

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.

## SPW Balanced Solution X Acc

A Sub Fund of  
SPW Investment Portfolio ICVC

ISIN: GBO0BJRSQN47

managed by  
Scottish Widows Schroder Personal Wealth (ACD) Limited

## Objectives and Investment Policy

### Investment Objective

The Fund aims to provide capital growth and income in excess of the benchmark\* (after the deduction of fees) over five to seven years by investing in a diversified range of assets and markets worldwide.

\*The Fund's benchmark is a composite of 51% MSCI ACWI ex UK GBP (Total Return), 9% MSCI UK IMI (Gross Total Return) index, 12.5% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Treasury (Total Return) GBP Hedged index, 5.5% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate (Total Return) GBP Hedged index, 2% Bloomberg Global High Yield Corporate (Total Return) GBP Hedged index, 12.5% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Treasury Value 1-5 Years (Total Return) GBP Hedged Index, 5.5% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate Value 1-5 Years (Total Return) GBP Hedged Index, and 2% SONIA

### Investment Policy

The Fund is actively managed and invests its assets indirectly through collective investment schemes, exchange traded Funds, real estate investment trusts, or closed ended Funds (collective investment schemes and other funds) in equity and equity related securities, fixed and floating rate securities and alternative assets worldwide. The Fund may also invest in Funds that use absolute return strategies or other alternative investment strategies including Funds that invest in real estate, commodities, private equity and currencies. The Fund seeks to increase returns and reduce downside risk by making tactical adjustments to its holdings based on market conditions. The Fund will invest within the following ranges: Equity and equity related securities: 20% – 70% Fixed and floating rate securities: 10% – 60% Alternative assets: 0% – 30%. The Fund may invest up to 20% of its assets in below investment grade bonds (as measured by a regulated credit rating agency) or in unrated bonds. The Fund may also invest directly in equity and equity related securities and fixed and floating rate securities. The Fund may invest in collective investment schemes and other Funds managed by the ACD, the Investment Adviser or their associates. The Fund may also invest directly or indirectly in money market instruments and may hold cash. The Fund may use derivatives with

the aim of reducing risk and for managing the Fund more efficiently (often referred to as 'efficient portfolio management'). In selecting investments for the Fund, the ACD will take into account ESG factors (as set out below). The ACD's ESG factors do not apply to the following asset classes: money market instruments, cash, near cash and derivatives. Additionally, where the Fund invests in collective investment schemes managed or operated by a firm other than the ACD, the assets held in such schemes are selected by that firm and are not assessed under, and will not necessarily meet, the ACD's Responsible Investment Policy.

### Benchmark

The Fund's performance should be assessed against its target benchmark, being to exceed the composite benchmark as set out in the Fund's investment objective above. The Investment Adviser invests on a discretionary basis and is not limited to investing in accordance with the composition of the benchmark. The target benchmark has been selected because it is representative of the type of investments in which the Fund is likely to invest, and it is, therefore, an appropriate target in relation to the return that the Fund aims to provide.

### Dealing Frequency

You may redeem your investment upon demand. The Fund deals daily.

### Distribution Policy

The share class accumulates income received from the Fund's investments, meaning it is kept in the Fund and its value is reflected in the price of the share class.

### Recommendation

This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years.

## Risk and Reward Profile

The Risk and Reward Indicator chart 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 in the table below shows the Fund's ranking on the Risk and Reward Indicator. Please note, the lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.



- The Fund is ranked at 4 because, based on simulated data, it would have experienced medium levels of volatility over the past five years. The value of your investment and any income from it is not guaranteed and can go up and down depending on investment performance. **Specific investment risks for the Fund are:**
- Bond risk:** A bond's price may fall if the issuer's credit rating falls. Prices may also fall if interest rates rise (and may rise when interest rates fall). Issuers may fail to make income payments and/or repay capital.
- Currency risk:** The Fund can be exposed to different currencies. Exchange rate changes might cause the value of overseas investments and any income from them, to go up and down.

- Equity/share risk:** Company shares can offer higher long-term growth potential than bonds but values can fluctuate considerably. There's a greater risk you might not get back all of your money.
- Emerging markets risk:** These markets carry greater political, legal, counterparty and operational risk.
- High yield bond risk:** These bonds generally carry greater market, credit and liquidity risk.
- Performance risk:** Investment objectives express an intended result but there is no guarantee that such a result will be achieved.
- Derivatives risk – EPM:** Derivatives may be used to manage the portfolio efficiently. The use of derivatives might not achieve the described outcomes. It is not intended that EPM will cause the risk profile of the Fund to change.

