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This annual report covers T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund as an individual entity.

The Responsible Entity of T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund is Equity Trustees Limited (ABN 46 004 031 298) (AFSL 240975).

The Responsible Entity's registered office is:

Level 1, 575 Bourke Street Melbourne, VIC 3000.

Directors' report

The directors of Equity Trustees Limited, the Responsible Entity of T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund (the "Fund"), present their report together with the financial statements of the Fund for the year ended 30 June 2024.

Principal activities

The investment objective of the Fund is to seek high current income and capital appreciation primarily through investment in global fixed income securities rated below investment grade and may seek to achieve the Fund's objective through investment of up to 100% of the Fund's assets in one or more managed investment schemes, managed by the Investment Manager or an affiliate of the Investment Manager, that have the same or similar investment objectives as the Fund. The Fund also seeks global diversification by targeting North American, European and emerging markets high yield corporate issuers.

The Fund did not have any employees during the year.

There were significant changes in the nature of the Fund's activities during the year.

The various service providers for the Fund are detailed below:

Service Provider

Responsible Entity Equity Trustees Limited

Investment Manager T. Rowe Price Australia Limited
Custodian and Administrator JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.
Statutory Auditor PricewaterhouseCoopers

Directors

The following persons held office as directors of Equity Trustees Limited during or since the end of the year and up to the date of this report:

Philip D Gentry Chairman (resigned 6 June 2024)
Michael J O'Brien Chairman (appointed 6 June 2024)

Russell W Beasley Mary A O'Connor David B Warren

Andrew P Godfrey (appointed 1 May 2024)

Review and results of operations

During the year, the Fund continued to invest its funds in accordance with the Product Disclosure Statement and the provisions of the Fund's Constitution.

The Fund's performance for Class I was 10.67% (net of fees) and Class S was 10.46% (net of fees) for the year ended 30 June 2024. The Fund's benchmark, the ICE BofA Global High Yield Index (hedged to AUD) returned 9.90% for both the classes for the same period.

The Fund's performance is calculated based on the percentage change in the ex-dividend redemption price in the Fund over the period (with any distributions paid during the period reinvested at the ex-dividend Net Asset Value per unit). Returns are disclosed after fees and expenses but before taxes.

Directors' report (continued)

Review and results of operations (continued)

The performance of the Fund, as represented by the results of its operations, was as follows:

	Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
Profit/(loss) before finance costs attributable to unit holders for the year (\$'000)	3,137	31
Distributions - Class I		
Distributions paid and payable (\$'000)	2,619	12
Distributions (cents per unit)	8.47	4.89
Distributions - Class S		
Distributions paid and payable (\$'000)	641	14
Distributions (cents per unit)	8.37	4.87

Significant changes in the state of affairs

Andrew P Godfrey was appointed as a director of Equity Trustees Limited on 1 May 2024.

Philip D Gentry resigned as a director of Equity Trustees Limited on 6 June 2024.

In the opinion of the directors, there were no other significant changes in the state of affairs of the Fund that occurred during the financial year.

Matters subsequent to the end of the financial year

No matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2024 that has significantly affected, or may have a significant affect on:

- (i) the operations of the Fund in future financial years; or
- (ii) the results of those operations in future financial years; or
- (iii) the state of affairs of the Fund in future financial years.

Likely developments and expected results of operations

The Fund will continue to be managed in accordance with the investment objectives and guidelines as set out in the Product Disclosure Statement and the provisions of the Fund's Constitution.

The results of the Fund's operations will be affected by a number of factors, including the performance of investment markets in which the Fund invests. Investment performance is not guaranteed and future returns may differ from past returns. As investment conditions change over time, past returns should not be used to predict future returns.

Indemnification and insurance of officers

No insurance premiums are paid for out of the assets of the Fund in regard to insurance cover provided to the officers of Equity Trustees Limited. So long as the officers of Equity Trustees Limited act in accordance with the Fund's Constitution and the Law, the officers remain indemnified out of the assets of the Fund against losses incurred while acting on behalf of the Fund.

Indemnification of auditor

The auditor of the Fund is in no way indemnified out of the assets of the Fund.

Directors' report (continued)

Fees paid to and interests held in the Fund by the Responsible Entity and its associates

Fees paid to the Responsible Entity and its associates out of Fund property during the year are disclosed in Note 16 to the financial statements.

No fees were paid out of Fund property to the directors of the Responsible Entity during the year.

The number of interests in the Fund held by the Responsible Entity or its associates as at the end of the financial year are also disclosed in Note 16 to the financial statements.

Interests in the Fund

The movement in units on issue in the Fund during the year is disclosed in Note 8 to the financial statements.

The value of the Fund's assets and liabilities is disclosed in the statement of financial position and derived using the basis set out in Note 2 to the financial statements.

Environmental regulation

The operations of the Fund are not subject to any particular or significant environmental regulations under Commonwealth, State or Territory law.

Rounding of amounts to the nearest thousand dollars

Amounts in the Directors' report have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars in accordance with ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191, unless otherwise indicated.

Auditor's independence declaration

A copy of the auditor's independence declaration as required under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out on page 5.

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors of Equity Trustees Limited through a delegated authority given by Equity Trustees Limited's Board.

Andrew P Godfrey Director

Melbourne

19 September 2024



Auditor's Independence Declaration

As lead auditor for the audit of T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund for the year ended 30 June 2024, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been:

- (a) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit; and
- (b) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

CJ Cummins

Partner

PricewaterhouseCoopers

Sydney 19 September 2024

Statement of comprehensive income

		Year ended		
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023	
	Note	\$'000	\$'000	
Income				
Interest income from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		2,062	-	
Trust distribution income		7	37	
Net foreign exchange gain/(loss)		202	-	
Net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss		1,081	(3)	
Management fees and costs reimbursement income	16(g)	70	21	
Total income/(loss)	-	3,422	<u>55</u>	
Expenses				
Management fees and costs		280	24	
Withholding taxes	-		<u>-</u>	
Total expenses	-	285	24	
Profit/(loss) before finance costs attributable to unit holders for the year	-	3,137	31	
Finance costs attributable to unit holders				
Distributions to unit holders	10	(3,260)	(26)	
(Increase)/decrease in net assets attributable to unit holders	8	123	(5)	
Profit/(loss) for the year		-	-	
Other comprehensive income	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u> _	<u>-</u>	
Total comprehensive income for the year		<u>-</u>		

The above statement of comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Statement of financial position

	As at		ıt
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Note	\$'000	\$'000
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	11	1,417	-
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold		106	2
Receivables	13	18	3
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	5	41,500	477
Total assets		43,041	482
Liabilities			
Due to brokers - payable for securities purchased		670	-
Distributions payable	10	1,653	2
Payables	14	90	12
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	6	<u>179</u>	
Total liabilities (excluding net assets attributable to unit holders)		2,592	14
Net assets attributable to unit holders - liability	8	40,449	468

The above statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Statement of changes in equity

	Year	Year ended		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023		
	\$'000	\$'000		
Total equity at the beginning of the financial year	-	-		
Profit/(loss) for the year	-	-		
Other comprehensive income	<u></u> _			
Total comprehensive income	-	-		
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners				
Total equity at the end of the financial year*				

^{*} Under Australian Accounting Standards, net assets attributable to unit holders are classified as a liability rather than equity. As a result there was no equity at the start or end of the year.

