# **KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION**



#### NON UCITS RETAIL SCHEME KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION

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.

# HL Multi-Index Balanced ("the Fund") Class A Accumulation Shares

The Fund is established as a non-UCITS retail scheme ('NURS') as a Sub-Fund of HL ICVC 1 Umbrella company. ISIN GB00BQ2MH935. This Fund is managed by Hargreaves Lansdown Fund Managers Ltd., part of Hargreaves Lansdown PLC.

This Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

#### **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY**

The Fund aims to maximise total returns for a specified level of risk ranging between 50% and 70% of the forecasted long-term volatility of global equities as represented by the MSCI All Countries World Index (GBP Total Return, Net) over rolling 5-year periods. The Fund's volatility is assessed using forecasted volatility figures at least monthly.

At least 90% of the Fund's net asset value will be invested in funds and ETFs which aim to track the performance of various indices by investing in assets which make up the relevant index. Such asset classes are: equity securities (such as shares of companies), fixed income securities (such as corporate and government bonds), commodities, and gold. The Fund may also invest up to 10% of its net asset value in actively managed funds, money market instruments, cash and near cash. The Fund may often invest entirely in funds and ETFs managed or operated by an Investment Adviser which are designed to replicate the performance of an index. The funds will be established in Europe and the UK.

The Fund will typically have between 45% and 65% exposure to global equities, though this exposure may be lower or higher in extraordinary market conditions.

The Fund is actively managed and uses a mixture of asset allocation techniques to blend asset classes for diversification, aiming to provide returns consistent with the Fund's "Balanced" risk profile and return aim. As part of the investment process, the ACD will use strategic asset allocation to determine the Fund's longer-term allocation to different asset classes. The strategic asset allocation will be adjusted periodically taking into account risks, returns and changing market conditions. The ACD may also engage in tactical asset allocation decisions. This involves adjusting the Fund's allocations to take advantage of shorter-term market trends, market forecasts, or economic conditions.

A minimum of 70% of the equities and corporate bonds in this fund, held through collective investment schemes, will adhere to the following exclusions:

- Companies involved in the manufacture of controversial weapons (including nuclear weapons);
- · Violators of the UN Global Compact Principles; and
- Companies with a specified revenue exposure to: oil sands extraction, and thermal coal extraction and power generation.

This Fund invests at least 60% of its value in funds which have exposure to equities and corporate bonds. This means at least 42% of the Fund's value will be invested in funds which apply the exclusions referred to above. At least 15% of those funds applying the exclusions will go further, excluding companies or bond issuers involved in activities like tobacco, alcohol, gambling, adult entertainment, the production of civilian firearms and genetically modified organisms.

There may be periods when this Fund has less than 60% of its value invested in funds which have exposure to equity securities and corporate bonds due to market movements or in extraordinary market conditions.

Subject to the requirements above, the Fund aims to meet its objective by diversifying across different asset classes, geographies, sectors, and industries.

The Fund may make use of exchanges traded derivative instruments and foreign exchange forward transactions for the purposes of efficient portfolio management, including hedging (used reduce the risk or cost of managing the Fund).

Dividend income generated by the Fund is reinvested.

You can normally buy or sell shares in this Fund on each Business Day. Instructions received and accepted up until 10:00 (09:00 for HL platform clients) will be dealt at the price calculated at 22:30 that day.

**Recommendation:** this fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

### RISK/REWARD PROFILE

Lower Risk
Typically Lower Rewards
Typically Higher Rewards

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The Fund is ranked at 4 because funds of this type have experienced moderate rises and falls in value in the past.

The Fund's risk category has been calculated using historical data, which may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.

The Fund's category is not guaranteed to remain the same and may change over time.

Even a fund in the lowest category is not a risk-free investment.

The value of your investment and any income you take from it may fall as well as rise and is not guaranteed.

You might get back less than you invest.

The indicator does not take into account the following risks of investing in this Fund:

- The Fund's Net Asset Value can be influenced by factors such as stock market fluctuations, political and economic events, corporate earnings reports and catastrophic events. This means that in any particular period, the Fund may suffer losses and should not be regarded as a short-term investment.
- Economic factors such as changes in interest rates, inflation, deflation and supply and demand can affect the price of all investments, and so affect the value of your investment in a Fund. As with any investment, inflation will reduce the real value (i.e. purchasing power) of the capital over time
- The Fund is potentially exposed to adverse movements in equity, bond, commodity, currency and other market prices,

- indices or rates (market risk) or changes in the anticipated or calculated volatility of these movements (volatility risk). This could result in a Fund losing value.
- The Fund's volatility is assessed using forecasted volatility figures at least monthly. The Fund's volatility may not remain within the risk range stated in the Objective and, accordingly, there may be periods when the Fund's volatility either exceeds or falls below this range.
- In extreme liquidity conditions, redemptions in the underlying funds, and/or the fund itself, may need to be deferred or suspended.
- The Fund is valued using the latest available price for each collective investment scheme. These prices may not fully reflect changing market conditions. The Fund can apply a 'fair value price' to all or part of its portfolio to mitigate this this risk. In extreme liquidity conditions, redemptions in the underlying funds, and/or the Fund itself, may need to be deferred or suspended.
- The Fund may use derivatives for efficient portfolio management purposes. There is a risk that any counterparty used does not fulfil its obligation.

#### CHARGES

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund, including the costs of marketing and distribution. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	3%
Exit charge	0%

These are the maximum charges that might be taken out of your money before it is invested and before we pay out the sale proceeds of your investment. Actual entry/exit charges can be obtained from your financial advisor or distributor.

Charges taken from the Fund over a year	
Ongoing Charges	0.30%

The ongoing charges have been fixed at 0.30%. Any additional costs will be met by the Fund Manager.

The Funds are single-priced. A dilution adjustment may be applied when you buy or sell units. This may increase the price you pay when you buy units or decrease the price you receive when you sell units, in the fund.

Further information about charges can be found in the Prospectus.

Charges taken from the Fund under specific conditions	
Performance Fee	0%

#### **PAST PERFORMANCE**

There is insufficient data to provide a useful indication of past performance to investors.

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

Fund launch date: 06/06/2024

Unit class launch date: 06/06/2024

Base currency: Pounds Sterling.

#### **PRACTICAL INFORMATION**

**Trustee/Depositary:** Northern Trust Investor Services Limited (NTISL), 50 Bank Street, Canary Wharf, London E14 5NT. NTISL is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA)

Fund Registrar: Northern Trust Global Services SE (NTGS SE), 50 Bank Street, London E14 5NT. NTGS SE is authorised by the

Prudential Regulation Authority (PRA) and regulated by the FCA and the PRA.

**Fund Auditors:** Ernst & Young Chartered Accountants, 1 More London Place, London SE1 2AF.

## **Jurisdiction and Governing Law**

This document is governed by English Law. HLFM will communicate with you in English (and you with us) in respect of this product. Current fund unit prices may be obtained from www.hl.co.uk or on 0117 900 9000

Any tax features of your investment in the Fund are not guaranteed: they can change at any time and their value will depend on your circumstances.

Changes to U.K. Tax legislation may have an impact on your personal tax position.

A full prospectus for this fund in English is available free of charge by contacting HL on  $\bf 0117~900~9000$