



# **Trojan Global Equity Fund**

The investment objective of the Trojan Global Equity Fund is to seek to achieve capital growth over the long term (at least 5 years). The Fund must invest globally with at least 80% of its assets in equities and equity-related securities.

PRICES 476.50p 393.15p O' accumulation shares 'O' income shares

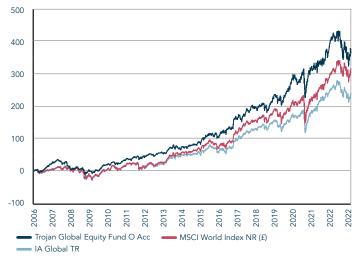
ASSET ALLOCATION

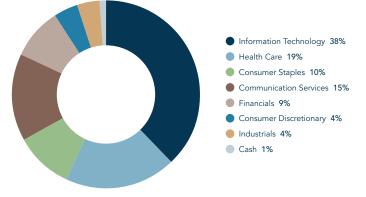
FUND SIZE £430m

All data as at 31 July 2022

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PERCENTAGE GROWTH FROM (06/03/2006 TO 31/07/2022)





Source: Factset. Asset Allocation is subject to change.

Total Return to 31 July 2022	06/03/06 Since launch	31/07/12 10 years	31/07/17 5 years	31/07/19 3 years	31/07/21 1 year	31/01/22 6 months
Trojan Global Equity Fund O Acc	+376.5%	+208.9%	+62.4%	+20.1%	-6.2%	-4.0%
IA Global (TR)	+241.9%	+190.4%	+50.4%	+23.8%	-2.9%	-1.5%
MSCI World Index NR (£)	+316.8%	+240.4%	+65.2%	+32.4%	+3.8%	-0.1%

Discrete Calendar Annual Returns	2006#	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Trojan Global Equity Fund O Acc	+20.2%	-4.6%	-11.3%	+18.4%	+14.9%	+6.2%	+3.7%	+14.4%	+15.0%
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 YTD	
	+12.3%	+19.2%	+13.2%	+1.1%	+24.6%	+13.5%	+21.7%	-10.0%	

#from launch 06/03/06

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

The Fund was originally launched as the Trojan Capital Fund, which focused on investing in UK equities with the flexibility to invest in overseas equities and other asset classes. The strategy was changed to a global equity strategy in December 2013. The Fund has been a constituent of the IA Global sector since April 2012. Prior to this, the Fund was in the IA Flexible Investment sector. Source: Lipper

# July Commentary

Your Fund returned +7.4% during the month compared to +7.7% for the MSCI World Index NR (f).

Investors on high alert for signs of impending recession found scant evidence for it in the latest round of quarterly earnings. The Fund's investments in the payments sector, representing ~26% of portfolio assets, are indicative of the ongoing strength of consumer spending. American Express grew its global billings +28% in the second quarter of the year; Fiserv grew merchant acquiring revenues +17%; and the card networks, Visa and Mastercard, grew purchase volumes +12% and +14%, respectively.\* Moreover, none saw deterioration in spending trends in July - so whilst a recession remains more apparent than real, for now, these companies benefit from a cyclical recovery in travel and entertainment expenditures and the secular growth of digital payments.

Investor nervousness was more justified in anticipating a sharp slowdown in advertising spending. Google Search is resilient because consumers

have high intentions to purchase when they click on an ad - giving greater predictability for return on advertiser spend - whereas purchase intentions for users of Alphabet's YouTube and Meta's services are less certain. Advertising customers are adjusting ad budgets to a tougher macroeconomic outlook whilst navigating the impact of Apple's data privacy changes. We expect softness to persist, but remain encouraged by two things: first, the investments Alphabet and Meta are making to grow their user bases and enhance users' engagement, and second, their flexibility to re-align costs. These actions bode well for longer-term growth and profitability.

\*All on a local, constant-currency basis.







**RETURN VS VOLATILITY SINCE LAUNCH (06/03/06)** 

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## **RISK ANALYSIS**

Risk analysis since launch (06/03/06)	Fund	IA Global TR	Index*
Total Return	+376.5%	+241.9%	+316.8%
Max Drawdown <sup>1</sup>	-33.3%	-38.3%	-38.3%
Best Month	+9.4%	+9.8%	+10.1%
Worst Month	-9.4%	-12.9%	-10.6%
Positive Months	+61.2%	+62.8%	+62.8%
Annualised Volatility <sup>2</sup>	+11.8%	+13.6%	+13.4%

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

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

\* MSCI World Index NR (£)

## 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 Link Fund Solutions Ltd, the Fund's Authorised Corporate Director and Link Fund Administrators Ltd (Authorised and Regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority) on 0345 608 0950.

<b>Structure</b> Sub-fund of Trojan Investment Funds UK UCITS				
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Currency	£ Sterling			
Launch Date	6 March 2006			

#### **Benchmarks**

For more information on the benchmarks used please refer to the 'use of benchmarks' section in the fund information sheet, available from our website

#### **Ongoing Charges** 'O' (ordinary) shares: 0.91%

'S' (charity) shares: 0.81%

Dividend Ex Dates 1 August (interim), 1 February (final)

**Dividend Pay Dates** 30 September (interim), 31 March (final)

Historic Dividend Yield ('O' Inc shares) 0.00%

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GB00B0ZJ0230 (O Inc), GB00B0ZJ5S47 (O Acc) GB00B0ZJQY73 (S Inc), GB00B0ZJSN09 (S Acc) Dealing Daily at noon

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Bloomberg TRJCAPA\_LN (O Acc), TRJCAPI\_LN (O Inc)

SEDOL B0ZJ5S4 (O Acc), B0ZJ023 (O Inc)

Pricing "O" share class prices published daily in the FT



Source: Factset. Holdings subject to change

**RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT** 

**STEWARDSHIP CODE** 2021

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Signatory of:



Microsoft

Alphabet

Fiserv Inc

Experian

Total Top 10

TOTAL

ASSET

16 other holdings

Cash & Equivalent

Mastercard

Meta Platforms

**Agilent Technologies** 

Visa

Intuit

Alcon





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