of FDI may result in increased leverage which may lead to significant losses.
- Whilst the Fund aims to provide capital growth over 3 years this is not guaranteed.
- The Fund may invest in contingent convertible ("coco") bonds. The performance of such bonds is dependent on a number of factors including interest rates, credit and equity performance, and the correlations between factors. As such these securities introduce significant additional risk to an investment in the Fund.
- The Fund will invest financial derivative instruments ("FDI") (instruments whose prices are dependent on one or more underlying asset) to achieve its investment objective. The use of FDI involves additional risks such as high sensitivity to price movements of the asset on which it is based. The extensive use of FDI may significantly multiply the gains or losses.
- There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. A complete description of risks is set out in the prospectus section entitled 'Risk Factors'.

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the Fund. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

#### One-off charges taken before or after you invest

Entry charge	None
Exit charge	None

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.

Charges taken from the fund over a year

Ongoing charges	0.75%	
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions		
Performance fee	None	

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures and in some cases you might pay less. Please refer to your financial advisor or the distributor for the actual charges.

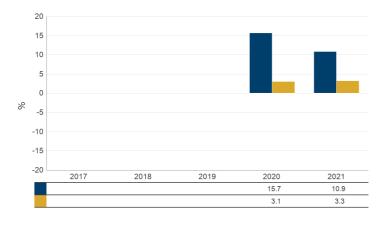
The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ending 30/06/2021.

This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes performance fees (where applicable) and portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling units in another sub-fund.

If you switch between different sub-funds of the Company you may pay a switching charge on your subscription to the new sub-fund. This charge may be an amount equal to the entry charge of the new sub-fund.

#### Past performance

- Man GLG High Yield Opportunities Fund Professional Income Shares (Class D)
- ICE BofA European Currency High Yield Constrained Index changed to ICE BofA Global High Yield Index from May 2021.



- The Fund was authorised in 2019.
   This share class was launched on 16 July 2019.
- The past performance chart shows the annual performance, calculated in
- GBP, for each full calendar year since launch.

   Please be aware that past performance is not a reliable indicator of, or guide
- to, future performance.

  Please note that in May 2021 the constraining benchmark changed from
- Please note that in May 2021 the constraining benchmark changed from the ICE BofA European Currency High Yield Constrained Index To ICE BofA Global High Yield Index.

#### Practical information

- The Fund is a sub-fund of the Company which is an umbrella scheme comprising a number of sub-funds.
- The Bank of New York Mellon (International) Limited is the depositary of the Company. The Fund's assets are treated as being segregated from the assets of other sub-funds of the Company.
- Additional information related to the Fund is located in the prospectus which
  is produced in an official language of the jurisdictions in which the Fund is
  registered for public sale. The prospectus is available together with the most
  recent financial statements, information on other share classes and the latest
  prices of shares free of charge at www.man.com.
- The Fund is subject to taxation legislation in the UK, which may have an impact on your personal tax position as an investor in the Fund.
- Man Fund Management UK 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.

- You may switch shares in the Fund for shares in any other sub-fund of the Company. Further information and provisions are in the prospectus.
- Details of Man Fund Management UK Limited's Remuneration Policy are available at www.man.com/mfm-remuneration-policy, including: (a) a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated; and (b) the identity of persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits. A paper copy of these details may be obtained, free of charge, at Man Fund Management UK Limited at Riverbank House, 2 Swan Lane, London, EC4R 3AD, United Kingdom.
- The index data referenced herein is the property of ICE Data Indices, LLC, its affiliates ("ICE Data") and/or its Third Party Suppliers and has been licensed for use by Man Fund Management UK Limited. ICE Data and its Third Party Suppliers accept no liability in connection with its use. See: https://www.man.com/indices-disclaimer for full disclaimers.



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# Rathbone Strategic Bond Fund (I-class)

Fund Manager: Rathbone Unit Trust Management Limited Accumulation units ISIN: GB00B6ZS2486 Income units ISIN: GB00B6ZS1L87

### Objectives and investment policy

We aim to deliver a greater total return than the Investment Association (IA) Sterling Strategic Bond sector, after fees, over any rolling five-year period. Total return means the return we receive from the value of our investments increasing (capital growth) plus the income we receive from our investments (interest payments). We use the IA Sterling Strategic Bond sector as a target for our fund's return because we aim to achieve a better return than the average of funds that are similar to ours.

We aim to deliver this return with a lower volatility than the IA Sterling Strategic Bond sector. As an indication, the value of our fund should be expected to fluctuate less than the sector. Because we measure volatility over a five-year period, some falls may be larger or smaller over shorter periods of time. We aim to limit the amount of volatility risk our fund can take because we want our investors to understand the risk they are taking compared to funds similar to ours.

We will invest in a mixture of government and corporate bonds, with no restriction on their credit quality. Up to 10% of the fund can be invested directly in contingent convertible bonds. These specialist bonds, typically issued by banks and insurers, are forcibly replaced with shares if the issuer experiences heavy losses. We also use a mixture of specialist funds and direct investment in bonds, with no mixture of specialist funds and direct investment in bonds, with no limits on either. We do, however, have restrictions on how much of our fund can be invested in different types of bonds. These limits are reviewed annually or in response to changes in the market.

Bond types Government bonds (AAA-C)	Min 5%	Base 50%	<i>Max</i> 90%
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UK government bonds	2.5%	12.5%	22.5%
UK inflation-linked government bonds	2.5%	12.5%	22.5%
Global developed government bonds excluding			
UK	0%	10%	20%
Global emerging government bonds	0%	15%	25%
Investment grade corporate bonds (AAA to			
BBB-)	0%	35%	55%
UK corporate bonds	15%	25%	35%
Global corporate bonds	0%	10%	20%
High yield corporate bonds (BB+ to C)	0%	15%	35%
Global high yield bonds	5%	15%	25%
Distressed debt	0%	0%	10%

During extreme market conditions we may invest solely in UK government bonds to protect your investment.

