

# ASI Diversified Income Fund

(From 7 August 2019 the fund name was amended from Aberdeen Diversified Income Fund to ASI Diversified Income Fund)

Class I Income GBP

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## Objective

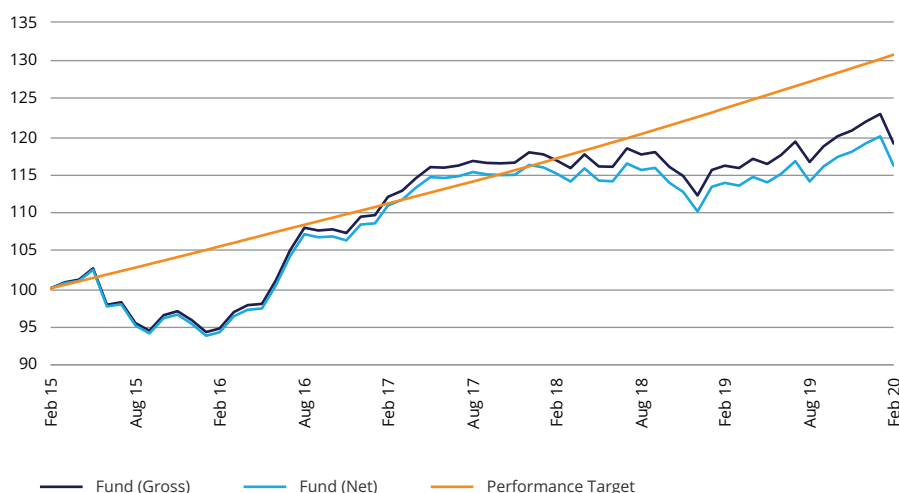
To generate a positive return through income and some capital growth over the long term (5 years or more) by investing in a globally diversified portfolio of assets whilst reducing the risk of losses. Invested capital is however at risk and there is no guarantee that this will be attained over any time period.

**Performance Target:** To exceed the return of 1 Month GBP LIBOR by 5% per annum over rolling five year periods (before charges). The Performance Target is the level of performance that the management team hopes to achieve for the fund. There is however no certainty or promise that they will achieve the Performance Target. 1 Month GBP LIBOR has been chosen as a proxy for the return on cash deposits.

## Portfolio securities

- The fund invests globally in a range of asset classes, derivatives, money-market instruments and cash.
- The fund may also invest in other funds (including those managed by Aberdeen Standard Investments) to gain exposure to a broad mix of assets from across the global investment universe.
- Asset classes that the fund invests in may include listed equities, private equity, property, infrastructure, high yield bonds, loans, emerging market debt, asset-backed securities, alternative risk premia, insurance linked securities, litigation finance, peer-to-peer lending, aircraft leasing and healthcare royalties.
- Asset classes such as infrastructure, property or private equity will typically be accessed through investment route such as listed equities.

## Performance



## Cumulative and annualised performance

	1 month	6 months	Year to date	1 year	3 years (p.a.)	5 years (p.a.)
Fund (Gross) (%)	-3.17	2.07	-2.38	2.49	2.04	3.54
Fund (Net) (%)	-3.21	1.84	-2.46	2.00	1.55	3.04
Performance target (%)	0.46	2.81	0.93	5.72	5.57	5.51

## Discrete annual returns - year to 29/2

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Fund (Gross) (%)	2.49	-0.61	4.30	18.32	-5.31
Fund (Net) (%)	2.00	-1.07	3.79	17.74	-5.81
Performance target (%)	5.72	5.64	5.34	5.36	5.51

Performance Data: Share Class I Inc. Source: Lipper. Basis: Total Return, NAV to NAV, UK Net/Gross Income Reinvested. "Fund (Net)" refers to the actual unit price performance of the shareclass shown; "Fund(Gross)" adds back charges such as the annual management charge to present performance on the same basis as the performance target / performance comparator / portfolio constraining benchmark.

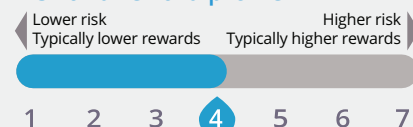
These figures do not include the initial charge; if this is paid it will reduce performance from that shown.

Past performance is not a guide to future returns and future returns are not guaranteed.

