



# Trojan Ethical Global Income Fund

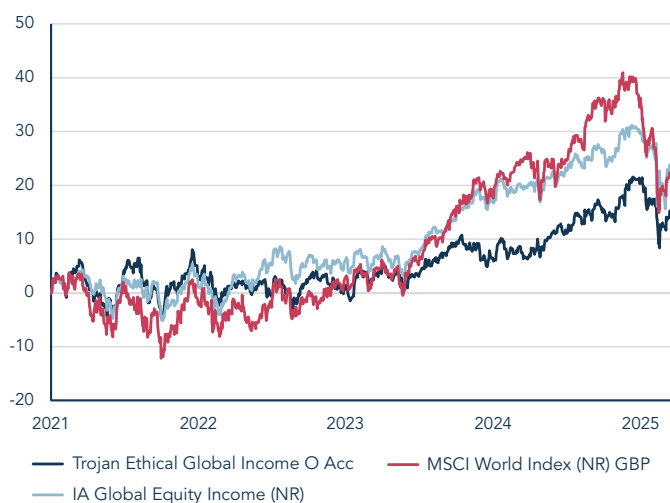
All data as at 30 April 2025

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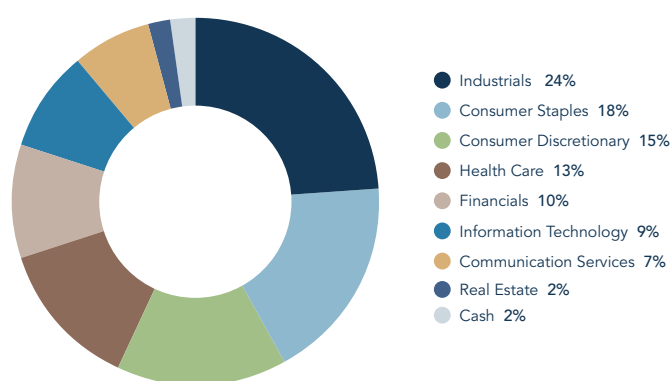
The investment objective of the Trojan Ethical Global Income Fund is to seek to achieve income with the potential for capital growth in the medium term (3 to 5 years). The Fund's investment policy is to invest at least 80% of its assets globally in equities and equity-related securities. It may also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

PRICES		YIELD*	FUND SIZE
115.26p	106.15p	2.5%	£26m
'O' accumulation shares		'O' income shares	'O' income shares
		*historic dividend yield	

## PERCENTAGE GROWTH FROM 01/11/2021 TO 30/04/2025



## ASSET ALLOCATION



Asset allocation subject to change

Total Return to 30 April 2025	01/11/2021 Since launch	30/04/2022 3 year	30/04/2024 1 year	31/10/2024 6 months
Trojan Ethical Global Income Fund O Acc	+15.3%	+8.3%	+8.2%	+2.2%
IA Global Equity Income (NR)	+23.0%	+20.4%	+4.3%	-0.7%
MSCI World Index (NR) GBP	+23.8%	+28.8%	+5.1%	-2.9%

Discrete Calendar Annual Returns	2021*	2022	2023	2024	2025 YTD
Trojan Ethical Global Income Fund O Acc	+5.7%	-4.1%	+4.8%	+7.4%	+1.1%

\*Since Launch, 01 November 2021  
Source: Lipper

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## April Commentary

Your Fund returned -0.7% during the month compared to -2.5% for the MSCI World Index (NR) GBP.

April's headline figures conceal a swift intramonth drawdown in equity markets followed by an equally sharp rebound: equity indices recovered most of the losses post Liberation day. While the stock market rally was impressive, the macro backdrop has deteriorated and remains uncertain, with equity valuations still elevated. Against this whipsaw environment the Fund's defensive characteristics helped preserve capital.

During the month we initiated a new investment in Nike, the world-leading athletic footwear and apparel business. Nike's share price has fallen sharply over the past twelve months as the company works through an inventory build-up across a handful of wholesale franchise channels and as renewed tariff rhetoric from the U.S. administration has weighed on sentiment. We have followed the company for a number of years and believe the market reaction materially undervalues the long-term attractions of the franchise.

Our confidence has grown under the stewardship of the recently appointed CEO, Elliott Hill. His decision to rationalise distribution and prioritise product innovation is painful in the short term, but in our view essential to protect Nike's unrivalled brand equity and ensure the company remains the pre-eminent sports brand globally.