At least 80% of the portfolio will be invested in sterling bonds or in overseas assets whose value we have hedged back to sterling. Hedging means we buy a financial instrument to swap the value of these assets into sterling to protect our investment from changes in the price of foreign currencies

We actively manage our fund, which means we can choose what we invest in as long as it's in line with the investment objective and policy. Because of this, our fund's performance can diverge significantly from its benchmarks over shorter periods of time and therefore isn't appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years.

Our fund is designed for investors with a basic knowledge of bonds who seek income and growth. You should intend to invest for longer than five years, understand the risks of our fund and have the ability to bear a capital loss.

You can buy and sell units on each business day of the fund between 9am and 5pm.

The fund offers accumulation units (units in which any income payable by the fund is reinvested) and income units (units in which any income received in the fund will be paid to the unitholder).

### Risk and reward profile

Lower potential risk/reward

(Not risk-free)

or lose money.

Higher potential risk/reward

This indicator is a measure of the fund's past volatility (the extent and rapidity of up-and-down movements of the value of an investment). It may not be a reliable indication of the fund's future risk. The risk category shown is not a target or a guarantee and may change over

The risk indicator for this fund reflects the following:

- As an asset class, bonds have greater risk than money market instruments, but less risk than shares.

The value of investments in the fund and the income from them may go down as well as up and you may not get back your original investment when you sell your units.

During unusual market conditions, the risks normally experienced by the fund may increase significantly, and in addition, the fund may be subject to the following risks:

Counterparty risk: A company that we deal with may renege on its obligations, costing you money.

Currency risk: We own assets valued in a currency other than sterling and can, from time to time, protect some or all of them using hedging techniques. While we're hedged, changes in the price of foreign currencies can result in you missing out on a potential gain, but also protects you from potential losses.

Credit risk: Bonds that we own can become more or less creditworthy and will fluctuate in value resulting in gains or losses. Bonds that we own may fail to meet their legal obligations, such as missing an interest payment. This is known as a 'default' and will

**Derivatives risk:** Sometimes we use financial contracts to reduce risk. There is a chance that these derivatives won't work in the way we intended, which could result in unexpected gains or losses.

**Liquidity risk:** Some assets held in this fund can be hard to sell, especially in times of market stress. This could mean that if we had a lot of money redeemed from our fund in a short period of time, we might not be able to meet our obligations. In this circumstance, we are able to suspend our fund until we could find a buyer for these assets. This would result in you being unable to access your money.

Management risk: People make the investment decisions for our fund. If they make unfavourable decisions, you could lose money. Operational risk: We rely on complex systems to ensure that trades are completed, our fund's assets are accounted for and that you can buy or sell our fund. If our systems fail, you could be inconvenienced

**Interest rate risk:** Most bonds pay us a fixed amount over an agreed period of time. If interest rates rise these bonds become less valuable and we may be locked into an unfavourable investment. If interest rates fall these bonds become more valuable.

#### Charges for this fund

The fund manager receives an annual fee, which is included in the ongoing charges shown below. Ongoing charges are the same for all investors in the same class. The charges shown below are based on actual fees and expenses for the year ending 30 June 2022.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest:		
Entry charge	none	
Exit charge	none	
Charges taken from the fund over a year:		
Ongoing charges	0.75% (Acc units); 0.75% (Inc units)	
Charges taken from the fund under specific conditions:		
Performance fee	none	

For more information about charges, please see the "Charges" section of the fund's Prospectus, available by calling the Information Line or emailing rutm@rathbones.com.

#### Past performance

Basis of performance: Price performance based upon bid to bid prior to 21 January 2019 and single price (mid) thereafter.
Past performance is reported on a full calendar year basis.
Fund inception: 3 October 2011.



Past performance should not be seen as an indication of future performance.

#### **Practical information**

Trustee: NatWest Trustee and Depositary Services

Additional information: This Key Investor Information Document (KIID) may not contain all the information you need. For additional information on the fund (including the Supplementary Information Document), and units/shares on other funds, or to obtain a free copy of the fund's Prospectus or the annual and semi-annual unitholder reports, call the Information Line or write to the registered office, at the address below. Alternatively, visit rathbonefunds.com. The Prospectus and unitholder reports are in English.

For fund performance and most recent unit price, go to rathbonefunds.com.

The up-to-date remuneration policy of the fund manager, including, but not limited to, a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identity of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits, including the composition of the remuneration committee, is available free of charge upon request at the fund manager's registered office. A summary thereof is available on rathbonefunds.com/literature-item/remuneration-policy.

**Tax:** Investors should note that the tax legislation that applies to the fund may have an impact on the personal tax position of their investment in the fund.

Contact your adviser to discuss tax treatment and the suitability of this investment.

**Notices:** Rathbone Unit Trust Management 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. The assets of each of our funds are segregated, meaning that each fund is insulated from any losses or claims associated with other funds.

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# **Schroders**

# **Key Investor Information**

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# Schroder Global Healthcare Fund

### an Authorised Unit Trust of Schroder Unit Trusts Limited

## Class Z Accumulation GBP (GB00B76V7Q08)

This fund is managed by Schroder Unit Trusts Limited, which is a member of the Schroders Group.

#### Objectives and investment policy

The fund aims to provide capital growth by investing in equities of health care and medical related companies worldwide.