The above statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Statement of cash flows

	Year ended		led
		30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	Note	\$'000	\$'000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss		15,193	32
Payments for purchase of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss		(53,744)	(41)
Interest income received from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		1,421	-
Management fees and costs reimbursement income received		58	21
Other income received		-	10
Management fees and costs paid	<u>-</u>	(209)	(26)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	12(a)	(37,281)	<u>(4</u>)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from applications by unit holders		40,355	38
Payments for redemptions by unit holders		(267)	(28)
Distributions paid to unit holders	<u>-</u>	(1,592)	(8)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities	-	38,496	2
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	<u>-</u>	1,215	(2)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		_	2
Effect of foreign currency exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	_	202	<u> </u>
Cash and cash equivalents/(overdraft) at the end of the year	11	1,417	
Non-cash operating and financing activities	12(b)	27	55

The above statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

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1 General information

These financial statements cover T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund (the "Fund") as an individual entity. The Fund is an Australian registered managed investment scheme which was constituted on 14 January 2020 and will terminate in accordance with the provisions of the Fund's Constitution or by Law.

The Responsible Entity of the Fund is Equity Trustees Limited (ABN 46 004 031 298) (AFSL 240975) (the "Responsible Entity"). The Responsible Entity's registered office is Level 1, 575 Bourke Street, Melbourne, VIC 3000. The financial statements are presented in the Australian currency unless otherwise noted.

The investment objective of the Fund is to seek high current income and capital appreciation primarily through investment in global fixed income securities rated below investment grade and may seek to achieve the Fund's objective through investment of up to 100% of the Fund's assets in one or more managed investment schemes, managed by the Investment Manager or an affiliate of the Investment Manager, that have the same or similar investment objectives as the Fund. The Fund also seeks global diversification by targeting North American, European and emerging markets high yield corporate issuers.

The financial statements were authorised for issue by the directors on the date the Directors' declaration was signed. The directors of the Responsible Entity have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

2 Summary of material accounting policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all years presented, unless otherwise stated in the following text.

(a) Basis of preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board (AASB) and the *Corporations Act 2001* in Australia. The Fund is a for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial statements.

The financial statements are prepared on the basis of fair value measurement of assets and liabilities, except where otherwise stated.

The statement of financial position is presented on a liquidity basis. Assets and liabilities are presented in decreasing order of liquidity and do not distinguish between current and non-current. All balances are expected to be recovered or settled within 12 months, except for investments in financial assets and liabilities and net assets attributable to unit holders.

The Fund manages financial assets at fair value through profit or loss based on the economic circumstances at any given point in time, as well as to meet any liquidity requirements. As such, it is expected that a portion of the portfolio will be realised within 12 months, however, an estimate of that amount cannot be determined as at reporting date.

In the case of net assets attributable to unit holders, the units are redeemable on demand at the unit holders' option. However, holders of these instruments typically retain them for the medium to long term. As such, the amount expected to be settled within 12 months cannot be reliably determined.

(i) Compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

The financial statements of the Fund also comply with IFRS as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

(ii) New and amended standards adopted by the Fund

The Fund has applied the following standards and amendments for the first time for its financial year beginning 1 July 2023:

• AASB 2021-2 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Disclosure of Accounting Policies and Definition of Accounting Estimates [AASB 7, AASB 101, AASB 108, AASB 134 & AASB Practice Statement 2].

The amendments have had an impact on the Fund's disclosures of accounting policies, including the requirement to disclose 'material' rather than 'significant' accounting policies, but not on the measurement, recognition or presentation of any items in the Fund's financial statements

None of the other standards, interpretations or amendments to existing standards that are effective for the first time for the financial year beginning 1 July 2023 have a material impact on the amounts recognised in the prior periods or will affect the current or future periods.

(iii) New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 July 2024 and have not been early adopted in preparing these financial statements.

None of these are expected to have material effect on the financial statements of the Fund.

(b) Financial instruments

(i) Classification

· Financial assets

The Fund classifies its financial assets in the following measurement categories:

- those to be measured at fair value through profit or loss; and
- those to be measured at amortised cost.

The Fund classifies its financial assets based on its business model for managing those financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets.

The Fund's portfolio of financial assets are managed and its performance is evaluated on a fair value basis in accordance with the Fund's documented investment strategy. The Fund's policy is for the Investment Manager to evaluate the information about these financial assets on a fair value basis together with other related financial information.

For derivatives, the contractual cash flows of these instruments do not represent solely payments of principal and interest. Consequently, these investments are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

For debt securities, the contractual cash flows are solely payments of principal and interest, however they are neither held for collecting contractual cash flows nor for collecting contractual cash flows and for sale. The collection of contractual cash flows is only incidental to achieving the Fund's business objective. Consequently, the debt securities are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

For cash and cash equivalents, margin accounts, due from brokers and receivables, these assets are held in order to collect the contractual cash flows. The contractual terms of these assets give rise, on specified dates, to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding. Consequently, these are measured at amortised cost.

Financial liabilities

Derivative contracts that have a negative fair value are presented as liabilities at fair value through profit or loss.

For financial liabilities that are not classified and measured at fair value through profit or loss, these are classified as financial liabilities at amortised cost (due to brokers, distributions payable, margin accounts, management fee and cost payable and other payables).

(ii) Recognition and derecognition

The Fund recognises financial assets and financial liabilities on the date it becomes party to the contractual agreement (trade date) and recognises changes in the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities from this date.

