# **M&G Secure Property Income Fund**

# INVESTMENT POLICY AND OBJECTIVES

The Fund's objective is to deliver secure medium to long term returns with a rising income stream from a diversified portfolio of properties let to high quality tenants in strong locations across the UK. It typically maintains weighted average unexpired lease term of approximately 25 years and a weighted average investment grade credit rating. With the majority of leases providing regular contracted increases in rental income linked to the Retail Price Index (usually with a cap and floor) and the remainder having regular fixed uplifts. The Fund's tenants are responsible for all outgoings, maintenance and capital expenditure for the entire term of the lease. The Fund utilises the extensive resources of M&G's fixed income division to undertake credit analysis and of M&G Real Estate, its property division, to source and manage its assets.

# INVESTOR CONSTITUENCY

The Fund is open to investment by UK and overseas institutional investors.

Fund details	
Type of fund	Property unit trust
Residence	Guernsey
Launch date	August 2007
Open/closed-ended	Open-ended
Earliest date of winding up	Not applicable
Year-end	30-Jun
NAV (GBPm)	4207.5

Management/professional advisors	
Manager	M&G (Guernsey) Limited*
Investment Advisor	M&G Investment Management Limited*
Fund Manager	Ben Jones
Tusteee	Kleinwort Benson (Guernsey) Trustees Limited
Auditors	Ernst and Young
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\* A wholly-owned subsidiary of Prudential plc

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

# Investment rates of return, %

		MS	CI/AREF UK Quarterly Property Fund	ty Fund Index
	M&G Secure Property Income Fund	Other balanced funds	All balanced funds	All funds
3 months	1.6	0.3	0.3	0.3
Year-to-date	1.6	0.3	0.3	0.3
12 months	7.2	5.7	4.8	4.1
3 years+	7.3	6.9	6.1	5.6
5 years+	7.8	9.6	9.1	8.5
10 years+	10.0	8.5	8.3	8.5

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Property investment restrictions	
Maximum development exposure (pre-let)	20%
Maximum lot-size holding as a standing investment	30%
Maximum lot-size holding permitted at purchase	30%
Maximum exposure to limited partnerships	*
Maximum exposure to joint ventures	*
Maximum exposure to closed and open-ended property unit trusts	*

		MSCI/AREF UK Quarterly Property Fund Inc		Index
	M&G Secure Property Income Fund	Long Income Funds	All balanced funds	All funds
Standard retail – South East	14.3	9.5	7.0	5.7
Standard retail – Rest of UK	13.2	9.4	3.6	3.8
Shopping centres	0.0	0.9	2.5	7.6
Retail warehouses	0.0	2.1	13.9	13.3
All UK retail	27.5	21.9	27.1	30.4
City offices	6.3	3.9	3.7	3.3
West End offices	3.0	2.2	8.3	7.3
Rest of South East offices	7.5	5.2	11.3	7.7
Rest of UK offices	3.5	9.2	5.8	4.9
All UK offices	20.3	20.5	29.0	23.2
South East industrial	2.0	2.2	19.1	15.3
Rest of UK industrial	2.9	6.4	10.1	8.0
All UK industrial	4.9	8.5	29.2	23.4
Other UK properties	46.6	47.1	9.7	18.8
Cash***	0.7	2.0	5.1	4.3
Overall	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0

Portfolio distribution %

Property ownership structure			
			% of total
	Number of assets	Valuation (GBPm)	portfolio
Direct holdings	136	3,451.7	84.6
Joint and indirect holdings	0	626.3	15.4
Listed investments	0	0.0	0.0
Total	136	4,078.0	100.0

Largest direct investments by lot size & percentage of total portfolio				
Property	Location	Sector	Valuation	% of total
	Location	Sector	(GBPm)	portfolio

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#### 10 largest investments as % of portfolio

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Direct portfolio structure by lot-size bands	;		
Value band (GBPm)	Number of	Valuation	% of total
	assets	(GBPm)	portfolio
0 -2.5	24	41.4	1.0
2.5 - 5	33	121.3	3.0
5-10	27	165.3	4.1
10-25	9	162.9	4.0
25 - 50	18	658.7	16.2
50 - 100	16	1062.9	26.1
100-150	7	820.0	20.1
Over 150	2	419.3	10.3
Total	136	3451.7	84.6
Average lot size		25.4	

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Property Yield		
Net initial yield	4.46%	Investments
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Voids as % of EF	۲V
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evelopments	0.00%
otal	0.00%

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Rental income & ERV by type of property

	Rental income %	
Standard retail	32.6	25.7
Retail warehousing	0.0	0.0
Shopping centres	0.0	0.0
Central London offices	10.4	13.4
Other offices	3.5	3.0
Industrial	6.8	2.9
Other	46.7	55.0
Overall	100.0	100.0

Sector	Rent passing %	Pre-lets & rent- free periods %	Development voids %	Other voids % C	Over rented %	Reversionary potential %	Net reversionary potential %	ERV %
Standard retail	115.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	-25.5	9.5	-15.9	100.0
Retail warehousing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Shopping centres	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0.0
Central London offices	70.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	29.6	29.6	100.0
Other offices	107.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	-7.0	0.0	-7.0	100.0
Industrial	215.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	-115.1	0.0	-115.1	100.0
Other	77.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	-4.8	27.4	22.5	100.0
Overall	91.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	-12.7	21.5	8.8	100.0

\*Comprising the ERV of developments in progress or contracted which have not been pre-let

