

# **Key Information Document**

#### **Purpose**

This document provides you with key information about this investment product. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature, risks, costs, potential gains and losses of this product and to help you compare it with other products.

### **Product**

# Alguity Global Impact Fund

a sub-fund of Alquity SICAV

# GBP R Class Retail/Reporting Shares - LU1049765818

This product is authorised in Luxembourg.

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## What is this product?

Type
This product is a share of an investment company qualifying as an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities (UCITS).

This sub-fund has no maturity date. However, the board of directors may decide to close the sub-fund under certain circumstances.

The sub-fund aims to achieve long-term capital appreciation by investing in companies committed to delivering sustainable long-term earnings streams by delivering quality products and services that have positive future societal impacts. The sub-fund has a sustainable investment as its objective within the meaning of article 9 of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088 of 27 November 2019 on sustainability-related disclosures in the financial services sector.

The sub-fund will essentially invest in a widely diversified portfolio of companies such as medium enterprises (SMEs) and the commercial and industrial (C&I) which operate across the entire value chain in sustainable/green energy, agricultural, health, humanitarian and educational system sectors.

The sub-fund may also invest in equity securities that, have a positive impact in terms of one or more of the United Nation Sustainable Development Goals (SDG's), and/or support the societal transition to a low carbon, and/or meet high and improving Environmental, Social and Governance criteria, and/or deliver and are committed to maintaining above average metrics for areas such as, but not limited to: gender equality and diversity, the quality of pay, efficiency-water, waste and energy as proxy, and/or, Maximise the use of technology to solve important societal issues, and/or, exclude sectors that serve no positive social purpose (i.e.tobacco, liquor, gambling, narcotics, adukt entertainment, armaments, fossil fuels, coal mining)

The investment manager will use quantitative and/or qualitative approaches to build the portfolio, and will incorporate the managers proprietary ESG frameworks to help build a portfolio consistent with high ESG aims and delivery of positive societal impacts.

Investments will be made in companies that will benefit from the transition to a new and more circular economy based around the aspirations of agendas such as the United Nation Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The sub-fund will mainly invest, directly or indirectly, in equities.

The sub-fund may also invest in assets such as bonds, Money Market instruments, time deposits, derivatives instruments etc.

The sub-fund may, on an ancillary basis, hold cash and equivalents.

The sub-fund is unconstrained, with a thematic process that incorporates ESG (environmental, social, governance) and impact analysis. The ESG analysis eliminates over 20% of potential stocks that have passed our thematic filter. Furthermore, in order to meet our desired portfolio characteristics and tracking error, we may optimise the portfolio with reference to a relevant index. It is our intention that the investments contained within the sub-fund will collectively emit lower GHG and use less water than the relevant index.

Benchmark: The portfolio is actively managed on a discretionary basis without reference to a benchmark.

Intended retail investor

The sub-fund is suitable for investors who are prepared to accept a high level of risk and who plan to maintain their investment over a medium to long term period. Note: For reference only, investors should consider their own specific circumstances, including, without limitation, their own risk tolerance level, financial circumstances and investment objectives prior to investing in the sub-fund.

Depositary: Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken. AB (publ) - Luxembourg Branch

Dividend income: This class is a capitalisation class meaning that income is reinvested.

Conversion right: The investor has the right to convert his investment in shares in one sub-fund for shares in the same sub-fund or in another sub-fund. The investor can obtain information about how to convert in the prospectus of the fund.

Segregation: The assets and liabilities of a sub-fund are segregated pursuant to the law so that the commitments and liabilities of one sub-fund do not affect the other sub-funds.

Additional information: Additional information about the fund, copies of its prospectus, the latest annual and semi-annual report and the latest prices of shares may be obtained free of charge from the management company or on com. The prospectus and the periodic reports are prepared for the entire fund and are available in English. The management company may inform you about other languages in which these documents are available.

This sub-fund was launched in 2014 and this share class in 2014.

The reference currency of the sub-fund is expressed in USD. The currency of the share class is expressed in GBP. For this share class, the foreign-exchange risk of the share currency is not hedged against the sub-fund's reference currency.

## What are the risks and what could I get in return?

Risk indicator



The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you.

We have classified this product as 5 out of 7, which is a medium-high risk

class

This rates the potential losses from future performance at a medium-high level, and poor market conditions will likely impact our capacity to pay you.

**Be aware of currency risk.** You may receive payments in a currency that differs from your reference currency, so the final return you will get depends on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above.

The sub-fund is also exposed to the following materially relevant risks that are not included in the summary risk indicator:

Currency risk, emerging and Frontier markets risk, derivatives, liquidity risk, operational risk, legal or tax risk, ESG risk.

This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

If we are not able to pay you what is owed, you could lose your entire investment.

