# **Guinness European Equity Income**

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%

269

23.1

16.4

131

9.7

6.3

3.3

1.2 100.0

## **Fund Facts**

**Risks** 

available on our website.

Fund launch	19.12.2013
Strategy launch	19.12.2013
Manager(s)	Nick Edwards, Will James
Fund size	\$70.3m
Strategy size	\$71.2m
Benchmark	MSCI Europe ex UK TR
Historic yield	3.3% (Y GBP Dist)
Region	Europe Ex UK
Morningstar Category	Europe ex-UK Equity
IA sector	Europe Excluding UK
Base Currency	USD
Structure	OEIC (UCITS)
Domicile	Ireland
ISA eligible	Yes
Reporting status	Yes
Pricing	Daily, forwards
Valuation	2300 Dublin time
Year end	31 December
Custodian	Brown Brothers Harriman

Guinness European Equity Income Fund is an equity fund. Investors should be willing and able to assume the risks of equity investing. The value of an investment and the income from it can fall as well as rise as a result of market and currency movement; you may not get back the amount originally invested. For full information on the risks, please refer to the Prospectus, Supplement, and KID/KIID for the Fund, which are

Source: FE fundinfo net of fees to 30.04.2025. Investors should note that fees and expenses

are charged to the capital of the Fund. This reduces the return on your investment by an

amount equivalent to the Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF). The OCF used for the Fund

performance returns is 0.89%. which was the OCF over the calendar year 2024. Returns for

share classes with a different OCF will vary accordingly. Transaction costs also apply

and are incurred when a fund buys or sells holdings. The performance returns do not

reflect any initial charge; any such charge

as a percentage of the mid-market price, as at the latest month end. It does not include

any preliminary charges. Investors may be

Historic yield reflects the distributions declared over the past 12 months expressed

subject to tax on the distribution.

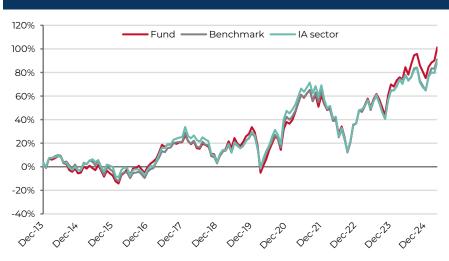
will also reduce the return.

Top 10 holdings	%	Country	%	Sector
Mapfre	3.5	France	33.0	Financials
Danone	3.5	Switzerland	9.8	Industrials
АХА	3.5	Netherlands	9.7	Consumer Staples
Konecranes	3.4	Finland	6.7	Health Care
Banca Generali	3.4	Italy	6.7	Information Technology
Novo Nordisk	3.4	Sweden	6.6	Communication Services
SPIE SA	3.4	Germany	6.5	Consumer Discretionary
Melexis	3.4	Denmark	6.4	
Euronext	3.4	Spain	3.5	
Atlas Copco	3.4	Other	9.9	
Top 10 holdings	34.1	Cash	1.2	Cash
Number of holdings	30		100.0	

### Performance (to Month End) - Past performance does not predict future returns

	1 Month	YTD	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr
Fund (GBP)	+2.3%	+7.8%	+8.4%	+33.8%	+88.2%	+129.0%
Benchmark (GBP)	+1.4%	+8.9%	+6.2%	+29.5%	+71.5%	+108.8%
IA sector (GBP)	+1.9%	+7.6%	+4.3%	+26.4%	+66.8%	+107.5%
Fund (USD)	+5.9%	+15.0%	+15.6%	+42.3%	+99.3%	+99.5%
Benchmark (USD)	+4.9%	+16.1%	+13.2%	+37.8%	+81.6%	+81.5%
IA sector (USD)	+5.4%	+14.7%	+11.2%	+34.5%	+76.6%	+80.4%
Fund (EUR)	+0.6%	+4.7%	+8.7%	+32.1%	+92.1%	+96.1%
Benchmark (EUR)	-0.3%	+5.8%	+6.5%	+27.9%	+75.0%	+78.9%
IA sector (EUR)	+0.2%	+4.5%	+4.6%	+24.8%	+70.2%	+77.8%

#### Performance Since Launch (USD)



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## **Fund Profile**

#### Aim

Income and long-term capital growth

#### **Investment** Case

Provides exposure to European (ex UK) dividend paying companies. Dividend payers outperform in the long term, dividend growers even more so. Dividend paying companies can protect against inflation over the long term.

