

**FUND FACTSHEET** 

# GF SUSTAINABLE FUTURE US GROWTH FUND

C5 Acc GBP Class

Covering the month of December 2024



#### THE FUND

The Ireland-domiciled and Article 9 Fund aims to achieve capital growth over the long term (five years or more) using the Sustainable Future investment process to invest predominantly in US equities. This process uses a thematic approach to identify the key structural growth trends that will shape the global economy of the future and the fund managers then seek to invest in well run companies whose products and operations capitalise on these transformative changes.

#### THE TEAM



Chris Foster





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#### **FUND INFORMATION**

Fund launch date	7.07.23
Class launch date	7.07.23
Fund size^	\$109.8m
Number of holdings	45
Historic yield^^	0.00%
Active share*	83.84%
Ex-dividend date	O1 Jan O1 Jul
Distribution date	31 Jan   31 Jul
Min initial investment	25,000,000
Min additional investment	21,000
Sedol code	BLD1KM8
Bloomberg code	LIGSFC5 ID
ISIN code	ieooorqi4qr2

Please refer to the glossary www.liontrust.co.uk/ learning/our-guide-to-financial-words-and-terms for an explanation of financial words and terms within this factsheet **KEY RISKS: Past performance does not predict future returns.** You may get back less than you originally invested. Further Key Risks can be found on the last page.

#### **CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%)**

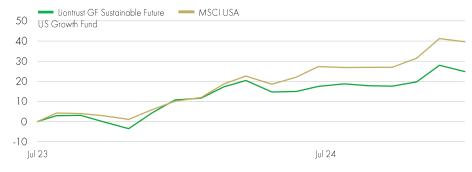
	1 month	3 months	6 months	YTD	1 year	3 years		Since inception
Liontrust GF Sustainable Future US Growth Fund	-2.4%	6.2%	6.3%	12.7%	12.7%	-	-	24.8%
MSCI USA	-1.1%	10.0%	9.7%	26.8%	26.8%	-	-	39.7%

#### DISCRETE YEARS' PERFORMANCE (%)

	Dec 24	Dec 23	Dec 22	Dec 21	Dec 20
Liontrust GF Sustainable Future US Growth Fund	12.7%	-	-	-	-
MSCI USA	26.8%	-	-	-	-

Discrete performance data is not available for five full 12 month periods due to the launch date of the portfolio. Further Key Risks can be found on the last page of this document.

# PERFORMANCE SINCE CLASS LAUNCH DATE (%)



Source for all performance data stated above: Financial Express & Morningstar, as at 31.12.24, total return, net of fees, income reinvested. All performance numbers shown relate to the class, and where the fund has launched prior to the share class, factsheets demonstrating the longer-term performance of the fund are available

<sup>^</sup>Fund AUM shown is in the base currency of the fund.

<sup>^^</sup>Historic Yield: This calculates the income distributions made by the fund over the past 12 months as a percentage of fund value or unit price.

<sup>\*</sup>The fraction of a fund invested differently to its benchmark. A 100% active share is a fund with no holdings in the benchmark, a 0% active share is a fund identical to the benchmark.

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### SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)

Information Technology	28.4%	
-	32.2%	
Financials	19.4%	
	13.3%	
Health Care	17.7%	
	10.1%	
Industrials	15.7%	
	8.4%	
Consumer Discretionary	6.8%	
·	11.4%	
Communication Services	4.8%	
	9.4%	
Real Estate	2.5%	
	2.2%	
Materials	1.9%	
	2.0%	

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# MARKET CAPITALISATIONS (%)

Large	53.6%
Small	22.1%
Mid	21.6%

Market capitalisation has been defined using the MSCI Global Investable Market Indices Standards. Any securities falling out of these definitions are classified as Micro Cap.

