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.

The VT Vanneck Defensive Fund (the "Fund")
a sub-fund of VT Vanneck Funds ICVC (the "Company")
Income Shares (£)(ISIN: GB00BFYT9775)
The authorised corporate director of the Fund is Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited

Objectives and Investment Policy

The investment objective of the Fund is to aim to preserve and grow capital over the medium to longer term. Capital is in fact at risk and there is no guarantee that a positive return will be achieved over any period.

The Fund seeks to meet its objectives through investing in a diversified portfolio of assets, mainly equities (and at times, significantly so) as well as bonds and cash. The portfolio will be actively managed with asset allocations varying based on the Investment Manager's views as to whether equity markets are over or undervalued. For example, at times, where the Investment Manager considers it prudent (based on market conditions), a large proportion of the portfolio may take the form of cash (and less in equities) and vice versa.

The Fund may also invest in transferable securities, money market instruments, deposits, cash and near cash.

Derivatives (that is sophisticated investment instruments linked to the rise and fall of the price of other assets) are held only for efficient portfolio management purposes.

The Fund has no particular emphasis on any geographical area or industry or economic sector.

It is expected that the Fund will typically hold between 25 to 35 stocks.

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

The Fund aims to distribute income every quarter.

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

Risk and Reward Profile

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 rewards — 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 monthly 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.
- High equity exposure risk: The fund may have high exposure to equities. The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.

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	None
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	0.96%*

Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	N/A

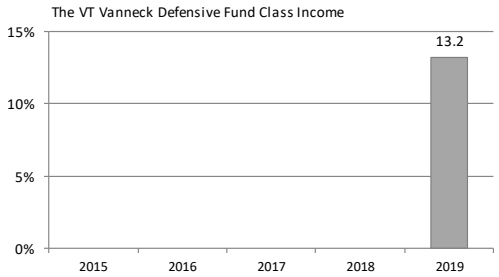
The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses and the net asset value as at 31 December 2019. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs. The Funds annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

You may also be charged a dilution levy on entry to or exit from the fund.

For more information about charges, please see sections 3.6 & 7 of the prospectus, together with Appendix 1 of the prospectus, which may be obtained free of charge from the address in 'Practical Information' below.

**The Investment Manager of the Fund has undertaken, to absorb any costs that would otherwise cause the Fund to have ongoing charges in excess of 1%.*

Past Performance



Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

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

The share class and Fund both launched in June 2018.

Performance is calculated in Pound Sterling.

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.

The Fund is a sub-fund of the Company. The Prospectus and annual or half yearly reports and accounts contain information about the Company and all of its sub-funds.

Each of the sub-funds of the Company is segregated by law. This means that the assets of this Fund may not be used to pay the liabilities of other sub-funds of the Company.

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 or for shares in a class within a different sub-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 Company.

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 31/12/2019.