

## Investment Aim

To earn a good rate of return for the fund's risk level.

## Medium Risk



## Overview\*

iFunds 4 is a diversified portfolio of funds designed and managed for customers looking for a **Medium Risk** investment. Risk within iFunds 4 is managed in a number of different ways:

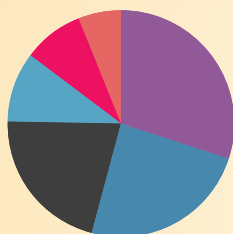
- By providing exposure to leading investment managers
- By providing exposure to a diverse range of asset classes
- By ensuring the mix and type of assets are suitable for the targeted risk level.

Each fund within the portfolio has been carefully selected for its contribution to the aim of iFunds 4. This could be the fund's individual characteristics, such as its ability to manage risk and generate return, or its ability to complement other components in the portfolio, such as providing exposure to alternative sources of investment return.

\*For some funds, the equity or bond assets in that fund may be used for the purpose of securities lending in order to earn an additional return for the fund. While securities lending increases the level of risk within a fund, it also provides an opportunity to increase the investment return.

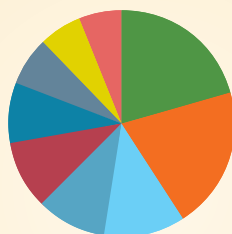
## ifunds 4 – A Truly Diversified Offering

### Diversified by: Investment Manager



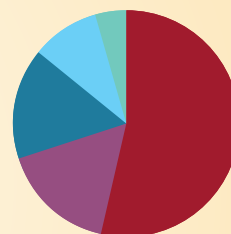
30.1%	Insight Investment
24.8%	State Street Global Advisors
20.7%	Newton
9.9%	Los Angeles Capital
8.6%	Davy Asset Management
5.9%	Walter Scott

### Diversified by: Funds



20.7%	BNYM Global Real Return Fund
20.3%	Insight Broad Opportunities Fund
11.6%	Property Fund
9.9%	LA Capital Fund
9.8%	BNYM Absolute Return Bond Fund
8.6%	Davy Defensive High Yield Fund
7.1%	Elements Alpha
6.1%	Spotlight
5.9%	Walter Scott Global Equity Fund

### Diversified by: Asset Class



53.8%	Equities
16.4%	Alternatives
15.8%	Bonds
9.7%	Property
4.3%	Cash

Source: New Ireland, 30 September 2017

The information above is correct as at 30 September 2017 and is for illustration purposes only. The investment managers, funds and asset mixes may change over time. Up to date information is available from your Financial Broker or Advisor or from [fundcentre.newireland.ie](http://fundcentre.newireland.ie)

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## ifunds 4 – Component Funds\*

Component Fund Name	Investment Manager	Investment Aim
<b>BNY Mellon Global Real Return Fund</b>		To generate a return of cash (as measured by 1-month EURIBOR) +4% p.a. over a rolling 5 year period (gross of tax and charges). The fund offers investors the opportunity to benefit from solid long-term returns that investing in a wide range of asset classes can deliver.
<b>Elements Alpha</b>		To generate a return of cash (measured as 1-month EURIBOR) +4% p.a. over a rolling 5 year period (gross of tax and charges). The fund offers investors the opportunity to benefit from long-term returns that equities, property, bonds and alternative assets can deliver, but with active risk management.
<b>Insight Broad Opportunities Fund</b>	 <small>&gt; A BNY MELLON COMPANY™</small>	To generate a return of cash (as measured by 3-month EURIBOR) +4% p.a. over a rolling 3-5 year period (gross of tax and charges). The fund aims to deliver equity-like returns for investors, over the long-term, but with significantly lower risk.
<b>Davy Defensive High Yield Fund</b>	 <b>DAVY</b> ASSET MANAGEMENT	To generate long-term capital growth for investors by investing in equities with a relatively high, yet sustainable, flow of dividend income, but with less volatility than investing in global stock markets.
<b>Property Fund</b>		To generate long-term capital growth through investment in a portfolio of prime commercial properties primarily located in Ireland, the UK and Europe.
<b>BNY Mellon Absolute Return Bond Fund</b>	 <small>&gt; A BNY MELLON COMPANY™</small>	To generate a return of cash (as measured by 3-month EURIBOR) +3% p.a. over a rolling 3 year period (gross of tax and charges). The fund aims to deliver returns, irrespective of interest rate direction or economic conditions.
<b>Spotlight</b>		To generate long-term potential returns by investing in a concentrated portfolio of equities (holding approximately 30-40 equities).
<b>Walter Scott Global Equity Fund</b>	<b>WALTER SCOTT</b> <small>SINCE · 1 9 8 3</small>	To achieve long-term capital growth by investing in global equities.
<b>LA Capital Global Equity Fund</b>		To achieve capital appreciation by investing principally in equity securities.