The fund is actively managed and invests at least 80% of its assets in equities of companies worldwide, which are engaged in healthcare provision, medical services and related products.

The fund is positioned to benefit from the structural growth in demand for healthcare provision and medical treatments, supported by demographic trends, improving standards of living and technological advancements. The investment manager will position the fund to benefit from these strong themes by investing in areas such as biotechnology, generic drug manufacture and supply, pharmaceuticals, health insurance and hospital supplies.

The fund may also invest directly or indirectly in other securities (including in other asset classes), countries, regions, industries or currencies, collective

investment schemes (including Schroder funds), warrants and money market instruments, and hold cash.

The fund may use derivatives with the aim of reducing risk and managing the fund more efficiently.

#### **Benchmark**

The fund does not have a target benchmark. The fund's performance should be compared against the MSCI AC World Health Care Daily (Gross Total Return) index and the Investment Association Global Equity sector average

#### **Dealing frequency**

You may redeem your investment upon demand. This fund deals daily.

#### **Distribution policy**

This unit class accumulates income received from the fund's investments, meaning it is kept in the fund and its value is reflected in the price of the unit

#### Risk and reward profile

#### Lower risk

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Potentially lower reward

#### **Higher risk**

Potentially higher reward

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#### The risk and reward indicator

The risk category was calculated using historical performance data and may not be a reliable indicator of the fund's future risk profile.

The fund's risk category is not guaranteed to remain fixed and may change

A fund in the lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.

The fund is in this category because it can take higher risks in search of higher rewards and its price may rise and fall accordingly.

#### Risk factors

Concentration risk: The fund may be concentrated in a limited number of geographical regions, industry sectors, markets and/or individual positions. This may result in large changes in the value of the fund, both up or down. Currency risk: The fund may lose value as a result of movements in foreign exchange rates.

Liquidity risk: In difficult market conditions, the fund may not be able to sell a security for full value or at all. This could affect performance and could cause the fund to defer or suspend redemptions of its shares.

Operational risk: Operational processes, including those related to the safekeeping of assets, may fail. This may result in losses to the fund.

Performance risk: Investment objectives express an intended result but there is no guarantee that such a result will be achieved. Depending on market conditions and the macro economic environment, investment objectives may become more difficult to achieve.

IBOR: The transition of the financial markets away from the use of interbank offered rates (IBORs) to alternative reference rates may impact the valuation of certain holdings and disrupt liquidity in certain instruments. This may impact the investment performance of the fund.

Derivatives risk: Derivatives may be used to manage the portfolio efficiently. A derivative may not perform as expected, may create losses greater than the cost of the derivative and may result in losses to the fund.

Exit charge

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	None

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

#### Charges taken from the fund over a year

**Ongoing charges** 

Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions

#### Performance fee

None

0.92%

None

Please see the prospectus for more details about the charges.

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Past performance is not a guide to future performance and may not be repeated. The value of investments may go down as well as up and you may not get back the amount you originally invested.

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

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures and in some cases

you might pay less. You can find out the actual entry and exit charges from

The ongoing charges figure is based on the last year's expenses for the year ending December 2021 and may vary from year to year. The ongoing charge

classes depending on the size of the fund) but certain additional expenses may

figure excludes portfolio transaction costs. The charges are mostly, if not exclusively, the Schroders Annual Charge (as may be discounted for retail unit

be charged as set out in the prospectus. The Schroders Annual Charge (without any discount) for this unit class of the fund is 0.92%. The fund's annual

report for each financial year will include details on the exact charges made

The chart shows performance in British pound after the ongoing charges and the portfolio transaction costs have been paid.

The fund was launched on 22/05/2000.

growth of your investment.

your financial advisor.

including any discounts.

The shareclass was launched on 08/11/2011.

Performance figures are only available since the launch of the respective share class.

#### Practical information

Trustee: J. P. Morgan Europe Ltd.

**Further Information:**You can get further information about this fund, including the prospectus, latest annual report, any subsequent half-yearly reports and the latest price of units from **www.schroders.com/ukinvestor** and from Schroders, PO Box 1402, Sunderland, SR43 4AF, England, telephone 0800 182 2399. They are in English, free of charge.

Investment Association Global Equity sector average

**Tax Legislation:** The fund is subject to UK tax legislation which may have an impact on your personal tax position.

**Liability:** Schroder Unit Trusts Ltd 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 fund's prospectus.

**Switches:** Subject to conditions, you may apply to switch your investment into

another share class within this fund or in another Schroder fund. Please see the prospectus for more details.

**Remuneration policy:** A summary of Schroders' remuneration policy and related disclosures is at **www.schroders.com/remuneration-disclosures.** A paper copy is available free of charge upon request.

The policy includes a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated & the identities of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits.

**Glossary:** You can find an explanation of some of the terms used in this document at **www.schroders.com/ukinvestor/glossary.** 

**Benchmark:** The comparator benchmarks have been selected because the investment manager and the manager believe that each of these benchmarks is a suitable comparison for performance purposes given the fund's investment objective and policy.



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# TM Redwheel Global Equity Income Fund Class R

A sub Fund of the TM Redwheel Funds

This Fund is managed by Thesis Unit Trust Management Limited ISIN (Accumulation): GB00BMBQMY84 ISIN (Income): GB00BMBQN677

#### Objectives and Investment Policy

The objective of the Fund is to provide a combination of income, net of fees, and long term (over five years) capital growth by investing primarily (over 70%) in a concentrated portfolio of global companies.

