

### Class D Shares - Retail Net (Unbundled)

## Fund fact sheet date: 30 September 2018

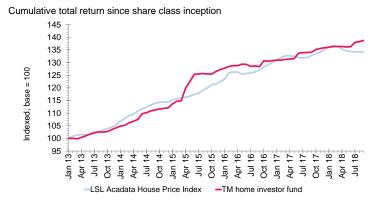
TM home investor fund is the UK's first Financial Conduct Authority authorised residential Property Authorised Investment Fund (PAIF)

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#### **Investment Objective**

The Fund invests in private rented sector housing across the mainland UK regions and aims to capture UK house price growth plus provide an element of income return. The property investment manager, Hearthstone Asset Management Limited, uses quantitative asset allocation methods and qualitative regional stock selection to build a portfolio of assets reflecting the distribution of UK mainland housing stock. These properties are let under assured shorthold tenancy agreements (AST's) and corporate lets. Investment returns comprise capital growth and rental income.

#### Fund v. Benchmark



Cumulative total return (%) over period:

	1m	3m	6m	1y	Зу	5у
TM home investor fund	0.36	1.83	1.76	3.50	10.59	35.38
LSL Acadata House Price Index	-0.14	-0.22	-1.66	0.94	11.76	29.84



Discrete total return (%) 12 months ending:

■TM home investor fund

	Sep 14	Sep 15	Sep 16	Sep 17	Sep 18
TM home investor fund	8.58	12.75	2.31	4.44	3.50
LSL Acadata House Price Index	10.31	5.31	5.96	4.50	0.94

LSL Acadata House Price Index

Performance of Class D Shares - Retail Net (Unbundled) Accumulation, launched 07/01/2013. Prevailing single price\*, net of charges, in GBP with net income reinvested. Performance of other classes may vary. Source of all data: Financial Express and LSL Acadata 30/09/2018

\*On 09-04-2015, the fund switched to a swinging single pricing basis with the prevailing single price used for performance calculation. Prior to that date, the fund was dual priced, with performance calculated on a bid-to-bid basis.

Important: You may get back less than the amount invested. Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance and future returns are not guaranteed.

### **Property Investment Advisor's commentary**

The general level of uncertainty about Brexit has continued to constrain volume and prices in the owner occupier market. Nevertheless, LSL Acadata reports an expected 72,500 housing sales in September, down 16% before seasonal adjustment, but still running at an annual level of nearly 900,000 sales. In this relatively low volume market house price movements are also restrained. Acadata reports significant regional variations around a national 12 month increase of 0.9%, but a monthly move of -0.1%. The best performing areas were Outer London and the Midlands, both locations where the Fund has large holdings.

Separately Acadata report annual price rises of 3.9%, with Glasgow and Edinburgh being the strongest locations. All of the Fund's homes in Scotland are in Edinburgh.

Stock selection remains key to portfolio performance and the Independent Valuer reported an overall increase in value of the portfolio of 0.26% in September, with no property value being reduced.

Rental demand for our homes remains high: Excluding 7 properties which are currently for sale, 97% of the Fund's properties were occupied at the end of September, which represents just 2.75% of rent lost to voids.

The RICS monthly survey shows rental demand increasing for the fourth month in a row, and rental growth expectations of 2% this year rising to an average of 3.5% over the next five years. Increasing average earnings +2.7% in August are slightly above inflation, which supports the view that rents will continue to rise.

## Portfolio Facts

Fund asset allocation			
Cash or equivalent	6.59%		
Property - North West	6.44%		
Property - North East	0.34%		
Property - Yorks & Humber	2.21%		
Property - South East	25.63%		
Property - South West	8.45%		
Property - Wales	0.00%		
Property - Scotland	3.23%		
Property - East of England	15.45%		
Property - East Midlands	9.29%		
Property - West Midlands	5.69%		
Property - London	16.70%		

Top 10 property holdings				
Holding	Units	Value		
Quadrant Court, Wembley, London HA9	23	£7,655,000		
Wickhurst Green, Horsham, RH12	14	£4,550,000		
The Limes, Nottingham, NG8	18	£3,730,000		
Spectrum, Manchester M3	17	£2,910,000		
King Georges Park, Rowhedge, CO5	8	£2,530,000		
Mansion House, Colchester, CO2	16	£2,370,000		
Rea Road, Northfield, Birmingham. B31	14	£1,900,000		
Henmead House, Haywards Heath, RH16	6	£1,845,000		
Portland View, Bristol, BS2	6	£1,755,000		
Pandora Close, Locks Heath, SO31	4	£1,300,000		

Property portfolio metrics			
Flats	101		
Terraced	46		
Semi	41		
Detached	18		
Total number of properties	206		
Average property value	£247,370		
Average tenant stay	21 months		
12 month average occupancy rate (% of income)	94.16%		





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## Costs and charges

0.00% Entry charge: 0.00% Exit charge: Annual charges ('OCF')\*: 1.61%

\* OCF is based on estimated annual expenses, and includes the Annual Management Charge of 0.9%. The OCF may vary from year to year.

Please note that past performance on the first page is shown after charges

#### Minimum investment

(May not apply for investment via online platforms or wraps)

Initial: £1,000 Additional: £500 £50 Monthly:

### Price and Yield at 30 September 2018

£ 1.389 Fund price: Estimated vield: 0.83 % (net) Distribution dates: Annual: 31 Oct

Interim: 28 Feb, 31 May, 30 Nov

#### Investment ratios

Annualised over last 36 monthly prices. Source: Financial Express Analytics.

Volatility: 1.64 % Maximum drawdown: -0.86 %

#### How to invest

This share/unit class is available on the platforms listed below. Other classes may be

available on different platforms.

## Adviser/Wealth Manager platforms:

A.I Bell Allfunds Alliance Trust Ascentric Cofunds Institutional

Hubwise Pershing Parmenion Raymond James Transact

## Direct to consumer (non-advised)

platforms: A.I Bell Alliance Trust Hargreaves Lansdown Interactive Investor Willis Owen

#### **Key fund information**

Fund name: TM home investor fund (a subfund of the TM

Hearthstone ICVC)

Benchmark: LSL Acadata House Price Index

Fund launch date: 25/07/2012 Share class launch date: 07/01/2013 £54,815,753 Fund size: Share/unit class size: £3,131,464

**UK Residential Property** Primary asset class: **OEIC** with PAIF Tax Status Structure:

Distribution type: Accumulation

Daily Pricing frequency: Daily Subscription frequency: Redemption frequency: Daily 22:30 Dealing time: Settlement:

#### **Fund Codes**

Class: Class D Shares - Retail Net (Unbundled)

MiFID category: Non-complex Sedol: B960879 ISIN: GB00B9608795

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## **Fund ratings**





**FE Risk Score** 

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