

# MULTI ASSET EXPLORER INCOME 45 FUND



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 Multi Asset Explorer Income 45 Fund is a sub-fund of the Liontrust Multi-Asset Investments ICVC and categorised as a UCITS scheme. This document is based upon the A Inc class (ISIN: GB00B7WJTH36). This Fund is managed by Liontrust Fund Partners LLP, a subsidiary of Liontrust Asset Management PLC

#### Objective

The Fund aims to generate income with the potential for capital growth over the long term (5 years or more).

## Policy

- The Investment Adviser aims to achieve the Fund's objective by investing at least 90% of the Fund in collective investment schemes ("CIS") including open-ended investment companies, unit trusts, exchange traded funds and closed ended investment companies (including investment trusts and Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)).
- In order to achieve the fund's objective, the Investment Adviser ensures that the overall portfolio is well balanced in order to meet its twin objectives of delivering income and growth.
  On a regular basis the Investment Adviser will review the portfolio and try to ensure the projected income from the underlying funds within the portfolio is satisfactory. If not, the portfolio will be partially rebalanced in order to seek higher income-paying underlying funds.
- The Investment Adviser will allocate across asset classes (including shares, bonds, alternatives, property and cash) based upon the expectations of each asset class's future potential return and risk. In normal market conditions, the Fund will hold a minimum of 20%, and up to 45%, of its Net Asset Value in CIS that invest in shares and the Investment Adviser aims to hold a diversified portfolio of such assets.
- However, the Investment Adviser may decide to hold a more concentrated portfolio for a short period at certain times (i.e. where market factors dictate or at times of significant subscriptions and redemptions in the Fund) and it is possible that during these times a substantial portion of the Fund could be invested in bonds, cash or Money Market Instruments directly or indirectly.
- The investments will give exposure to a broad range of global assets predominately in developed markets but may have some exposure to Emerging Markets.
- The Fund may invest in up to 10% directly in transferable securities (including company shares and bonds), cash or deposits and money market instruments. The Fund may also engage in stock-lending and borrowing.
- The Fund may invest in derivatives, warrants and forward transactions for efficient portfolio management, including hedging.
- Bonds may include, but are not limited to, securities issued by government or corporate issuers, and may be investment or sub-investment grade. Alternative assets may include, but are not limited to, liquid alternative asset classes, commodities and property (through investment in Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)). Maximum exposure to alternatives will be 20%. Any Tactical allocations to Alternative asset classes will be made when they are considered to offer a compelling risk / return proposition in the context of the total portfolio.
- The underlying funds will be a blend of 'active' funds, whose managers aim to beat the performance of a benchmark, and 'passive' funds, which aim to track the performance of an index. The Investment Adviser aims to create an optimal blend of active and passive positions based on their suitability in terms of the overall portfolio mix. It could be that, from time to time, passive outweigh active and at other times the converse is true.
- The Fund may invest in other funds managed by the ACD and its affiliates where the ACD believes the fund selection is in the best interests of investors.

## Recommendation

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

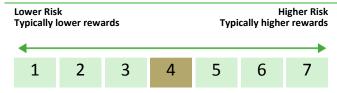
## How to buy

You may buy or sell shares on a daily basis (but not weekends or Bank Holidays). Orders must be received by 12:00 noon for execution at 8:00am valuation on the following day. Further details can be found at www.liontrust.co.uk.

