

# Non-UCITS Retail Scheme 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.

abrdn MyFolio Market IV Fund, a Sterling denominated sub fund of the abrdn OEIC III, Retail Acc Shares (ISIN: GB00B55VSY27). This fund is managed by abrdn Fund Managers Limited.

## OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY

### Investment Objective

To generate growth over the long term (5 years or more) while being managed to a defined level of risk. The fund is part of the MyFolio Market range, which offers five funds with different expected combinations of investment risk and return. This fund is risk level IV, which aims to be the second highest risk fund in this range.

**Risk Target:** The defined level of risk referred to above that the management team is targeting is within the range of 60–90% of world stock markets (represented by the MSCI World Index), over 10 years. There is no certainty or promise that this target will be achieved. The Risk Target has been chosen as it represents a risk range which is appropriate for the fund.

**Performance Comparator:** For comparison purposes, investors can compare the fund's long term performance to a basket of assets (before charges) with a risk profile at the lower range of the Risk Target stated above (i.e. 60% of world stock markets), which is considered appropriate given the investment policy and Risk Target of the fund. This basket is composed 20% FTSE All-Share Index, 40% MSCI World ex UK Index and 40% SONIA Index.

### Investment Policy Portfolio Securities

- The fund will invest at least 60% in passively managed funds (which aim to replicate performance of a market index) and up to 40% in actively managed funds (which invest using manager discretion), including those managed by abrdn, to obtain broad exposure to a range of diversified investments.

- Typically, at least 60% of the fund will be invested in assets traditionally viewed as being higher risk such as equities (company shares), commercial property and emerging market bonds (which are like loans to companies or governments that pay a rate of interest, invested in regions including Eastern Europe, Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Middle East).

- The rest of the fund is invested in a selection of other assets. These will

include assets such as cash, assets that can be turned into cash quickly, government bonds (which are like loans to governments that pay interest) and investment grade corporate bonds (which are like loans to companies that pay interest and are typically regarded as having a low default risk) and funds that use a combination of equities, bonds (which are like loans to companies or governments that pay interest) and derivatives.

### Management Process

- The management team use their discretion (active management) to select funds within each asset class and ensure that the strategic asset allocation (long-term proportions in each asset class) meets the fund's objectives.

- In addition, they will take tactical asset allocations (changing short term proportions in each asset class) with the aim of improving returns. - Please note that the number contained in the fund name is not related to the SRRI contained in the Key Investor Information document (NURS-KII).

### Derivatives and Techniques

- The fund is not expected to invest in derivatives directly however it may invest in other funds which use derivatives.

- Derivatives are linked to the value of other assets. In other words, they derive their price from one or more underlying asset.

Investors in the fund may buy and sell shares on any dealing day (as defined in the Prospectus).

If you invest in income shares, income from investments in the fund will be paid out to you. If you invest in accumulation shares, income will be added to the value of your shares.

**Recommendation:** the fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years. Investors should satisfy themselves that their attitude to risk aligns with the risk profile of this fund before investing.

The fund's realized volatility may not always be within the volatility band for the stated risk level and at times observing the asset allocation restrictions may limit capital growth.

## RISK AND REWARD PROFILE



This indicator reflects the volatility of the fund's share price over the last five years which in turn reflects the volatility of the underlying assets in which the fund invests. Historical data may not be a reliable indication for the future.

The current rating is not guaranteed and may change if the volatility of the assets in which the fund invests changes. The lowest rating does not mean risk free.

The fund is rated as 5 because of the extent to which the following risk factors apply:

- The fund invests in securities which are subject to the risk that the issuer may default on interest or capital payments.
- The fund price can go up or down daily for a variety of reasons including changes in interest rates, inflation expectations or the perceived credit quality of individual countries or securities.
- The fund invests in equity and equity related securities. These are sensitive to variations in the stock markets which can be volatile and change substantially in short periods of time.
- The fund invests in emerging market equities and / or bonds. Investing in emerging markets involves a greater risk of loss than investing in more developed markets due to, among other factors, greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and regulatory risks.
- Commercial property is less liquid than other asset classes such as bonds or equities. Selling property can be a lengthy process so investors in the fund should be aware that they may not be able to sell their investment when they want to.
- Commercial property transaction charges are higher than those which apply in other asset classes. Investors should be aware that a high volume of transactions would have a material impact on fund returns.
- Property valuation is a matter of judgment by an independent valuer

and is therefore a matter of the valuer's opinion rather than fact.

- The use of derivatives carries the risk of reduced liquidity, substantial loss and increased volatility in adverse market conditions, such as a failure amongst market participants. The use of derivatives may result in the fund being leveraged (where market exposure and thus the potential for loss by the fund exceeds the amount it has invested) and in these market conditions the effect of leverage will be to magnify losses.

- The fund invests in high yielding bonds which carry a greater risk of default than those with lower yields.

