

Trojan Fund

All data as at 30 November 2020

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The investment objective of the Trojan Fund is to seek to achieve growth in capital (net of fees), ahead of inflation (UK Retail Price Index), over the longer term (5 to 7 years). The policy is to invest globally in government and public securities (such as sovereign debt and treasury bills), corporate bonds, equities and equity-related securities, private equity, precious metals, cash, cash equivalents and deposits.

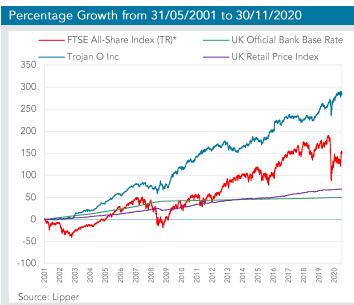
Prices 351.34p

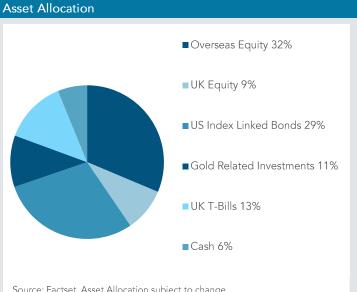
'O' accumulation shares

284.52p 'O' income shares

Fund Size

£5,313m





Source: Factset, Asset Allocation subject to change.

Total Return to 30 November 2020	31/0 Since la	5/01 unch	30/11/1 10 year		30/11/15 5 years		11/17 years	30/11/ 1 ye		31/05/20 5 months	
Trojan Fund O Inc	+28	1.4% +66.0%		%	+35.2% +1		5.9%	.9% +7.9%		+2.3%	
UK Official Bank Base Rate	+4	9.8%	+4.99	%	+2.3%	+	-1.6%	+0.3	3%	+0.1%	
UK Retail Price Index	+6	8.9% +29.8%		%	+13.3%	13.3% +6.7%		+1.1	%	+0.7%	
FTSE All-Share Index (TR)*	+14	8.6%	+77.39	%	+22.1%		-1.9%	-10.3	3%	+6.9%	
Discrete Calendar Annual Returns	2001#	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	
Trojan Fund O Inc	+0.6%	+4.1%	+15.4%	+10.3%	+15.9%	+12.0%	+6.1%	+1.1%	+11.6%	+14.4%	
	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020 YTD	
	+8.5%	+2.1%	-3.1%	+8.9%	+3.2%	+12.3%	+4.1%	-3.0%	+10.7%	+7.1%	

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Past performance is not a guide to future performance

Source: Lipper

November Commentary

Your Fund returned +2.0% during the month compared to +12.7% for the FTSE All-Share Index (TR).

Successful results from not one, but three COVID-19 vaccines in November marked an optimistic moment for humanity. Whilst there are still myriad logistical hurdles to overcome and standards of efficacy to be met, this news nonetheless offers hope of immunity for millions of vulnerable people around the world.

Equity markets cheered the progress. The gains were led by cyclical sectors hit hardest in March. In the UK, the best three performing stocks in November were Cineworld, MetroBank and Premier Oil (each up 80-100%). The top three in S&P 500 were in the energy sector. These are not the types of companies that we favour and they represent sectors that face structural, long-term challenges. They are also the types of businesses whose cash flows are highly sensitive to extraneous factors and, as a result, are likely to benefit disproportionately from an economic upswing.

In the portfolio, our individual stock gains for the month were less dramatic, but November's winners represented companies for whom the next ten years, as well as the next ten months, offer tremendous opportunity. We added to American Express and Visa on weakness in October. Amex, followed by Diageo and Visa, were the best performing stocks in the Trojan Fund this month.

We remain cautious on the economic recovery, cognisant that growth was lacklustre coming into this crisis and large swathes of the economy will take time to return, even with a vaccine. Some never Meanwhile valuations remain elevated. We will continue to add selectively to those companies best placed for the long run and whose valuations underestimate that potential.

Return vs volatility since launch (31/05/2001)



Source: Lipper

Risk analysis since launch (31/05/01)	Trojan Fund O Inc	FTSE All-Share Index (TR)
Total Return	+284.4%	+148.6%
Max Drawdown ¹	-13.7%	-45.6%
Best Month	+8.9%	+12.7%
Worst Month	-4.7%	-15.1%
Positive Months	+66.7%	+58.1%
Annualised Volatility ²	+6.3%	+14.1%

Source: Lipper 1. Measures the worst investment period ² Measured by standard deviation of annual returns

Top 10 holdings (excluding government bonds)	% Fund
Gold Bullion Securities	6.5
Microsoft	5.3
Alphabet	4.1
Unilever	3.6
Philip Morris	3.1
Visa	3.0
Nestlé	3.0
Diageo	2.9
Medtronic	2.6
Franco-Nevada	2.4
Total Top 10	36.5
9 Other Equity holdings	14.8
Index Linked Bonds	29.3
UK T-Bills	13.2
Cash	6.2
TOTAL	100.0

Source: Factset, holdings subject to change.

Fund Manager Awards





Fund information

A copy of the latest Prospectus and the KIID for each class (in English) upon which you should base your investment decision is available from Link Fund Solutions Ltd, the Fund's Authorised Corporate Director and Link Fund Administrators Ltd (Authorised and Regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority) on 0345 608 0950. The Trojan Fund is closed to new direct investments, but is still available to new investors through major fund platforms.

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Sub-fund of Trojan Investment Funds UCITS

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Currency £ Sterling

Launch Date 31 May 2001

Fund Historic Yield ('O' Inc shares) 0.35%

Ongoing Charges

'O' (ordinary) shares: 1.01% 'S' (charity) shares: 0.76%

Dividend Ex Dates

1 August (interim), 1 February (final)

Dividend Pay Dates

30 September (interim), 31 March (final)

Authorised Corporate Director

Link Fund Solutions Limited Tel: 0345 608 0950

ISIN

GB0034243732 (O Inc), GB00B01BP952 (O Acc) GB00B05M9T27 (S Inc), GB00B05M9S10 (S Acc)

Benchmarks

For more information on the benchmarks used please refer to the 'use of benchmarks' section in the fund information sheet, available from our website

Dealing

Daily at noon Tel: 0345 608 0950

Registrar

Link Fund Administrators Limited

Auditor

Ernst & Young LLP

Depositary

The Bank of New York Mellon (International) Limited

Bloomberg

CFTROJA_LN (O Acc), CFTROJI_LN (O Inc)

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B01BP95 (O Acc), 3424373 (O Inc)

Pricing

"O" share class prices published daily in the FT

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