

# LIONTRUST

## GF STRATEGIC BOND 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 GF Strategic Bond Fund is a sub-fund of Liontrust Global Funds plc. This document is based upon the B1 USD Accumulating share class (ISIN: IE00BYWRQP37), which is the representative class for all share classes listed in this document.

### Objective

- The Fund aims to maximise total returns over the long term (at least 5 years) through a combination of income and capital.

### Policy

- The Fund is actively managed without reference to any benchmark meaning that the Investment Adviser has full discretion over the composition of the Fund's portfolio, subject to the stated investment objectives and policies.
- The Fund will seek to achieve its objective by investing in bond and credit markets worldwide. The Fund invests in a wide range of bonds issued by corporates and governments, from investment grade through to high yield.
- The Fund invests in developed and emerging markets, with a maximum of 40% of its net assets invested in emerging markets.
- Investments may be made in "hard" currencies, such as US Dollar, Euro and Sterling, and up to 25% of the net assets of the Fund may be invested in soft currencies, such as those of emerging markets.
- Where the Fund invests in non-US Dollar assets, the currency exposure of these investments will generally be hedged back to US Dollar. Up to 10% of the Fund's currency exposure may not be hedged, i.e. the Fund may be exposed to the risks of investing in another currency for up to 10% of its assets.
- The Fund may invest both directly, and through the use of derivatives. The use of derivatives may generate market leverage (i.e. where the Fund takes market exposure in excess of the value of its assets).
- In addition, the Fund may invest in cash or cash equivalents, such as deposits and Money Market Instruments, for cash management purposes.
- Within the limits stated above, there are no geographical or economic sector restrictions on the Fund's investments.
- The Fund has both Hedged and Unhedged share classes available. The Hedged share classes use forward foreign exchange contracts to protect returns in the base currency of the Fund.
- The fund manager considers environmental, social and governance ("ESG") characteristics of issuers when selecting investments for the Fund.

### Recommendation

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

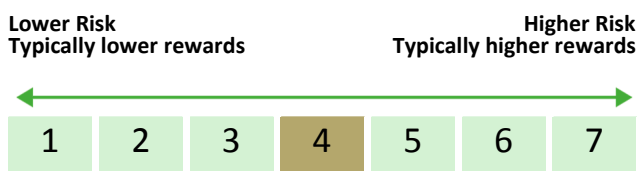
### How to buy

- You may buy or sell shares on a daily basis (but not weekends or Bank Holidays). Orders must be received by 11.59a.m. (Irish time) for execution at midnight valuation point. Further details can be found at [www.liontrust.co.uk](http://www.liontrust.co.uk).

### Investment process

- The Fund seeks to capture the inefficiencies in the fixed income market through:
  - A top-down analysis for making strategic decisions: assessing the attractiveness of different areas of the global bond and credit markets, as well as regions, countries and currencies, by reference to the political environment and macro-economic variables as well as forward-looking surveys and indicators. This analysis determines the top-down shape of the Fund.
  - A detailed bottom-up analysis: assesses the creditworthiness of each potential/existing investment, as well as other financial variables.
- Before being selected for the portfolio, a number of factors are considered for each investment, such as expected total return relative to the assessed risk, duration and sustainability of cash flows.
- For each investment, fundamental, ESG, valuation and technical factors are considered to ensure consistency in decision making and to provide a flexible approach to bond investment.

### Risk and reward profile



- This Synthetic Risk and Reward Indicator (SRRRI) is based on historical data and may not be relied upon to gauge the future risk profile of the Fund.
- The SRRRI 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 higher of the actual historical annualised volatility and the translated annualised volatility of the Fund based upon the internal Value at Risk limit.
- The Fund is categorised 4 primarily for its exposure to a diversified portfolio of debt instruments along with a number of derivative positions.
- The SRRRI may not fully take into account the following risks:
  - 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.
- The Fund can invest in derivatives. Derivatives are used to protect against currency, credit or interest rate moves or for investment purposes. There is a risk that losses could be made on derivative positions or that the counterparties could fail to complete on transactions.
- The Fund has both Hedged and Unhedged share classes available. The Hedged share classes use forward foreign exchange contracts to protect returns in the base currency of the Fund.
- The Fund invests in emerging markets which carries a higher risk than investment in more developed countries. This may result in higher volatility and larger drops in the value of the fund over the short term.

