

# EVENLODE GLOBAL DIVIDEND

MONTHLY FACTSHEET all data as at 31 July 2022 unless otherwise indicated



This is a marketing communication. Please refer to the prospectus and to the Key Investor Information Documents (KIIDs) before making any final investment decisions.

## MANAGER COMMENTARY

July witnessed a rebound in global equity markets, countering the weakness witnessed in previous months. The benchmark MSCI World Index was up +7.9% in dollar terms over the month but remains down by -14.2% in dollars for the year to the end of July 2022. For investors in other currencies the picture looks more benign as the dollar has been very strong; the index is down -4.5% in sterling and -4.3% in euros over the same time period. The fund is down -13.7% year to date in dollars, so slightly ahead of the benchmark but behind the EAA Fund Global Equity Income sector's return of -11.5%. Funds in the sector typically have exposure to energy and financial companies for their dividend yields. These sectors have performed very well this year but are industries where we find few companies that fit with the Evenlode investment process.

We are in the middle of the half-year reporting season and just over half of the portfolio has provided a financial update. Operationally, inflation is a common topic and in some cases supply chain constraints are impacting operations. Revenue growth has been strong and profit margins have expanded overall. However, consumer goods companies are seeing the most acute input cost inflation, leading to gross and operating margin declines, being offset somewhat by significant price increases to consumers. More generally, companies are using some of their cash flow to invest in working capital to secure supply. Some businesses, such as Nestlé, are increasing capital expenditure to satisfy demand. This means that free cash flow has declined compared to last year. The companies in the portfolio generate ample cash flow, meaning that when such periods occur there is scope for them to flexibly invest for the long term, and it is encouraging that this is happening in practice.

## PERFORMANCE SINCE LAUNCH (%)



## CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE

	1 Mth	3 Mths	6 Mths	1 Yr	3 Yrs	Launch <sup>1</sup>
■ Fund (%) <sup>2</sup>	6.5	-4.1	-6.7	-8.8	20.2	41.9
■ Benchmark (%) <sup>3</sup>	7.9	-1.3	-9.4	-9.2	31.6	38.7
■ Sector (%)	4.1	-3.7	-8.4	-7.9	17.0	18.4
Rank in sector	23/190	108/188	60/184	118/180	64/150	8/140
Quartile	1	3	2	3	2	1

## CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%)

	YTD	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Fund <sup>2</sup>	-13.7	23.0	7.0	27.2	-	-
Benchmark <sup>3</sup>	-14.2	21.8	15.9	27.7	-	-
Sector	-11.5	17.1	4.9	21.6	-	-

## FUND ATTRIBUTES

- ✓ Emphasis on sustainable real dividend growth
- ✓ Actively managed, with focus on companies with high returns on capital and strong free cash-flow
- ✓ Aims to provide income and capital growth over the long term
- ✓ Focused portfolio of 30-50 high quality dividend paying global equities
- ✓ Low portfolio turnover with long-term holding periods
- ✓ Invests across the world in companies with diverse multi-national revenue streams

## KEY DETAILS

Sector	EAA Fund Global Equity Income
Benchmark	MSCI World
Strategy launch date	20 November 2017
Fund launch date	16 May 2018
Strategy size <sup>4</sup>	US\$2,334 million
Fund size	US\$135 million
No. of Holdings	39
Historic yield <sup>5</sup>	2.0%
Active share <sup>6</sup>	89.8%
Valuation point	12 noon daily
Div ex dates	1 Mar, Jun, Sep, Dec
Div pay dates	end Apr, Jul, Oct, Jan
Fund domicile	Ireland
Countries of registration	Ireland, UK, Switzerland*

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

1. From launch date 16 May 2018 (Fund).
2. Evenlode Global Dividend I Inc USD shares.
3. Benchmark is MSCI World (with net dividends reinvested) in USD.
4. Strategy size refers to the combined fund value of TB Evenlode Global Income and Evenlode Global Dividend, in USD terms.
5. The historic yield reflects distributions over the past 12 months as a percentage of the price of the USD X Inc share class as at the date shown. It does not include any initial charge and investors may be subject to tax on their distributions.
6. Active share is calculated against the fund's Comparator Benchmark, the MSCI World.

All performance data used on this factsheet is total return, bid-to-bid USD terms, and sourced from Financial Express, Morningstar and MSCI.

