



# Target Return Foundation Fund

## Monthly Factsheet October 2024

### Summary of Objective<sup>1</sup>

The objective of the Fund is to seek to achieve a lower volatility than equity markets over the long term whilst seeking to achieve positive returns by predominantly taking positions in a variety of Collective Investment Schemes (CIS) that employ specific investment strategies.

### Key Facts (at 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024)

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| Legal Status                            | UCITS <sup>2</sup> |
| Base Currency                           | EUR                |
| Share Class                             | D Accumulating     |
| Liquidity                               | Weekly             |
| ISIN                                    | IE00BD3V3Q77       |
| Sedol                                   | BD3V3Q7            |
| Current Net Asset Value (NAV)           | 99.04              |
| Minimum Initial investment              | €500               |
| Minimum additional investment           | €100               |
| Davy Investment Management Fee          | 1.00%              |
| Administrator, Depositary & Other Costs | 0.10%              |
| Third Party Costs                       | 0.88%              |
| Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)            | 1.98% <sup>4</sup> |

Figure 1: Performance of Target Return Foundation Fund at 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024



Source: Davy & Bloomberg, net of fees

Table 1: Performance (Net of Fees)<sup>5</sup>

| 1 Month | QTD    | YTD   | Since Inception |
|---------|--------|-------|-----------------|
| -0.89%  | -0.89% | 3.00% | -0.96%          |

Table 2: Calendar Year Performance (Net of Fees)

| 2019  | 2020   | 2021  | 2022  | 2023  |
|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| 0.02% | -1.77% | 3.47% | 1.75% | 0.99% |

Source: Davy & Bloomberg

Table 3: Top 5 Funds

| Top 5 Positions (Excluding Cash)*         |       |
|---|-------|
| JP Morgan Global Macro Opportunities Fund | 16.2% |
| AQR Systematic Total Return               | 16.1% |
| Ruffer Total Return                       | 16.1% |
| Fulcrum Diversified Absolute Return Fund  | 16.1% |
| Nordea 1 - Alpha 15                       | 16.0% |

Source: Style Analytics

**Warning: Past Performance is not a reliable guide to future performance. The value of your investment may go down as well as up. This product may be affected by changes in currency exchange rates.**

\* Weightings in top 5 breakdown are indicative only and may change subject to the discretion of the Manager/underlying Fund Manager.

Fund Launch  
07 September 2016

<sup>1</sup> There is no guarantee that the fund will meet its objective.

<sup>2</sup> UCITS: Undertakings for collective Investment in Transferable Securities. The Target Return Foundation Fund is a sub fund of Davy Funds plc, an open ended umbrella investment company with variable capital and segregated liability between sub-funds incorporated with limited liability under the Companies Act 2014, authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland as a UCITS pursuant to the UCITS Regulations. Davy Funds plc is authorised by the Central Bank of Ireland as a UCITS.

<sup>3</sup> These figures are estimates and may vary. These figures are subject to rounding. Administrator Fee is 0.085% per annum and Depositary Fee is 0.0175% per annum, both subject to minimums. Davy Account Fees apply separately. Please see the Prospectus, Supplement and Key Investor Information Document for full details on fees. These documents are available on [www.davy.ie](http://www.davy.ie).

<sup>4</sup> The OCF is an annualised figure based on the expenses in the fund at 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024. This figure can change over time, is subject to rounding and as such may not correspond to the total sum of the management fee, admin fee and third party costs.

<sup>5</sup> 1 Month: 30/09/2024 - 31/10/2024; QTD (Quarter to Date) : 30/09/2024 - 31/10/2024; YTD (Year to Date): 31/12/2023 - 31/10/2024; Since Inception: 07/09/2016 - 31/10/2024

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Figure 2: Asset Allocation

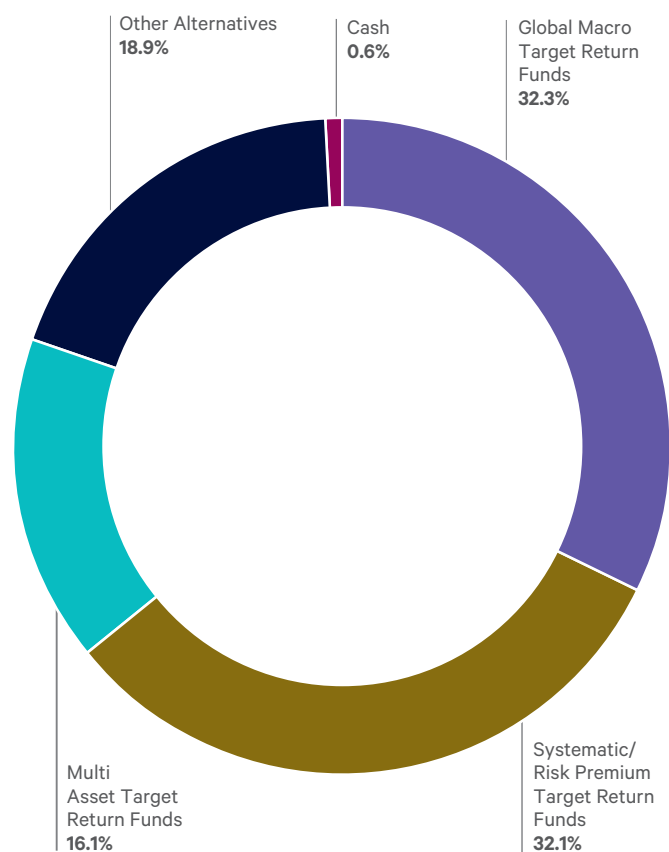


Table 4: Asset Allocation (%)

|  |              |
|--|--------------|
| <b>Underlying Target Return Funds</b>              | <b>99.4</b>  |
| <b>Global Macro Target Return Funds</b>            | <b>32.3</b>  |
| Fulcrum Diversified Absolute Return Fund           | 16.1         |
| JP Morgan Global Macro Opportunities Fund          | 16.2         |
| <b>Systematic/Risk Premium Target Return Funds</b> | <b>32.1</b>  |
| Nordea 1 - Alpha 15                                | 16.0         |
| AQR Systematic Total Return                        | 16.1         |
| <b>Multi Asset Target Return Funds</b>             | <b>16.1</b>  |
| Ruffer Total Return                                | 16.1         |
| <b>Other Alternatives</b>                          | <b>18.9</b>  |
| Nordea 1 Low Duration European Covered Bond Fund   | 14.4         |
| 2-Year EUR Certificate on the EUR/JPY FX Rate      | 2.5          |
| 5yr SMI Note - 21/08/2024                          | 2.0          |
| <b>Cash</b>  | <b>0.6</b>   |
| Deposits   | 0.6          |
| <b>Total</b>                                       | <b>100.0</b> |

Please note that while the fund documentation allows for entry and exit fees, these fees have been waived for Davy Private Clients and Davy Select Clients.

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