The Fund will primarily (over 70%) invest its assets (excluding cash and cash equivalents) in equity and equity linked securities of companies that are listed on a global stock market. The Fund typically holds investments in 30-50 companies. The Fund portfolio is constructed with a wider global view than solely analysing the fundamentals of particular companies based on the Investment Manager's conviction that no company, market or economy can be considered in isolation. This approach concentrates on investing in stocks that, in the opinion of the Investment Manager, offer an attractive value and are issued by companies with good prospects and strong fundamentals. The most attractive stocks for this strategy tend to be those of good quality, cash generative companies with realisable dividend yields. The Fund strategy has an inherent style bias; every holding in a global equity income portfolio has to yield at least 25% more than the broader market (compared to FTSE World Equity Index) at the point of purchase. Any holding whose prospective yield falls below the comparative index yield is sold.

Equity and equity-linked securities include shares, depository receipts, warrants and other participation rights, convertible securities, index and participation notes and equity linked notes. The Fund may also invest, up to 10% of its net assets in collective investment schemes. Collective Investment Schemes may be managed by either the ACD or its associates. Fixed and floating rate debt securities as well as cash and cash equivalents may be held. The Fund may also invest and gain exposure to fixed income instruments, including emerging market and sub-investment grade debt, and convertible securities. GBP is the Fund Currency but assets may be denominated in other currencies. In certain market conditions currency exposure may be hedged. The Fund may invest in financial derivative instruments for hedging and investment purposes. Financial derivative instruments, either exchange traded or OTC, in which the Fund may invest, include, but are not limited to, options, swaps and index futures.

The Fund is actively managed and uses the MSCI World Equity Index NDR index, or equivalent, for performance comparison purpose only. The benchmark can also be used for performance comparison because the constituents are representative of the areas in which the Company itself is likely to invest.

The base currency of the Fund is pounds sterling.

Income arising from the Fund is distributed to the holders of income shares, and reinvested in the case of accumulation shares. Investors can buy and sell shares on demand when the scheme prices daily at 12 midday.

#### Risk and Reward Profile



The risk rating of the Fund is category 5 due to the volatility of simulated data which sits in a range of between 10% and 15%. The risk rating is calculated using historical data and a prescribed standard deviation methodology. The simulated data used is consistent with risk limits of the Fund.

- · This indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.
- $\cdot$  The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and may shift over time.
- · The lowest category does not mean 'risk free'.
- · This indicator is not a measure of the risk that you may lose the amount you have invested.

The following risks are material in addition to the risks captured by the indicator above:

- The price of units/shares and any income from them may fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. There is no assurance that the investment objective of the Fund will actually be achieved.
- · Where investments are in the shares of companies (equities), the value of those equities may fluctuate, sometimes dramatically, in response to the activities and results of individual companies or because of general market and economic conditions or other events.
- · Significant exposure to a particular industrial sector or geographical region puts the fund at risk of a localised event making a significant impact on the value of the Fund.
- · More political, economic or structural challenges face emerging markets or less developed countries than developed countries which may increase volatility and uncertainty.
- · Where investments in the Fund are in currencies other than your own, changes in exchange rates may affect the value of your investments.
- · Where derivative investments in the Fund may include a counterparty, there is a risk that the counterparty will not fulfil their obligation.
- This Fund is allowed to use derivatives to achieve its objective. Derivatives can cause a Fund to become leveraged. Leverage occurs when exposure to an area invested in is greater than its amount invested, resulting in the Fund being exposed to a potentially greater loss than the initial investment
- The Fund may use derivatives to reduce costs, overall risk and/or generate additional capital or income. This is known as Efficient Portfolio Management (EPM). When used for EPM purposes, there should not be an increase in the overall risk level of the Fund.

All the risks currently identified as being applicable to the Fund are set out in the 'Risk' section of the Prospectus.

#### Charges for this Fund

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	5.00%	
Exit Charge	None	
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investments are paid out		
Ongoing charges	0.89%	
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions		
Performance fee	None	

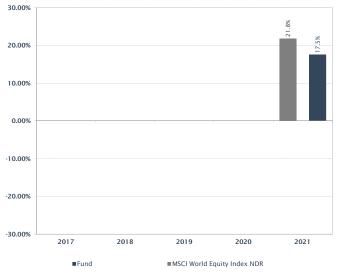
The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less - you can find this out from your financial adviser.

The ongoing charge is based on last year's expenses for the year ending 30th September 2021. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes:

 $\cdot$  Portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling units/shares in another collective investment scheme.

For more information about charges, please see section headed "Fees and Expenses" of the Fund's Prospectus, which is available on request via email to thesisut@tutman.co.uk

#### Past Performance



- (a) The Fund launched in 2020
- (b) The bar chart shows the calendar year returns for the last 1 full calendar years. If a column is blank, there is insufficient performance data to provide a complete calendar year of performance
- (c) Past performance has been calculated in pounds sterling
- (d) Performance will be calculated as Total Return, including all charges levied against the Fund
- (e) Past performance has limited value as a guide to future performance
- (f) Investments may go down as well as up

Performance source: Morningstar Direct

#### **Practical Information**

The depositary of the Fund is Northern Trust Investor Services Limited. The depositary has delegated the function of custodian to The Northern Trust Company.

Please email thesisut@tutman.co.uk if you require, or have any queries in relation to, the Fund price, Report and Accounts or Prospectus. All documentation relating to the Fund is available in English and is free of charge. The most recent prices will appear daily on the Trustnet website at www.trustnet.com and can also be obtained by telephone on 01483 783900. The annual Report and Accounts will be made available annually on the 31st July.

UK tax legislation may have an impact on the personal tax position of investors.

The information in this document relates to a single class of the TM Redwheel Global Equity Income Fund, the TM Redwheel Global Equity Income Fund Class R Accumulation share class. This document also represents the Income share class.