- Counterparty risk: any derivative contract, including FX hedging, may be at risk if the counterparty fails.
- 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).
- There may be limitations to the availability, completeness or accuracy of ESG information from third-party providers, or inconsistencies in the consideration of ESG factors across different third party data providers, given the evolving nature of ESG.

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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.

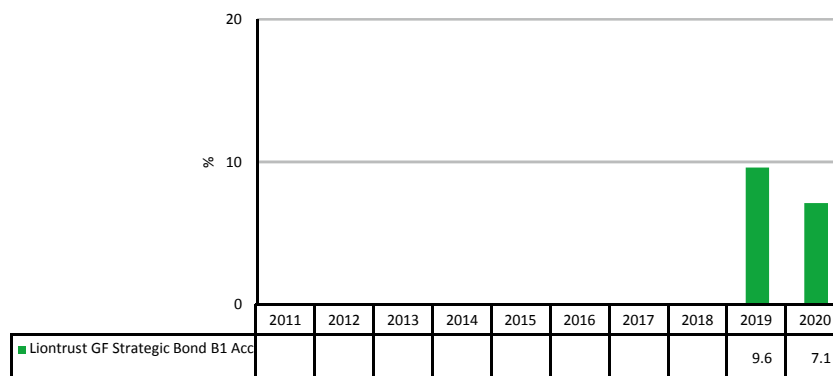
Charges taken from the Fund over the year	
Ongoing charges	Classes A5 Acc, A5 Inc, B5 Acc, B5 Inc, C5 Acc, C5 Inc: 0.65%
	Classes A8 Acc, A8 Inc, B8 Acc, B8 Inc, C8 Inc, D8 Inc: 0.45%
	Classes A1 Acc, B1 Acc: 1.20%
	Class A9 Acc: 0.90%

### Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific circumstances

Performance fee	None
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### 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 13 April 2018.
- The B1 Acc share class was launched on 13 April 2018.
- The base currency of the Fund is US dollars.



### Practical information

<b>Manager and authorisation</b>	This Fund is a sub-fund of Liontrust Global Funds plc, an open-ended umbrella type investment company with variable capital and segregated liability between sub-funds. This Fund is authorised in Ireland and regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland. It is also recognised in various European States including the UK. Further details regarding the list of countries where this fund is registered for sale can be requested from Liontrust Investment Partners LLP, 2 Savoy Court, London, WC2R 0EZ.
<b>Depository</b>	Custody of the Fund's assets are held by The Bank of New York Mellon SA/NV, Dublin Branch.
<b>Investment adviser</b>	Liontrust Investment Partners LLP.
<b>Further information</b>	<b>Information for Swiss Investors</b> For interested parties, the Statutes, the Prospectus, the Key Investor Information Document as well as the Annual Reports and, if applicable, the Semi-Annual Reports may be obtained free of charge from the Swiss Representative and Paying Agent in Switzerland: RBC Investor Services Bank S.A., Esch-sur-Alzette, Zurich Branch, Bleicherweg 7, CH-8027 Zurich. Copies of the prospectus, the Memorandum and Articles of the Company, the UCITS Regulations and Central Bank UCITS Regulations, material contracts and the latest annual and half-yearly reports, are available, without charge, from Liontrust Global Funds Plc. They are also available electronically at <a href="http://www.liontrust.co.uk">www.liontrust.co.uk</a> .
<b>Taxation</b>	Irish tax legislation may have an impact upon your own personal tax position.
<b>Fund prices and other information</b>	The Fund's last published price is available from Liontrust Investment 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 020 7412 1777 during business hours (9.00am - 5.30pm). The B1 USD Acc class is the representative share class for all share classes listed in this document, which are available as described in the prospectus.
<b>Rights to switch between sub-funds</b>	Investors may switch between other sub-funds of the Liontrust Global Funds plc without charge. Details may be found in the prospectus.
<b>Remuneration</b>	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 Investment Partners LLP at 2 Savoy Court, London, WC2R 0EZ.