Financial assets are derecognised when the rights to receive cash flows from the financial assets have expired or the Fund has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership. Financial liabilities are derecognised when the obligation under the liability is discharged, cancelled or expires. When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as the derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability. The difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

(b) Financial instruments (continued)

(iii) Measurement

• Financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss

At initial recognition, the Fund measures a financial asset and a financial liability at its fair value. Transaction costs of financial assets and liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are expensed in the statement of comprehensive income.

Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value. Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of 'financial assets or liabilities at fair value through profit or loss' category are presented in the statement of comprehensive income within 'net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss' in the period in which they arise.

For further details on how the fair value of financial instruments is determined please see Note 4 to the financial statements.

Financial instruments at amortised cost

For financial assets and financial liabilities at amortised cost, they are initially measured at fair value including directly attributable costs and are subsequently measured using the effective interest rate method less any allowance for expected credit losses.

Cash and cash equivalents, due from brokers and receivables are carried at amortised cost.

(iv) Impairment

At each reporting date, the Fund shall estimate a loss allowance on each of the financial assets carried at amortised cost (cash and cash equivalents, due from brokers and receivables) at an amount equal to the lifetime expected credit losses if the credit risk has increased significantly since initial recognition. If, at the reporting date, the credit risk has not increased significantly since initial recognition, the Fund shall measure the loss allowance at an amount equal to 12-month expected credit losses. Significant financial difficulties of the counter party, probability that the counter party will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default in payments are all considered indicators that the asset is credit impaired. If the credit risk increases to the point that it is considered to be credit impaired, interest income will be calculated based on the net carrying amount adjusted for the loss allowance. A significant increase in credit risk is defined by management as any contractual payment which is more than 30 days past due. Any contractual payment which is more than 90 days past due is considered credit impaired.

The expected credit loss (ECL) approach is based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Fund expects to receive. The shortfall is then discounted at an approximation to the asset's original effective interest rate.

The amount of the impairment loss is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income within other expenses. When a trade receivable for which an impairment allowance had been recognised becomes uncollectible in a subsequent period, it is written off against the allowance account. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against other expenses in the statement of comprehensive income.

(v) Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the statement of financial position when the Fund has a legally enforceable right to offset the recognised amounts, and there is an intention to settle on a net basis or realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

As at the end of the reporting year, there are no financial assets or liabilities offset or with the right to offset in the statement of financial position.

(c) Net assets attributable to unit holders

Units are redeemable at the unit holders' option; however, applications and redemptions may be suspended by the Responsible Entity if it is in the best interests of the unit holders.

The units in the Fund are classified as financial liabilities as they do not meet the requirements of equity in accordance with AASB 132 *Financial instruments: Presentation.*

The units can be put back to the Fund at any time for cash based on the current redemption price, which is equal to a proportionate share of the Fund's net asset value attributable to the unit holders.

The units are carried at the redemption amount that is payable at the reporting date if the holder exercises the right to put the units back to the Fund.

(d) Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of presentation in the statement of cash flows, cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions and other short term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.

Payments and receipts relating to the purchase and sale of investment securities are classified as cash flows from operating activities, as trading of these securities represents the Fund's main income generating activity.

(e) Income

(i) Interest income

Interest income from financial assets at amortised cost is recognised using the effective interest method and includes interest from cash and cash equivalents. Interest from financial assets at fair value through profit or loss is determined based on the contractual coupon interest rate and includes interest from debt securities measured at fair value through the profit or loss.

The effective interest method is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and of allocating the interest income over the relevant period. The effective interest rate is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts throughout the expected life of the financial instrument, or a shorter period where appropriate, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset. When calculating the effective interest rate, the Fund estimates cash flows considering all contractual terms of the financial instruments (for example, prepayment options) but does not consider future credit losses. The calculation includes all fees paid or received between the parties to the contract that are an integral part of the effective interest rate, including transaction costs and all other premiums or discounts.

Interest income on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss is also recognised in the statement of comprehensive income. Changes in fair value of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss are recorded in accordance with the policies described in Note 2(b) to the financial statements.

(ii) Distributions

Trust distributions are recognised on an entitlement basis.

(f) Expenses

All expenses are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on an accruals basis.

Interest expense from financial liability at amortised cost is recognised using the effective interest method and includes interest expenses from the credit facility.

As per the Fund's Product Disclosure Statement (PDS), management fees include ordinary expenses such as the responsible entity fees, investment management fees, custody and administration fees, audit fees and other ordinary expenses, excluding transaction costs. The total of these ordinary expenses are capped at the rate disclosed in the PDS. If the ordinary expenses exceed the disclosed cap then the Investment Manager will cover the shortfall and reimburse this to the Fund.

(g) Income tax

Under current legislation, the Fund is not subject to income tax provided it attributes the entirety of its taxable income to its unit holders.

The Fund currently incurs withholding taxes imposed by certain countries on investment income and capital gains. Such income or gains are recorded gross of withholding taxes in the statement of comprehensive income. Withholding taxes are included in the statement of comprehensive income, as an expense.

(h) Distributions

The Fund may distribute its distributable income, in accordance with the Fund's Constitution, to unit holders by cash or reinvestment. The distributions are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as finance costs attributable to unit holders.

(i) Increase/decrease in net assets attributable to unit holders

Income not distributed is included in net assets attributable to unit holders. As the Fund's units are classified as financial liabilities, movements in net assets attributable to unit holders are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income as finance costs.

(j) Foreign currency translation

(i) Functional and presentation currency

Balances included in the Fund's financial statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which it operates (the "functional currency"). This is the Australian dollar which reflects the currency of the economy in which the Fund competes for funds and is regulated. The Australian dollar is also the Fund's presentation currency.

(ii) Transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translations at period end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

Non-monetary items that are measured at fair value in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rates at the date when fair value was determined.

The Fund does not isolate that portion of unrealised gains or losses on securities and derivative financial instruments that are measured at fair value through profit or loss which is due to changes in foreign exchange rates. Such fluctuations are included in the net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss.

(k) Due from/to brokers

Amounts due from/to brokers represent receivables for securities sold and payables for securities purchased that have been contracted for but not yet delivered by the end of the year. The due from brokers balance is held for collection and is recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost.

(l) Receivables

Receivables may include amounts for interest, dividends and trust distributions. Dividends and trust distributions are accrued when the right to receive payment is established. Where applicable, interest is accrued on a daily basis. Amounts are generally received within 30 days of being recorded as receivables.

