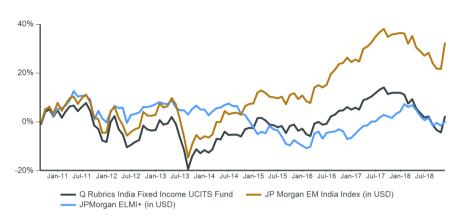
# Q Rubrics India Fixed Income UCITS Fund (USD Class B)

### Objective

The Q Rubrics India Fixed Income UCITS Fund (the "Fund") aims to generate income and capital gains by investing in fixed income securities issued by the Central Government of India (Sovereign debt) and the companies of Indian origin in which the government holds a majority stake known as public sector undertakings or 'PSUs' (PSU corporate debt).

### **Performance**

## **Cumulative performance since launch (23 August 2010)**



### Monthly performance since 2015

	J	F	M	Α	M	J	J	Α	S	0	N	D	Year	Primary Index
2015	4.17	0.12	-1.01	-1.71	-0.30	-0.79	0.44	-2.88	3.07	0.51	-2.52	0.84	-0.29	-7.61
2016	-2.35	-0.74	5.42	0.68	-1.12	0.37	3.02	0.74	1.50	0.22	1.24	-0.94	8.10	3.54
2017	0.71	-0.71	3.66	0.55	0.85	1.26	1.26	0.81	-2.37	0.42	0.03	0.03	6.57	11.54
2018	-0.72	-3.28	1.66	-3.50	-1.83	-1.65	0.36	-3.38	-2.16	-0.97	6.74		-8.78	-3.98

### Net performance

	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years*	5 years*	Since launch*
Fund	6.74%	3.43%	-1.36%	-8.76%	1.95%	3.22%	0.25%
Primary Index	1.68%	1.61%	-2.22%	-3.11%	3.12%	-0.97%	0.01%

\* Annualised returns are period returns re-scaled to a period of 1 year

# Rolling 12-month performance to most recent quarter end (30 September 2018)

	Q3 2017 - Q3 2018	Q3 2016 - Q3 2017	Q3 2015 - Q3 2016	Q3 2014 - Q3 2015	Q3 2013 - Q3 2014
Fund	-13.30%	6.60%	6.27%	4.64%	9.51%
Primary Index	-2.57%	5.43%	7.25%	-12.49%	-1.86%

# Risk factors you should consider before investing

The value of investments and any income derived are subject to market and exchange rate movements and may fall as well as rise. Investors may not get back the full amount invested. Investing in investment funds is subject to market risks. Past performance results are no indication of future results. Past performance results over periods of less than twelve months are an especially unreliable indicator for future returns due to the short comparison period. Any subscription fees charged by intermediaries are not included in the performance figures. All figures and information are given without any warranty and errors are reserved. Details of the fees and expenses payable to the Fund's services providers and advisors are set out in the relevant supplements to the Fund prospectus.

### **Fund facts**

Entity name	Rubrics Global UCITS Funds PLC
Inception date	19 February 2015
Index	JPMorgan ELMI+ (in USD) JP Morgan EM India Index (in USD)
Minimum investment (USD)	1,000,000
Subscription	Daily
Redemption	Daily
Other available currencies	USD only

## Key data †

Strategy assets (USD)	\$19 million
Fund assets (USD)	\$7 million
NAV (USD)	10.2107
Total return since inception	2.11%
Annualised return since inception	0.25%
Annualised standard deviation	8.33%
Number of securities	6
Average coupon	5.91%
Average duration (years)	2.03
Average yield to maturity	6.76%
Average rating (Domestic)	AAA

## Fees\*\*

Management fee	1.25%
Performance fee	None

## **Fund codes**

ISIN	IE00BQ1KFN89
SEDOL	BQ1KFN8
Bloomberg	QRUBRUB

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 $<sup>\</sup>dagger$  The values stated are calculated based on the fund inception date as of 19/02/2015

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#### **Fund commentary**

The Q Rubrics India Fixed Income UCITS Fund (USD Class B) returned +6.74% in November. Broader local currency emerging markets were stronger as the JP Morgan GBI-EM Index returned +2.81%.

Having endured a difficult 2018 to October, along with much of the local EM universe, the Indian Rupee staged a remarkable reversal in November returning +6.9% vs the USD. While the dollar was broadly stable over the month, it was the sharp drop in the oil price (22% on Brent Crude) that underpinned the strength in the INR. In addition to the significant currency move, the bond market also staged something of a rally as yields on 10 and 5 year government bonds declined by 25 and 35 basis points respectively. The feed through from lower oil prices into inflation expectations provided positive momentum while open market operations from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) also helped push yields lower.

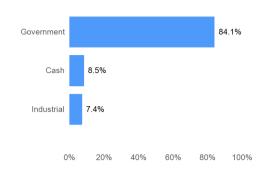
#### Market commentary

Markets in November were once again impacted by geopolitical developments. The US administration's hostile approach to global trade continues to shape sentiment and while much concern remains over the ability of Presidents' Trump and Xi to reach an agreement, the recent arrest of the Huawei CFO in connection to sanction violations has exacerbated the situation. In Europe Brexit remains in clear focus. Despite agreement between Theresa May and Europe on a withdrawal plan, the likelihood of parliamentary approval remains very much in the balance. At this juncture it is difficult to identify the most likely outcome with possibilities ranging from no deal to no Brexit. Continued tension in Europe between the Italian government and the EU commission over Italy's budget deficit has also kept Italian government spreads elevated. US economic data was mixed throughout November with strong inflation reading of 2.5% tempered by the significant drop in the oil price. Elsewhere weak homebuilding data showed that perhaps higher rates are beginning to weigh on the economy. Europe continues to lag on the data front as Germany QoQ GDP registered a -0.2% decline along with a sharp drop in 3rd quarter industrial production. A revealing speech by Fed Chair Powell at the Economic Club in New York suggested rates were "just below" neutral, with rate hike expectations for 2019 subsequently dropping. Furthermore the probability of a December rate hike, previously a cast iron certainty, fell to 64%. In spite of this dovish sentiment however, market volatility has spiked with risk assets coming under increasing pressure. As such we are left to consider whether we are witnessing another short-term correction or something more fundamental in nature.

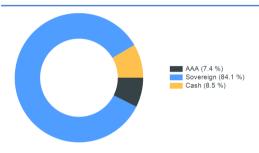
#### Top five issuers

INDIA GOVERNMENT BOND	73.2%
INDIA T-BILLS	10.9%
INDIAN RAILWAY FINANCE C	7.4%

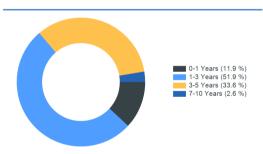
#### Sector allocation\*



## Ratings allocation\*



#### **Duration allocation\***



\*Totals may not equal 100% due to rounding

# Important information

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