

# LIONTRUST

## MACRO EQUITY INCOME FUND

### KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION DOCUMENT

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.

Liontrust Macro Equity Income Fund is an Authorised Unit Trust and categorised as a UCITS scheme. This document is based upon the R Acc class (ISIN: GB0033726984). This Fund is managed by Liontrust Fund Partners LLP, a subsidiary of Liontrust Asset Management PLC.

### Objective

- The Fund aims to deliver a high level of income with potential for capital growth over the long term (5 years or more).
- Income Target Benchmark: The Fund aims to deliver a net yield of at least 110% of the net yield of the FTSE All-Share index each year.

### Policy

- The Fund is considered to be actively managed in reference to the benchmark(s) in the performance table by virtue of the fact that it uses the benchmark(s) for performance comparison purposes. The benchmark(s) are not used to define the portfolio composition of the Fund and the Fund may be wholly invested in securities which are not constituents of the benchmark.
- The Fund will invest at least 80% of its assets in companies which are incorporated, domiciled, listed or conduct significant business in the United Kingdom (UK).
- The Fund will typically invest 95% (minimum 80%) of its assets in equities or equity related derivatives but may also invest in collective investment schemes (up to 10% of Fund assets), corporate debt securities, other transferable securities, money market instruments, warrants, cash and deposits.
- The Fund is permitted to use derivatives for the purposes of efficient portfolio management and for investment purposes. Please refer to the Derivatives sections in the prospectus.

### Recommendation

- This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

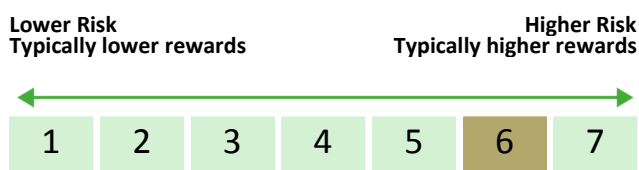
### How to buy

- You may buy or sell units on a daily basis (but not weekends or Bank Holidays). Orders must be received by 11:59am for execution at 12:00 midday valuation point on the same day. Further details can be found at [www.liontrust.co.uk](http://www.liontrust.co.uk).  
The Fund is dual priced; it has an offer (buying) price and a bid (selling) price and the difference between these (bid-offer spread) is dependent on the underlying holdings. This means investors buying and selling are compensating existing investors for any dilution in the fund's value caused by underlying transaction costs. For a fuller explanation, please visit [www.liontrust.co.uk](http://www.liontrust.co.uk).

### Investment process

- At the core of the investment philosophy lies the belief that Macro-Thematic analysis – the identification and interpretation of major economic, political, social and cultural developments affecting the UK and the rest of the world – offers scope to add long-term investment value. A Macro-Theme is defined as an undiscounted, structural change in the process of realisation, and the related passage to theme-maturity, is the macro-trend. Macro-Thematic analysis tends to identify long duration investment opportunities that persist beyond market cycles.
- The fund managers believe a "top-down" approach is the most appropriate in identifying episodes of change, their drivers and the resultant investment opportunities. In their view, this objective cannot be attained with a "bottom-up" or company specific approach.
- Macro-Thematic investment opportunities exist because investors are bad at discounting the kind of change that defines Macro-Themes. Investors suffer from behavioural biases including herding, forecasting bias and cognitive bias. This leads to a gap between investment theory – based on the idea that investors are rational in aggregate and that asset prices efficiently discount all available information – and practice.
- Importantly, a Macro-Theme may be expressed in both positive and negative terms. The fund managers have courage in their convictions: positive themes are supported by large absolute portfolio weightings whereas negative themes may result in the complete absence from the portfolio of certain stockmarket sectors.
- The Macro-Thematic investment process consists of four stages:
  - 1. Theme discovery
  - 2. Identification of theme-assisted and theme-impaired companies
  - 3. Bottom-up analysis of prospective investments
  - 4. Portfolio construction and management

