# LIONTRUST MA ACTIVE MODERATE INCOME

The value of investments and any income provided by them can go down as well up. Investors could get back less than invested. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. This factsheet is for information purposes only and is not designed to provide advice on the suitability of an investment for your personal situation. If you have any questions regarding this factsheet, you are recommended to speak to a financial adviser.

#### Investment Objective and Policy Summary

The Fund seeks to achieve income with a below median level of volatility (risk), having a risk profile of 3, in a range from 1 to 7, where 1 is the lowest risk and 7 the highest. The risk profile used by Liontrust to produce the long term asset allocation differs from the Synthetic Risk and Reward Indicator shown elsewhere in this document, so the two rankings may not be the same. The Fund is an actively managed fund of funds which invests at least 70% of its assets in other funds (underlying funds), including those traded on stock exchanges, other closedended funds and funds managed by Liontrust or its associates. The underlying funds will invest in a range of asset classes including shares, bonds, money market instruments, freely transferable rights to buy other investments at a future date (warrants),

financial contracts that derive their value from other investments or indices (derivatives) and deposits. The underlying funds will where practicably possible be 'active' funds, which are funds that aim to beat the performance of various financial indices. The Fund may also invest directly in the above asset classes. The Fund may invest indirectly in property through Real Estate Investment Trusts and shares in property investment companies. The Fund aims to take a below median level of risk. Liontrust selects investments for the Fund according to its long-term asset allocation based on its risk profile. Liontrust may change the combination of assets for the Fund over the short to medium term where it sees a benefit in doing so, as long as its overall long-term risk profile remains similar.

### PERFORMANCE<sup>3</sup> AS AT 31/01/2021

Performance since launch (%)



Cumulative performance (%)	1 month	YTD	3 months	1 year	3 years	5 years	Inception
Portfolio	-0.2	-0.2	5.1	5.6	13.1	31.7	95.0

	01/01/20-	01/01/19-	01/01/18-	01/01/17-	01/01/16-
	31/12/20	31/12/19	31/12/18	31/12/17	31/12/16
Portfolio	6.7	9.8	-3.6	4.1	10.7

Source: Financial Express, as at 31.01.21, total return. **Past performance is not a guide to future performance.** Do remember that the value of an investment and the income generated from them can fall as well as rise and is not guaranteed, therefore, you may not get back the amount originally invested and potentially risk total loss of capital. Please see the Important information for further details.



## FUND FACTSHEET JANUARY 2021

#### **FUND FACTS**

AS AT 31/01/2021

Fund data	
Launch date	01.03.200
Investment Association Sector	IA Mixed Investment 0-35 Share
Fund size (£m)	105.9
Base Currency <sup>3</sup>	GE
Fund Price <sup>1</sup>	119.7
Yield <sup>1,2</sup>	1.79
Legal Structure	OE
Class A Acc (GBP) Shares	
ISIN (ACC)	GB00B8HWD27
AMC/OCF <sup>2</sup>	0.75%/1.24
Class R Acc (GBP) Shares	
ISIN (ACC)	GB003425202
AMC/OCF <sup>2</sup>	1.50%/1.99
Class S Acc (GBP) Shares	
ISIN (ACC)	GB00BCZW6J5
AMC/OCF <sup>2</sup>	0.55%/1.04
Class A Inc (GBP) Shares	
ISIN (INC)	GB00B7WJTH3
AMC/OCF <sup>2</sup>	0.75%/1.24
Class R Inc (GBP) Shares	
ISIN (INC)	GB003425194
AMC/OCF <sup>2</sup>	1.50%/1.99
Class S Inc (GBP) Shares	
ISIN (INC)	GB00BCZW6H3
AMC/OCF <sup>2</sup>	0.55%/1.04

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Yield and fund information is for the share class S Inc.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>A description of yield, AMC and OCF can be found under important information section.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The performance shown is for the S Inc share class. The S Inc share class was launched on O3 December 2013. Performance shown before this date relates to the R Net Inc share class.