## Key facts

Fund manager(s)	Diversified Assets Team
Fund launch date	17 November 2006
Shareclass launch date	1 October 2012
Fund size	£199.8m
Number of holdings	349
Performance target	1 Month GBP LIBOR +5%
Performance comparator	1 Month GBP LIBOR
Fund historic yield <sup>2</sup>	5.13%
Entry charge (up to) <sup>3</sup>	0.00%
Annual management charge	0.60%
Ongoing charge figure <sup>1</sup>	0.78%
Minimum initial investment	£1,000,000
Fund type	OEIC
Valuation point	12:00 (UK time)
Base currency	GBP
Sedol	B1C4288
ISIN	GB00B1C42886
Bloomberg	ABMDI2I LN
Domicile	United Kingdom

## Risk and reward profile



This indicator reflects the volatility of the fund's share price over the last five years. See Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for details.

## Key risks

- The value of investments and the income from them can fall and investors may get back less than the amount invested.
- The fund invests in securities which are subject to the risk that the issuer may default on interest or capital payments.
- The use of derivatives carries the risk of reduced liquidity, substantial loss and increased volatility in adverse market conditions, such as a failure amongst market participants. The use of derivatives may result in the fund being leveraged (where market exposure and thus the potential for loss by the fund exceeds the amount it has invested) and in these market conditions the effect of leverage will be to magnify losses.
- The fund invests in emerging market equities and / or bonds. Investing in emerging markets involves a greater risk of loss than investing in more developed markets due to, among other factors, greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and regulatory risks.

## Management process

- The management team use their discretion (active management) to identify a diverse mix of investments which they believe are most appropriate for the investment objective. As a result of this diversification, and during extreme equity market falls, we expect losses to be below those of conventional global equity markets, with a volatility typically less than two thirds of equities.
- Their primary focus is on stock selection using the management team's quality, growth and momentum approach. It aims to identify companies that show a range of high quality characteristics, operate in growing markets and display positive business momentum.
- The team separately conduct extensive research to identify the most appropriate type of investment for each asset class.

## Top ten holdings (%)

HICL Infrastructure	3.0
TwentyFour Income	3.0
Intl Public Partner	2.5
TwentyFour Asset Backed Opportunities Fund	2.4
Pollen Street Secured Lending	2.2
3I Infrastructure	2.1
BioPharma Credit	2.1
Prytania Diversified Asset Backed Securities Fund	2.1
John Laing Group	1.7
Neuberger Berman CLO Income Fund	1.7
<b>Assets in top ten holdings</b>	<b>22.8</b>

Source : Aberdeen Standard Investments 29/02/2020

Figures may not always sum to 100 due to rounding.

## Composition by asset (%)

Emerging Market Bonds	25.9
Listed Equity	19.1
Asset Backed Securities	16.6
Infrastructure	14.7
Special Opportunities	11.6
Property	8.6
Insurance Linked	1.0
Private Equity	0.9
Cash and Other	1.6

- (e) The fund price can go up or down daily for a variety of reasons including changes in interest rates, inflation expectations or the perceived credit quality of individual countries or securities.
- (f) Dividend payment policies of the REITs in which the fund invests are not representative of the dividend payment policy of the fund.

## Derivative usage

- The fund may use derivatives to reduce risk, reduce cost and/or generate additional income or growth consistent with the risk profile of the fund (often referred to as Efficient Portfolio Management).
- Where derivatives are used, this would mainly be in response to significant inflows into the fund so that in these instances, cash can be invested while maintaining the fund's existing allocations to company shares or management of currency risk.
- Some underlying funds invested in by the fund may use derivatives more extensively. Derivatives may be used within underlying funds to generate growth if market prices are expected to rise (long positions) or fall (short positions).

To help you understand this fund and for a full explanation of risks and the overall risk profile of this fund and the shareclasses within it, please refer to the Key Investor Information Documents and Prospectus which are available on our website [www.aberdeenstandard.com](http://www.aberdeenstandard.com) The Prospectus also contains a glossary of key terms used in this document.

<sup>1</sup>The Ongoing Charge Figure (OCF), is the overall cost shown as a percentage of the value of the assets of the fund. It is made up of the Annual Management Charge (AMC) of 0.60% and other charges. It does not include any initial charges or the cost of buying and selling stocks for the fund. The Ongoing Charges figure can help you compare the annual operating expenses of different funds.

<sup>2</sup>The Historic Yield as at 31/01/2020 reflects distributions declared over the past twelve months as a percentage of the mid-market share price, as at the date shown. It does not include any preliminary charge and investors may be subject to tax on their distributions. The fund charges 100% of the annual management charge to capital. This has the effect of increasing distributions for the year and constraining the fund's capital performance to an equivalent extent.

<sup>3</sup>These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested. In some cases, the charges may be less and you should speak to your financial advisor about this.

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