(m) Payables

Payables include liabilities and accrued expenses owed by the Fund which are unpaid as at the end of the reporting period.

A separate distribution payable is recognised in the statement of financial position.

Distributions declared effective 30 June in relation to unit holders who have previously elected to reinvest distributions are recognised as reinvested effective 1 July of the following financial year.

(n) Applications and redemptions

Applications received for units in the Fund are recorded net of any entry fees payable prior to the issue of units in the Fund. Redemptions from the Fund are recorded gross of any exit fees payable after the cancellation of units redeemed.

(o) Goods and services tax (GST)

The GST incurred on the costs of various services provided to the Fund by third parties such as management, administration and custodian services where applicable, have been passed on to the Fund. The Fund qualifies for Reduced Input Tax Credits (RITC) at a rate of at least 55%. Hence, fees for these services and any other expenses have been recognised in the statement of comprehensive income net of the amount of GST recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO). Amounts payable are inclusive of GST. The net amount of GST recoverable from the ATO is included in receivables in the statement of financial position. Cash flows relating to GST are included in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis.

(p) Use of estimates and judgments

The Fund makes estimates, assumptions and judgements that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities within the current and next financial year. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

Certain financial instruments, for example over-the-counter derivatives or unquoted securities, are fair valued using valuation techniques. Where valuation techniques (for example, pricing models) are used to determine fair values, they are validated and periodically reviewed by experienced personnel of the Investment Manager.

Models use observable data, to the extent practicable. However, areas such as credit risk (both own and counterparty), volatilities and correlations, require management to make estimates and judgements. Changes in assumptions about these factors could affect the reported fair value of financial instruments.

The Fund estimates that the resultant expected credit loss (ECL) derived from using impairment model, has not materially impacted the Fund. Please see Note 3 for more information on credit risk.

For more information on how fair value is calculated refer to Note 4 to the financial statements.

(q) Rounding of amounts

The Fund is an entity of a kind referred to in ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191 relating to the "rounding off" of amounts in the financial statements. Amounts in the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars, unless otherwise indicated.

(r) Comparative revisions

Comparative information has been revised where appropriate to enhance comparability. Where necessary, comparative figures have been adjusted to conform with changes in presentation in the current year.

3 Financial risk management

The Fund's activities expose them to a variety of financial risks including market risk (which incorporates price risk and interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk.

The Fund's overall risk management programme focuses on ensuring compliance with the Fund's Product Disclosure Statement and the investment guidelines of the Fund. It also seeks to maximise the returns derived for the level of risk to which the Fund is exposed and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the Fund's financial performance. The Fund's policy allows it to use derivative financial instruments in managing its financial risks.

All investments present a risk of loss of capital. The maximum loss of capital on debt securities is limited to the fair value of those positions. The maximum loss of capital on forward currency contracts is limited to the notional contract values of those positions.

The investments of the Fund, and associated risks, are managed by a specialist Investment Manager, T. Rowe Price Australia Limited ("TRP" or the "Investment Manager") under an Investment Management Agreement (IMA) approved by the Responsible Entity and containing the investment strategy and guidelines of the Fund, consistent with those stated in the Product Disclosure Statement.

The Fund uses different methods to measure different types of risk to which it is exposed. These methods are explained below.

(a) Market risk

(i) Price risk

The Fund is exposed to price risk on debt securities measured at fair value. Price risk arises from investments held by the Fund for which prices in the future are uncertain. Where non-monetary financial instruments are denominated in currencies other than the Australian dollar, the price in the future will also fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates which are considered a component of price risk.

The Investment Manager uses research and analysis to monitor variables that elevate price risk and to minimize the downside impact of these variables on the Fund's investments. Additionally, the Investment Manager performs regular reviews of both large security positions held across all portfolios and large market exposure for the Fund.

(a) Market risk (continued)

(i) Price Risk (continued)

During the year the majority of the Fund's directly held financial assets and liabilities are interest-bearing securities that have exposure to interest rate movement. Therefore, there is limited exposure to price risk at year-end, and an analysis of interest rate risk is provided in Note 3(b).

The price risk disclosed in Note 3(b) is related to the Fund's investment in an unlisted collective investment scheme as at 30 June 2023.

(ii) Foreign exchange risk

The Fund operates internationally and holds both monetary and non-monetary assets denominated in currencies other than the Australian dollar. Foreign exchange risk arises as the value of monetary securities denominated in other currencies fluctuate due to changes in exchange rates. The foreign exchange risk relating to non-monetary assets and liabilities is a component of price risk and not foreign exchange risk. However, the Investment Manager monitors the exposure of all foreign currency denominated assets and liabilities.

The Investment Manager performs regular reviews of currency exposure within the Fund. The Fund may enter into forward currency contracts designed to either hedge currency exposure from portfolio investments, or alternatively increase exposure to preferred foreign currencies.

The table below summarises the fair value of the Fund's financial assets and liabilities, monetary and non-monetary, which are denominated in these main foreign currencies other than the Australian dollar for the financial year (2023: nil).

	US Dollars	Euro	British Pounds
	Dollars	Euro	Pounds
As at 30 June 2024	A\$'000	A\$'000	A\$'000
Cash and cash equivalents	813	43	12
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	106	-	-
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	28,688	10,651	1,777
Due to brokers - payable for securities purchased	(670)	-	-
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	<u>(1)</u>	<u>(1</u>)	
Net exposure	28,936	10,693	1,789
Net increase/(decrease) in exposure from forward currency contracts (notional principal)	(28,871)	(10,858)	(1,780)
Net exposure including forward currency contracts	65	(165)	9

The table at Note 3(b) summarises the sensitivities of the Fund's monetary assets and liabilities to foreign exchange risk. The analysis is based on the reasonably possible shift that the Australian dollar weakened and strengthened by 10% against the material foreign currencies to which the Fund is exposed.

(iii) Cash flow and fair value interest rate risk

The Fund's interest bearing financial instruments expose it to risks associated with the effects of fluctuations in the prevailing levels of market interest rates on its financial position and cash flows. The risk is measured using sensitivity analysis. The impact of the interest rate risk on profit and net assets attributable to unit holders is considered immaterial to the Fund.

The Fund's main interest rate risk arises from its investments in fixed interest and money market interest securities.

