Deutsche Asset Management

# 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.



# Xtrackers MSCI USA Minimum Volatility UCITS ETF Share Class: 1D (ISIN: IE00BDB7J586), (WKN: A2ALVG), (Currency: USD)

a sub fund of Xtrackers (IE) plc. The Fund is managed by Deutsche Asset Management S.A., part of the Deutsche Bank Group.

## **Objectives & Investment Policy**

The aim is for your investment to reflect the performance of the MSCI USA Minimum Volatility (USD) Index (Index) which is designed to reflect the performance of certain shares in large and medium listed companies in the USA which are included in the MSCI USA Index (Parent Index).

In order to be eligible for inclusion in the Index, shares from the companies included in the Parent Index are selected using a minimum volatility strategy. Volatility is a way of measuring the movement of prices of shares over time. In general, shares whose price varies significantly on a regular basis are considered to have higher volatility than those with less significant price movements. The share selection process is based on a pre-defined model operated by the Index Sponsor. The model seeks to forecast the volatility of the shares and in conjunction with an optimisation technique additional risk criteria such as minimum and maximum weightings per company, country or sector will be applied.

The Index is calculated on a total return net basis which means that all dividends and distributions by the companies are reinvested in the shares after tax. The composition of the Index is reviewed on a semi-annual basis.

To achieve the aim, the Fund will attempt to replicate the Index by holding a portfolio of equity securities that comprises all, or a representation, of the securities comprising the Index as determined by the Sub-Portfolio Manager of the Fund which is Deutsche Asset Management (UK) Limited.

The Fund may employ techniques and instruments in order to manage risk, reduce costs and improve results. These techniques and instruments may include the use of financial contracts (derivatives). The Fund may also engage in secured lending of its investments to certain eligible third parties to generate additional income to offset the costs of the Fund.

Dividends may be paid on your shares up to four times per annum. You may redeem your shares on demand on a daily basis.

## **Risk and Reward Profile**

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The risk and reward category is calculated using historical data which may not be a reliable indicator of the Fund's future risk profile.

The risk and reward category may shift over time and is not a target or a guarantee.

The lowest category (i.e. Category 1) does not mean a risk-free investment.

The Fund is in Category 4 because of the high range and frequency of price movements (volatility) of the underlying investments referenced by the Fund.

The following are additional risks not covered by the risk and reward category.

The Fund will attempt to replicate the Index. However, exceptional circumstances may arise, such as, but not limited to, disruptive market conditions, additional costs/taxes or extremely volatile markets, which may cause the Fund's performance to be substantially different from the performance of the Index.

The Fund's investments are selected using a minimum volatility strategy. Use of "Minimum Volatility" in the name of the Fund

relates to the Reference Index exposure only and there is no guarantee that the price of the Fund's shares on any stock exchange will have low volatility.

Deutsche Asset Management entities and related companies may act in several roles in relation to the Fund such as distributor, securities lending agent, investment manager and management company which may involve conflicts of interest.

The Fund is not guaranteed and your investment is at risk. The value of your investment may go down as well as up.

The Fund is exposed to market movements in a single country or region which may be adversely affected by political or economic developments, government action or natural events that do not affect a fund investing in broader markets.

The Fund follows a rules-based strategy which will deviate from the overall market or parent index performance. Your investment may be less diversified, with no guarantee that the strategy will be achieved.

The Fund may use derivatives to try to manage its investments more efficiently. This may not always be successful and may result in greater fluctuations in the value of the Fund. This may negatively affect the value of the Fund and your investment.

More information in relation to risks in general may be found in the "Risk Factors" section of the prospectus.



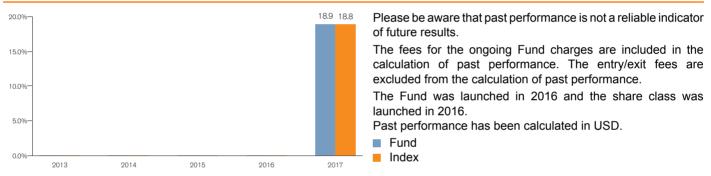
# Charges

The charges you pay 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 your investment.

One-off charges taken before	or after you invest	Secondary market investors (those who buy or sell shares			
Entry charge	None	on a stock exchange) may be charged certain fees by their			
Exit charge	None	stock broker. These charges, if any, can be obtained from			
This is the maximum that might b	e taken out of your money before it	such stock broker. Authorised participants dealing directly with the Fund will pay the transaction costs related to their subscriptions and redemptions.			
is invested (entry charge) and before	ore the proceeds of your investment				
are paid out (exit charge).					
Charges taken from the Fund	over a year	The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ending October 2017. It may vary from year to year. It			
Ongoing charges	0.20%	excludes portfolio transaction costs and performance fees,			
Charges taken from the Fund u Performance fee	under certain specific conditions	if any. More detailed charges information may be found in the "Fees and Expenses" section of the prospectus.			
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To the extent the Fund undertakes securities lending to reduce costs, the Fund will ultimately be allocated 70% of the associated revenue generated, Deutsche Asset Management (UK) Limited, as Sub-Portfolio Manager, will be allocated 15%, and Deutsche Bank AG, as securities lending agent, will be allocated 15%. To facilitate this, the Fund will initially receive 85% of the associated revenue generated from which Deutsche Asset Management (UK) Limited will receive its allocation. As securities lending revenue sharing does not increase the costs of running the Fund, this has been excluded from the ongoing charges.

### Past Performance



### **Practical Information**

The depositary is State Street Custodial Services (Ireland) Limited.

Copies of the prospectus, the latest annual reports and subsequent half-yearly reports (all in English) as well as other information (including the latest share prices as well as the indicative net asset values) are available free of charge at www.Xtrackers.com.

Details of the up-to-date remuneration policy, including, but not limited to, a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identity of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits, are available at www.Xtrackers.com, under the "Additional Information" section. A hard copy version of the remuneration policy will be made available free of charge upon request.

Full disclosure on the composition of the Fund's portfolio and information on the Index constituents is available free of charge at www.Xtrackers.com.

More share classes may be available for this Fund - please refer to the prospectus for further details. Please note that not all share classes may be registered for distribution in your jurisdiction.

The taxation regime applicable to the Fund in Ireland may affect your personal tax position.

Xtrackers (IE) plc 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.

Xtrackers (IE) plc has a number of different funds. The assets and liabilities of each fund are segregated by law. The prospectus and the periodic reports are prepared for Xtrackers (IE) plc as a whole. You are not permitted to exchange your shares in this Fund for other funds of Xtrackers (IE) plc.

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