## Investment process

- The Strategic Asset Allocation (SAA) is essentially the default asset allocation should the fund managers have no views about the relative attractiveness of different asset classes. In determining the SAA, historical returns and volatilities of a range of asset classes, as well as their correlations with each other, and other market dynamics are collated and studied. The SAA is updated annually and has a long-term (15 years) time horizon.
- The Tactical Asset Allocation (TAA) is the process through which the Multi-Asset team has an overweight or underweight exposure to an asset class or subasset class when compared to the SAA. The TAA may increase or decrease overall strategy risk depending on the Liontrust Multi-Asset team's view of the stage of the market cycle. Even if the Multi-Asset team decides to adopt a neutral risk position, it is still possible to express a view between asset classes and sub-asset classes without meaningfully altering the overall portfolio risk from neutral to the SAA. The Multi-Asset team refers to this as an Efficient Allocation (EA). The TAA is reviewed and updated quarterly.
- The purpose of the portfolio construction is to take a fairly abstract concept in the form of a TAA and to express it in an investable form for each strategy that the Multi-Asset team manages. The portfolio construction takes account of the output from the TAA as well as the input from the manager selection process. The portfolio construction consists of four steps: factor selection, active and passive, set targets, and risk checks.
- Manager selection consist of universe filtering, quantitative and qualitative research, operational due diligence, and security set up.
- The implementation seeks to ensure the Multi-Asset team implements in a manner that treats customers fairly, finds an optimal balance between trading and portfolio turnover, and ensures the implemented holdings reflect the Liontrust Multi-Asset team's views generated through the investment process. While the Liontrust Multi-Asset team takes its fiduciary duty to investors extremely seriously, they also ensure there are effective checks and balances internally.

# 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 set by the European Commission. 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 an actively managed fund of funds and invests globally (including in emerging markets) in a range of asset classes and financial instruments including shares, debt instruments (bonds) including those which can easily be converted into cash (money market instruments), REITs, freely transferable rights to buy other investments at a future date (warrants), financial contracts that derive their values from those of other investment instruments, alternatives or indices (derivatives) and deposits.
- The underlying funds will where practicably possible, be 'active' funds, which are investment funds that aim to beat the performance of various financial indices
- The fund's investment objectives include a target of delivering income to investors. There may be times when those funds that pay out higher levels of dividend underperform the market as a whole, or produce more volatile returns. The level of income is not guaranteed.
- The Fund is categorised 4 primarily for its balanced exposure to higher and lower risk assets.
- The SRRI may not fully take into account the following risks:
  - that a company may fail thus reducing its value within the Fund;



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- 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.
- Bonds are affected by changes in interest rates and their value and the income they generate can rise or fall as a result:
- the creditworthiness of a bond issuer may also affect that bond's value. Bonds that produce a higher level of income usually also carry greater risk as such bond issuers may have difficulty in paying their debts. The value of a bond would be significantly affected if the issuer either refused to pay or was unable to pay.
- Counterparty Risk: any derivative contract, including FX hedging, may be at risk if the counterparty fails.
- Liquidity Risk: If underlying funds suspend or defer the payment of redemption proceeds, the Fund's ability to meet redemption requests may also be affetced;
- 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.
- 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.

#### 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

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	None
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.:	

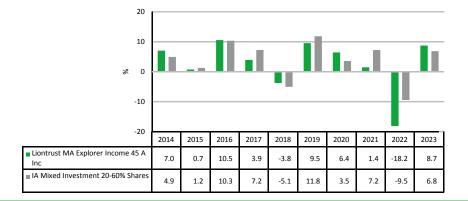
- The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less – you can find this out from your financial adviser or fund platform if you are not
- The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses as at 31 December 2023. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes:
  - performance fees;
  - 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.
- For more information about charges and what is included in each charge, please see the Fund's prospectus, which is available electronically at www.liontrust.co.uk or visit the costs and charges page on our website at www.liontrust.co.uk/cost-and-charges.

#### Performance fee None

Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific circumstances

# **Past performance**

- Past performance does not predict future returns. 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 launch date is 01 March 2004.
- The A Inc share class launch date is 31 July 2012. Performance shown before this date relates to the R Net Inc share class.
  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.
Depositary	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 OEZ. They are also available electronically at www.liontrust.co.uk.
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 www.liontrust.co.uk 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 www.liontrust.co.uk. A paper copy of this information is available free of charge upon request from Liontrust Fund Partners LLP at 2 Savoy Court, London, WC2R OEZ.