Listed Investments			
		Valuation	Est. % of total
% of Iss	ue held	(GBPm)	portfolio
	0.0	0.0	0.0
	0.0	0.0	0.0
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The unexpired term of leases				
Years	% of rent passing			
20 years or greater	58.5			
15 years or greater, but less than 20	36.0			
10 years or greater, but less than 15	5.5			
5 years or greater, but less than 10	0.0			
Less than 5 years	0.0			

Joint and Indirect property holdings						
Holdings	Sector	Joint/Indirect	Vehicle Type	Ownership %	Valuation	Est. % of total portfolio
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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Fixed ra	te borrowings		Va	iable rate borrow	ings
Amount drawn (GBPm)	Average rate (%)	Average unexpired term (years)	Amount drawn (GBPm)	Rate above LIBOR (incl expenses) (%)	Off balan sheet del (GBPm)
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0

Development exposure*					
Capital value of developments					
				Cost to complete schemes in	
	Not yet started	In progress+	All developments	progress+	
GBPm	0	213.10	213.10	253.30	
% of all directly held properties*	0.00%	6.17%	6.17%	7.34%	

\* Includes joint ventures in which the Fund has an interest of 50% or more

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Valuations/performance monitors/affiliations	
Frequency of valuation	Monthly, on the last day of the month*
Valuers	CBRE
Portfolio performance monitored by MSCI	Yes
Constituent of MSCI/AREF UK Quarterly Property Fund Index	Yes
Member of the Association of Real Estate Funds	Full member

Note: \* The Fund itself is priced and is available for dealing on a daily basis

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Restrictions on holdings of cash/borrowings	
Maximum total gearing permitted	-
Cash holdings (maximum)	-
Cash holdings (minimum)	-
Source: M&G Investment Management Limited	

The contribution of major tenants to rental income Tenant

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%

Three largest tenants' contribution to rental income

#### Five largest tenants' contribution to rental income

#### Ten largest tenants' contribution to rental income

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Balance sheet/gearing					
	Direct holdings	Joint holdings	Indirect investments	Listed investments	Total
Balance sheet (GBPm)					
Properties at valuation	3451.7	525.8	100.5	0.0	4078.0
Listed investments	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Debt	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cash	29.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	29.0
Other net assets/liabilities	100.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.5
Total net assets	3581.2	525.8	100.5	0.0	4207.5
Gearing (%)					
Net debt (cash)/properties	-0.8	0.0	0.0	-	-0.7
Net debt (cash)/equity	-0.8	0.0	0.0	-	-0.7

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

Quarterly data per unit							
As at	31-Dec-17	31-Mar-18	30-Jun-18	30-Sep-18	31-Dec-18	31-Mar-19	
Bid (GBp)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	
Offer (GBp)	116.928	118.196	119.116	120.142	121.141	121.897	
Bid/offer spread	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Net asset value (GBp)	112.355	113.560	114.440	115.355	116.230	116.917	
Quarterly distribution (GBp)	1.143	1.127	1.158	1.183	1.149	1.126	
Yield	3.9%	3.9%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	3.9%	

Source: M&G Investment Management Limited

# Unit pricing

The Fund's net asset value is re-calculated as at the end of each month, following the revaluation of its portfolio.

### Distributions

The Fund distributes 100% of its net income which is distributed within 30 days in respect of the quarters ending 31 March, 30 June, 30 September and 31 December

#### Minimum investment/disinvestment

The minimum initial investment in the fund is GBP10,000,000 (at the Manager's discretion).

#### Creation, transfer and realisation of units

Please see the Information Memorandum, available from M&G Investment Management Limited.

#### Taxation

#### **CGT and Income Tax**

The Fund is not subject to UK Capital Gains Tax, but unit holders may be subject to CGT on the disposal of their units. The Fund is treated as tax transparent for UK Income Tax purposes. Distributions to unit holders resident in the UK (or non-resident but in relation to whom the Manager has received the appropriate clearances from HM Revenue and Customs that such unit holders may be paid gross) are made without the deduction of UK tax. Distributions to other unit holders are made net of UK income tax at the standard rate.

# Stamp duty reserve tax

Transfers of units do not attract SDRT.

# Charges Annual charges The Manager is entitled to an Annual Management fee (payable out of income).

#### **Performance fees**

There are no performance fees.

# **Initial charge**

There is no initial charge

Unit holder analysis

	Number of unitholders	Total % held
Less than 1% of units in issue	105	31.3
1% or greater but less than 2%	15	20.5
2% or greater but less than 4%	10	27.4
4% or greater but less than 8%	4	20.7
Greater than 8.0%	0	0.0
Total	134	100.0
Major investors		
Largest holder	1	7.7
Three largest holders	3	17.2
Five largest holders	5	25.0
Ten largest holders	10	40.5
Internal/external investors		
Internal	0	0.0
External	134	100.0

Liquidity						
	Year to					
Period	Dec 2014	Dec 2015	Dec 2016	Dec 2017	Dec 2018	Dec 2019
Issues and redemptions						
Units in issue as at start of period	18,942,256	24,301,864	29,427,493	31,337,731	33,601,711	33,601,711
Units issued during period	5,359,608	5,170,261	1,910,238	2,263,980	0	540,337
Units redeemed during period	-	-44633	-	-	0	0
Units in issue at end of period	24,301,864	29,427,493	31,337,731	33,601,711	33,601,711	34,142,048
Unit transfers						
Matched bargains	-	-	-	-	0	0
Matched bargains %*	-	-	-	-	0	0.00%

\* as % of units in issue at the end of the period