31 December 2020

FUND OBJECTIVE

The Fund seeks to produce an annual interest based return

FUND SUMMARY

- Invests primarily in debt, loan and structured financial instruments including asset-backed securities (ABS), collateralised loan obligations (CLOs) and securities that give exposure to supply chain finance
- Seeks to add value through investment in both public and private secured finance markets and may have exposure to sub-investment grade investments
- Rigorous, disciplined and proven investment process bringing together the best ideas from Insight’s dedicated Secured Finance Team

Source: Insight Investment and Rimes. Fund performance is shown for share class A £ Acc and is calculated as total return, including reinvested income, gross of fees and expenses. Gross of fees performance results do not reflect the deduction of charges, which will reduce investors' returns. Performance for periods over one year is annualised. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. The value of investments and any income from them will fluctuate and is not guaranteed (this may be partly due to exchange rate fluctuations). Investors may not get back the full amount invested.

FUND MANAGER COMMENTS

The Fund outperformed its cash benchmark in December. It was another strong month for risk assets as excess liquidity provided a strong technical tailwind. The European structured credit market performed relatively well with continuing compression of higher yielding sectors and flattening of both credit and term structures. There was very limited issuance. The US structured credit market also performed well as we continued to see flattening of capital structures and narrowing of the basis between the vanilla and more esoteric sectors. Turnover was low as we added new issues and illiquidity premium, rather than credit risk. Lending activity was also quiet. The long-term strategic value of the asset class remains strong: lending opportunities are at their most attractive after crises; the holdings are all highly rated; forecast returns are relatively attractive; and a large percentage of the asset class globally comprises short dated fixed rates or floating rate notes.
**TECHNICAL DETAILS**

- **Legal structure:** Qualifying Investor Alternative Investment Fund (QIAIF)
- **Domicile:** Ireland
- **Share class currencies:** Sterling, Euro
- **Dealing frequency:** Subscriptions: Monthly - last business day of calendar month by 5pm (Irish Time), Redemptions: Quarterly - last business day of quarter by 5pm (Irish Time)
- **Settlement period:** Purchases: T+4, Redemptions: T+15
- **Pricing method:** Swinging single price
- **Scheme:** LDI Solutions Plus ICAV
- **Depositary:** Northern Trust Fiduciary Services (Ireland) Limited
- **Administrator:** Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited
- **Ongoing charges:** 0.61% (represented by share class B Euro Accumulation, other share classes are available)

**CREDIT RATING**

- AAA: 8.8%
- AA: 8.6%
- A: 20.5%
- BBB: 51.2%
- Sub-investment grade: 10.9%

**GEOGRAPHY**

- UK: 33.1%
- US: 21.3%
- Australia: 14.2%
- Italy: 5.6%
- Ireland: 5.6%
- Cash: 2.6%
- Germany: 3.0%
- Spain: 2.5%
- Sweden: 2.5%
- Pan-Europe: 2.1%

**MATURITY PROFILE**

- 0-0.5: 17.29%
- 0.5-1: 6.04%
- 1-2: 14.20%
- 2-3: 12.05%
- 3-4: 12.59%
- 4-5: 7.22%
- 5-6: 7.37%
- >6: 10.79%

**FUND ALLOCATION**

- Residential MBS: 15.9%
- SME Collat. Loan oblig: 13.2%
- Non-perf. loan finance: 11.9%
- Commercial MBS: 11.1%
- Consumer finance: 8.5%
- Residential finance: 6.4%
- Whole business Sec.: 6.0%
- Trade finance: 5.6%
- Cash: 5.3%
- SME Finance: 3.9%

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