\*The Fund has appointed as Swiss Representative Waystone Fund Services (Switzerland) SA, Av. Villamont 17, 1005 Lausanne, Switzerland, Tel: +41 21 311 17 77, [switzerland@waystone.com](mailto:switzerland@waystone.com). The Fund's Swiss paying agent is Banque Cantonale de Genève. In respect of the Shares distributed in or from Switzerland, the place of performance and jurisdiction is at the registered office of the Swiss Representative.



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Sector allocation (%)			Top 20 holdings (%)	
Consumer Staples	27.9		Microsoft	5.5
Health Care	19.5		Unilever	5.1
Industrials	17.9		Nestlé	4.7
Information Technology	14.3		Reckitt Benckiser	4.6
Consumer Discretionary	10.4		Wolters Kluwer	4.5
Communication Services	5.7		Procter & Gamble	4.3
Materials	1.8		Medtronic	4.1
Cash	2.5		LVMH	4.0

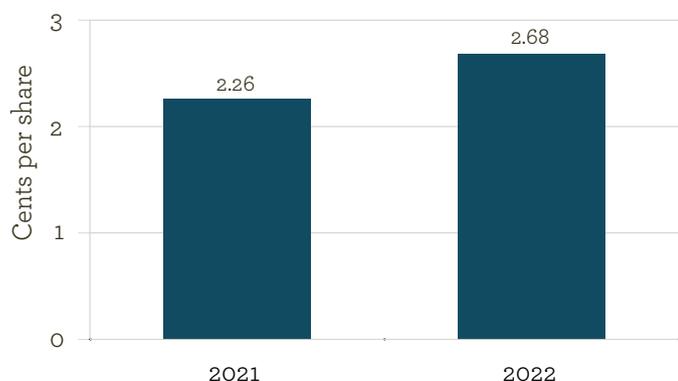
Size allocation (%)		Geographical allocation (%)	
Large Cap (> £10 bn)	88.8	Europe	43.9
Mid Cap (£2 bn - £10 bn)	8.7	North America	35.2
Cash	2.5	United Kingdom	16.7
		Asia	1.7
		Cash	2.5

Roche	3.1
Sanofi	3.0
adidas	2.8
Henkel	2.6
C. H. Robinson	2.5
Bureau Veritas	2.5
Clorox	2.3
Accenture	2.2
eBay	2.1
Cisco Systems	2.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>68.5</b>

Investors will own shares in Evenlode Global Dividend, not in the underlying holdings; these are the underlying assets owned by the fund

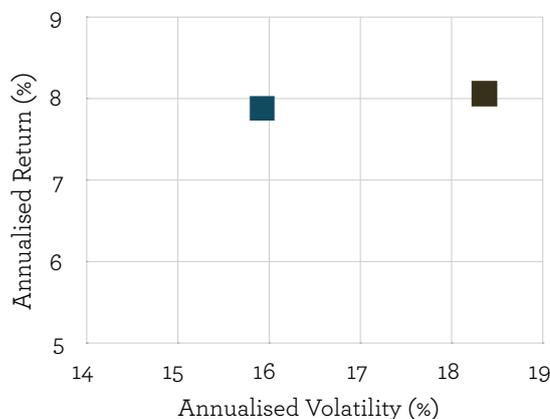
ANNUAL DIVIDEND PAYMENTS



USD X Inc Shares. Cents per share figures relate to the fund's financial year ended February of the relevant year.

Fund launched in 2018 as a feeder fund and became a stand-alone fund in March 2020 so annual dividend payments are just shown from 2021 onwards.

RISK RETURN (4 YEAR)



■ Evenlode Global Dividend I Inc USD Shares  
 ■ MSCI World Index



## INVESTMENT TEAM

The Evenlode Investment Team totals 15 staff. Fund managers are supported by a team of analysts including three dedicated stewardship analysts, and the team works collegiately to challenge thinking and share ideas.



**BEN PETERS**  
Fund Manager

Ben has been a manager of the Evenlode Global Income strategy since launch in 2017, and has worked on the TB Evenlode Income fund since launch in 2009. Ben has a doctorate from the University of Oxford and a first-class degree from University College London, both in the field of physics. He holds the Investment Management Certificate and level 1 of the Chartered Financial Analyst qualification.



**CHRIS ELLIOTT**  
Fund Manager

Chris is a fund manager on the Evenlode Global Income strategy, which launched in 2017, and on the TB Evenlode Global Equity fund, which launched in 2020. Chris is a fully qualified Chartered Financial Analyst and has a degree from the University of Cambridge in Mathematics and Economics. Prior to Evenlode, Chris worked as a senior software engineer.



