

Trojan Income Fund (Ireland)

Marketing Communication All data as at 31 January 2024

The Fund seeks to provide income with the potential for capital growth in the medium (3 to 5 years) term. The investment policy is to invest at least 80% of its Net Asset Value in UK equities and equity related securities.

	FUND SIZE
1.1038 GBP O Inc	£35m
1.1733 USD O Inc	
	HISTORIC YIELD
1.1117 SGD O Inc	2.8%
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PERCENTAGE GROWTH 15/04/2013 TO 31/01/2024



ASSET ALLOCATION



Source: Factset, Asset Allocation subject to change.

Total Return to 31 January 2024		15/04/2013 Since launch		31/01/2019 5 years		31/01/2021 3 years		31/01/2023 1 year		31/07/2023 6 months		
Trojan Income Fund (Ireland) ^(O Acc GBP)		+60.1%			+11.6%		+8.3%		+4.6%		+2.6%	
FTSE All-Share Index (TR) ⁺		+83.6% +30.4		+30.4%		+27.5%		+1.9%		+1.1%		
Discrete Calendar Annual Returns	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 YTD
Trojan Income Fund (Ireland) (O Acc GBP)	+6.3%	+9.7%	+10.5%	+9.9%	+6.1%	-7.2%	+20.0%	-10.0%	+15.4%	-12.8%	+4.7%	+0.9%

Source: Lipper *© FTSE International Limited 2024. Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

NB: Prior to its conversion on 29 March 2019 the Fund was a feeder fund called the Trojan Income Feeder Fund (Ireland).

January Commentary

Your Fund returned +0.9% during the month compared to -1.3% for the FTSE All-Share Index (TR).

After a particularly strong end to 2023, the UK equity market was more subdued in the first weeks of January. Inflation, which had been falling steadily for much of the year, showed signs of stickiness and the US Federal Reserve was forced to temper the market's expectations of a first rate cut in March 2024.

Against this backdrop, Consumer Staples performed well and were the biggest contributor to the Fund's returns in the month. This marks a significant reversal when compared to the final quarter of last year. Recent challenges faced by the sector have been well-documented. Demandcurbing appetite suppressant drugs (GLP-1s) have impacted investor confidence in the long-term volume growth outlook for certain categories, whilst rising interest rates have been challenging for valuations. We believe these factors are more than adequately discounted in share prices, and January's robust performance reflects this.

One of the strongest contributors to returns in the month was Reckitt. We

held a review of our investment thesis on this stock in late 2023 following a period of dull performance. This process gave us increased comfort in the company's refocused strategy, which centres on reinvigorating growth in the company's core brands and key regions. Reckitt owns a portfolio of world-leading brands, including Dettol and Finish, that have meaningful long-term growth opportunities, particularly in emerging markets. After a period of management change, we look forward to the new and high-calibre management team driving improved execution and growth going forwards.

Reckitt is currently offering an attractive prospective return in our view. This is made up of resilient mid-single digit earnings growth and a 3.2% dividend yield. Earnings per share growth will be underpinned by a share buyback program, supported by strong cash generation and a robust balance sheet. Reckitt trades at a modest 16.5x earnings which is not dissimilar to other high-quality Consumer Staples businesses in the UK market. After a period of underperformance, we think that your Fund's high-quality Consumer Staples holdings could prove to be a valuable driver of future portfolio returns.



RETURN VS VOLATILITY SINCE LAUNCH (15/04/2013)



Source: Lipper

RISK ANALYSIS

Risk analysis since launch (15/04/2013)	Trojan Income Fund (Ireland) ^{O Acc GBP}	FTSE All-Share Index (TR)
Total Return	+60.1%	+83.6%
Max Drawdown ¹	-28.2%	-35.3%
Best Month	+7.5%	+12.7%
Worst Month	-10.9%	-15.1%
Positive Months	+57.4%	+58.9%
Annualised Volatility ²	+10.6%	+12.2%

¹ Measures the worst investment period

² Measured by standard deviation of annual returns

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FUND INFORMATION

A copy of the latest Prospectus (in English) and the KIIDs / KIDs for each class (in English and German) upon which you should base your investment decision, is available from Link Fund Administrators (Ireland) Ltd, the Fund's Administrator and Registrar (Authorised and Regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland) on (+353) 1 400 5300.

Structure

Sub-fund of Trojan Funds (Ireland) plc UCITS authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland

Investment Manager

Troy Asset Management Limited 33 Davies Street London W1K 4BP Tel: +44 (0)20 7499 4030 Fax: +44 (0)20 7491 2445 email: busdev@taml.co.uk

Fund Manager	Blake Hutchins				
Assistant Fund Manager	Fergus McCorkell				
Currency	£ Sterling, \$ US Dollar*,				
Hedged share class	€ Euro, \$ SGD*				
Launch Date	15 April 2013				

Administrator Link Fund Administrators (Ireland) Limited Tel: (+353) 1 400 5300

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

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

Historic Dividend Yield ('O' Inc shares) 2.75%

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.

Registrar

Link Fund Administrators (Ireland) Limited

Auditor

Grant Thornton

Depositary

The Bank of New York Mellon SA/NV, Dublin branch

TOP 10 HOLDINGS

RELX	6.9%
Unilever	6.8%
Diageo	6.4%
Reckitt Benckiser	5.7%
Experian	4.6%
Compass Group	4.0%
Bunzl	3.9%
LSEG	3.3%
GSK	3.1%
Paychex	2.6%
Total Top 10	47.4%
30 Other Equity holdings	50.4%
Cash	2.2%
TOTAL	100.0%
Source: Factset, holdings subject to change.	

RESPONSIBLE INVESTMENT





Signatory of:



Dealing Daily at 11am (UK) Tel: (+353) 1 400 5300

Minimum Investment

£ Sterling, \$ US Dollar, € Euro, \$ SGD 250,000 (An initial charge of 5% applies, which may be waived)

ISINs

IE00B943NN14 (GBP O Inc), IE00B8255S12 (GBP O Acc) IE00B96BR644 (USD O Inc), IE00B95WTH31 (USD O Acc) IE00B947ZW64 (EUR O Inc), IE00B96MWN96 (EUR O Acc) IE00BGM16D79 (SGD O Inc), IE00BGM16F93 (SGD O Acc) Bloomberg

TROITOA_ID (O GBP Acc), TROITOI_ID (O GBP Inc)

Ongoing Charges

'O' (ordinary) shares: 1.11%



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