Interest rate risk is managed by the Investment Manager. The Investment Manager manages interest rate risk through the active selection of sovereign bonds and may use fixed income futures, interest rate futures, interest rate swaps and options on interest rate futures/interest rate swaps to increase or decrease the total interest rate risk (also called duration) of the Fund.

(a) Market risk (continued)

(iii) Cash flow and fair value interest rate risk (continued)

The table below summarises the Fund's exposure to interest rate risk at the end of the reporting period (2023: nil).

	Floating interest rate \$'000	Fixed interest rate \$'000	Non-interest bearing \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	1,417	-	-	1,417
Due from brokers - receivable for securities sold	-	-	106	106
Receivables	-	-	18	18
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	3,518	37,439	543	41,500
Total financial assets	4,935	37,439	667	43,041
Financial liabilities				
Due to brokers - payable for securities purchased	-	-	670	670
Distributions payable	-	-	1,653	1,653
Payables	-	-	90	90
Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss			179	179
Total financial liabilities			2,592	2,592
Net increase/(decrease) in exposure from derivatives (notional principal)	_	_	_	_
Net exposure	4,935	37,439	(1,925)	40,449

The table at Note 3(b) summarises the impact of an increase/decrease in interest rates in the Fund's operating profit and net assets attributable to unit holders through changes in fair value of changes or future cash flows. The analysis is based on the reasonably possible shift that the interest rates changed by +/-80 basis points from the year end rates with all other variables held constant.

(b) Summarised sensitivity analysis

The following table summarises the sensitivity of the Fund's operating profit and net assets attributable to unit holders to market risks. The reasonably possible movements in the risk variables have been determined based on management's best estimates, having regard to a number of factors, including historical levels of changes in foreign exchange rates, interest rates and the historical correlation of the Fund's investments with the relevant benchmark and market volatility. However, actual movements in the risk variables may be greater or less than anticipated due to a number of factors, including unusually large market movements resulting from changes in the performance of and/or correlation between the performances of the economies, markets and securities in which the Fund invests. As a result, historic variations in risk variables should not be used to predict future variances in the risk variables.

Impact on operating profit/ net assets attributable to unit holders

	Price risk		Foreign exchange risk		Interest rate risk	
	+8%	-8%	+10%	-10%	+80 bps	-80 bps
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000
As at 30 June 2024	-	-	4,121	(4,121)	(2,956)	2,956
As at 30 June 2023	48	(48)	-	-	-	-

The sensitivity factors for 30 June 2023 were +/-10% for price risk and +/-100 bps for interest rate risk.

(c) Credit risk

The Fund is exposed to credit risk, which is the risk that a counterparty will be unable to pay its obligations in full when they fall due, causing a financial loss to the Fund.

The Investment Manager manages credit risk through the active selection of physical credit securities of different maturities and with various rating profiles. The total exposure to credit risk is also managed through the exposure to single name credit default swaps as well as derivative instruments on credit indices to increase or decrease the overall credit risk of the Fund.

The main concentration of credit risk, to which the Fund is exposed, arises from the Fund's investment in debt securities. The Fund is also exposed to counterparty credit risk on derivative financial instruments, cash and cash equivalents, amounts due to from brokers and other receivables.

(i) Debt securities

The Fund invests into debt securities subject to its limits as set out in the Product Disclosure Statement. The overall credit risk of the debt securities held is actively monitored by the Investment Manager. The credit rating used for debt securities is based on the following order, where available: Standard & Poor's Rating Services, Moody's Investors Service and Fitch Ratings. Where credit rating is not provided by the credit rating agencies, the security issuer's own credit rating may be used, or otherwise the security is treated as unrated. Investment into unrated debt securities is decided within the context of the overall risk of the portfolio. The Fund may require collateral or other security to support financial instruments with credit risk.

An analysis of debt by rating is set out in the table below (2023: nil).

	Year ended	
	30 June 30 3 2024 20	June 23
	\$'000 \$'0	000
Rating		
BBB+ to C	40,188	-
Non-rated	<u>769</u>	
Total	40,957	

(ii) Settlement of securities transactions

All transactions in listed securities are settled/paid for upon delivery using approved brokers. The risk of default is considered low, as delivery of securities sold is only made once the broker has received payment. Payment is made once the securities purchased have been received by the broker. The trade will fail if either party fails to meet its obligations.

(iii) Cash and cash equivalents

The exposure to credit risk for cash and cash equivalents is low as all counterparties have a rating of A-1 (as determined by the S&P) or higher.

(d) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Fund may not be able to generate sufficient cash resources to settle its obligations in full as they fall due or can only do so on terms that are materially disadvantageous.

Exposure to liquidity risk for the Fund may arise from the requirement to meet daily unit holder redemption requests or to fund foreign exchange related cash flow requirements.

Liquidity risk is managed by investing in a diversified portfolio of liquid and illiquid securities. In particular, the Investment Manager invests in government bonds in both developed market countries, and developing market countries with adequate liquidity to ensure market standard transaction costs are attained if a portion of the investment is liquidated. The Fund aims to retain sufficient cash and cash equivalent positions to maintain liquidity.

(d) Liquidity risk (continued)

In order to manage the Fund's overall liquidity, the Responsible Entity has the discretion to reject an application for units and to defer or adjust redemption of units if the exercise of such discretion is in the best interests of unit holders. The Fund did not reject or withhold any redemptions during 2024 and 2023.

(i) Maturities of non-derivative financial liabilities

All non-derivative financial liabilities of the Fund in the current period have maturities of less than 1 month.

(ii) Maturities of gross settled derivative financial instruments

The table below analyses the Fund's gross settled derivative financial instruments based on their contractual maturity. The Fund may, at its discretion, settle financial instruments prior to their original contractual settlement date, in accordance with its investment strategy, where permitted by the terms and conditions of the relevant instruments (2023: nil).

	Less than 1 month \$'000	1 to 6 months \$'000	6 to 12 months \$'000	Over 12 months \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024					
Forward currency contracts					
Inflows	107,896	53,943	-	-	161,839
(Outflows)	(107,709)	(53,766)			(161,475)
Total gross settled derivatives	187	177			364

4 Fair value measurement

The Fund measures and recognises financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss on a recurring basis.

- Financial assets/liabilities at fair value through profit or loss (see Note 5 and Note 6)
- Derivative financial instruments (see Note 7)

The Fund has no assets or liabilities measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis in the current reporting period.

AASB 13 Fair Value Measurement requires disclosure of fair value measurements by level of the following fair value measurement hierarchy:

- Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1);
- Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly (level 2);
- Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs) (level 3).

