## **KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION**

COLUMBIA THREADNEEDLE INVESTMENTS\*

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.

# CT (LUX) GLOBAL CONVERTIBLE BOND (THE "FUND")

Class A Shares (EUR Distribution Hedged Shares) LU0293751276, a sub-fund of Columbia Threadneedle (Lux) III (the "Company"), regulated by the CSSF.

This Fund is managed by Threadneedle Management Luxembourg S.A. (the "Manager")

### **Objectives and Investment Policy**

- The objective is to achieve high returns in the value of your investment.
- The Fund seeks to achieve this by investing in convertible bonds (bonds that can be converted into a predetermined amount of the company's equity at certain times during its life, usually at the discretion of the bondholder). At least two thirds of the Fund's assets will be invested in convertible bonds issued by corporations in Europe, the US, Japan and Asia.
- The Fund normally holds at least 51% of its assets in convertibles that the Manager considers investment grade quality, subject to the convertible bond market providing sufficient 'balanced' investment grade investment opportunities to run a diversified portfolio. A balanced convertible is one that is not trading too far above its bond redemption value and/or that is not trading at too high a conversion premium.
- The Fund may enter into financial futures contracts (including equity index, interest rate and currency contracts), to protect it from adverse movements in equity markets, interest rates or currency exchange rates.
- The Fund is actively managed in reference to the FTSE Global Focus Customised TR Index. The index is broadly representative of the securities in which the Fund invests, and provides a suitable comparator benchmark against which Fund performance will be measured and evaluated over time. The fund manager has discretion to select investments with weightings different to the index, and that are not in the index, and the Fund may display significant divergence from the index.
- Any income the Fund generates will be paid to you.
- You can buy or sell shares in the Fund on any day which is a business day in Luxembourg and London. You can find more detail on the investment objective and policy of the Fund in the Prospectus. For more information on investment terms used in this document, please see the Glossary available at columbiathreadneedle.com.
- Recommendation: this fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within 3 years.

#### **Risk and Reward Profile**

The Risk and Reward Indicator table 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.

Lower Risk, Typically lower rewards Higher Risk, Typically higher rewards



- The Fund is rated 4 because historically it has shown a medium level of volatility (how much the value of the Fund goes up and down).
- The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.
- The indicator does not take into account the following risks:
- Counterparty Risk: to gain greater income the Fund may deposit cash with various approved Counterparties. Return of the cash is dependent upon the continued solvency of the Counterparty.
- Credit Risk: receiving income due from debt instruments is dependent upon the provider's ability to pay.
- Currency Risk: your investment may be adversely affected by changes in currency exchange rates.
- Interest Rate Risk: your investment may be adversely affected by changes in interest rates.
- Market Risk: the value of assets held by the Fund may go down as well as up. There can be no assurances that the investment objectives of the Fund will be achieved.
- There is no guarantee that the hedging strategy applied in Hedged Shares will entirely remove the effects of changes in exchange rates between the Base Currency and the currency of the Hedged Shares.
- The risks currently identified as applying to the Fund are set out in the "Risk Factors" section of the Prospectus.



#### Charges

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry Charge:	5.00%
Exit Charge:	0.00%

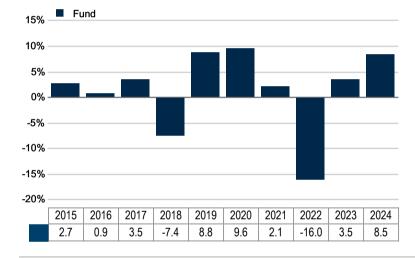
These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested. In some cases, you might pay less and you should speak to your financial adviser about this.

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Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing Charges:	1.74%
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance Fee:	NONE

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ending 29/11/24. It excludes the costs of buying or selling assets for the Fund (unless these assets are shares of another fund).

For more information about charges please see the Fund's prospectus.

#### **Past Performance**



Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

Fund launch date: 03/03/2003

Share/unit class launch date: 27/06/2007

Performance is calculated in EUR.

All charges and fees, except any entry, exit and switching charge, have been included within the performance.

This chart shows how much the Fund increased or decreased in value as a percentage each year.

No index is available to provide a useful performance comparison for this hedged share class.

#### **Practical Information**

- Further information regarding the Fund including copies of the prospectus, annual and half yearly report and accounts can be obtained free of charge from Columbia Threadneedle Investments, Cannon Place, 78 Cannon Street, London EC4N 6AG, telephone: Client Services on 00352 (0) 464 0101 or electronically at www.columbiathreadneedle.co.uk.
- The Fund is part of Columbia Threadneedle (Lux) III. You may switch investment between other sub-funds or share classes of Columbia Threadneedle (Lux) III. The assets and liabilities are segregated by law between the different funds of Columbia Threadneedle (Lux) III. This means that the Fund's assets are held separately from other funds. Your investment in the Fund will not be affected by any claims made against any other fund in Columbia Threadneedle (Lux) III.
- Details of the up-to-date remuneration policy, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated and the persons responsible for awarding them (including the composition of the remuneration committee), are available at columbiathreadneedle.com. A paper copy is available free of charge upon request.
- The Custodian for the Fund is State Street Bank Luxembourg, S.C.A. The tax legislation of Luxembourg may have an impact on your personal tax position depending on your country of residence.
- Columbia Threadneedle (Lux) III 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 for the Fund.

This Fund is authorised in Luxembourg and regulated by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF). Threadneedle Management Luxembourg S.A. is authorised in Luxembourg and regulated by the CSSF.