

# **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.

# Royal London Sustainable Leaders Trust (Accumulation - Class C Shares)

ISIN: GB00B7V23Z99
This Fund is managed by RLUM Limited

# Objectives and investment policy

**Objective** The Fund aims to provide growth in the value of your investment over time, by investing predominantly in the shares of UK companies

**Policy** The investments picked for this Fund are screened in accordance with the Manager's ethical and sustainable investment policy. This policy applies an ethical screen to exclude companies that conflict with specific ethical concerns (e.g. the sale of weapons or tobacco) and a sustainable screen then applies positive criteria, seeking out companies that aim to mitigate environmental and social challenges and improve quality of life. This means the Fund will not invest in all areas of the market. Further details of this policy can be found in the Fund's Prospectus. At least 80% of the Fund's investments are in the shares of UK companies. Up to 20% of the Fund can be invested in shares in overseas companies.

**Recommendation** This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years. You should aim to keep your units for at least five years, although you can sell them at any time.

**UK companies** Companies which are established in the UK or which carry out a significant part of their activities in the UK

**Overseas companies** Companies which are established outside of the UK or which carry out a significant part of their business activities outside of the UK.

You can buy and sell your shares on each working day, except public holidays, at 12:00 noon if you tell us before 12:00 noon that you want to do so. Instructions received after 12:00 noon will be processed at 12:00 noon on the following working day.

The following share classes are available for the Fund: Income A, Income B, Accumulation B, Income C, Accumulation C, Income D and Accumulation D. All share classes are subject to a minimum investment. If this is an income share class, any income will be paid out to you. If this is an accumulation share class, any income will be reinvested in the Fund.

# Risk and reward profile

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Lower potential risk/reward Higher potential risk/reward The Fund is shown in risk category 5 because its unit price has shown a medium to high level of volatility historically. As an investment, bonds are typically more volatile than money market instruments but less volatile than shares. Bonds issued by governments are typically less volatile than bonds issued by corporations. The indicator has been calculated using historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.

This Fund has historically been primarily invested in shares. The risk and reward indicator is not a measure of the expected rise or fall in capital but shows how sharply the Fund's share price has gone up and down historically.

A fund whose share price has experienced sharp or large increases or decreases will sit in a higher risk category, whereas a fund whose share price has experienced small or gradual increases or decreases will sit in a lower risk category.

The indicator is calculated using a standard methodology that is used by all companies offering such funds in Europe. The risk/reward indicator is an estimate and not a guarantee. Going forward, the Fund's actual volatility could be higher or lower, and its rated risk/reward profile could change. The lowest risk category does not mean the investment is risk free. The risk indicator does not adequately capture the following risks,

which are materially relevant to the Fund:

Concentration Risk: Funds which invest in a smaller number of securities can carry more risk than funds spread across a larger number of companies. To the extent that the Fund has exposure to an issuer, geographical area or type of security that is heavily

affected by an event, either positive or negative, its value may rise or fall.

Exchange Rate Risk: Investing in assets denominated in a currency other than the base currency of the Fund means the value of the investment can be affected by changes in exchange rates.

Liquidity Risk: In difficult market conditions the value of certain fund investments may be less predictable than normal. In some cases this may make such investments harder to sell at the last quoted market price, or at a price considered to be fair. Such conditions could result in unpredictable changes in the value of your holding

For full details of the Fund's risks, please see the prospectus which may be obtained from (www.rlam.co.uk/Home/Individual-Investor/Fund-Performance—Prices/)

# **Charges**

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing the Fund. These charges reduce the potential growth of the investment.

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

Entry charge 0.00% Exit charge 0.00%

#### Charges taken from the fund over a year:

Ongoing charge 0.76%

#### Charges taken from the fund under specific conditions:

#### Performance fee none

The entry and exit charge 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.

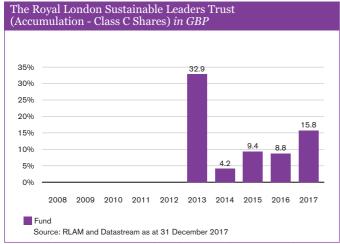
The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses as at 30 November 2017. This figure may vary from year to year and does not include portfolio transaction costs. Ongoing charges are the same for all investors.

For more information about charges please see the Fund's prospectus, available at (www.rlam.co.uk/Home/Individual-Investor/Fund-Performance—Prices/)

## Past performance

The graph shows fund performance over the past 10 years where available. Past performance is no guarantee of future performance. The figure for a given year shows how much the Fund increased or decreased in value during that year. These results reflect ongoing charges taken from the Fund, but do not reflect any entry charges you might have to pay.

This Fund was launched on the 29 May 1990 and the share class on 4 December 2012.



Past performance is not a guide to future performance and may not be repeated. The value of investments may go down as well as up and you may not get back the amount you originally invested. The chart shows performance in British pounds after the ongoing charges and the portfolio transaction costs have been paid. Entry and exit charges are excluded from calculations of past performance.

# **Practical information**

Trustee: HSBC Bank plc

Additional Information: This Key Investor Information Document (KIID) may not contain all the information you need. For additional information on the Fund (including the Supplementary Information Document), on other share classes of this Fund and on other funds, or to obtain a free copy of the Fund's Prospectus or the annual and semi-annual shareholder reports, call the information line or write to Royal London Asset Management Limited, details of which are below. Alternatively, visit www.rlam.co.uk. The Prospectus and shareholder reports are in English.

This KIID describes one share class of the Fund. The Prospectus and annual and semi-annual shareholder reports are prepared for the entire Fund across all share classes.

For fund performance and most recent share price, visit www.rlam.co.uk.

Should you wish to switch share classes or funds, please see the "Switching" section of the Prospectus for details.

**Tax:** Investors should note that the tax legislation that applies to the Fund may have an impact on the personal tax position of their investment in the Fund.

Contact your adviser to discuss tax treatment, suitability of this investment, and other questions.

**Notices:** RLUM 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.

Details of the Company's remuneration policy are available at www.rlam.co.uk including: (a) a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated; and (b) the identities of persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits. A paper copy of these details may be obtained, free of charge, on request from the Company, at the address below

This Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA).

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