The Fund values its investments in accordance with the accounting policies set out in Note 2 to the financial statements. For the majority of its investments, the Fund relies on information provided by independent pricing services for the valuation of its investments.

(a) Valuations using level 2 inputs

The fair value of financial instruments that are not traded in an active market is determined using valuation techniques that maximise the use of observable market data and rely as little as possible on entity-specific estimates. If all material inputs required to fair value an instrument are observable, the instrument is included in level 2.

Some of the inputs to these models may not be market observable and are therefore estimated based on assumptions. The output of a model is always an estimate or approximation of a value that cannot be determined with certainty, and valuation techniques employed may not fully reflect all factors relevant to the positions the Fund holds.

Specific valuation techniques using observable inputs used to value financial instruments include:

- Debt instruments are valued using quoted market prices or dealer quotes for similar instruments
- Foreign currency forwards are valued at the present value of future cash flows based on the forward exchange rates at the balance sheet date

4 Fair value measurement (continued)

(b) Recognised fair value measurements

The table below presents the Fund's financial assets and liabilities measured and recognised at fair value as at 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023.

	Level 1 \$'000	Level 2 \$'000	Level 3 \$'000	Total \$'000
As at 30 June 2024				
Financial assets				
Forward currency contracts	-	543	-	543
Debt securities	-	40,685	-	40,685
Convertible notes		272	_	272
Total financial assets		41,500	-	41,500
Financial liabilities				
Forward currency contracts	_	<u> </u>	_	179
Total financial liabilities	-	<u>179</u>		179
As at 30 June 2023				
Financial assets				
Unlisted collective investment schemes		477	<u>-</u>	477
Total financial assets		477		477

(c) Transfer between levels

Management's policy is to recognise transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as at the end of the reporting period. There were no transfers between levels in the fair value hierarchy at the end of the reporting period (2023: nil).

(d) Financial instruments not carried at fair value

The financial instruments not measured at fair value through profit and loss include:

- Cash and cash equivalent, balances due from/to brokers and receivables/payables under sale and repurchase agreements. These are short-term financial assets and financial liabilities whose carrying values approximate fair value, because of their short-term nature and the high credit quality of counterparties; and
- Net assets attributable to unit holders, as the Fund routinely redeems and issues units at an amount equal to the proportionate share of the Fund's net assets at the time of redemption, calculated on a basis consistent with that used in these financial statements. Accordingly, the carrying value of net assets attributable to unit holders approximates their fair value. Any difference is not material in the current year or prior year.

5 Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss

	As at	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000
Forward currency contracts	543	-
Debt securities	40,685	-
Convertible notes	272	-
Unlisted collective investment schemes	<u>-</u>	477
Total financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	41,500	477

An overview of the risk exposures and fair value measurements relating to financial assets at fair value through profit or loss is included in Note 3 and Note 4 to the financial statements.

6 Financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

	As a	As at		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023		
	\$'000	\$'000		
Forward currency contracts	<u> 179</u>			
Total financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss	179	<u> </u>		

An overview of the risk exposures and fair value measurements relating to financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss is included in Note 3 and Note 4 to the financial statements.

7 Derivative financial instruments

In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into transactions in various derivative financial instruments which have certain risks. A derivative is a financial instrument or other contract which is settled at a future date and whose value changes in response to the change in a specified interest rate, financial instrument price, commodity price, foreign exchange rate, index of prices or rates, credit rating or credit index or other variable.

Derivative financial instruments require no initial net investment or an initial net investment that is smaller than would be required for other types of contracts that would be expected to have a similar response to changes in market factors.

Derivative transactions include many different instruments such as forwards, futures and options. Derivatives are considered to be part of the investment process and the use of derivatives is an essential part of the Fund's portfolio management. Derivatives are not managed in isolation. Consequently, the use of derivatives is multifaceted and includes:

- hedging to protect an asset or liability of the Fund against a fluctuation in market values, foreign exchange risk or to reduce volatility;
- a substitution for trading of physical securities; and
- adjusting asset exposures within the parameters set in the investment strategy, and adjusting the duration of fixed interest portfolios or the weighted average maturity of cash portfolios.

While derivatives are used for trading purposes, they are not used to gear (leverage) a portfolio. Gearing a portfolio would occur if the level of exposure to the markets exceeds the underlying value of the Fund.

7 Derivative financial instruments (continued)

The Fund holds the following derivative:

(a) Forward currency contracts

Forward currency contracts are primarily used by the Fund to economically hedge against foreign currency exchange rate risks on its non-Australian dollar denominated securities. The Fund agrees to receive or deliver a fixed quantity of foreign currency for an agreed upon price on an agreed future date. Forward currency contracts are valued at the prevailing bid price at the end of each reporting period. The Fund recognises a gain or loss equal to the change in fair value at the end of each reporting period.

The Fund's derivative financial instruments measured at fair value at year end are detailed below (2023: nil):

	Contractual/	Contractual/		
	notional	Assets	Liabilities	
	\$'000	\$'000	\$'000	
As at 30 June 2024				
Forward currency contracts	161,839	543	179	
Total derivatives	161,839	543	179	

Information about the Fund's exposure to credit risk, foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk and about the methods and assumptions used in determining fair values is provided in Note 3 and Note 5 to the financial statements. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the end of the reporting period is the carrying amount of each class of derivative financial instruments disclosed above.

8 Net assets attributable to unit holders - liability

The Fund's units are classified as a liability as they do not meet the definition of a financial instrument to be classified as equity.

Movements in the number of units and net assets attributable to unit holders during the year were as follows:

	Year ended 30 June 2024		Year end 30 Jun 2023	
	Units	\$'000	Units	\$'000
Class I				
Opening balance	232	206	209	183
Applications	36,260	32,560	43	38
Redemptions	(125)	(115)	(32)	(28)
Reinvestment of distributions	12	11	12	11
Increase/(decrease) in net assets attributable to unit holders	<u>-</u>	(112)	<u> </u>	2
Closing balance	36,379	32,550	232	206
Class S				
Opening balance	295	262	286	252
Applications	8,660	7,795	-	-
Redemptions	(166)	(153)	-	-
Reinvestment of distributions	6	6	9	7
Increase/(decrease) in net assets attributable to unit holders	<u> </u>	(11)	<u> </u>	3
Closing balance	<u>8,795</u>	7,899	295	262
Closing balance	-	40,449	_	468

As stipulated within the Fund's Constitution, each unit represents a right to an individual share in the Fund and does not extend to a right in the underlying assets of the Fund.