Thesis Unit Trust Management 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 part of the Prospectus for the Fund.

It is possible for you to switch your entitlement between sub-Funds of the TM Redwheel Funds. You can obtain more information about switching by emailing thesisut@tutman.co.uk. You should be aware that an exchange of shares for shares (of whatever class) in another sub-Fund is treated as a redemption and sale and is a disposal for Capital Gains Tax purposes. The Prospectus and Report and Accounts are prepared for the TM Redwheel Funds in its entirety.

The assets of the TM Redwheel Global Equity Income Fund are segregated from other sub-Funds and can only be used to meet the liabilities of the TM Redwheel Global Equity Income Fund and not of any other sub-Fund.

Information on the current remuneration policy, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the identity of the remuneration committee members, is available on our website at www.tutman.co.uk and a copy can be obtained, free of charge, on request.

This Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

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This Key Investor Information is accurate as at 18th February 2022.

#### www.tutman.co.uk

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# Vanguard U.K. Government Bond Index Fund (the "Fund")

A sub-fund of Vanguard Investment Series Plc

**GBP Acc** 

ISIN: IE00B1S75374

Manager: Vanguard Group (Ireland) Limited ("VGIL")

#### Objectives and investment policy

- The Fund employs a passive management or indexing investment approach and seeks to track the performance of the Bloomberg U.K. Government Float Adjusted Bond Index (the "Index").
- The Index includes UK government bonds denominated in UK pounds sterling with maturities greater than one year.
- The Index is a market-weighted index designed to reflect the total universe of pound sterling denominated United Kingdom treasury and governmentrelated securities with maturities greater than one year.
- The Fund will invest primarily in investment grade bonds with a rating of between AAA and BBB- as defined by the Index provider.
- The Fund attempts to:
- Track the performance of the Index by investing in a portfolio of securities that, insofar as possible and practicable, consists of a representative sample of the component securities of the Index.
   Remain fully invested except in extraordinary market, political or similar.
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- The Fund may use derivatives in order to reduce risk or cost and/or generate extra income or growth. The use of derivatives could increase or reduce exposure to underlying assets and result in greater fluctuations of the Fund's net asset value. A derivative is a financial contract whose value is based on the value of a financial asset (such as a share, bond, or currency) or a market index.
- · The base currency of the Fund is GBP.
- The Fund may engage in short term secured lending of its investments to certain eligible third parties. This is used as a means of generating additional income and to off-set the costs of the Fund.
- The Fund may not be appropriate for short-term investment.
- Income from the Fund will be reinvested and reflected in the price of shares in the Fund.
- · Portfolio transaction costs will have an impact on performance.
- Shares in the Fund can be bought or sold on a daily basis (save on certain bank holidays or public holidays and subject to certain restrictions

described in Appendix 1 of the Prospectus) by submitting an application in writing. A full list of the days on which shares in the Fund cannot be sold is available on

https://global.vanguard.com/portal/site/loadPDF?country=global&docld=11630

For further information about the objectives and investment policy of the Fund, as well as the limited relationship with the Index provider, please see Appendix 1 and Appendix 6 of the Vanguard Investment Series plc Prospectus (the "Prospectus") on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

#### Risk and reward profile



- This indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.
- · The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time.
- The lowest category does not mean "risk free".
- The Fund is rated 4 due to the nature of its investments which include the risks listed below. These factors may impact the value of the Fund's investments or expose the Fund to losses.
- The value of bonds and fixed income-related securities is affected by influential factors such as interest rates, inflation, credit spreads and volatility which, in turn, are driven by other factors including political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.
- Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies. This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political or regulatory events.

# The risk and reward indicator does not take account of the following risks of investing in the Fund:

- 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.
- Liquidity risk. Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers
  to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily which could cause
  the Fund to incur higher costs when buying or selling investments or could
  mean that the Fund is not able to buy or sell investments when it would
  like to do so.
- Credit risk. The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Index tracking risk. The Fund is not expected to track the performance of the Index at all times with perfect accuracy. The Fund is, however, expected to provide investment results that, before expenses, generally correspond to the price and yield performance of the Index.
- · Index sampling risk. As the Fund uses an index sampling technique

- whereby a representative sample of securities are selected to represent the Index, there is the risk that the securities selected for the Fund may not, in the aggregate, approximate the full Index.
- Inflation risk. The value of your investments may not be worth as much in the future due to changes in purchasing power resulting from inflation.

For further information on risks please see the "Risk Factors" section of the Prospectus on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

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	None
Exit charge	None
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money be invested / before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.	fore it is
Charges taken from the Fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	0.12%
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

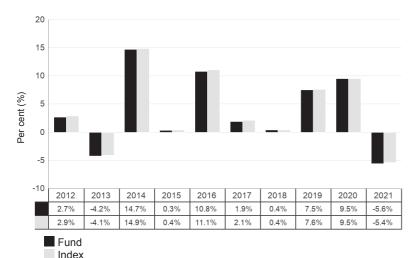
The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures and in some cases you might pay less. Investors can find out the actual entry and exit charges from their distributor.

Investors can find out the actual entry and exit charges from their financial adviser.

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ended 31 December 2021. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs.

For further information about charges, please see the sections entitled "Buying Shares", "Redeeming Shares", "Fees and Expenses", Appendix 1, and the "Swing Pricing" section in Appendix 2 of the Prospectus on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

#### Past performance



#### · Past performance:

- 1. Is not a reliable indication of future performance.
- Includes ongoing charges and the reinvestment of income. It excludes entry and exit fees.
- 3. Has been calculated in GBP.
- Shares in the Fund were first issued in 2009.
   This share class was launched in 2009.

