

# Signia Growth Fund Fund Factsheet (GBP)

As at 30th June 2024

### Overview

### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

To increase the value of your investment in excess of 7% a year, net of fees, over any 5 year period. There is no certainty the investment objective will be achieved. This is through a combination of capital growth (which is profit on investments held) and income (which is money paid out of investments such as dividends from shares and interest from bonds).

#### **SUITABILITY**

Investments are suitable for retail investors whose investment requirements are aligned with the objectives, policies and risk profile of the Fund.

#### **ASSET ALLOCATION PROFILE**

The Fund is actively managed, meaning Signia Invest (the "Investment Manager") decides which investments to buy and sell, and when. The Fund will have exposure to a broad range of asset classes and investments across different industries and geographical regions, however not all asset classes may be held at all times. This will include:

- Between 5% and 50% in bonds and cash.
- Between 40% and 85% in shares of companies.
- Up to 20% in alternative assets; such as, regulated funds employing a hedge fund type strategy and structured products, which are securities whose returns are linked to underlying assets or markets (such as shares, bonds, currencies, commodities or interest rates).
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### **Fund Information**

| Target Total Return     | 7% +         |  |  |
|-------------------------|--------------|--|--|
|                         |              |  |  |
| Inc                     | GB00BNG2G573 |  |  |
| Acc                     | GB00BNG2G466 |  |  |
| ISIN                    |              |  |  |
| Available share classes | Acc & Inc    |  |  |
| OCF                     | 1.40%        |  |  |
| Initial charge          | 0.00%        |  |  |
| ISA/SIPP Eligible       | YES          |  |  |
| Legal structure         | OEIC         |  |  |
| Inception Date          | July 2021    |  |  |

### Portfolio Composition

| ASSET ALLOCATION RANGES (%) |           |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| Bonds and Cash 5 - 50%      |           |  |  |  |
| Shares of Companies         | 40 - 85%  |  |  |  |
| Alternatives                | 0 - 20%   |  |  |  |
|                             |           |  |  |  |
| CURRENCY ALLOCATION RANGES  |           |  |  |  |
| GBP                         | 50 - 100% |  |  |  |
| Other                       | 0 - 50%   |  |  |  |

### TYPICAL ASSET ALLOCATION





### Fund's Top 10 Holdings (%)

As at 30<sup>th</sup> June 2024

| Sector                      | Security Name                                        | Currency | Weightings |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Equities                    | T. Rowe Price Global Focused Growth Equity Q GBP Acc | GBP      | 9.28%      |
| Equities                    | db x-trackers S&P 500 ETF 1C USD Acc                 | USD      | 8.27%      |
| Equities                    | Invesco S&P 500 ETF USD Acc                          | USD      | 7.52%      |
| Equities                    | Dodge & Cox WW US Stock A USD Acc                    | USD      | 7.27%      |
| Equities                    | Nomura Japan Strategic Value Fund R GBP Hedged       | GBP      | 6.92%      |
| Equities                    | Ardtur European Focus I EUR Acc                      | EUR      | 6.09%      |
| Investment Grade Corporates | Robeco Global Credits Fund GBP Hedged Acc            | GBP      | 5.03%      |
| Equities                    | Fidelity Asia Pacific Opportunities W GBP Acc        | GBP      | 4.95%      |
| Equities                    | Invesco EQQQ Nasdaq 100                              |          | 4.71%      |
| High Yield                  | BlueBay Fin Cap Bond Fund GBP Hedged Acc             |          | 4.38%      |
| Total                       |                                                      |          | 64.42%     |

### Fund Performance Summary:

The Fund launched in July 2021, but the strategy has been running since 2011

Month 5Y Rolling Since 1.62% 7.23% 5.22% 138.72% Performance: Inception: Peformance: Annualised

### Portfolio Statistics: Signia Growth Performance Indicators since Inception - January 2011\*

| Annualised Return | Annualised Volatility | Sharpe Ratio |
|-------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| 6.70%             | 9.94%                 | 0.57         |

- Volatility A statistical measure of the variation of returns for a given asset, index or portfolio over a specified time period.
   Sharpe Ratio This measures the performance of an investment compared to a risk-free asset after adjusting for its risk.

Source: Bloomberg, Arbion Limited. Data as of 30.06.2024

<sup>\*</sup>Fund performance prior to July 2021 is based on the model performance of the underlying strategy. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.



#### HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE



#### **IA MIXED INVESTMENT 40 - 85% SHARES**



### ANNUAL RETURNS %

|                                            | 2018   | 2019   | 2020  | 2021   | 2022    | 2023   | 2024<br>YTD |
|--------------------------------------------|--------|--------|-------|--------|---------|--------|-------------|
| IFSL Signia<br>Growth<br>Fund<br>Return    | -8.35% | 16.04% | 8.21% | 11.04% | -13.53% | 11.30% | 7.23%       |
| IA Mixed<br>Investment<br>40-85%<br>Shares | -6.07% | 15.94% | 5.50% | 11.22% | -10.18% | 8.10%  | 5.92%       |

Source: Morningstar; Arbion Limited. Data as of 30.06.2024

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### Some Key Members of Signia Invest's Investment Team



ROBERT LEE, CO-PM

■IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares

CO-HEAD OF MULTI-ASSET INVESTMENTS, HEAD OF RATES



AMMALAN ANNALINGAM CO-PM

CO-HEAD OF MULTI-ASSET INVESTMENTS

Robert has been managing the wealth of private clients since 2006 as a portfolio manager and fixed income specialist. He is jointly responsible for the multi-asset investment team, global fixed income strategies, and Signia's retail funds business. Previously, he worked for Lehman Brothers on the European Capital Markets team, and then Coutts & Co where he was a member of the fixed income and foreign exchange selection committees, responsible for managing the advisory and discretionary portfolios for private clients and institutions. Robert is a Chartered Financial Analyst and a member of the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment.

Ammalan has over 20 years of experience and is jointly responsible for investment oversight of all mandates managed by the multi-asset team. Additionally, he is responsible for contributing towards the team's macroeconomic views and multi-asset portfolio positioning and construction. Previously he has worked for London Diversified Fund Management, a global macro hedge fund, ECM, a fixed income asset manager and Credit Suisse First Boston. He began his career at Ernst & Young in the International Capital Markets Group where he qualified as an accountant. He also sits on the Derivatives exam panel of the CISI.



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