Performance scenarios

Recommended holding p	period: 5 years			
Example investment: 10,	000 GBP			
		If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 5 years (recommended holding period)	
Scenarios				
Minimum	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You	There is no minimum guaranteed return. You could lose some or all of your investment.		
Stress	What you might get back after costs	730 GBP	570 GBP	
	Average return each year	-92.7 %	-43.5 %	
Unfavourable	What you might get back after costs	6,090 GBP	6,930 GBP	
	Average return each year	-39.1 %	-7.1 %	
Moderate	What you might get back after costs	9,480 GBP	9,070 GBP	
	Average return each year	-5.2 %	-1.9 %	
Favourable	What you might get back after costs	14,040 GBP	12,660 GBP	
	Average return each year	40.4 %	4.8 %	

The figures shown include all the costs of the product itself, but may not include all the costs that you pay to your advisor or distributor. The figures do not take into account your personal tax situation, which may also affect how much you get back.

What you will get from this product depends on future market performance. Market developments in the future are uncertain and cannot be accurately predicted.

The unfavourable, moderate and favourable scenarios shown are illustrations using the worst, average, and best performance of the product and of a suitable benchmark over the last 10 years. Markets could develop very differently in the future.

Unfavourable scenario: This type of scenario occurred for an investment be-

tween September 2017 and September 2022.

Moderate scenario: This type of scenario occurred for an investment between June 2016 and June 2021.

Favourable scenario: This type of scenario occurred for an investment between December 2014 and December 2019.

The stress scenario shows what you might get back in extreme market circumstances.

## What happens if Alquity SICAV is unable to pay out?

If we are not able to pay you out what we owe you, you are not covered by any national compensation or guarantee scheme. To protect you, the assets are held with a separate company, the depositary Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken. AB (publ) – Luxembourg Branch. Should we default, the investments are liquidated and the proceeds are distributed to the investors. In the worst case, however, you could lose your entire investment.

### What are the costs?

The person advising on or selling you this product may charge you other costs. If so, this person will provide you with information about these costs and how they affect your investment.

#### Costs over time

The tables show the amounts that are taken from your investment to cover different types of costs. These amounts depend on how much you invest, how long you hold the product and how well the product does. The amounts shown here are illustrations based on an example investment amount and different possible investment periods.

#### We have assumed:

- In the first year you would get back the amount that you invested (0% annual return). For the other holding period we have assumed the product performs as shown in the moderate scenario
- 10,000 GBP is invested

	If you exit after 1 year	If you exit after 5 years
Total costs	856 GBP	2,411 GBP
Annual cost impact (*)	8.6 %	4.6 % each year

(\*) This illustrates how costs reduce your return each year over the holding period. For example it shows that if you exit at the recommended holding period your average return per year is projected to be 2.7% before costs and -1.9% after costs.

We may share part of the costs with the person selling you the product to cover the services they provide to you. They will inform you of the amount. These figures include the maximum distribution fee that the person selling you the product may charge (0.3% of amount invested / 31 GBP). This person will inform you of the actual distribution fee.

#### Composition of costs

One-off costs upon entry or exit		If you exit after 1 year
Entry costs	5.0% of the amount you pay in when entering this investment.	500 GBP
Exit costs	We do not charge an exit fee for this product.	0 GBP
Ongoing costs taken each year	*	
Management fees and other administrative or operating costs	2.5% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate based on actual costs over the last year.	245 GBP
Transaction costs	1.1% of the value of your investment per year. This is an estimate of the costs incurred when we buy and sell the underlying investments for the product. The actual amount will vary depending on how much we buy and sell.	111 GBP
Incidental costs taken under s	pecific conditions	
Performance fees	15% of the amount by which this class of share has performed over and above its previous high watermark. The actual amount will vary depending on how well your investment performs. The aggregated cost estimation above includes the average over the last 5 years.	0 GBP

# How long should I hold it and can I take money out early?

#### Recommended holding period: 5 years

You should be prepared to stay invested for 5 years. However, you can redeem your investment without penalty at any time during this time, or hold the investment longer. Redemptions are possible on each full bank business day in Luxembourg and the United Kingdom. In exceptional circumstances, your right to request the redemption of your investment may be limited or suspended.

#### How can I complain?

If you have any complaints about the product, the conduct of the manufacturer or the person that advised on or sold this product, you can use different communication channels: by e-mail to complianceofficer@alquity.com, by letter to 2nd Floor, 9 Kingsway, London, WC2B 6XF, United Kingdom, by phone calling the number +44(0) 207 5577 850.

In all cases, the complainant must clearly indicate his/her contact details (name, address, phone number or email address) and provide a brief explanation of the claim. More information is available on our website <a href="https://www.alquity.com">www.alquity.com</a>.

#### Other relevant information

The prospectus, the latest version of the Key Information Document as well as the latest annual and semi-annual report, may be obtained free of charge on www.alquity.com.

Past performance and previous performance scenarios: Historical returns for the last 2 years and previously published performance scenarios, updated on a monthly basis, are available on https://www.yourpriips.eu/site/80852/en.