#### Practical information

- Depositary: The Vanquard Investment Series plc ("VIS") depositary is Brown Brothers Harriman Trustee Services (Ireland) Limited.
- Documents, prices of shares and further information: You can obtain copies of the Prospectus and the latest annual and semi-annual report and accounts for VIS, along with the latest published prices of shares and other information on the Fund, free of charge from Vanguard Investment Series plc c/o Brown Brothers Harriman Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited, 30 Herbert Street, Dublin 2, D02 W329, Ireland or from our website at https://global.vanguard.com These documents are available in English only.
- Sub-funds: VIS is an umbrella fund with segregated liability between sub-funds. This means that the holdings of the Fund are maintained separately under Irish law from holdings of other sub-funds of VIS and your investment in the Fund will not be affected by any claims against any other sub-fund of VIS.
- Prices: The last published prices of units in the Fund are also available from the FT's website www.ft.com or https://global.vanguard.com
- Shares: You may exchange your shares in the Fund for shares in any other sub-fund of VIS. An entry charge may apply. Details of switching are provided in the Prospectus.
- Liability: VGIL 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 this Fund.
- Tax: VIS is subject to the tax laws of Ireland. Depending on your country of residence, this may have an impact on your personal tax position. You are recommended to consult your professional tax adviser.
- Remuneration policy: Details of VGIL's Remuneration Policy are available at https://global.vanguard.com/portal/site/portal/ucits-investment-information, including: (a) a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated; and (b) the identities of persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits. A paper copy of these details may be obtained, free of charge, on request from VGIL at 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, Ireland.



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# Vanguard U.S. Government Bond Index Fund (the "Fund")

A sub-fund of Vanguard Investment Series Plc

GBP Hedged Acc ISIN: IE00BFRTDB69

Manager: Vanguard Group (Ireland) Limited ("VGIL")

#### Objectives and investment policy

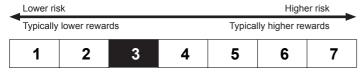
- The Fund employs a passive management or indexing investment approach and seeks to track the performance of the Bloomberg U.S. Government Float Adjusted Bond Index (the "Index").
- The Index includes US dollar-denominated US government and government related bonds with maturities greater than one year.
- · The Fund attempts to:
- 1. Track the performance of the Index by investing in a portfolio of securities that, insofar as possible and practicable, consists of a representative sample of the component securities of the Index.
- 2. Remain fully invested except in extraordinary market, political or similar conditions.
- The Fund may use derivatives in order to reduce risk or cost and/or generate extra income or growth. The use of derivatives could increase or reduce exposure to underlying assets and result in greater fluctuations of the Fund's net asset value. A derivative is a financial contract whose value is based on the value of a financial asset (such as a share, bond, or currency) or a market index.
- · The base currency of the Fund is USD.
- The Fund invests in securities which are denominated in currencies other
  than the base currency. Movements in currency exchange rates can affect
  the return of investments. Currency hedging techniques are used to
  minimise the risks associated with movements in currency exchange rates
  but these risks cannot be eliminated entirely. As this document relates to
  a share class where such techniques are used, for the purposes of the
  "Past performance" section below, the performance of this share class is

- shown against the Bloomberg U.S. Government Float Adjusted Bond Index Hedged in GBP (the "Hedged Index"), which is a currency hedged version of the Index.
- The Fund may engage in short term secured lending of its investments to certain eligible third parties. This is used as a means of generating additional income and to off-set the costs of the Fund.
- The Fund may not be appropriate for short-term investment.
- Income from the Fund will be reinvested and reflected in the price of shares in the Fund.
- Portfolio transaction costs will have an impact on performance.
- Shares in the Fund can be bought or sold on a daily basis (save on certain bank holidays or public holidays and subject to certain restrictions described in Appendix 1 of the Prospectus) by submitting an application in writing. A full list of the days on which shares in the Fund cannot be sold is available on

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For further information about the objectives and investment policy of the Fund, as well as the limited relationship with the Index provider, please see Appendix 1 and Appendix 6 of the Vanguard Investment Series plc Prospectus (the "Prospectus") on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

### Risk and reward profile



- This indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.
- The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time.
- · The lowest category does not mean "risk free".
- The Fund is rated 3 due to the nature of its investments which include the risks listed below. These factors may impact the value of the Fund's investments or expose the Fund to losses.
- The value of bonds and fixed income-related securities is affected by influential factors such as interest rates, inflation, credit spreads and volatility which, in turn, are driven by other factors including political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.
- Movements in currency exchange rates can adversely affect the return of your investment. Currency hedging may be used but is not guaranteed to completely eliminate currency risk.
- Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies. This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political or regulatory events.

# The risk and reward indicator does not take account of the following risks of investing in the Fund:

- 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.
- Liquidity risk. Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers
  to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily which could cause
  the Fund to incur higher costs when buying or selling investments or could
  mean that the Fund is not able to buy or sell investments when it would
  like to do so.
- Credit risk. The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Index tracking risk. The Fund is not expected to track the performance of the Index at all times with perfect accuracy. The Fund is, however, expected to provide investment results that, before expenses, generally correspond to the price and yield performance of the Index.
- Index sampling risk. As the Fund uses an index sampling technique whereby a representative sample of securities are selected to represent the Index, there is the risk that the securities selected for the Fund may not, in the aggregate, approximate the full Index.
- Inflation risk. The value of your investments may not be worth as much in the future due to changes in purchasing power resulting from inflation.