There are two separate classes of units. Each unit within the same class has the same rights as all other units within that class. Each unit class has a different management fee rate and investment restrictions.

8 Net assets attributable to unit holders - liability (continued)

Units are redeemed on demand at the unit holders' option. However, holders of these instruments typically retain them for the medium to long term. As such, the amount expected to be settled within twelve months after the end of the reporting period cannot be reliably determined.

Capital risk management

The Fund considers its net assets attributable to unit holders as capital, notwithstanding that net assets attributable to unit holders are classified as a liability. The amount of net assets attributable to unit holders can change significantly on a daily basis as the Fund is subject to daily applications and redemptions at the discretion of unit holders.

Daily applications and redemptions are reviewed relative to the liquidity of the Fund's underlying assets on a daily basis by the Responsible Entity. Under the terms of the Fund's Constitution, the Responsible Entity has the discretion to reject an application for units and to defer or adjust redemption of units if the exercise of such discretion is in the best interests of unit holders.

9 Structured entities

A structured entity is an entity that has been designed so that voting or similar rights are not the dominant factor in deciding who controls the entity, and the relevant activities are directed by means of contractual arrangement.

The Fund considers all investments in unlisted collective investment schemes (the "Schemes") to be structured entities. The Fund invests in Schemes for the purpose of capital appreciation and/or earning investment income.

The exposure to investments in related party Schemes at fair value, and any related party amounts recognised in the statement of comprehensive income is disclosed at Note 16(i) to the financial statements.

The fair value of the Schemes is included in financial assets at fair value through profit or loss in the statement of financial position.

The Fund's maximum exposure to loss from its interest in the Schemes is equal to the fair value of its investments in the Schemes as there are no off-balance sheet exposures relating to any of the Schemes. Once the Fund has disposed of its units in a Scheme, it ceases to be exposed to any risk from that Scheme.

As of 30 June 2024, investment in the Schemes was nil (2023: \$476,623). During the year ended 30 June 2024, net gains/(losses) on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss in relation to the Schemes were \$2,199 (2023: \$(4,119)). The Fund also earned distribution income of \$6,718 (2023: \$37,428) as a result of its interests in the Schemes.

10 Distributions to unit holders

The distributions declared during the year were as follows:

	Year e	Year ended		ended
	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2023
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU
Class I				
Distributions				
July	1	0.58	1	0.46
August	1	0.60	1	0.45
September	156	0.44	1	0.46
October	147	0.42	1	0.46
November	137	0.39	1	0.39
December	151	0.42	1	0.39
January	138	0.39	1	0.38
February	142	0.40	1	0.38
March	144	0.41	1	0.38
April	127	0.36	1	0.38
May	144	0.40	1	0.38
June (payable)	1,331	3.66	1	0.38
Total distributions	2,619	8.47	12	4.89

10 Distributions to unit holders (continued)

	Year e	Year ended		ended
	30 June 2024	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	30 June 2023
	\$'000	CPU	\$'000	CPU
Class S				
Distributions				
July	2	0.58	1	0.45
August	2	0.58	1	0.44
September	40	0.44	2	0.45
October	36	0.41	2	0.46
November	34	0.37	1	0.39
December	37	0.42	1	0.39
January	33	0.38	1	0.39
February	35	0.39	1	0.38
March	35	0.40	1	0.38
April	31	0.35	1	0.38
May	34	0.39	1	0.38
June (payable)	322	3.66	1	0.38
Total distributions	641	8.37	14	4.87
Total distributions	3,260		26	

11 Cash and cash equivalents

	As a	As at		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023		
	\$'000	\$'000		
Cash at bank	549	-		
Foreign currency cash at bank	868	-		
Bank overdraft	<u>-</u>	_*		
Total cash and cash equivalents	1,417	<u> </u>		

^{*}As at 30 June 2023, the Fund held an overdraft balance of \$378, which is not reflected in the above table due to rounding of the financial statements.

12 Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities

	Year ended	
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023
	\$'000	\$'000
(a) Reconciliation of profit/(loss) to net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities		
Increase/(decrease) in net assets attributable to unit holders	(123)	5
Distributions to unit holders	3,260	26
Proceeds from sale of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	15,193	32
Payments for purchase of financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(53,744)	(41)
Net (gains)/losses on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss	(1,081)	3
Net foreign exchange (gain)/loss	(202)	-
Net change in accrued income on financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss for accrued interest	(636)	_
Distributions reinvested	(10)	(37)
Net change in receivables	(15)	10
Net change in payables	77	(2)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from operating activities	(37,281)	(4)
(b) Non-cash operating and financing activities		
The following purchases of investments were satisfied by the participation in dividend and distribution reinvestment plans	10	37
The following distribution payments to unit holders were satisfied by the issue of units under		
the distribution reinvestment plans	<u>17</u>	18
Total non-cash operating and financing activities	27	55

As described in Note 2(i), income not distributed is included in net assets attributable to unit holders. The change in this amount each year (as reported in (a) above) represents a non-cash financing cost as it is not settled in cash until such time as it becomes distributable.

13 Receivables

	As at		
	30 June 2024		
	\$'000	\$'000	
Distributions receivable	-	3	
Fee rebates from related schemes receivable	12	-	
Other receivables	6		
Total receivables	18	3	

14 Payables

	As a	As at		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023		
	\$'000	\$'000		
Redemptions payable	1	-		
Management fees and costs payable	89	12		
Total payables	90	12		

15 Remuneration of auditor

During the year the following fees were paid or payable for services provided by the auditor of the Fund:

	Year ended		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	
	\$	\$	
PricewaterhouseCoopers			
Audit and other assurance services			
Audit of the financial statements	16,860	16,300	
Audit of compliance plan	2,400	2,346	
Total auditor remuneration and other assurance services	19,260	18,646	
Taxation services			
Tax compliance services	15,031	17,889	
Total remuneration for taxation services	15,031	17,889	
Total remuneration of PricewaterhouseCoopers	34,291	36,535	

The auditor's remuneration is borne by the Fund. Fees are stated exclusive of GST.

16 Related party transactions

The Responsible Entity of T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund is Equity Trustees Limited (ABN 46 004 031 298) (AFSL 240975). Accordingly, transactions with entities related to Equity Trustees Limited are disclosed below.