### Risk and reward profile



- This Synthetic Risk and Reward Indicator (SRRI) is based on historical data and may not be relied upon to gauge the future risk profile of the Fund.
- The SRRI shown is not guaranteed to remain the same and may shift over time.
- The lowest category (1) does not mean 'risk free'.
- The Fund's risk and reward category has been calculated using the methodology adopted by the Financial Conduct Authority. It is based upon the rate by which the Fund or a representative fund or index's value has moved up and down in the past.
- The Fund is categorised 6 for its exposure to equities.
- The SRRI may not fully take into account the following risks:
  - that a company may fail thus reducing its value within the Fund;
  - any company which has high overseas earnings may carry a higher currency risk;
  - any overseas investments may carry a higher currency risk. They are valued by reference to their local currency which may move up or down when compared to the currency of the Fund.
- For full details of the Fund's risks, please see the prospectus which may be obtained from Liontrust (address overleaf) or online at [www.liontrust.co.uk](http://www.liontrust.co.uk).

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### 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.

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

Ongoing charges	1.64%
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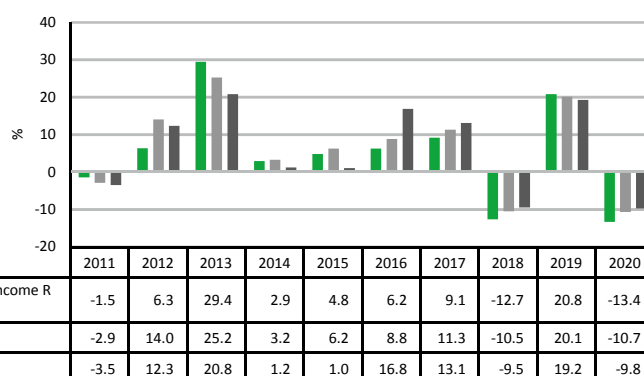
#### Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific circumstances

Performance fee	None
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- 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 or fund platform if you are not using a financial adviser.
- The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses as at 31 December 2020. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes:
  - portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the UCITS when buying or selling units/shares in another collective investment undertaking.
- In order to maximise income payments the Fund's fees, charges and expenses are taken from capital. This has the effect of increasing the Fund's income distribution but will constrain capital performance by an equivalent amount.
- For more information about charges, please see the Charges and Expenses section of the Fund's prospectus, which is available electronically at [www.liontrust.co.uk](http://www.liontrust.co.uk).

### Past performance

- Past performance is not a guide to future performance. It has been calculated on the basis that any distributable income of the Fund has been reinvested. The past performance shown in the chart takes into account all charges except entry and exit charges.
- The Fund launched on 31 October 2003.
- The R Acc share class was launched on 31 October 2003.
- The base currency of the Fund is pounds sterling.



### Practical information

Authorisation	This Fund is authorised in the UK and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.
Trustee	Bank of New York Mellon (International) Ltd.
Investment Adviser	Liontrust Investment Partners LLP.
Further information	Copies of the prospectus and the latest annual and half-yearly reports, which are the primary source of additional information, are available, without charge, from Liontrust Fund Partners LLP, 2 Savoy Court, London, WC2R 0EZ. They are also available electronically at <a href="http://www.liontrust.co.uk">www.liontrust.co.uk</a> .
Taxation	UK tax legislation may have an impact upon your own personal tax position.
Fund prices and other information	The Fund's last published price is available from Liontrust Fund Partners LLP at <a href="http://www.liontrust.co.uk">www.liontrust.co.uk</a> or by writing to us at 2 Savoy Court, London, WC2R 0EZ or by telephoning 0344 892 0349 during business hours (9.00am – 5.00pm).
Remuneration	Information on the current remuneration policy of the Fund, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the identity of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits, is available at <a href="http://www.liontrust.co.uk">www.liontrust.co.uk</a> . A paper copy of this information is available free of charge upon request from Liontrust Fund Partners LLP at 2 Savoy Court, London, WC2R 0EZ.