# Artemis Strategic Bond Fund (the "fund")

**Class I quarterly distribution units, GBP [ISIN: GB00BJT0KT28]** The fund is managed by Artemis Fund Managers Limited.

## **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY**

Objective	To provide a combination of income and capital growth over a five year period.				
Investment policy	What the fund invests in	<ul> <li>80% to 100% in bonds (of any credit quality).</li> <li>Up to 20% in cash and near cash, other transferable securit other funds (up to 10%) managed by Artemis and third part funds, money market instruments, company shares, and derivatives.</li> </ul>			
	Use of derivatives	The fund may use derivatives for efficient portfolio management purposes to: • reduce risk • manage the fund efficiently.			
	Where the fund invests	• Globally			
	Industries the fund invests in	• Any			
	Other limitations specific to this fund	<ul> <li>At least 80% of the fund will be invested in assets denominated in sterling or will be hedged back to sterling.</li> </ul>			
Investment strategy	<ul> <li>The fund is actively managed.</li> <li>Bond returns are principally driven in four ways: <ul> <li>investing globally in government bonds, Investment Grade and High Yield bonds</li> <li>Adjusting the portfolio duration</li> <li>Allocation between different credit ratings and different economic sectors</li> <li>Security selection including different levels of seniority</li> </ul> </li> <li>When investing in corporate bonds, the manager seeks to invest in profitable and resilient companies with a robust business model offering an attractive risk-reward profile.</li> </ul>				
Benchmarks	<ul> <li>IA £ Strategic Bond NR A group of other asset managers' funds that invest in similar asset types as this fund, collated by the Investment Association. It acts as a 'comparator benchmark' against which the fund's performance can be compared. Management of the fund is not restricted by this benchmark.</li> </ul>				
Other information	<ul> <li>Dealing frequency: Open Monday to Friday except on UK public holidays. Instructions received before 12 noon UK time will be processed at 12 noon on the same day.</li> <li>Distribution policy: This is a distribution class. Income received is paid out to</li> </ul>				

 Distribution policy: This is a distribution class. Income received is paid out investors every three months.

## RISK AND REWARD PROFILE

Potentially lower rewards				Potentially higher rewards		
Lower risk					High	er risk
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

- The fund is in the category shown due to historic volatility (how much and how quickly the value of shares in the fund may have risen and fallen in the past due to movements in markets, currencies and interest rates). It may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the fund.
- The risk category has been calculated using historic data and may not be a reliable indicator of the fund's future risk profile.
  A risk indicator of "1" does not mean that the investment is
- "risk free".

## The risk indicator may not fully take into account the following risks and the following may affect fund performance:

- Market volatility risk: The value of the fund and any income from it can fall or rise because of movements in stockmarkets, currencies and interest rates, each of which can move irrationally and be affected unpredictably by diverse factors, including political and economic events.
- **Currency risk:** The fund's assets may be priced in currencies other than the fund base currency. Changes in currency exchange rates can therefore affect the fund's value.
- **Special situations risk:** The fund invests in companies that are in recovery, need re-financing or are suffering from lack of market attention (special situations). These companies are subject to higher-than-average risk of capital loss.
- **Credit risk:** Investments in bonds are affected by interest rates, inflation and credit ratings. It is possible that bond issuers will not pay interest or return the capital. All of these events can reduce the value of bonds held by the fund.
- **Higher-yielding bonds risk:** The fund may invest in higher-yielding bonds, which may increase the risk to capital. Investing in these types of assets (which are also known as sub-investment grade bonds) can produce a higher yield but also brings an increased risk of default, which would affect the capital value of the fund.

Please refer to the fund's prospectus for full details of these and other risks which are applicable to this fund.



#### **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 risks of investing in the fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.



## CHARGES FOR THE FUND

One-off charges taken before or after you invest						
Entry charge	None					
Exit charge	None					
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 charge	0.570%					
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions						
Performance fee	None					
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• The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. The charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

- The ongoing charges figure is an estimate rather than a historic figure because this better reflects the expected future charges. The charges may vary from year to year. The exact charges made for each financial year are contained in the fund's annual report.
- The annual management charge is taken from capital.

For more information about charges, please see the fund's prospectus, which is available at <u>www.artemisfunds.com</u> or <u>www.fundinfo.com</u>.

### PAST PERFORMANCE



- Past performance is net of all charges except any costs incurred when investors buy or sell the fund.
- This class may have charges or a hedging approach different from those in the IA sector benchmark.
- How the fund has performed in the past is not a guide to how it will perform in the future.
- Performance is calculated in sterling.
- Fund launch date: 30 June 2005.
- Class launch date: 1 April 2014.

## **PRACTICAL INFORMATION**

Trustee: J.P. Morgan Europe Limited.

**Further information:** Can be obtained from the fund's prospectus and the latest annual and half-yearly reports. The documents are in English and available free of charge. These can be found, along with other information such as the price of the fund's classes by contacting Artemis or visiting www.fundinfo.com.

**Remuneration policy:** Information about Artemis' remuneration policy is available by contacting Artemis; a paper copy is available free of charge on request.

**Tax legislation:** UK tax legislation that applies to the fund may have an impact on your personal tax position.

**Liability:** Artemis 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.

**Glossary:** For more information about some of the terms used in this document, please visit <u>www.artemisfunds.com/glossary</u>.

**Switches:** Subject to any restrictions on the eligibility of investors for a particular class, you can switch your investments between funds or classes in the Artemis range. For further information, please refer to the prospectus or contact Artemis.

Contact Artemis: Visit <u>www.artemisfunds.com</u> or call 0800 092 2051 (from UK) or +441268 445 401.

**Authorisation and regulation:** The fund is authorised in the UK by the Financial Conduct Authority. Artemis Fund Managers Limited is authorised and regulated in the UK by the Financial Conduct Authority.

This key investor information is accurate as at 30 April 2020.