The Responsible Entity has contracted services to T. Rowe Price Australia Limited to act as Investment Manager for the Fund, and JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. to act as Custodian and Administrator for the Fund. The contracts are on normal commercial terms and conditions.

(a) Key management personnel

(i) Directors

Key management personnel include persons who were directors of Equity Trustees Limited at any time during or since the end of the financial year and up to the date of this report.

Philip D Gentry Chairman (resigned 6 June 2024)

Michael J O'Brien Chairman (appointed 6 June 2024)

Russell W Beasley Mary A O'Connor David B Warren

Andrew P Godfrey (appointed 1 May 2024)

(ii) Responsible Entity

Other than fees paid to the Responsible Entity, there were no other transactions.

(iii) Other key management personnel

There were no other key management personnel with responsibility for planning, directing and controlling activities of the Fund, directly or indirectly during the financial year.

(b) Transactions with key management personnel

There were no transactions with key management personnel during the reporting period.

16 Related party transactions (continued)

(c) Key management personnel unit holdings

Key management personnel did not hold units in the Fund as at 30 June 2024 (2023: nil).

(d) Key management personnel compensation

Key management personnel are paid by EQT Services Pty Ltd. Payments made from the Fund to Equity Trustees Limited do not include any amounts directly attributable to the compensation of key management personnel.

(e) Key management personnel loans

The Fund has not made, guaranteed or secured, directly or indirectly, any loans to key management personnel or their personally related entities at any time during the reporting period.

(f) Other transactions within the Fund

Apart from those details disclosed in this note, no key management personnel have entered into a material contract with the Fund during the financial year and there were no material contracts involving management personnel's interests existing at year end.

(g) Responsible Entity fees, Investment Manager's fees and other transactions

The transactions during the year and amounts payable as at year end between the Fund, the Responsible Entity and the Investment Manager were as follows:

	Year ended		
	30 June 2024	30 June 2023	
	\$	\$	
Management fees for the year	171,034	23,925	
Responsible Entity fees for the year	7,154	120	
Management fees and costs reimbursement income for the year	70,083	20,914	
Management fees payable at year end	55,535	12,161	
Responsible Entity fees payable at year end	1,567	18	

Under the terms of the Fund's Constitution and Product Disclosure Statement, management fees and costs includes responsible entity fees paid to the Responsible Entity, management fees paid to the Investment Manager and other costs (such as custody fees, administration fees and audit fees) paid to other unrelated parties. Please refer to the Fund's Product Disclosure Statement for information on how management fees and costs are calculated.

Management fees and costs reimbursed represent monies put into the Fund by the Investment Manager to ensure that the Fund's overall management costs remain within that disclosed in the Product Disclosure Statement.

16 Related party transactions (continued)

(h) Related party unit holdings

Parties related to the Fund including the Responsible Entity, its affiliates or other schemes managed by the Responsible Entity held units in the Fund as follows:

	Number of units held opening	Number of units held closing	Fair value of investments	Interest held %	Number of units acquired	Number of units disposed	Distributions paid/payable by the Fund \$
Unit holder							
As at 30 June 2024							
T. Rowe Price Associates Inc Class I	90,956	-	-	-	4,140	95,096	3,385
T. Rowe Price Associates Inc Class S	90,600	-	-	-	4,034	94,634	3,303
T. Rowe Price International Ltd Class I	-	34,759,728	31,100,283	95.55	34,759,728	_	2,533,876
T. Rowe Price International Ltd Class S	-	8,660,149	7,776,954	98.46	8,660,149	-	624,367
As at 30 June 2023							
T. Rowe Price Associates Inc Class I	86,002	90,956	80,543	39.17	4,954	-	4,301
T. Rowe Price Associates Inc Class S	85,723	90,600	80,563	30.72	4,877	-	4,337

(i) Investments

T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund held investments in the following schemes which are also managed by Equity Trustees Limited or Investment Manager or its related parties:

	Fair value of investment	Interest held	Distributions earned	Distributions receivable	Units acquired during the year	Units disposed during the year
As at 30 June 2024 T. Rowe Price Funds SICAV - Global High Income Bond Fund	-	-	6,718	-	1,140	55,861
As at 30 June 2023 T. Rowe Price Funds SICAV - Global High Income Bond Fund	476,623	0.08	37,428	3,268	8,784	3,816

17 Events occurring after the reporting period

No significant events have occurred since the end of the year which would impact on the financial position of the Fund as disclosed in the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2024 or on the results and cash flows of the Fund for the year ended on that date.

18 Contingent assets and liabilities and commitments

There were no outstanding contingent assets, liabilities or commitments as at 30 June 2024 and 30 June 2023.

Directors' declaration

In the opinion of the directors of the Responsible Entity:

- (a) The financial statements and notes set out on pages 6 to 29 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) complying with Australian Accounting Standards, the *Corporations Regulations 2001* and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
 - (ii) giving a true and fair view of the Fund's financial position as at 30 June 2024 and of their performance for the financial year ended on that date.
- (b) There are reasonable grounds to believe that the Fund will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- (c) Note 2(a) confirms that the financial statements also comply with the International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the directors of Equity Trustees Limited through a delegated authority given by Equity Trustees Limited's Board.

Andrew P Godfrey

Director

Melbourne 19 September 2024



Independent auditor's report

To the unit holders of T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund

Our opinion

In our opinion:

The accompanying financial report of T. Rowe Price Global High Income Fund (the Fund) is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (a) giving a true and fair view of the Fund's financial position as at 30 June 2024 and of its financial performance for the year then ended
- (b) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

What we have audited

The financial report comprises:

- the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2024
- the statement of comprehensive income for the year then ended
- the statement of changes in equity for the year then ended
- the statement of cash flows for the year then ended
- the notes to the financial statements, including material accounting policy information and other explanatory information
- the directors' declaration.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial report* section of our report.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Independence

We are independent of the Fund in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional & Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards)* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

Other information

The directors of Equity Trustees Limited (the Responsible Entity) are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2024, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

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Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon through our opinion on the financial report.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information that we obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the directors of the Responsible Entity for the financial report

The directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors of the Responsible Entity determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors of the Responsible Entity are responsible for assessing the ability of the Fund to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors of the Responsible Entity either intends to liquidate the Fund or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: http://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors_responsibilities/ar3.pdf. This description forms part of our auditor's report.

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CJ Cummins

Partner

Sydney 19 September 2024