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#### Fund Manager(s)

Nathan Sweeney & Sheldon MacDonald

#### Commentary

January began in a similarly positive vein as 2020 ended before markets dipped towards the end of the month. The Brexit deal may have been signed but we have already seen some trade issues and there remains much work to be done. In the US, new presidents typically enjoy a spell of strong market performance, but equities are already near all-time highs. However, we would still expect markets to react favourably to President Biden's significant fiscal stimulus, his multilateral trade agenda and plans for stepping up vaccine rollout. The latter point is key to eliminating Covid-19 but despite some progress that remains a rather distant hope at present with large parts of the world back in lockdown. More encouraging is the slight upgrade to global growth forecasts. Despite serious ongoing risks, the government spending measures in the US and Japan are positives, with growth estimates for both significantly upgraded as a result. In contrast, activity in Britain and

the euro area is expected to remain below pre-pandemic levels into 2022. Given the mixed outlook we have been selectively altering our asset allocation in line with our current view of markets. During January we increased exposure to the US, Japan and Europe adding to BlackRock Advantage US Equities fund and Brown Advisory US Mid-Cap Fund, Baillie Gifford Japan and BlackRock European Dynamic. While we reduced our UK equity holdings slightly including Artemis Income and JOHCM  $\mathsf{UK}$ Dynamic. We also reduced exposure to the Far East and Emerging Markets slightly cutting our holdings in BlackRock Asia Special Situations, BlackRock Emerging Markets and Vontobel Sustainable Emergina Market Fund. Within fixed income we reduced our exposure to UK Gilts and instead added to global high yield; a slightly riskier area that we believe now offers better value given the improved outlook for economies and companies.

## Top holdings as at 31/01/2021

	%
BlackRock - UK Gilts All Stocks Tracker	11.11
Vanguard - UK Government Bond index	11.07
NN Investment - Global Convertible Opportunities	8.06
BlackRock - CIF Overseas Govt Bd Tracker	7.86
Liontrust - Sustainable Future Corporate Bond Fund	7.71
Baring AM - Global High Yield Bond	6.99
Baring AM - EM Sovereign Debt Fund	6.85
Vanguard - UK Long Duration Gilt Index	6.08
Baillie Gifford - Japanese	4.64
BlackRock - Advantage US Equity Fund	3.03
Total	73.40
Total number of holdings	30



£106

MILLION
funds under
management

holdings spread across 6 geographical regions

percent yield (not guaranteed)

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Fund data	
UK Government Bond	28.26%
UK Equity	11.64%
<ul><li>Global Bonds</li></ul>	8.21%
<ul> <li>Global Convertible Bonds</li> </ul>	8.06%
UK Corporate Bond	7.76%
North America Equity	7.60%
High Yield	6.99%
Global EMD	6.85%
Japan Equity	4.64%
● Europe ex-UK Equity	2.84%
<ul><li>Developed Asia Equity</li></ul>	2.08%
EM Equity	2.01%
Property	1.40%
<ul><li>Alternatives</li></ul>	0.42%



Potentially lower reward

Potentially higher reward













This risk indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile. The category may shift over time and is not guaranteed.

Funds of category 4 have shown in the past low to medium volatility. Volatility describes how much the value of the fund went up and down. The shares of a fund of category 4 might be subject to low to medium fluctuations based on the historical volatility.

The following are additional risks not covered by the risk and reward category:

Credit Risk: There is a risk that an investment will fail to make required payments and this may reduce the income paid to the fund, or its capital value.

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:** If underlying funds suspend or defer the payment of redemption proceeds, the Fund's ability to meet redemption requests may also be affected.

Interest Rate Risk: Fluctuations in interest rates may affect the value of the Fund and your investment.

Derivatives Risk: Some of the underlying funds may invest in derivatives, which can, in some circumstances, create wider fluctuations in their prices over time.

Emerging Markets: The Fund may invest in less economically developed markets (emerging markets) which can involve greater risks than well developed economies.

Currency Risk: The Fund invests in overseas markets and the value of the Fund may fall or rise as a result of changes in exchange rates.

Due to rounding and the exclusion of cash lines, the figures shown in the geographical and sector allocations may not add up to 100% and the allocations may change.

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#### Important information

Yield is the amount of income generated by a fund's investment in relation to the price shown as an annual percentage.

The Annual Management Charge (AMC), is a charge taken from the fund. The charge is expressed as a percentage per annum but is normally taken daily from the fund and is calculated based on the value of funds under management. Normally the fund manager reserves the right to review the level of charge.

The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF), is a charge you'll pay over a year for as long as you hold your investment, it is made up of the Annual Management Charge (AMC) and other operating costs. Other charges may occur.

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investing/guide-financial-words-terms. More information is available in the Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for the fund and in the fund prospectus, both of which are available, free of charge, from Liontrust. The KIID can also be downloaded from our website at <a href="www.liontrust.co.uk">www.liontrust.co.uk</a>. We also recommend that you speak to your financial adviser before making any investment. The adviser can advise you on the number of financial products through which you can invest in this fund. This fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years.

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