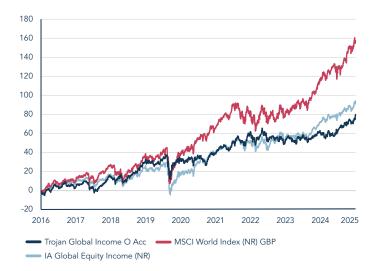


# Trojan Global Income Fund

The investment objective of the Trojan Global Income Fund is to seek to achieve income with the potential for capital growth in the medium term (3 to 5 years). The Fund's investment policy is to invest at least 80% of its assets globally in equities and equity-related securities. It may also invest in government and public securities (such as sovereign debt and treasury bills), corporate bonds, real estate (via REITs), private equity, cash, cash equivalents (including money-market instruments) and deposits. Any comparisons against indices are for illustrative purposes only.

# PERCENTAGE GROWTH FROM 01/11/2016 TO 31/01/2025

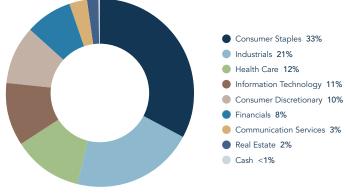


## All data as at 31 January 2025

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PRICESYIELD\*FUND SIZE179.48p140.93p2.9%£580mO' accumulation shares'O' income shares'O' income shares'O' income shares\*historic dividend yield

#### ASSET ALLOCATION



Source: Factset. Asset Allocation is subject to change.

| Total Return to 31 January 2025  |       | 1/2016<br>Iaunch |       | )1/2020<br>years |       | 01/2022<br>years |       | 01/2024<br>1 year |       | /07/2024<br>months |  |
|----------------------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|-------------------|-------|--------------------|--|
| Trojan Global Income Fund O Acc  | +7    | +79.8%           |       | +34.2%           |       | +18.7%           |       | +12.1%            |       | +9.4%              |  |
| IA Global Equity Income (NR)     | +9    | +97.4%           |       | +57.5% +31.0%    |       | +15.9%           |       | +8.0%             |       |                    |  |
| MSCI World Index (NR) GBP        | +15   | 57.2%            | +     | 37.6%            | +     | 41.9%            | +     | -24.4%            | -     | +11.7%             |  |
| Discrete Calendar Annual Returns | 2016# | 2017             | 2018  | 2019             | 2020  | 2021             | 2022  | 2023              | 2024  | 2025 YTD           |  |
| Discrete Calendar Annual Returns | 2018  | 2017             | 2010  | 2019             | 2020  | 2021             | 2022  | 2023              | 2024  | 2025 110           |  |
| Trojan Global Income Fund O Acc  | +0.6% | +8.7%            | -1.0% | +21.0%           | +2.3% | +16.7%           | -1.1% | +1.4%             | +8.7% | +5.3%              |  |

<sup>#</sup>Since Launch, 01 November 2016 Source: Lipper

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# January Commentary

Your Fund returned +5.3% during the month compared to +4.3% for the MSCI World Index (NR) GBP.

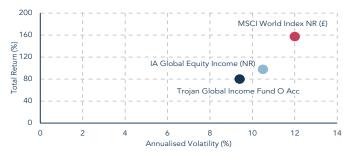
Equity markets have had a bright start to the year from which the Fund has benefitted. As President Trump and his administration keep the world guessing investors have been doing their best to divine the future. The US 10 year treasury yield sold off and then rallied leaving the yield slightly lower over the month. Credit spreads have tightened.

Within the portfolio the strongest contributor was British American Tobacco which rose by 11% and is undoubtedly benefitting from the new Presidential term as the ban on menthol products that was likely under the previous regime has been shelved. Second was Nintendo (+10.3%) whose strength derived from the anticipation of the upcoming launch of the new Switch 2. This was heartening as it coincided with lacklustre results as consumers skipped buying the current console to the detriment of reported revenues. Investors have been willing to look though this short-term negative – correctly in our view. Reckitt Benckiser also appreciated (+10.3%) as it recovers from a US litigation induced swoon in 2024. Against these gains, Diageo continued to be a drag on performance as the industry attempts to navigate the slump following the COVID boom. Our research suggests this is largely cyclical impact and that the more structural concerns that have been expressed by other commentators (abstinence in the youth, cannabis cannibalisation and the effect of GLP-1 weight loss drugs) will ultimately prove to be less impactful than currently feared. Valuations in this sector are now very attractive. Hershey was also weak as it battled rising cocoa prices which have spiked. We do not believe such a sharp rise should be extrapolated and see value in these shares. The LINK REIT was also weak as interest rates remain elevated.

