

# 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.

HI European Market Neutral Fund, USD DM Shares (the “Fund”),  
a sub-fund of Hedge Invest International Funds Plc (the “Company”), ISIN: IE00BNCBCX87  
The Company is managed by Carne Global Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited (the “Manager”)

## Objectives and Investment Policy

The Fund aims to provide capital growth over the longer term.

The Fund will mostly hold shares or other instruments representing equity, issued by European companies of any market capitalisation.

The Fund may also invest up to 10% of its assets in non-European developed country listed instruments and investment grade fixed and floating rate corporate and government debt.

The securities in which the Fund invests are selected using a focused, research driven approach that is largely driven by seeking instruments that offer value to the Fund.

The Fund may use financial derivatives instruments (“FDI”) (contracts between two or more parties whose value depends on the rise and fall of an underlying asset) for investment, hedging and efficient portfolio management purposes. Short positions (exposure to a security so as to benefit from a fall in its value) may be taken through FDI to those securities that it has identified as overvalued or to hedge against fluctuations in the prices of instruments held by the Fund or to hedge against risks such as sector or general market risk.

Certain FDI may introduce leverage into the Fund. Leverage may have the effect of producing gains or losses larger than the amount paid for the FDI used. The Fund may increase or decrease exposure to index futures, or may move the entire portfolio to cash, with the aim of managing short term fluctuations in market price in respect of European equities.

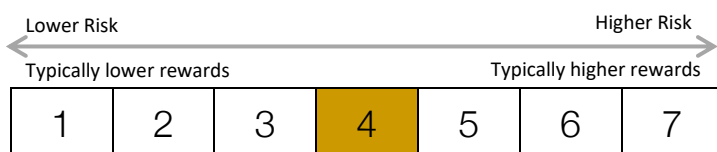
The Fund is actively managed and is not managed in reference to a benchmark.

Any income less expenses realised will not be distributed to investors but will be accumulated in the net asset value per share.

Investors can redeem shares every day (except a Saturday and Sunday) when the banks in Dublin and London are open for business.

For full investment objective and policy details, please refer to the “Investment Objectives and Policies” section of the Fund’s supplement.

## Risk and Reward Profile



The Fund is categorised as a 4 as it utilises a long/short strategy to reduce (but not eliminate) the risks associated with equity investment.

The risk indicator was calculated using partially simulated data and may not be a reliable indicator of the future risk profile of the fund. The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time. The lowest category does not mean “risk free”.

In pursuing its objective, the Fund is exposed to risks including:

**European Equities Risk:** The Fund’s investments primarily in European equities. Equity investments are subject to greater price fluctuation than other asset classes due to such factors as a company’s business performance, investor perceptions, stock market trends and general economic conditions which cause the Fund’s share price to fluctuate more rapidly.

The Fund’s investments are also concentrated in European markets and events impacting a specific issuer or European markets generally may have a greater adverse impact on performance than in a more geographically diversified fund.

**Sector/Issuer Concentration Risk:** The Fund’s assets may, at times, in accordance with the requirements of the Central Bank, be concentrated into specific sectors and/or issuers and may expose the Fund to greater fluctuations in asset values than when investing broadly.

**Counterparty Risk:** a party with whom the Fund contracts for investments may fail to meet its obligations or become insolvent which may cause losses to the Fund.

**Currency Risk:** changes in exchange rates may reduce or increase the value of non-Euro denominated assets held by the Fund or affect non-Euro share classes. There can be no guarantee that currency hedging will be successful in mitigating such effects.

**Use of FDI & leverage:** the value of some FDI may fluctuate rapidly and certain FDI may introduce leverage, which may result in the Fund losing a greater amount on such an FDI than it originally invested.

**Liquidity Risk:** due to market conditions, the Fund may find it difficult to find a party willing to purchase an asset which the Fund is trying to sell which may impact the Fund’s ability to meet redemption requests on demand.

For more information on risks please refer to the “Risk Factors” section of the Company’s prospectus.

## Charges

The charges paid by the investors 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 the investment.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry Charge	0%
Exit Charge	3%
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out	
Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing Charges	2.07%
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions	
Switching fee	1%
Performance Fee	As at 30 June each year ("Performance Period"), 20% of any amount by which the Fund's net asset value ("NAV") exceeds the previous highest NAV the Fund has achieved ("High-Water Mark"). No performance fee is paid where the Fund has not exceeded the High-Water Mark in the Performance Period. No performance fee was charged in the year ended December 2021.

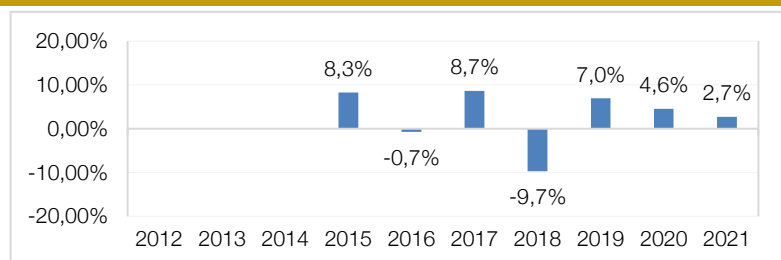
The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less you can find this out from your financial adviser.

Because the share class has not yet launched the ongoing charges figure shown is an estimate of the charges that will be applied to the shares based upon the expected total of charges that will be taken from the Fund over the first year of trading. This figure may vary from year to year. The Company's annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made. It excludes:

- performance fees
  - portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling units in underlying UCITS.
- A fee of up to 1% of the amount to be switched may be charged when switching between share classes or sub-funds of the Company.

For more information about charges, please refer to the Company's prospectus and the Fund supplement which is available at [www.hedgeinvest.it](http://www.hedgeinvest.it) or from J.P. Morgan Administration Services (Ireland) Limited (the "Administrator").

## Past Performance



Please note that the past performance is not necessarily a reliable guide to the future performance of the Fund. Performance is calculated in USD after the deduction of all charges and fees but is exclusive of entry and exit charges. The Fund was authorised in 2012 and the share class was launched in 2014.

## Practical Information

- The depositary appointed by the Company is J.P. Morgan Bank (Ireland) plc.
- Further information on the Fund (including the prospectus and most recent financial statements prepared for the Company as a whole and the Fund supplement to the prospectus), as well as information on other share classes of the Fund and sub-funds of the Company are available in English free of charge at [www.hedgeinvest.it](http://www.hedgeinvest.it) and from the Administrator. The latest share prices are available from the Administrator during normal business hours.
- The Fund is a sub-fund of the Company, an open-ended investment company with segregated liability between its sub-funds. This means the assets of each sub-fund are segregated by law and cannot be used to pay the liabilities of other sub-funds of the Company.
- The current Shares may be exchanged for shares in other share classes of the Fund or of another sub-fund of the Company at the discretion of the Directors in accordance with the section "Switching Between Funds" of the Company's prospectus.
- The Company is resident in Ireland for taxation purposes. This may affect an investor's personal tax position. Please consult your investment or tax adviser for advice on your own tax liabilities.
- The Manager may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the Company's prospectus.
- Details of the remuneration policy of the manager is available on the Manager's website, <http://www.carnegroup.com/resources>. A paper copy will be available free of charge from the office of the Manager upon request.

This Fund is authorised in Ireland and regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland. The Manager is authorised in Ireland and regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland.

This key investor information is accurate as at 23 September 2022.