For further information on risks please see the "Risk Factors" section of the Prospectus on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

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	None
Exit charge	None
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money invested / before the proceeds of your investment are paid ou	
Charges taken from the Fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	0.12%
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions	S
Performance fee	None

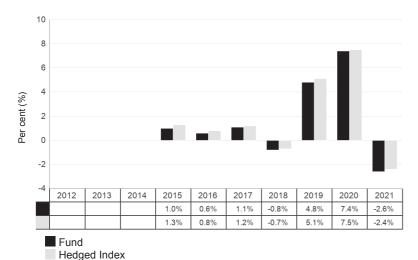
The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures and in some cases you might pay less. Investors can find out the actual entry and exit charges from their distributor.

Investors can find out the actual entry and exit charges from their financial adviser.

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ended 31 December 2021. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs.

For further information about charges, please see the sections entitled "Buying Shares", "Redeeming Shares", "Fees and Expenses", Appendix 1, and the "Swing Pricing" section in Appendix 2 of the Prospectus on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

#### Past performance



#### · Past performance:

- 1. Is not a reliable indication of future performance.
- Includes ongoing charges and the reinvestment of income. It excludes entry and exit fees.
- 3. Has been calculated in GBP.
- Shares in the Fund were first issued in 2002.
   This share class was launched in 2014.

#### Practical information

- Depositary: The Vanquard Investment Series plc ("VIS") depositary is Brown Brothers Harriman Trustee Services (Ireland) Limited.
- Documents, prices of shares and further information: You can obtain copies of the Prospectus and the latest annual and semi-annual report and accounts for VIS, along with the latest published prices of shares and other information on the Fund, free of charge from Vanguard Investment Series plc c/o Brown Brothers Harriman Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited, 30 Herbert Street, Dublin 2, D02 W329, Ireland or from our website at https://global.vanguard.com These documents are available in English only.
- Sub-funds: VIS is an umbrella fund with segregated liability between sub-funds. This means that the holdings of the Fund are maintained separately under Irish law from holdings of other sub-funds of VIS and your investment in the Fund will not be affected by any claims against any other sub-fund of VIS.
- Prices: The last published prices of units in the Fund are also available from the FT's website www.ft.com or https://global.vanguard.com
- Shares: You may exchange your shares in the Fund for shares in any other sub-fund of VIS. An entry charge may apply. Details of switching are provided in the Prospectus.
- Liability: VGIL 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 this Fund.
- Tax: VIS is subject to the tax laws of Ireland. Depending on your country of residence, this may have an impact on your personal tax position. You are recommended to consult your professional tax adviser.
- Remuneration policy: Details of VGIL's Remuneration Policy are available at https://global.vanguard.com/portal/site/portal/ucits-investment-information, including: (a) a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated; and (b) the identities of persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits. A paper copy of these details may be obtained, free of charge, on request from VGIL at 70 Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Dublin 2, Ireland.

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.

#### VT CASTLEBAY UK EQUITY FUND (the "Fund")

a sub-fund of Valu-Trac Investment Funds ICVC (the "Company")

Class C Net Income Shares (ISIN: GB00BV0LF938)

Class C Net Accumulation Shares (ISIN: GB00BV0LFB59)

The authorised corporate director of the Fund is Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited

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

The objective of the Fund is to preserve capital and generate income and capital growth over the long term.

The Fund will aim to meet its investment objective by investing primarily in a portfolio of UK companies listed on recognised stock exchanges. The Fund may also invest in overseas equities, transferable securities, money market instruments, deposits and cash and near cash.

There will be no particular emphasis on any industrial or economic sector

If you hold income shares any income from the Fund may be paid out to you.

If you hold accumulation shares, any income from the Fund will be re-invested to grow the value of your investment.

You can buy and sell shares on any business day.

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 Prospectus.

#### Risk and Reward Profile

The Risk and Reward Indicator table demonstrates where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward. The higher the rank the greater the potential reward but the greater the risk of losing money. It is based on past data, may change over time and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund. The shaded area of the table below shows where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward based on historical data.

Lower risk					Higl	her risk
Typically lower rewards				Typically higher rewards		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Historical data may not be a reliable indicator of the Fund's future risk profile. The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time. The lowest category does not mean "risk free".

The Fund is ranked 5 because weekly historical performance data indicates that it has experienced relatively high rises and falls in market prices historically.

The following risks are material in addition to the risks captured by the indicator above:

- Counterparty risk: The Fund can conclude various transactions with contractual partners. If a contractual partner becomes insolvent, it can no longer or can only partly settle unpaid debts owed to the Fund.
- Market Risk: External factors can cause an entire asset class to decline in value which would result in a decrease in the value of investments.
- Currency Risk: As the Fund may invest in overseas securities, movements in exchange rates may, when not hedged, cause the value of investments to increase or decrease.
- All the risks currently identified as being applicable to the Fund are set out in the "Risk Factors" section of the prospectus which may be obtained from the address in 'Practical Information' overleaf.

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 or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out. In some cases you may pay less and you should speak to your financial adviser about this.

Charges taken from the fund over a year				
Ongoing charges	0.60%*			

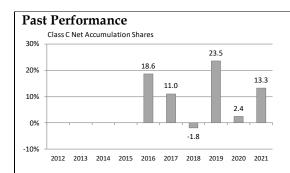
Charges taken from the fund under ce	rtain specific
conditions	
Performance fee	None

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses and the net asset value as at 31 December 2021. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs. The Funds annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

You may also be charged a dilution levy on entry to or exit from the Fund.

For more information about charges, please see section 5 and Appendix A of the Fund's prospectus, which is available at www.valu-trac.com

\*The Investment Manager of the Fund has undertaken to absorb any costs that would otherwise cause the Fund to have ongoing charges in excess of 0.6%.



#### Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

The past performance in the chart opposite is net of tax and charges but excludes the entry and exit charges that may be paid on the purchase and sale of an investment.

The share class and Fund were both launched on 28 January 2015.

Performance is calculated in Pound Sterling.

#### **Practical Information**

The depositary for the Fund is NatWest Trustee and Depositary Services Limited.

You can obtain further information about the Fund, copies of the prospectus, annual reports and accounts and half-yearly reports and accounts in English, free of charge, from Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited, Orton, Moray, IV32 7QE. They are also available electronically at www.valu-trac.com.

The Fund's latest published price and other information is available at www.valu-trac.com and can also be obtained during normal business hours by calling 01343 880 344.

The Fund is a sub-fund of the Company. The Prospectus and annual or half yearly reports and accounts contain information about the Company and all of its sub-funds.

Each of the sub-funds of the Company is segregated by law. This means that the assets of this Fund may not be used to pay the liabilities of other sub-funds of the Company.

Shares in other classes may be available. Details are set out in the Prospectus. It may be possible to switch your investment at any time for shares in other classes within the Fund or for shares in a class within a different sub-fund. For further information on switching please contact Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited by calling 01343 880 344

United Kingdom tax legislation may have an impact upon your own personal tax position. You are advised to seek professional advice on the tax treatment of your investment in the Fund.

Details of the up to date remuneration policy of Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited which includes a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the identities of the persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits, is available at www.valu-trac.com and a paper copy is available free of charge upon request.

Valu-Trac Investment Management 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.

The Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

This key investor information is accurate as at 31/12/2021.

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.

VT Gravis UK Infrastructure Income Fund (the "Fund")

a sub-fund of VT Gravis Funds ICVC (the "Company")

Class I - Net Accumulation Shares (£)(ISIN: GB00BYVB3T96)

Class I - Net Accumulation Shares (€ - Hedged)(ISIN: GB00BYVB3V19)

Class I - Net Accumulation Shares (\$ - Hedged)(ISIN: GB00BYVB3W26)

The authorised corporate director of the Fund is Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited

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

The investment objective of the Fund is to generate income and preserve capital with potential for capital growth.

The Fund will aim to meet its objectives by investing primarily (at least 70%) in equities (which are mainly listed in the United Kingdom and whose primary activity is in the wider infrastructure sector of the United Kingdom).

In addition to investing in equities, the sub-fund may also invest in other transferable securities, bonds, collective investment schemes, money market instruments, deposits, cash and near cash.

The Fund will have a specific focus on investments denominated in Sterling, which are themselves invested in Sterling assets and which have most or all of their activities within the UK. Other than as noted above, the Fund has no particular emphasis on any geographical area or industry or economic sector.

The Fund has the discretion to invest in a range of investments as described above.

Hedged Share Classes aim to protect investors from exchange rate fluctuations between the Fund's underlying investments and the currency of denomination of the Class (Sterling).

You can buy and sell shares in the fund on any business day.

Any income from the Fund will be reinvested to grow the value of your investment.

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 prospectus.

#### Risk and Reward Profile

The Risk and Reward Indicator table demonstrates where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward. The higher the rank the greater the potential reward but the greater the risk of losing money. It is based on past data, may change over time and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund. The shaded area of the table below shows where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward based on historical data.

Lower risk			Hi	gher risl	k	
Typically lower rewards			ds Ty	pically l	nigher re	ewards
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Historical data may not be a reliable indicator of the Fund's future risk profile. The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time. The lowest category does not mean "risk free".

The Fund is ranked 5 because weekly historical performance data indicates that it has experienced relatively high rises and falls in market prices historically.

The following risks are material in addition to the risks captured by the indicator above:

- Counterparty risk: The Fund can conclude various transactions with contractual partners. If a contractual partner becomes insolvent, it can no longer or can only partly settle unpaid debts owed to the Fund.
- Market Risk: External factors can cause an entire asset class to decline in value which would result in a decrease in the value of investments.
- Currency Risk: As the Fund may invest in overseas securities, movements in exchange rates may, when not hedged, cause the value of your investment to increase or decrease. Currency hedging techniques applied to hedged Share Classes may not entirely eliminate the effects of changes in exchange rates, therefore it cannot be guaranteed that the hedging objective will be achieved.

For full details of the Fund's risks, please see the prospectus which may be obtained from the address in 'Practical Information' overleaf.

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	4%*			
Exit charge	None			

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out. In some cases you may pay less and you should speak to your financial advisor about this.

Charges taken from the fund over a year			
Ongoing charges	1.52%**		

Charges taken from the fund under ce conditions	rtain specific
Performance fee	None

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses and the net asset value as at 30 June 2022. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs. The Funds annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

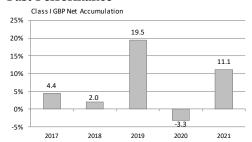
You may also be charged a dilution adjustment on entry to or exit from the fund.

For more information about charges, please see sections 3.6 & 7 of the prospectus, which may be obtained free of charge from the address in 'Practical Information' below.

\*The ACD may waive the initial charge at its discretion.

\*\*The Investment Adviser of the Fund has undertaken to absorb any costs that would otherwise cause the Class I shares of the Fund to have ongoing charges (excluding underlying collective investment undertaking holding charges) in excess of 0.65%.

#### **Past Performance**



#### Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

The past performance in the chart opposite is net of tax and charges but excludes the entry and exit charges that may be paid on the purchase and sale of an investment.

The share classes and Fund were launched on 25 January 2016.

Performance is calculated in Pound Sterling.

#### **Practical Information**

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