**CHRIS MOORE**  
Head of Research

Chris joined Evenlode Investment Management in February 2018 having previously been an equity research analyst at Investec Bank and Berenberg. Chris is a fully qualified Chartered Accountant and Chartered Financial Analyst, and studied Accounting and Finance at Warwick University.

## ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE (ESG)



**SAWAN KUMAR**  
Head of Stewardship



**CHARLIE FREITAG**  
Stewardship Analyst



**BETHAN ROSE**  
Sustainable  
Investment Analyst

### Integration into the investment process

We use active engagement to move portfolio companies along their net zero journey. This is where we can have the biggest impact and can contribute to real decarbonisation in the economy. Engagement is a core component of our approach to integrating sustainability and we consider this to be a value-add for both parties. We engage with all investee companies to gather information on the firm's approach to a range of environmental, social and governance matters, which inform our view on the risks and opportunities that the company faces. Discussing challenges with companies enables us to understand their business context and obtain more information about their mitigation of and resilience to the risks that we perceive.

### Our ongoing commitment

Signatory of:



Evenlode Investment Management became a signatory to the United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment (UNPRI) in 2018. By becoming signatories, we commit to implementing these principles and incorporating environmental, social and governance factors into our investment process to help enhance returns and better manage risk for our clients.

- ✓ Strategy & Governance: A+
- ✓ Integration: A+
- ✓ Engagement: A
- ✓ Proxy Voting: A

### Recent publications for download

- ✓ UNPRI Assessment Report
- ✓ Responsible Investment Report
- ✓ Carbon Emissions Report

### MSCI Rating



Data as at 30 June 2022. Based on 99.9% of AUM. MSCI ESG Fund ratings are intended to measure the resilience of funds to long-term risks and opportunities arising from environmental, social and governance issues.

### Morningstar® Ratings



Ratings as at 31 May 2022. Based on 100.0% of AUM. The Morningstar® Sustainability Rating™ is intended to measure how well the issuing companies of the securities within a fund's portfolio holdings are managing their environmental, social, and governance risks and opportunities relative to the fund's Morningstar Global Category peers.



Ratings as at 31 March 2022. Based on 98.6% of AUM. The Morningstar® Low Carbon Designation™ is intended to allow investors to easily identify low-carbon funds across the global universe. The designation is an indicator that the companies held in a portfolio are in general alignment with the transition to a low-carbon economy.

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## SHARE CLASS DETAILS

	USD shares			EUR shares	GBP shares		
Share class	I INC	I ACC	X INC	X INC	I INC	I ACC	X INC
SEDOL codes	BFZ18W0	BFZ18V9	BG5NF55	BG5NF44	BKT1BS8	BKT1BR7	BF5KD77
Share price	\$1.36	\$1.40	\$1.29	€1.48	132.48p	133.56p	142.02p
Minimum lump sum	\$1 million	\$1 million	\$10 million	€10 million	£1 million	£1 million	£10 million
Periodic charge <sup>1</sup>	0.95%	0.95%	0.75%	0.75%	0.95%	0.95%	0.75%
Ex ante transaction cost	0.16%	0.16%	0.16%	0.16%	0.16%	0.16%	0.16%
Latest distribution <sup>2</sup>	N/A	N/A	0.65	0.71	N/A	N/A	0.69

1. Equivalent to OCF. For full information on the periodic charge, please refer to the Fees, Costs and Expenses section of the Evenlode Global Dividend Fund Supplement to the Evenlode ICAV Prospectus.

2. Pence/share for GBP shares and cents/share for EUR/USD shares. XD date 1 June 2022. Latest distribution rate may be estimated. Where rate is showing as N/A, share class awaiting external investments.

The share classes listed above have launched and are available for investment. Other share classes are listed in the Evenlode ICAV Global Dividend Fund prospectus supplement. Class R shares have a minimum investment of \$/€/£1,000, and an OCF of 1.50%. For full information on the share classes, please refer to the Key Investor Information documents.

### WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

As a focused equity portfolio of between 30 and 50 investments, the fund can involve higher risk and higher volatility. The value of an investment and the income from it can fall as well as rise as a result of market and currency movement; you may not get back the amount originally invested. You should therefore regard your investment as long term. Details on the risk factors are included in the fund's prospectus, available on our website.

### INVESTOR PROFILE

The Fund may appeal to investors who:

- ✓ Would like the prospect of sustainable real income growth combined with some capital growth over the long term
- ✓ Accept the risk associated with the volatile nature of equity investments
- ✓ Plan to hold their investment for at least 5 years

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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