FUND FACTSHEET

MERIAN US EQUITY INCOME FUND

I CLASS | USD | INCOME AS AT 31 JULY 2019

EQUITIES

FIXED INCOME

ALTERNATIVES



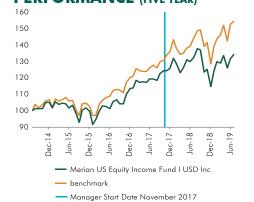
The objective of the Merian US Equity Income Fund is to seek to achieve asset growth through investment in a diversified portfolio of equity and equity-related securities.



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CO-FUND MANAGERS SINCE NOV 2017

FUND SIZE: \$239.3m NUMBER OF HOLDINGS: 219

PERFORMANCE (FIVE YEAR)



CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%)

	1 month	3 month	6 month	1Y	3Y	5Y
Fund	2.4	0.7	8.7	1.7	27.7	34.5
Benchmark	1.5	1.7	11.1	7.4	37.9	54.7

DISCRETE PERIOD PERFORMANCE (%)

	2019 YTD	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Fund	17.2	-8.7	11.0	13.6	-5.2	10.9
Benchmark	20.2	-5.0	12.6	17.3	-3.8	13.5

DISCRETE PERIOD PERFORMANCE (%) - year on year ending Jul 2019

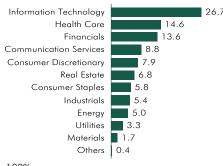
	1 yr to 31/07/19	1 yr to 31/07/18	1 yr to 31/07/17	1 yr to 29/07/16	1 yr to 31/07/15
Fund	1.7	10.9	13.3	1.8	3.4
Benchmark	7.4	12.9	13.8	5.4	6.4

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TOP 10 STOCKS (%)

MICROSOFT CORPORATION	5.1
APPLE INC.	3.6
AMAZON.COM, INC.	2.4
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO.	2.3
MASTERCARD INCORPORATED	2.3
FACEBOOK, INC. CLASS A	2.1
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC.	2.0
MERCK & CO., INC.	1.9
CISCO SYSTEMS, INC.	1.8
JOHNSON & JOHNSON	1.7

SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)



Please note due to rounding of figures they may not add up to 100%.



FUND AND SHARE CLASS INFORMATION

Share class	1
Umbrella	Merian Global Investors Series plc
Manager	lan Heslop, Amadeo Alentorn, Mike Servent
Share class launch date	17 September 2014
Fund launch date	11 April 2002
Domicile	Ireland
Share class currency	USD
Benchmark	MSCI USA Index with net dividends re- invested
Morningstar sector	EAA OE US Large-Cap Value Equity
Legal structure	ICVC
Accounting date	31/12
Pay dates	Within One Month after XD Date
Valuation point	12:00 GMT
Dealing frequency	Daily
Single / dual pricing	Single
ISA eligible	Yes
Settlement period	T+3
Sedol	B990QS3
ISIN	IE00B990QS34
CUSIP	G6016L402
Initial charge	0.00%
Annual management charge	0.75%
Ongoing charge (as at Mar 2019)	0.89%
Historic yield (as at 28 Jun 2019)	1.90%
Minimum investment lump sum	USD 10,000

RISK FACTORS

Investment risk - there is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve its objective. A capital loss of some or all of the amount invested may occur.

Geographic concentration risk - a fall in the US market may have a significant impact on the value of the Fund because it primarily invests in this market.

Company shares (i.e. equities) risk - the value of Company shares (i.e. equities) and similar investments may go down as well as up in response to the performance of individual companies and can be affected by daily stock market movements and general market conditions. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.

Currency risk - the Fund can be exposed to different currencies. The value of your shares may rise and fall as a result of exchange rate movements.

Derivative risk - the Fund uses derivatives to generate returns and/or to reduce costs and the overall risk of the Fund. Using derivatives can involve a higher level of risk. A small movement in the price of an underlying investment may result in a disproportionately large movement in the price of the derivative investment. Derivatives also involve counterparty risk where the institutions acting as counterparty to derivatives may not meet their contractual obligations.

Capital erosion risk - the Fund takes its charges from the capital of the Fund. Investors should be aware that there is potential for capital erosion if insufficient capital growth is achieved by the Fund to cover the charges. Capital erosion may have the effect of reducing the level of income generated.

For a more detailed explanation of risks, please refer to the "Risk Factors" section of the prospectus.

OTHER INFORMATION

Past performance is not a guide to future performance and may not be repeated. Investment involves risk. The value of investments and the income from them may go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amount originally invested. Because of this, an investor is not certain to make a profit on an investment and may lose money. Exchange rate changes may cause the value of overseas investments to rise or fall.

- The Fund may be more than 35% invested in Government and public securities. These can be issued by other countries and Governments.
- The net asset value of the Fund may have high volatility due to the nature of the asset class invested.

Your attention is drawn to the stated investment policy which is set out in the Fund's prospectus.



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The yield provided is an average of twelve monthly annualised yield figures, each calculated as a "monthly distribution rate", divided by month-end NAV Price, multiplied by twelve.