# **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.



# Jupiter Asset Management Series PLC - Merian Global Dynamic Bond Fund (the 'Fund'), a sub-fund of Jupiter Asset Management Series PLC

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The Manager is Jupiter Asset Management (Europe) Limited (the "Manager")

# **Objectives and Investment Policy**

**Objective:** a total return comprised of income and capital growth consistent with capital preservation and prudent investment management.

Policy: in seeking to achieve its investment objective, the fund will aim to deliver a return, net of fees, greater than that of the Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Index (USD Hedged) over rolling 3 year periods. The Fund may invest at least two-thirds of its assets in bonds and similar debt investments issued by companies, governments and other public entities anywhere in the world. The Fund will invest at least 80% in investments listed, traded or dealt in on a Regulated Market in the OECD. The Fund may invest up to 15% in the Chinese Bond Market via the Bond Connect scheme.

The Fund will typically use techniques to try to reduce the effects of changes in the exchange rate between the Fund base currency US dollars, and other currencies (i.e. hedging) by limiting exposure to currencies other than USD to no more than one third. The Fund will not invest more than 20% in sub-investment grade bonds and similar debt investments (e.g. those rated lower than BBB by Standard and Poor's or lower than Baa by Moody's). The Fund will not invest more than 30% in investments with loss-absorbing features out of which no more than 10% may be invested in contingent convertible bonds (CoCos).

The Fund uses derivatives (i.e. financial contracts whose value is linked to the expected price movements of an underlying investment), with the aim of generating returns and/or reducing the overall costs and risks of the Fund.

The Fund is actively managed. Portfolio construction is driven by an on-going assessment of the drivers of returns such as interest rates, bond prices, economic outlook, inflationary expectations and global political issues. This will also include an assessment of any issuers' default risk and value relative to similar bonds in the market.

The Index is a broad representation of the Fund's investment universe. Although a large proportion of the Fund's investments may be components of the Index, the Fund

has the ability to deviate significantly from the Index.

Portfolio transaction costs are paid out of the assets of the Fund in addition to the charges set out below, and may have an impact on the performance of the Fund.

**Recommendation:** the Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

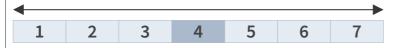
**Treatment of income:** as shares in this class are accumulation shares, income from investments will be reinvested into the Fund and reflected in the value of the shares.

**Dealing:** you can buy and sell shares on business days where retail banks are open for business in Dublin and London and the New York Stock Exchange is open for business in New York.

# **Risk and Reward Profile**

The calculated risk and reward category, as shown above, uses a method of calculation derived from EU rules. It is based on the rate at which the returns of the Fund have moved up and down in the past (i.e. 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. The seven-category scale is nonlinear, for example, 2 is not twice as risky as 1.

Typically lower rewards Lower risk Typically higher rewards Higher risk



- Funds in category 4 have in the past shown moderate volatility. With a fund of category 4, you have a moderate risk of losing money but your chance for gains is also moderate.
- 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.
- Currency risk the Fund is denominated in USD and may use hedging techniques
  to try to reduce the effects of changes in the exchange rate between the currency
  of the underlying investments and the base currency of the Fund. These techniques
  may not eliminate all currency risk. The value of your shares may rise and fall as a
  result of exchange rate movements.
- Credit risk the issuer of a bond or a similar investment within the Fund may not
  pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due. Bonds which are rated below
  investment grade are considered to have a higher risk exposure with respect to
  meeting their payment obligations.
- CoCos and other investments with loss-absorbing features these investments may be subject to regulatory intervention and/or specific trigger events relating to regulatory capital levels falling to a prespecified point. This is a different risk to traditional bonds and may result in their conversion to company shares, or a partial or total loss of value.
- Bond connect risk the rules of the Bond Connect scheme may not always permit

 $the \, Fund \, to \, sell \, its \, assets, and \, may \, cause \, the \, Fund \, to \, suffer \, losses \, on \, an \, investment.$ 

- Interest rate risk investments in bonds are affected by interest rates and inflation trends which may affect the value of the Fund.
- Liquidity risk some investments may become hard to value or sell at a desired time and price. In extreme circumstances this may affect the Fund's ability to meet redemption requests upon demand.
- 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.
- For a more detailed explanation of risks, please refer to the "Risk Factors" section
  of the prospectus.



# Charges

#### One-off charges taken before or after you invest

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Exit charge	Up to 1.00%

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 charges 2.73%

## Charges taken from the Fund under specific conditions

Performance fee	None
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- These charges are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including the costs
  of marketing and distribution. Overall, they reduce the growth of your investment.
- The charges shown are the maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less.
   You can find out your actual charges from your financial adviser or distributor.
- The ongoing charges figure is based on the expenses of the Fund for the 12 month period ended December 2021. Where the Fund invests in other underlying funds, which may include closed-ended funds such as investment trusts, the ongoing charges figure will include the ongoing charges for those funds, and will therefore vary from year to year. The ongoing charges figure excludes portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/ exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling shares in another collective investment undertaking.
- A charge of 1% of your initial investment may apply if you sell your shares within 1 year of purchase.
- It is not the intention for a switching charge (2.50%) to apply but the Fund reserves the right to impose a switching charge in the future.
- You can find out more details about the charges by looking at the Fees and Expenses section of the prospectus.

# **Past Performance**



Source: Jupiter/Factset SPAR 2021

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Prior to 24/04/2019:Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregate (USD Unhedged), 25/04/2019 to present: Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate (USD Hedged)

- Past performance is not a guide to future performance.
- The Fund launched on 17 April 2002. This class started to issue shares on 17 April 2002.
- The value of the class is calculated in USD. The Index is in USD.
- The past performance shown does not take into account any entry or exit charges but does take into account the ongoing charge, as shown in the Charges section.

## **Practical Information**

- The representative in Switzerland is First Independent Fund Services Ltd., Klausstrasse 33,8008 Zurich, Switzerland. The paying agent in Switzerland is BNP Paribas Securities Services, Paris, succursale de Zurich, Selnaustrasse 16,8002 Zürich, Switzerland. Copies of the Articles of Association, the Prospectus, the Key Investor Information Documents and the annual and semi-annual reports of the Company may be obtained free of charge from the representative in Switzerland.
- The Fund's assets are held with its depositary, Citi Depositary Services Ireland Designated Activity Company.
- Merian Global Dynamic Bond Fund is a sub-fund of Jupiter Asset Management Series Plc (the "Company"). The assets of this sub-fund are segregated from other sub-funds in the Company.
- Details of the remuneration policy are available at www.jupiteram.com and a paper copy can be made available free of charge upon request.
- · The latest share prices are available from the administrator during normal business hours and will be published daily at www.jupiteram.com.
- You may switch your shares to the shares of another sub-fund of the Company. A fee may apply. For further details, please refer to the Conversion of Shares section in the
  prospectus.
- This Fund is subject to tax laws and regulations of Ireland. Depending on your home country of residence, this might have an impact on your personal tax position. For further details, please speak to your financial adviser.
- 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 prospectus for the Company.