# **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.

## Acadian European Equity UCITS (the "Fund")

A sub-fund of Russell Investment Company plc (the "UĆITS") managed by Carne Global Fund Managers (Ireland) Limited

Class A EUR Accumulation (ISIN: IE00B138F130)

Currency: Euro

### **Objective and Investment Policy**

The Fund aims to achieve long term growth on your investment by investing at least 70% of its assets in the equities of European companies.

The Fund is broadly diversified across European countries and industry sectors. The Fund invests in large and small-sized companies.

The Fund may gain market exposure indirectly through the use of specialist financial techniques (known as derivatives). Derivatives may be used to manage the Fund's exposures, to reduce risk, or to manage the Fund more efficiently.

The Fund may invest up to 10% of its assets in collective investment schemes.

The Fund may invest up to 5% of its assets in warrants.

The Fund may borrow up to 10% of its assets on a temporary basis.

The Fund is actively managed with reference to the MSCI Europe Index (EUR) - Net Returns (the "Index"). The Fund may invest in securities that are components of and/or have similar weightings to the Index although the money manager may also use its discretion to invest in securities not included in the Index in order to take advantage of specific investment opportunities. The deviation away from the Index may be significant.

The Fund seeks to outperform the Index by 2.5% over the medium to long term.

Income of the Fund will be declared as a dividend and then re-invested to increase the value of your investment.

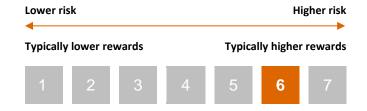
You may sell your shares in the Fund on any day on which banks are normally open for business in Ireland. For further information please

refer to the "Repurchase Applications" section of the prospectus.

**Recommendation:** this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 7 years.

Acadian Asset Management LLC has been appointed as the Money Manager of the Fund.

#### Risk and Reward Profile



The risk category for this Fund was calculated using historical data and is based on how volatile the Fund's shares are likely to be. The risk category may not be a reliable indicator of the Fund's future risk profile. The risk category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and may change over time.

The risk and reward profile is classified by the level of historical fluctuation (i.e. volatility) of the Net Asset Values of the share class, and within this classification, categories 1-2 indicate a low level of historical fluctuations, 3-5 a medium level and 6-7 a high level. A category 1 fund is not a risk-free investment - the risk of losing your money is small, but the chance of making gains is also limited.

The risk category does not take into account the following material risks:

Market risk: the Fund invests in shares and the value of these shares may go down as well as up due to a variety of factors including market and economic conditions, sector, geographical and political events. The Fund may also invest in assets denominated in currencies other than the Fund's base currency and changes in exchange rates may adversely affect the value of your investment. The value of your investment may go down as well as up and investors may not get back the original amount invested.

**Derivative risk:** the Fund may use specialist financial techniques (known as derivatives) to both reduce or "off-set" risk and for investment purposes. The value of a derivative depends primarily on the performance of the underlying asset. A small movement in the value of the underlying asset may cause a large movement in the value of the derivative.

**Exchange rate risk:** the Fund invests in assets denominated in currencies other than the Fund's base currency. Changes in exchange rates may lead to fluctuations in the value of your investment.

For a more detailed explanation of risks, please refer to the "Risk Considerations" section of the prospectus.

# **Charges for this Fund**

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

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	None
Exit charge	None
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it	
is invested and before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.	
Charges taken from the Fund over each year	
Ongoing charges	0.90%
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

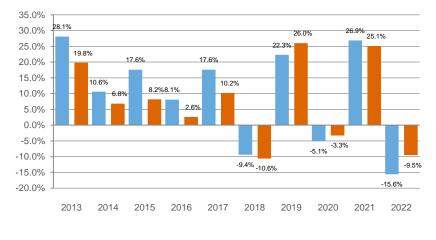
The **entry** and **exit charges** shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less. You can find this out from your financial adviser or distributor.

A charge of up to 5.00% may be payable when switching shares from the Fund to another sub-fund in the UCITS.

The **ongoing charges** figure is based on the expenses for the year ending December 2022. This figure excludes portfolio transaction costs (except for entry/exit charges paid when buying/selling shares in other schemes). This figure may vary from year to year.

You can find out more details about the charges by looking at the **"Fees and Expenses"** section of the prospectus, which is available at <a href="https://russellinvestments.com">https://russellinvestments.com</a>.

#### **Past Performance**



The past performance will not take into account any entry, exit or switching charges but will take into account the ongoing charges, shown in the Charges section above.

The performance of this class is calculated in Euro.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

The Fund launched on 18 September 2006. This class started to issue shares on 18 September 2006.

#### **Practical Information**

Class A EUR Accumulation

The depositary is State Street Custodial Services (Ireland) Limited.

The share price is published on each business day and is available online at www.bloomberg.com.

■MSCI Europe Index (EUR) - Net Returns

Further information about the Fund, copies of the prospectus, the latest annual and semi-annual reports may be obtained free of charge by writing to Russell Investments, P.O. Box 786055, Rex House, 10 Regent Street, London SW1Y 4PE, England. They are also available online at <a href="https://russellinvestments.com">https://russellinvestments.com</a>.

This Fund is subject to tax laws and regulations of Ireland. Depending on your home country of residence, this might have an impact on your personal tax position. For further details, please speak to your financial adviser.

You may switch your shares to the shares of another sub-fund of the UCITS subject to a 5% handling charge. For further information please refer to the "Administration of the Company" section of the prospectus.

This key investor information is specific to this share class. The prospectus, annual and semi-annual reports are prepared for the entire UCITS.

Acadian European Equity UCITS is a sub-fund of the UCITS. The assets and liabilities of each sub-fund are segregated which means the assets of a sub-fund cannot be used to meet the liabilities of another sub-fund.

Carne Global Fund Managers (Ireland) 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 UCITS.

Details of the remuneration policy of the Manager is available on the Manager's website, <a href="https://www.carnegroup.com/policies">https://www.carnegroup.com/policies</a>. A paper copy will be available free of charge from the office of the Manager upon request.

Information about the Fund and Russell Investments' responsible investing policies can be found at <a href="https://russellinvestments.com/ie/important-information">https://russellinvestments.com/ie/important-information</a>

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This key investor information is accurate as at 17 February 2023.