

# EUROPEAN ABSOLUTE RETURN FUND

Class I Acc USD Hedged ISIN: GB00BKRCQM27

Janus Henderson  
INVESTORS

A sub-fund of Janus Henderson Investment Fund Series I, an OEIC managed by Henderson Investment Funds Limited.

## Objectives and investment policy

### Objective

The Fund aims to provide an absolute (more than zero) return, typically over a 12-month period. An absolute return performance is not guaranteed over this specific, or any other, time period and over the short term the Fund may experience periods of negative returns. Consequently your capital is in fact at risk.

The Fund invests primarily in:

- Shares or derivatives of shares of companies with their registered office in or which do most of their business (directly or through subsidiaries) in Europe (including UK). The Fund takes long positions on shares it believes are promising (meaning that the Fund will gain to the extent these share prices may rise) and takes short positions in shares it believes are likely to decline in price (meaning the Fund will gain to the extent these share prices fall).

At any time, all or a substantial proportion of the assets may consist of cash and near cash securities.

In choosing investments, the investment manager looks for companies which have the potential to increase or decrease in price more over the long term than is currently reflected in market prices.

The Fund makes extensive use of investment techniques, particularly those that involve derivatives, to obtain both its long and short investment exposure.

**Recommendation:** this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

This Fund is designed to be used only as one component in several in a diversified investment portfolio. Investors should consider carefully the proportion of their portfolio invested into this Fund.

**Fund currency** GBP **Share class currency** USD

### Terms to understand

**Collective Investment Schemes** Funds that invest in shares and other securities from the UK and elsewhere.

**Derivatives** Financial instruments whose value is linked to the price of an underlying asset (eg indices, rates, share prices).

**Money market instruments** A short term debt instrument, issued by a government or company as a way to raise money. Generally considered a cash equivalent.

**Shares / Equities** Securities that represent fractional ownership in a company.

**Short Position** Taking a negative view on a security to profit from a fall in its price.

**Volatility** How sharply the Fund's share price has gone up and down over a period, generally several years.

*You can buy, sell or switch shares in the Fund on any business day, as defined within the "Definitions" Section of the Fund's prospectus.*

*The Fund offers accumulation shares (shares in which net income is retained within the price).*

## Risk and reward profile

♦ Potentially lower reward			Potentially higher reward ♦			
♦ Lower risk			Higher risk ♦			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

The value of an investment and any income from it can go up or down. When you sell your shares they may be worth less than you paid for them.

The risk/reward rating above is based on medium-term volatility. In the future, the Fund's actual volatility could be higher or lower and its rated risk/reward level could change.

The share class appears at 4 out of 7. Share classes in higher categories have shown greater and/or more frequent variations in share price in the past 5 years than those in lower categories. The lowest category does not mean risk free.

The rating does not reflect the possible effects of unusual market conditions or large unpredictable events. Under normal market conditions the following risks may apply:

**Active management risk** Active management techniques that have worked well in normal market conditions could prove ineffective or detrimental at other times.

**Counterparty risk** The Fund could lose money if a counterparty with which it trades becomes unwilling or unable to meet its obligations to the Fund.

**Country or region risk** If a Fund has a high exposure to a particular country or geographical region it carries a higher level of risk than a Fund which is more broadly diversified.

**Derivatives risk** Derivatives use exposes the Fund to risks different from, and potentially greater than, the risks associated with investing directly in securities and may therefore result in additional loss, which could be significantly greater than the cost of the derivative.

**Equities risk** Shares can lose value rapidly, and typically involve higher risks than bonds or money market instruments. The value of your investment may fall as a result.

**Exchange rate risk** Changes in currency exchange rates may cause the value of your investment and any income from it to rise or fall.

**Hedging risk** If the Fund or a specific share class of the Fund seeks to reduce risks (such as exchange rate movements), the measures designed to do so may be ineffective, unavailable or detrimental.

**Higher trading costs** The Fund involves a high level of buying and selling activity and as such will incur a higher level of trading costs than a fund that trades less frequently.

