## **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.

# VT Avastra Global Alternatives Fund (the "Fund") (a sub-fund of VT Avastra Funds) Class \$-USD Accumulation Shares (ISIN GB00BMWJ2353)

The authorised corporate director of the Fund is Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited

## **Objectives and Investment Policy**

### Risk and Reward Profile

The Fund aims to achieve capital growth over the medium term (5 years).

The Fund will invest in a range of collective investment schemes, money market instruments, transferable securities (including structured products) and derivative instruments in order to gain indirect exposure to property, commodities, hedge funds, currency funds and convertible bonds.

The portfolio will be actively managed and will normally remain fully invested unless there is significant volatility in other asset markets or asset valuations are not attractive. There will, however, be no restrictions on the underlying investments held, in terms of investment type, geographical or economic sector and the fund manager has the absolute discretion to weight the portfolio towards any investment type or sector, including cash, at any time.

Borrowing will be permitted up to the levels stated in the regulations.

The Fund may hold derivatives for investment purposes as well as for efficient portfolio management purposes. It is not intended that the use of derivatives in this way will change the risk profile of the Fund.

The Fund will be actively managed.

Save as noted above, the Fund will not have any particular geographic, industry or economic sector focus and as such weightings in these may vary as required.

Income from the Fund will be added to the value of your investment (i.e. dividend income will be included in the value of your shares).

You can buy and sell shares on any business day in London.

Recommendation: this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 5 years.

For full investment objectives and policy details please refer to the prospectus.

The Risk and Reward Indicator table demonstrates where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward. The higher the rank the greater the potential reward but the greater the risk of losing money. It is based on past data, may change over time and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund. The shaded area of the table below shows where the Fund ranks in terms of its potential risk and reward based on historical data.

| Lower risk |           |      |   | Higher risk              |   |   |
|------------|-----------|------|---|--------------------------|---|---|
| Typically  | lower rew | ards |   | Typically higher rewards |   |   |
| 1          | 2         | 3    | 4 | 5                        | 6 | 7 |

Historical data may not be a reliable indicator of the Fund's future risk profile. The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time. The lowest category does not mean "risk free".

The Fund is ranked 4 because historical performance data indicates that average rises and falls in market prices would have occurred historically.

The following risks are material in addition to the risks captured by the indicator above:

- Counterparty risk: The Fund can conclude various transactions with contractual partners. If a contractual partner becomes insolvent, it can no longer or can only partly settle unpaid debts owed to the Fund.
- Market Risk: External factors can cause an entire asset class to decline in value which would result in a decrease in the value of investments.
- Currency Risk: As the Fund may invest in overseas securities, movements in exchange rates may, when not hedged, cause the value of your investment to increase or decrease.
- Liquidity Risk: adverse market conditions may affect the ability to sell certain assets when necessary. Reduced liquidity may have a negative impact on the price of assets.
- Derivatives risk: use of derivatives may result in gains or losses that are greater than the original amount invested

For full details of the Fund's risks, please see the prospectus which may be obtained from the address in `Practical Information` overleaf.

# Charges

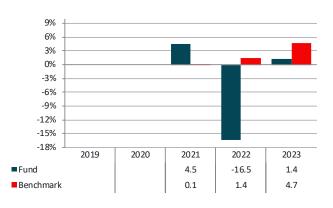
The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including marketing and distributing costs. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

| One-off charges taken before or after you invest |       |  |  |  |
|--|-------|--|--|--|
| Entry charge                                     | 5.00% |  |  |  |
| Exit charge                                      | None  |  |  |  |

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out. In some cases you may pay less and you should speak to your financial advisor about this.

| Charges taken from the fund over a year                       |       |  |  |  |  |
|---|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Ongoing charges   | 1.50% |  |  |  |  |
|   |       |  |  |  |  |
| Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions |       |  |  |  |  |
| Performance fee   | N/A   |  |  |  |  |

### **Past Performance**



The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses and the net asset value as at 31 January 2024. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs. The Funds annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

You may also be charged a dilution levy on entry to or exit from the Fund, this is to cover costs associated with your transaction.

For more information about charges, please see the prospectus which may be obtained free of charge from the address in 'Practical Information' below. The Funds annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

Please note, the ongoing charges figure excludes the underlying costs of investment company securities held within the Fund.

#### Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

The past performance in the chart shown opposite is inclusive of tax and charges but excludes the entry charge that may be paid on the purchase of an investment.

The Fund launched in 2010 and the share class launched on 14 October 2020.

Performance is calculated in US Dollar.

The benchmark is the SONIA Compounded index, source Bank of England and IHS Markit.

On 16 July 2021 the Fund's name changed from FP SCDavies Global Alternatives Fund to VT Avastra Global Alternatives Fund.

Past performance source prior to 16 July 2021 from FundRock Partners Limited.

## **Practical Information**

The depositary for the Fund is NatWest Trustee and Depositary Services Limited.

You can obtain further information about the Fund, copies of the prospectus, annual reports and accounts and half-yearly reports and accounts in English, free of charge, from Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited, Orton, Moray, IV32 7QE. They are also available electronically at www.valu-trac.com.

The Fund's latest published price and other information is available at www.valu-trac.com and can also be obtained during normal business hours by calling 01343 880 344.

Shares in other classes may be available. Details are set out in the Prospectus. It may be possible to switch your investment at any time for shares in other classes within the Fund. For further information on switching please contact Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited by calling 01343 880 344.

United Kingdom tax legislation may have an impact upon your own personal tax position. You are advised to seek professional advice on the tax treatment of your investment in the Fund.

Details of the up to date remuneration policy of Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited which includes a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the identities of the persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits, is available at www.valu-trac.com and a paper copy is available free of charge upon request.

Valu-Trac Investment Management 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 Fund.

The Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. This key investor information is accurate as at 31/01/2024.