#### Process

Starting point is quality, not yield. Focus on profitable companies generating persistently high return on capital over the last decade.

#### Portfolio

Concentrated, typically equally-weighted portfolio of 30 stocks, which reduces stockspecific risk and instils a strong sell discipline. Low turnover; minimum \$500m market cap; no benchmark-driven constraints on sector and regional weightings.

#### Investment Objective

An equity fund investing primarily in European Ex UK companies. Primarily the companies invested in will pay dividends.

The Fund is actively managed and uses the MSCI Europe Ex UK Index as a comparator benchmark only.

For the avoidance of doubt, if you decide to invest, you will be buying units/shares in the Fund and will not be investing directly in the underlying assets of the Fund.

### **Ratings & Awards**



Share classes									
Class	Currency	Acc/Dist	OCF	Maximum Initial Charge	ISIN	Bloomberg			
Y GBP Acc	GBP	Acc	0.89%	5%	IE00BYVHVZ98	GUEEYGA ID			
Y GBP Dist	GBP	Dist	0.89%	5%	IE00BYVHWJ06	GUEEYGD ID			
Y USD Acc	USD	Acc	0.89%	5%	IE00BYVHW233	GUEEYUA ID			
Y USD Dist	USD	Dist	0.89%	5%	IE00BYVHW340	GUEEYUD ID			
Y EUR Acc	EUR	Acc	0.89%	5%	IE00BYVHW019	GUEEYEA ID			
Y EUR Dist	EUR	Dist	0.89%	5%	IE00BYVHW126	GUEEYED ID			

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Other share classes at other fee structures and currencies exist. Not all share classes are registered for sale in all countries where the Fund is registered for sale. The OCF is for the 2024 calendar year.

#### Calendar Year Performance - Past performance does not predict future returns

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Fund (GBP)	+5.0%	+17.2%	-4.2%	+17.5%	+0.1%	+23.7%	-8.8%	+10.7%	+28.5%	+3.6%
Benchmark (GBP)	+1.9%	+14.8%	-7.6%	+16.7%	+7.5%	+20.0%	-9.9%	+15.8%	+18.6%	+5.1%
IA sector (GBP)	+1.7%	+14.0%	-9.0%	+15.8%	+10.3%	+20.3%	-12.2%	+17.3%	+16.4%	+9.3%
Fund (USD)	+3.1%	+24.2%	-14.9%	+16.4%	+3.3%	+28.6%	-14.0%	+21.2%	+7.8%	-2.0%
Benchmark (USD)	+0.2%	+21.7%	-18.0%	+15.7%	+10.9%	+24.8%	-15.1%	+26.8%	-0.6%	-0.7%
IA sector (USD)	-0.1%	+20.8%	-19.2%	+14.7%	+13.8%	+25.2%	-17.3%	+28.4%	-2.4%	+3.3%
Fund (EUR)	+10.0%	+20.0%	-9.3%	+25.2%	-5.2%	+31.1%	-9.8%	+6.4%	+10.9%	+9.0%
Benchmark (EUR)	+6.8%	+17.6%	-12.6%	+24.4%	+1.8%	+27.1%	-10.9%	+11.4%	+2.4%	+10.7%
IA sector (EUR)	+6.6%	+16.7%	-13.9%	+23.4%	+4.4%	+27.5%	-13.1%	+12.8%	+0.5%	+15.1%

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the Manager Waystone Management Company (IE) Limited (Waystone IE) 2nd Floor 35 Shelbourne Road, Ballsbridge, Dublin D04 A4E0, or
the Promoter and Investment Manager: Guinness Asset Management Ltd, 18 Smith Square, London SWIP 3HZ.

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