

# International Investment Funds Limited

## Euro High Income Fund

31 December 2024

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### Objective and policy from the Prospectus

To seek a high income through investment in a spread of fixed interest securities denominated predominately in euro.

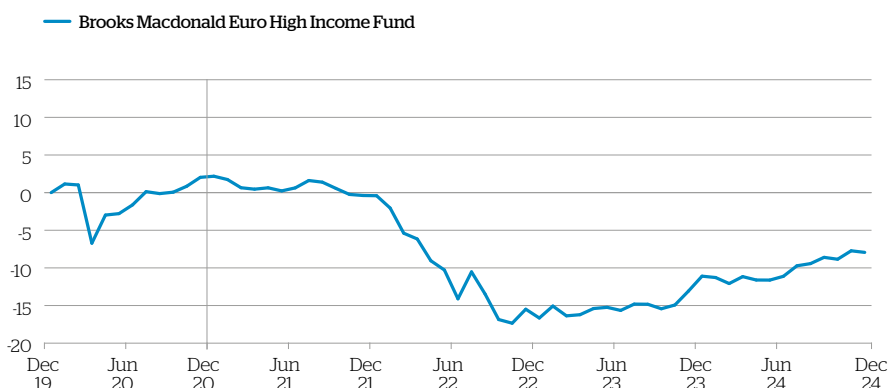
The investment policy aims to support the payment of dividends above the level of short term euro interest rates. This policy may result in a gradual reduction in the capital value of the shares. The Fund will normally hold a relatively wide range of securities in order to keep a low level of exposure to individual bond issues other than government securities. The Fund may also hold a substantial part of its assets in bank deposits from time to time. The Fund is permitted to invest in securities denominated in currencies other than euro. The current policy of the Directors is that the investments in non-euro denominated securities should be fully hedged against euro with the aim of eliminating the effects of any exchange rate movements.

### Key Facts

<b>Inception date</b>	Oct 2006
<b>Investment Manager Change</b>	Dec 2020
<b>Number of holdings (incl. cash)</b>	43
<b>Base currency</b>	Euro (€)
<b>Share class</b>	Income
<b>Minimum investment</b>	€ 5,000
<b>Fund size (€ m)</b>	4.90
<b>ISIN</b>	GB0008717562
<b>Fund structure</b>	
Investment Manager	Brooks Macdonald Asset Management (International) Limited
Fund Manager	Brooks Macdonald International Fund Managers Limited
Dealing frequency	Daily
<b>Settlement</b>	T + 4
<b>Distribution</b>	Quarterly
<b>Ongoing charges (OCF*)</b>	1.49%
<b><sup>1</sup>Distribution Yield (%)</b>	3.22
<b><sup>2</sup>Yield to Maturity (%)</b>	3.88
<b>Fund Duration (yrs)</b>	4.24

\*Ongoing charge represents the direct costs of running a fund, which are deducted from the assets of the fund and provide a comparable number for the cost of investing. The annual management charge is included in the ongoing charge.

### Performance (%)



Brooks Macdonald Asset Management (International) Limited was appointed Investment Manager of the fund on 1 December 2020, which is indicated by the vertical line in the performance chart.

Discrete 12 month performance (%) to 31 December 2024	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Brooks Macdonald Euro High Income Fund	2.18	-2.54	-16.31	6.67	3.56
Bloomberg Barclays Euro-Aggregate Corp Bond Index	2.77	-0.97	-13.65	8.19	4.74

Cumulative performance to 31 December 2024	3M	6M	1Y	3Y	5Y	10Y
Brooks Macdonald Euro High Income Fund	0.72	3.58	3.56	-7.56	-7.94	-1.10
Bloomberg Barclays Euro-Aggregate Corp Bond Index	0.87	4.17	4.74	-2.15	-0.41	11.43

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. Sources: Fund performance and benchmark data is provided by Financial Express (FE).

The performance shown above is for total return, net of all ongoing charges, priced at NAV in Euro (€). The benchmark performance is shown without the deduction of charges and fees.

### Risks

The value of investments and the income from them can go down as well as up and cannot be guaranteed. Investments in a currency other than the shareholder's own currency, or in a fund that invests in securities denominated in currencies other than its own base currency, will be subject to the movements of foreign exchange rates, which may cause an additional favourable or unfavourable change in value. Consequently, investors may, on selling their shares, receive an amount greater or less than their original investment. Collective investment funds are generally medium to long-term investments.

<sup>1</sup>Distribution Yield: This is the amount that is expected to be distributed over the next 12 months as a percentage of the fund's share price on the date shown. It does not include the deduction of entry charges and is the gross return before tax on distributions. You may be subject to further tax on your distributions. The yield is not guaranteed.

<sup>2</sup>Yield to Maturity: The total rate of return anticipated on a bond if it is held until maturity, expressed as an annual rate. The calculation assumes that all coupons are reinvested at the same rate. At fund level, it is a weighted average of the contributing securities at the same rate and does not include fees and charges.

Source for Yield to Maturity and Fund Duration calculations: Bloomberg.

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### Investment team



**Akos Dietrich, CFA**  
 Senior Investment Director



**Peter Davies**  
 Investment Director



**Scott Goodrum**  
 Investment Director

### Sector allocation

Corporate 87.00%

Government-Related 6.35%

Securitized 4.29%

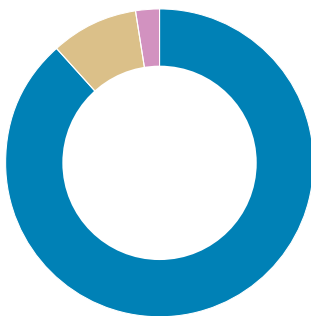
Cash 2.36%

### Top 10 Issuers

Bond	%
NATWEST GROUP PLC	2.96
FIDELITY NATL INFO SERV	2.94
NATIONAL GRID PLC	2.89
DEUTSCHE TELEKOM INT FIN	2.81
MET LIFE GLOB FUNDING I	2.76
VODAFONE GROUP PLC	2.74
HSBC HOLDINGS PLC	2.73
BANK OF AMERICA CORP	2.71
TOTAL ENERGIES SE	2.67
BARCLAYS PLC	2.66

Source: Bloomberg

### Credit rating breakdown



**Investment Grade 88.45%**  
**High Yield 9.19%**  
**Cash 2.36%**

Source: Bloomberg

### Important information

All data provided by Brooks Macdonald unless otherwise stated as at 31 December 2024

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