# TOP 5 OVERWEIGHTS (%)

Cadence Design Systems, Inc.	3.7%
Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.	3.2%
Alphabet Inc.	2.7%
Charles Schwab Corporation	2.6%
Paylocity Holding Corporation	2.6%

# GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN (%)

United States	96.2% 100.0%	
Argentina	1.1% 0.0%	1
Cash & Derivatives	2.7% 0.0%	1

# TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)

Alphabet Inc.	4.8%
Microsoft Corporation	4.5%
Cadence Design Systems, Inc.	3.8%
Visa Inc.	3.6%
Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.	3.6%
Mastercard Incorporated	2.9%
Charles Schwab Corporation	2.9%
Paylocity Holding Corporation	2.6%
American Tower Corporation	2.5%
PTC Inc.	2.5%

### TOP 5 UNDERWEIGHTS (%)

TESLA	-2.2%
META PLATFORMS A	-2.5%
AMAZON.COM	-4.0%
NVIDIA	-6.4%
Apple Inc.	-7.4%

Source: Liontrust

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#### **CHARGES**

Initial charge	Up to 5.00%***		
Ongoing Charges Figure	0.87%		
Included within the OCF is the Annual Management Charge"	0.75%		

\*The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) covers all aspects of operating a fund during the course of its financial year. These include the annual charge for managing the fund, administration and independent oversight functions, such as trustee, depository, custody, legal and audit fees and the ongoing costs of underlying investments including open and closed ended collective investment schemes. The OCF excludes portfolio transaction costs except for an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling units in another fund. This will have an impact on the realisable value of the investment, particularly in the short term. \*\*These are the annual costs of running and managing the Fund. \*\*\*This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested.

### **RISK RATIOS**

Annualised over three years	
Alpha	
Beta	
Information Ratio	
Annualised over five years	
Portfolio volatility	
Benchmark volatility	

As the share class has been in existence for less than three years, there is insufficient data to provide risk ratios. Where the Fund has a short track record, the ratios shown may be based upon the historic data of the Fund as well as a representative fund or the ratio may be calculated over a shorter time period. Calculated monthly.

#### RISK AND REWARD PROFILE



Lower Risk Typically lower rewards Higher Risk Typically higher rewards

- The Fund is categorised 5 primarily for its exposure to US equities.
- The SRI may not fully take into account the following risks:
   that a company may fail thus reducing its value within the Fund;
   overseas investments may carry a higher currency risk. They are valued by reference to their local currency which may move up or down when compared to the currency of the Fund.
- Credit Counterparty Risk: outside of normal conditions, the Fund may hold higher levels of cash which may be deposited with several credit counterparties (e.g. international banks). A credit risk arises should one or more of these counterparties be unable to return the deposited cash.
- Diversification Risk: the fund is expected to invest in companies predominantly in a single country which may be subject to greater political, social and economic risks which could result in greater volatility than investments in more broadly diversified funds.
- Liquidity Risk: the fund may encounter liquidity constraints from time to time. The spread between the price you buy and sell shares will reflect the less liquid nature of the underlying holdings.
- ESG Risk: there may be limitations to the availability, completeness or accuracy of ESG information from third-party providers, or inconsistencies in the consideration of ESG factors across different third party data providers, given the evolving nature of ESG.
- The figure quoted is the SRI and differs from the SRRI shown in the associated KIID

#### KEY RISKS

Past performance does not predict future returns. You may get back less than you originally invested. We recommend this fund is held long term (minimum period of 5 years). We recommend that you hold this fund as part of a diversified portfolio of investments.

All investments will be expected to conform to our social and environmental criteria. Overseas investments may carry a higher currency risk. They are valued by reference to their local currency which may move up or down when compared to the currency of the Fund. This Fund may have a concentrated portfolio, i.e. hold a limited number of investments. If one of these investments falls in value this can have a greater impact on the Fund's value than if it held a larger number of investments.

The Fund may encounter liquidity constraints from time to time. The spread between the price you buy and sell shares will reflect the less liquid nature of the underlying holdings. Outside of normal conditions, the Fund may hold higher levels of cash which may be deposited with several credit counterparties (e.g. international banks). A credit risk arises should one or more of these counterparties be unable to return the deposited cash. Counterparty Risk: any derivative contract, including FX hedging, may be at risk if the counterparty fails.

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