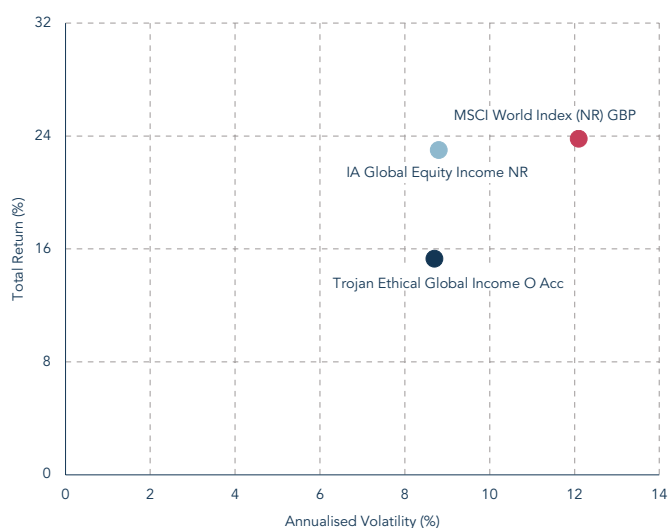
Tariffs and the associated profit margin pressure will hurt near-term earnings, but we see this as a temporary dislocation rather than a structural change. Assuming a recovery to Nike's historic operating margins – which we regard as a conservative base case – we are buying the shares on what we believe is an attractive valuation, with the highest dividend yield of the last ten years (Source: Bloomberg). In addition, the balance sheet carries minimal financial leverage, affording Nike the flexibility to invest through financial market cycles.

The investment in Nike is exactly the kind of opportunity we aim to capture: buying world-class businesses when they are out of favour.

We funded the investment in Nike by fully exiting our position in Hershey.



## RETURN VS VOLATILITY SINCE LAUNCH (01/11/2021)



Source: Lipper

## RISK ANALYSIS

Risk analysis since launch (01/11/2021)	Trojan Ethical Global Income O Acc	IA Global Equity Income (NR)	MSCI World Index NR (£)
Total Return	+15.3%	+23.0%	+23.8%
Max Drawdown <sup>1</sup>	-10.8%	-12.6%	-18.2%
Best Month	+5.4%	+5.2%	+7.7%
Worst Month	-5.7%	-5.0%	-6.8%
Positive Months	+51.2%	+58.5%	+58.5%
Annualised Volatility <sup>2</sup>	+8.7%	+8.8%	+12.1%

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

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

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## FUND INFORMATION

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](http://www.waystone.com).

<b>Structure</b> Sub-fund of Trojan Investment Funds UK UCITS	
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<b>Co-Fund Manager</b>	James Harries
<b>Co-Fund Manager</b>	Tomasz Boniek
<b>Currency</b>	£ Sterling
<b>Launch Date</b>	01 November 2021
<b>Authorised Corporate Director</b> Waystone Management (UK) Limited Tel: 0345 608 0950	

<b>Dividend Ex Dates</b> 1 May, 1 August, 1 November, 1 February (final)	
<b>Dividend Pay Dates</b> 30 June, 30 September, 31 December, 31 March (final)	
<b>Historic Dividend Yield</b> (O Inc shares)	2.51%
<b>Benchmarks</b> For more information on the benchmarks used please refer to the 'use of benchmarks' section in the fund information sheet, available from our <a href="http://www.waystone.com">website</a> .	
<b>Registrar</b> Waystone Transfer Agency Solutions (UK) Limited	
<b>Auditor</b> Ernst & Young LLP	
<b>Depository</b> The Bank of New York Mellon (International) Limited	

<b>Dealing</b> Daily at noon Tel: 0345 608 0950	
<b>ISINs</b> GB00BNR5HJ67 (O Acc), GB00BNR5HK72 (O Inc) GB00BNR5HL89 (S Acc), GB00BP8Z0C36 (S Inc)	
<b>SEDOL</b> BNR5HJ6 (O Acc) BNR5HK7 (O Inc)	
<b>Bloomberg</b> TREGIOG LN (O Acc), TREGIOB LN (O Inc)	
<b>Ongoing Charges (capped)</b> 'O' (ordinary) shares: 0.92% 'S' (charity) shares: 0.82%	
<b>Pricing</b> "O" share class prices published daily in the FT	

## TOP 10 HOLDINGS

CME Group	5.9%
Paychex	5.6%
Amadeus IT	4.7%
Reckitt Benckiser	4.7%
Nintendo	4.6%
Novartis	4.2%
RELX	4.2%
Admiral Group	4.1%
Microsoft	4.1%
Unilever	3.8%
Total Top 10	45.9%
20 Other Equity holdings	51.9%
Cash	2.2%
TOTAL	100.0%

Holdings subject to change.

## RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT





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