

# 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.*



**BNY MELLON**

## NEWTON ASIAN INCOME FUND

B SHARES (NET ACC) (ISIN: GB00B8BYQK88)

A SUB-FUND OF BNY MELLON INVESTMENT FUNDS

THIS FUND IS MANAGED BY BNY MELLON FUND MANAGERS LIMITED

### OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY

#### OBJECTIVE

To achieve income together with long-term capital growth predominantly through investments in securities in the Asia Pacific ex. Japan (including Australia and New Zealand) region.

#### POLICY

##### The Fund will:

- invest in the Asia Pacific region, excluding Japan;
- invest in company shares and similar investments;
- invest in both developed and emerging Asia Pacific countries;
- invest in company shares targeting higher than average dividends (dividends are the proportion of company profits paid out to shareholders) and with good prospects for growth; and
- limit investment in other collective investment schemes to 10%.

##### The Fund may:

- invest in derivatives (i.e. financial contracts whose value is linked to the expected price movements of an underlying investment) with the aim of reducing the overall costs and/or risk and/or to generate additional capital or income with a risk level which is consistent with the risk profile of the Fund (Efficient Portfolio Management (EPM)).

**Recommendation:** the Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years.

**Treatment of income:** income from investments will be retained within the Fund. This will increase the value of your shares.

**Dealing:** you can buy and sell your shares in the Fund between 9:00 and 17:00 (UK time) on each working day in the UK. Instructions received before 12:00 will receive the price quoted on that day. The minimum initial investment for this share class is as agreed.

### RISK AND REWARD PROFILE

Lower risk

Potentially lower reward

Higher risk

Potentially higher reward



We have calculated the risk and reward category, as shown above, using a method of calculation derived from EU rules. As this Fund has less than five years performance data available, it is based on simulated volatility and is not a guide to the future risk and reward category of the Fund. The category shown is not a target or guarantee and may shift over time. Even the lowest category 1 does not mean a risk-free investment.

This Fund is in category 5 because its simulated historical value has shown moderately high volatility. With a Fund of category 5, you have a moderately high risk of losing money but your chance for gains is also moderately high.

#### THE FOLLOWING RISKS MAY NOT BE FULLY CAPTURED BY THE RISK AND REWARD INDICATOR:

- There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve its objective.

- This Fund invests in international markets which means it is exposed to changes in currency rates which could affect the value of the Fund.

- A fall in the Asia Pacific markets may have a significant impact on the value of the Fund because it primarily invests in these markets.

- The fund may use derivatives to reduce costs and/or overall risk and/or to generate additional capital or income of the fund (i.e. Efficient Portfolio Management (EPM)). EPM may become ineffective in adverse situations and the fund may suffer a significant loss as a result.

- The Fund invests in emerging markets. These markets have additional risks due to less developed market practices.

- A fall in the value of a single investment may have a significant impact on the value of the Fund because it typically invests in a limited number of investments.

- 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.

A complete description of risk factors is set out in the Prospectus in the section entitled "Risk Factors".

## CHARGES

The charges cover the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and selling. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

### ONE-OFF CHARGES TAKEN BEFORE OR AFTER YOU INVEST

Entry charge	0.00%
Exit charge	None

*This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested and before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.*

### CHARGES TAKEN FROM THE FUND OVER A YEAR

Ongoing charge	0.98%
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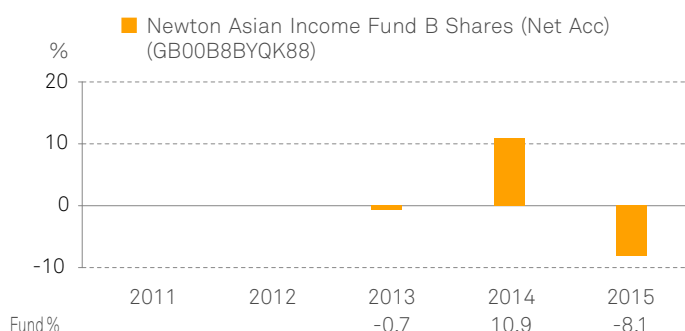
### CHARGES TAKEN FROM THE FUND UNDER CERTAIN SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

Performance fee	None
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The ongoing charge is based on expenses calculated on 31st December 2015. This may vary from year to year. It excludes performance fees and portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid when buying or selling units in another mutual fund.

More information about charges is available in the Prospectus.

## PAST PERFORMANCE



The chart includes all charges except entry charges.

Fund launch date - 30 November 2005.

Share class launch date - 1 October 2012.

Performance of this share class is calculated in sterling.

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

**Documents:** The Fund is a sub-fund of BNY Mellon Investment Funds ("BNY MIF"), an umbrella open-ended investment company (OEIC). Copies of the Prospectus, annual and semi-annual reports for BNY MIF may be obtained free of charge from [www.bnymellonim.com](http://www.bnymellonim.com) or from BNY Mellon Investment Management EMEA Limited, BNY Mellon Centre, 160 Queen Victoria Street, London EC4V 4LA. These documents are available in English and certain other languages.

**Share price:** The latest share price and other information, including how to buy or sell shares, are available from the website and address given above. Other share classes are offered by the Fund as set out in the Prospectus.

**Switching:** Investors may switch shares in the Fund for shares in other sub-funds of BNY MIF provided they satisfy the criteria applicable to investment in other sub-funds. Further information on switching is contained in the Prospectus.

**Legal status:** The assets of the Fund belong exclusively to that sub-fund and may not be used to discharge the liabilities of or claims against any other person or body, including BNY MIF or any other sub-fund within the umbrella.

**Liability statement:** BNY Mellon Fund Managers Limited 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 Prospectus for the Fund.

**Depository:** National Westminster Bank plc.

**Tax:** The tax legislation of the Fund's domicile may have an impact on your personal tax position. For further details, please speak to an adviser.