

# Davy **ESG Equity** Fund

# Monthly Factsheet October 2023

### Key Facts (at 31st October 2023)

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Inception	12/12/2014					
Aum	51.5 million					
Legal Status	UCITS					
Number Of Holdings	51					
Benchmark	MSCI World Index					
Dealing Day	Daily - All orders must be received by 16.00 p.m. (Irish time) one Business Day immediately preceding the relevant Dealing Day.					
Registered For Sale	IE, UK					
Share Classes	A, U, V					
PRIIPs Ongoing Charge <sup>2</sup>	0.84%, 0.91%, 0.91%					
Share Class Currencies	EUR, GBP					
Initial Charge	0%					

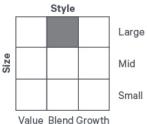
# Portfolio Management Team



Desmond Flood
Portfolio Manager
MA,BA,ASIP
Industry Start: 1987
IQ-EQ Start: 2012

The Fund is actively managed and is not managed in reference to a benchmark, however, the Fund's performance may be measured against the MSCI World Index. The Fund does not operate any form of target to outperform a benchmark index.

# Morningstar Style Box™



Source: IQ-EQ and Morningstar as at 31/10/2023

### Fund Objective<sup>1</sup>

The Davy ESG Equity Fund (the 'Fund') is suitable for investors who have a time horizon of at least five years and seek a fund that invests in a responsible manner in a range of global companies. The aim of the Fund is to achieve long-term capital growth. The objective is achieved using both quantitative and fundamental research that results in a portfolio of high-quality companies that exhibit strong environmental, social and governance characteristics.

This Fund is managed by IQ EQ Fund Management (Ireland) Limited ("IQ-EQ") (formerly Davy Global Fund Management Limited).

Figure 1: Performance for Davy ESG Equity Fund as at 31st October 2023



Source: IQ-EQ and Northern Trust. Performance chart refers to Davy ESG Equity Fund A Acc (€) net of fees.

Table 1: Performance for Davy ESG Equity Fund (Net of Fees as at 31 10 2023)<sup>3</sup>

Rolling Fund Performance						
Davy ESG Equity Fund A Acc (€)	343.16	-2.3%	-6.2%	2.4%	10.9%	10.1%
Davy ESG Equity Fund A Inc (€)	280.61	-2.3%	-7.2%	0.4%	8.9%	7.9%
MSCI World Index (€)	-	-2.7%	-5.4%	8.9%	11.7%	9.8%
Davy ESG Equity Fund U Acc (£)	2.35	-1.9%	-4.7%	0.5%	9.5%	9.6%
Davy ESG Equity Fund V Inc (£)	2.04	-1.9%	-5.7%	-1.5%	7.6%	7.4%
MSCI World Index (£)	-	-2.3%	-3.8%	6.9%	10.5%	9.4%

## Table 2: Calendar Year Performance (Net of fees)3

Calendar Year Performance					2018
Davy ESG Equity Fund A Acc (€)	-9.2%	32.7%	7.5%	31.1%	-1.6%
Davy ESG Equity Fund A Inc (€)	-10.9%	30.6%	5.2%	27.8%	-2.7%
MSCI World Index (€)	-12.8%	31.1%	6.3%	30.0%	-4.1%
Davy ESG Equity Fund U Acc (£)	-4.2%	24.3%	13.5%	23.7%	-0.5%
Davy ESG Equity Fund V Inc (£)	-5.9%	22.4%	11.0%	20.5%	-1.7%
MSCI World Index (£)	-7.8%	22.9%	12.3%	22.7%	-3.0%

Source: IQ-EQ and Bloomberg net of fees

The Davy Ethical Equity Fund was renamed the Davy ESG Equity Fund on 6th June 2018. The Davy Ethical Fund was launched on 12th December 2014. Investors should note the Davy Ethical Equity Fund (UCITS) is newly established. The past performance chart reflects past performance data relating to the Davy Ethical Equity Fund (non-UCITS) which merged with the Davy Ethical Equity Fund (UCITS) (the "Merger"). Prior to the Merger when the Fund was not authorised as a UCITS, the investment policy, strategy and portfolio composition were largely the same. In the circumstances, the past performance data included in this document are believed to be an appropriate reference for investors.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> There is no guarantee the Fund will meet its objective.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The ongoing charges are the running costs of the Fund, including distribution and marketing, but excluding transactions costs and performance fees.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The benchmark index shown above does not include fees or operating expenses and you cannot invest in it.

1M: 30/09/2023 - 31/10/2023; 3M: 31/07/2023 - 31/10/2023; YTD: 31/12/2022 - 31/10/2023; 3YR: 31/10/2023; 5YR: 31/10/2023; 5YR: 31/10/2018 - 31

Figure 2: Geographic Allocation (% Equity)<sup>4</sup>

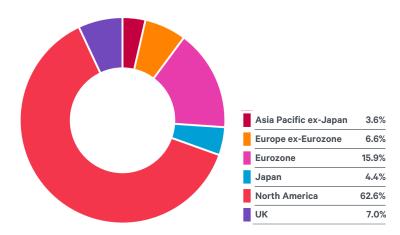


Table 3: Holdings4

MICROSOFT CORP	8.5
ALPHABET INC	6.0
ORACLE CORP	3.3
VISA INC	3.0
MERCK & CO	2.7
TJX COS INC (THE)	2.7
IBERDROLA SA	2.6
VINCISA	2.6
LOBLAW COS LTD	2.4
PEPSICO INC	2.3

Figure 3: Sector Allocation (% Equity)<sup>4</sup>

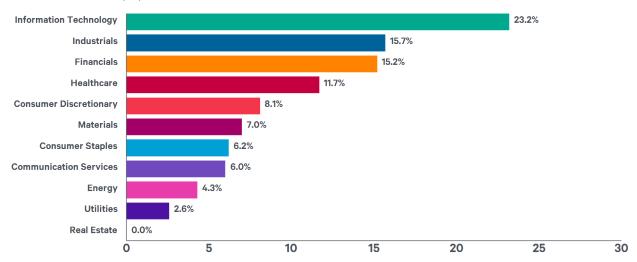


Table 4: Share Class Identifiers

Share Class				
Davy ESG Equity Fund A Acc (€)	Accumulating	IE00BRJL3T29	BRJL3T2	12/12/2014
Davy ESG Equity Fund A Inc (€)	Distributing	IE00BRJL3V41	BRJL3V4	12/12/2014
Davy ESG Equity Fund K Inc (€)	Distributing	IE00BZ00N610	BZ00N61	10/08/2016
Davy ESG Equity Fund O Acc (£)	Accumulating	IE00BYT7DM26	BYT7DM2	31/08/2015
Davy ESG Equity Fund U Acc (£)	Accumulating	IE00BD8R7R95	BD8R7R9	19/01/2016
Davy ESG Equity Fund V Inc (£)	Distributing	IE00BD8R7S03	BD8R7S0	19/01/2016

Source: IQ-EQ and Bloomberg

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Weightings in holdings, geographic allocation and sector allocation are indicative only and may change subject to the discretion of the Fund Manager. Due to rounding, some totals may not equal 100%.

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