**Leverage risk** Leverage arises from entering into contracts or derivatives whose terms have the effect of magnifying an outcome, meaning profits and losses from investment can be greater.

**Liquidity risk** Any security could become hard to value or to sell at a desired time and price, increasing the risk of investment losses.

The full list of the Fund's risks are contained in the "Risk Factors" section of the Fund's prospectus.

## Charges

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

If you invest through a third party provider you are advised to consult them directly as charges, performance and terms and conditions may differ materially to those shown in this document.

### One-off charges taken before or after you invest\*

Entry Charge	5.00%
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Exit Charge	0.00%**
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\* The charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you may pay less.

\*\* Subject to a charge of up to 3.00% where the Manager suspects excessive trading by an investor (and specifically on subscriptions held for less than 90 days).

### Charges taken from the Fund over a year

Ongoing Charges	0.87%
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The ongoing charges are based on last year's expenses for the year ending 31 May 2017. Ongoing charges may vary from year to year.

The figure for ongoing charges excludes portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an initial charge paid by the Fund when buying shares or units in another fund.

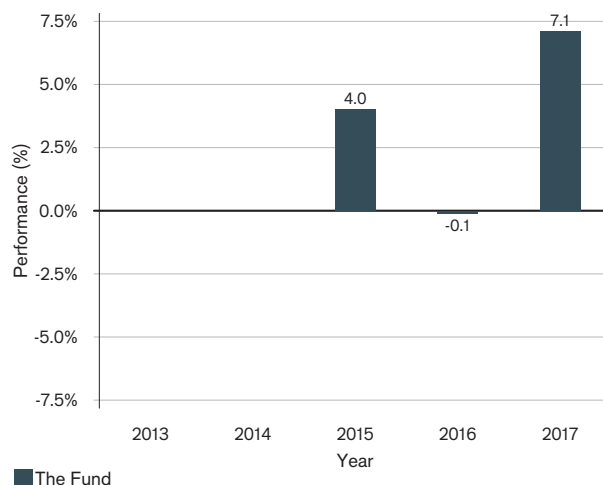
### Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions

Performance fee	20.00%
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In the Fund's last financial year the performance fee was 0.00% of the value of the share class.

For more information about charges, please see the "Charges" section of the Fund's prospectus.

## Past performance



The past performance is calculated in USD.

The Fund was launched in January 2009 and the share class was launched in April 2014.

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

The past performance shown in the chart takes into account all charges except entry charges.

## Practical information

**Depository:** NatWest Trustee and Depository Services Limited.

**To obtain more information:** This Key Investor Information Document may not contain all the information you need.

For the last published price of shares in the Fund, or to obtain the annual/semi-annual report, please visit

[www.janushenderson.com](http://www.janushenderson.com). Documents are available free of charge in English. For a free copy of the Fund's prospectus please contact the registered office of the Fund at 201 Bishopsgate, London EC2M 3AE, UK.

**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:** Henderson Investment Funds 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.

The assets of each sub-fund are segregated, meaning that each sub-fund is insulated from any losses or claims associated with

the other sub-funds.

**To place transaction orders:** You can place orders to buy, sell or switch shares of this Fund by contacting your advisor or distributor, or us directly at Janus Henderson Investors, PO BOX 9023, Chelmsford CM99 2WB or by calling our Investor Services team on 0800 832 832.

Further information about dealing, other share classes of this Fund or other funds in this OEIC may be obtained by visiting [www.janushenderson.com](http://www.janushenderson.com) or found in the Fund's prospectus.

The Fund is authorised in the UK and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority ("FCA"). Henderson Investment Funds Limited is authorised in the UK and regulated by the FCA.

The details of the up-to-date remuneration policy of the Manager are available at [www.janushenderson.com](http://www.janushenderson.com). A paper copy of the remuneration policy will be made available free of charge upon request. These include a description of how pay and benefits are worked out and the people or committee members responsible for awarding them.

*This Key Investor Information is accurate as at 1 October 2018.*