With tariffs looming, concerns around the US fiscal position (as evidenced by the soaring gold price – up 8.5% in sterling terms in the month) and a reduction in migrant flows, all of which may be inflationary, we wonder if investors will temper their enthusiasm in the coming months. While a strong start to the year is welcome, 2025 is likely to prove an eventful and potentially quite volatile year.



# **RETURN VS VOLATILITY SINCE LAUNCH (01/11/2016)**



# Source: Lipper

# **RISK ANALYSIS**

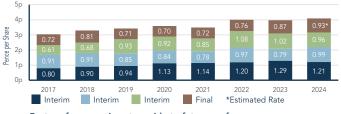
| Risk analysis since<br>launch (01/11/2016) | Trojan Global<br>Income O Acc | IA Global Equity<br>Income (NR) | MSCI World<br>Index NR (£) |
|--|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Total Return                               | +79.8%                        | +97.4%                          | +157.2%                    |
| Max Drawdown <sup>1</sup>                  | -18.7%                        | -26.6%                          | -26.1%                     |
| Best Month                                 | +6.8%                         | +11.1%                          | +9.2%                      |
| Worst Month                                | -6.5%                         | -11.5%                          | -10.6%                     |
| Positive Months                            | +64.3%                        | +65.3%                          | +66.3%                     |
| Annualised Volatility <sup>2</sup>         | +9.4%                         | +10.5%                          | +12.0%                     |

<sup>1</sup> Measures the worst investment period

<sup>2</sup> Measured by standard deviation of annual returns

Source: Lipper Past performance is not a guide to future performance

# **DIVIDEND TRACK RECORD SINCE 1 NOVEMBER 2016**



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# FUND INFORMATION

Structure

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 Waystone Management (UK) Limited, the Fund's Authorised Corporate Director, (Authorised and Regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority) at www.waystone.com.

| Sub-fund of Trojan Investment Funds<br>UK UCITS  |                                |  |
|--|--------------------------------|--|
| Investment Manager<br>Troy Asset Management Limi<br>33 Davies Street<br>London W1K 4BP<br>Tel: 020 7499 4030<br>Fax: 020 7491 2445<br>email: busdev@taml.co.uk | ted                            |  |
| Fund Manager<br>Assistant Fund Manager   | James Harries<br>Tomasz Boniek |  |
| Currency   | £ Sterling                     |  |
| Launch Date  | 1 November 2016                |  |
|  |                                |  |

Authorised Corporate Director Waystone Management (UK) Limited Tel: 0345 608 0950

## **Dividend Ex Dates**

1 May, 1 August, 1 November, 1 February (final)

**Dividend Pay Dates** 

30 June, 30 September, 31 December, 31 March (final)

Historic Dividend Yield 2.85% (O Inc shares)

#### 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.

#### Registrar

Waystone Transfer Agency Solutions (UK) Limited

Auditor Ernst & Young LLP

# Depositary

The Bank of New York Mellon (International) Limited

#### **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

| Paychex                  | 5.9%   |
|--------------------------|--------|
| British American Tobacco | 5.4%   |
| CME Group                | 5.1%   |
| Philip Morris            | 4.9%   |
| Reckitt Benckiser        | 4.7%   |
| ADP                      | 4.5%   |
| Microsoft                | 4.2%   |
| Amadeus IT               | 4.0%   |
| PepsiCo                  | 3.9%   |
| Novartis                 | 3.8%   |
| Total Top 10             | 46.3%  |
| 22 Other Equity holdings | 53.5%  |
| Cash                     | 0.2%   |
| TOTAL                    | 100.0% |
|                          |        |

Source: Factset. Holdings subject to change.

# FUND MANAGER AWARDS





# **RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT**



# The Net Zero Asset Managers initiative



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| Ongoing Charges                        |  |  |

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| ary) shares: | 0.89% |
| y) shares:   | 0.79% |
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