Further details of the risks relating to investment in this fund can be found in the Prospectus, which is available on request or at our website [www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info](http://www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info)

## 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 and before proceeds of your investment are paid out.

Charges taken from the Fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	0.27%
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures and in some cases you might pay less. You can find out the actual entry and exit charges from your financial advisor.

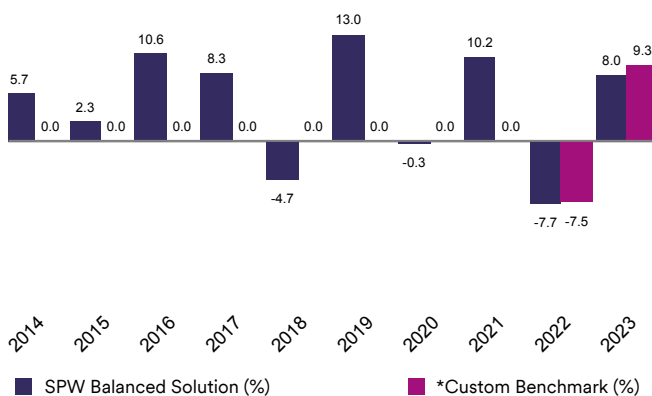
The ongoing charges figure is based on the last year's expenses and may vary from year to year. It excludes the costs of buying or selling assets for the Fund (unless these assets are shares of another fund).

The annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

There is no charge to switch into this Fund. You may incur an Exit Charge from the Fund you are switching from. Please refer to the KIID document for that Fund.

For more information about charges, please refer to the Prospectus, which is available at [www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info](http://www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info).

## Past Performance



Past performance is not a guide to future performance and may not be repeated. The value of investments may go down as well as up and you may not get back the amount you originally invested.

Performance is calculated in GBP and net of ongoing charges.

The Fund's launch date was: 16/09/2019  
The share class launch date was: 16/09/2019

**\*Custom Benchmark** - the Fund's benchmark is a composite of 19.5% MSCI North America index, 4.3% MSCI Europe ex UK index, 2.2% MSCI Japan index, 2.5% MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan index, 2.5% MSCI Emerging Markets index, 14% MSCI UK IMI index\*\*, 7% Bloomberg Global Treasury GBP hedged index, 26% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate GBP hedged index, 2.5% Bloomberg Global High Yield Corporate GBP hedged index, 2.5% Bloomberg Emerging Market Debt GBP hedged index, 4% MSCI World IMI Core Real Estate index\*\*\*, 6% SONIA plus 2%, 4% SONIA and 3% Bloomberg Commodity index.  
\*\* FTSE All Share index from 12 March 2021 to 30 June 2021.  
\*\*\* FTSE EPRA NAREIT Developed index from 12 March 2021 to 30 June 2021.

**The above custom benchmark was introduced on 12 March 2021 prior to which a comparator benchmark was provided. Benchmark performance is displayed using a full year from when the benchmark data was available.**

The Fund launched on 16 September 2019 with assets transferred from Balanced Solution, a Sub Fund of Scottish Widows Investment Solutions Funds ICVC. Accordingly, the past performance figures include simulated past performance based on the actual performance of Balanced Solution.

## Practical Information

- Depository: State Street Trustees Limited.
- Authorised Corporate Director (ACD): Scottish Widows Schroder Personal Wealth (ACD) Limited - Note that 'Schroders Personal Wealth', 'SPW' and 'SPW (ACD)' are trading names of the ACD.
- Prices: The Fund prices are available from [www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info](http://www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info)
- Tax: The tax regime applicable is the UK and may have an impact on your tax position.
- The ACD 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 of the Fund.
- Umbrella scheme: SPW Investment Portfolio ICVC is a non-UCITS retail scheme (NURS) with a number of different funds. To protect investors, the assets and liabilities of each Fund are segregated by law from those of other funds. The Key Investor Information Document (KIID) describes a single Fund of the NURS. The Prospectus and Report & Accounts are prepared for the entire NURS and are available in English, free of charge at [www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info](http://www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info)
- Further information: The KIID is based on Share Class X (Accumulation). Information on other share classes can be found in the Prospectus.
- Remuneration Policy: Details of our remuneration policy, which includes a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identities of the persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits, and the composition of the remuneration committee can be found here – [www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info](http://www.spw.com/our-services/fund-info) A paper copy is available free of charge upon request.
- Switches: You can make switches into other funds. See "Switching" in the Prospectus.
- The ACD will review the components of the composite benchmark at least once a year to ensure the weightings remain aligned with the broader asset allocation policies of the Fund. Shareholders will be notified of any changes to the percentage weightings of the composite benchmark.