- The fund employs a single swinging pricing methodology to protect against the dilution impact of transaction costs. Due to the high transaction charges associated with the fund's assets, a change in the pricing basis will result in a significant movement in the fund's published price.

All investment involves risk. This fund offers no guarantee against loss or that the fund's objective will be attained.

The price of assets and the income from them may go down as well as up and cannot be guaranteed; an investor may receive back less than their original investment.

Inflation reduces the buying power of your investment and income.

The value of assets held in the fund may rise and fall as a result of exchange rate fluctuations.

The fund could lose money if an entity (counterparty) with which it does business becomes unwilling or unable to honour its obligations to the fund.

In extreme market conditions some securities may become hard to value or sell at a desired price. This could affect the fund's ability to meet redemptions in a timely manner.

The fund could lose money as the result of a failure or delay in operational processes and systems including but not limited to third party providers failing or going into administration.

## CHARGES

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

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

Entry charge	4.00%
Exit charge	0.00%

These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested and before we pay out the sale proceeds of your investment. In some cases, you might pay less and you should speak to your financial adviser about this.

### Charges taken from the fund over a year

Ongoing charges	0.70%
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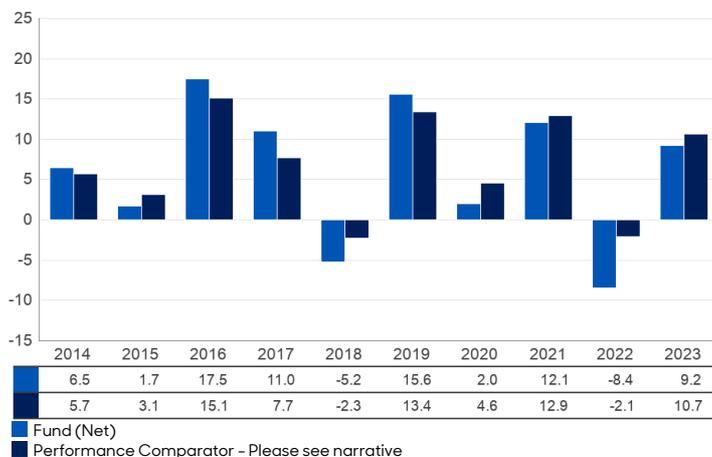
### Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions

Performance fee	0.00%
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## PAST PERFORMANCE

abrnd MyFolio Market IV Fund, Retail Acc, 31. December 2023

% Returns



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. The Ongoing Charges figure reflects the amount based on the expenses within the annual report for each financial year. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes: performance fees (where applicable); portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the fund when buying or selling in another collective investment undertaking.

Where the Fund invests in an open-ended collective investment scheme which is operated or managed by the ACD/the Manager or an associate of the ACD/the Manager, no additional annual management charge will be incurred by the Fund on such an investment.

The annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

The Ongoing Charge figure is as at 31/12/2023.

A switching charge may be applied in accordance with the Prospectus. For more information about charges please see Prospectus.

Further information on the charges can be found in the Prospectus.

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

Performance is net of charges and does not take into account any entry, exit or switching charges but does take into account the ongoing charge, as shown in the Charges section.

Performance is calculated in GBP.

The fund was launched in 2010. The share/unit class was launched in 2010.

Performance Comparator – 20% FTSE All-Share, 40% MSCI World ex UK, 40% SONIA

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Name of Depositary: Citibank UK Limited, Citigroup Centre, Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London E14 5LB.

Further information about abrnd OEIC III (Prospectus, report & accounts) can be found at [www.abrnd.com](http://www.abrnd.com), where documents may be obtained free of charge.

Other practical information (e.g. where to find latest share prices) can be found in documents held at [www.abrnd.com](http://www.abrnd.com).

Details of the up to date remuneration policy which includes a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identities of the persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits and the composition of the remuneration committee, are available at [www.abrnd.com](http://www.abrnd.com) and a paper copy will be available free of charge upon request from abrnd Fund Managers Limited.

Prospective investors should consult their own professional advisers on the potential tax consequences of acquiring, holding or selling shares. abrnd Fund Managers 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 abrnd OEIC III.

Other share classes are available in the fund and further information about these can be found in the abrnd OEIC III.

abrnd OEIC III is an umbrella structure comprising a number of different sub funds, one of which is this fund.

This document is specific to the fund and share class stated at the beginning of this document. However, the Prospectus, annual and half-yearly reports are prepared for the entire umbrella.

The assets of a sub fund within the umbrella belong exclusively to that sub fund and shall not be used or made available to discharge (directly or indirectly) the liabilities of, or claims against, any other person or body including abrnd OEIC III and any other sub fund. Any liability incurred on behalf of or attributable to any sub fund shall be discharged solely out of the assets of that sub fund.

Investors may switch their shares in the fund for shares in another sub fund within abrnd OEIC III. For further information please refer to the Prospectus (section on 'Switching') which can be found at [www.abrnd.com](http://www.abrnd.com).