\* The component funds are New Ireland unit linked funds. The list of component funds and the fund details are correct as at 30 September 2017. Component funds and/or weightings may change over time. The component funds may invest directly or in collective investment vehicles to meet the investment aim of the funds. Up to date information is available from your Financial Broker or Advisor or from [fundcentre.newireland.ie](http://fundcentre.newireland.ie)

iFunds 4 is provided by New Ireland Assurance. The risk rating of the iFunds 4 portfolio is as set out. Component funds are rated individually where the funds are available to investors other than through iFunds.







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## Leading Investment Managers

**ifunds 4** combines the investment skills of a range of international and domestic investment managers:

 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SSGA is the investment management business of State Street Corporation and one of the world's largest investment managers.</li> <li>• SSGA has over over 400 dedicated investment professionals.</li> <li>• SSGA Ireland has over 50 years' experience managing investments. Dublin is one of SSGA's investment centres.</li> </ul>	 <p>&gt; A BNY MELLON COMPANY™</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Insight Investment Management is part of the BNY Mellon company</li> <li>• Launched in 2002 and now a leading UK investment manager</li> <li>• A reputation for excellence in liability risk management, active fixed income and active absolute return style investing.</li> </ul>
 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Newton Investment Management is part of the BNY Mellon company</li> <li>• Over 30 years industry experience</li> <li>• Demonstrable track record in delivering strong risk adjusted returns to meet clients' investment objectives</li> <li>• An award winning research and investment process.</li> </ul>	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Davy Asset Management is the largest Irish owned fund manager in the domestic market</li> <li>• Their unique perspective inspires their thematic styled investment strategies which deliver market leading performance</li> <li>• Each strategy has its own precise focus, backed by the consistency of their investment process, attention to detail and vision.</li> </ul>
 <p>SINCE · 1983</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Walter Scott Global is part of the BNY Mellon company</li> <li>• Founded in 1983, based in Edinburgh, Scotland</li> <li>• A dedicated equity investment specialist with a focus on classical, long term global equity investment management</li> <li>• Bottom-up stock picking investment approach.</li> </ul>	 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Los Angeles Capital is a global equity fund manager</li> <li>• A pioneer in dynamic equity management – uses proprietary technology to build portfolios that can adapt to changing economic environments</li> <li>• A vision is that this approach will help it deliver superior investment performance</li> <li>• 100% employee owned.</li> </ul>

As at 30 September 2017. The list of investment managers is subject to change.

Any references to an investment manager may refer to the investment manager of an underlying collective investment vehicle.

## Minimum Recommended Investment Period

Investing should always be considered over the medium to long-term (typically, 5-7 years or more) so as to reduce the risk of short-term volatility. However, even long-term investing involves risk as values will fluctuate over time.



## Risk Rating – Medium Risk

At New Ireland we classify our wide range of funds into seven different risk categories to help you better understand the risks to your original investment.

New Ireland has rated **iFunds 4** a medium risk investment fund. Medium risk funds have the following characteristics:

- They offer the potential for returns in excess of deposits, but do not promise a minimum return at any time.
- They tend to invest in a range of assets, including lower risk assets such as government bonds and investment grade corporate bonds, but are more focused on higher risk assets such as equities, property and alternatives (e.g. commodities).
- Investors' capital is less exposed to market fluctuations than higher risk investments, but investors may get back less than they originally invested.

## Product Availability

**iFunds 4** is available to investors through the following New Ireland products:

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|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| • Smart Funds               | • Group Pensions                 | • Approved Minimum Retirement Fund (AMRF) |
| • Future Save               | • Trustee Investment Plan        | • PRSA (non-standard)                     |
| • Personal Retirement Plan  | • Personal Retirement Bond       |   |
| • Executive Retirement Plan | • Approved Retirement Fund (ARF) |   |

## Charges

Charges vary per product type. For **iFunds 4**, a charge of 0.25% p.a. applies in addition to the standard charge. For details of the charges that apply please refer to the product brochure and talk to your Financial Broker or Advisor.

## To find out more about **iFunds 4**:

 **Talk to your Financial Broker or Advisor**

 **1890 405 905<sup>†</sup>**  **fundcentre.newireland.ie**

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