



PERFECTLY TUNED **INVESTMENTS**

The Collective Bond offers you intelligently composed solutions for the discerning investor (for non-UK residents)

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We'll help you get there

THE INTELLIGENT INVESTMENT SOLUTION

THE COLLECTIVE BOND FROM OLD MUTUAL INTERNATIONAL ISLE OF MAN LIMITED (PART OF OLD MUTUAL INTERNATIONAL) IS A MEDIUM- TO LONG-TERM (MEANING FIVE TO TEN YEARS OR LONGER) INVESTMENT THAT CAN ADAPT AS YOUR LIFE UNFOLDS. YOU CAN SWITCH FUNDS, MAKE PAYMENTS, TAKE WITHDRAWALS – WHATEVER SUITS YOUR EVOLVING LIFESTYLE.

This intelligently composed portfolio bond takes maximum advantage of offshore tax benefits. It gives you the freedom to build on your wealth by investing in a wide range of funds with plenty of potential for capital growth.

It could help you create the financial future you want, as well as providing estate planning options to enable you to pass on as much of your wealth as possible to your children and future generations.

Different versions of the Collective Bond are available depending on your investment needs and your country of residence. Please see the relevant 'At a glance' document which should accompany this brochure for more information about the version that may be suitable for you. Alternatively, please ask your financial adviser for a copy.

The bond is a 'wrapper' which you own. Its value is linked to a selection of funds that you choose, but which are owned by Old Mutual International. You can normally trade these funds as and when you need to. This allows you to consolidate funds within a single portfolio, making it easier to monitor their performance and saving you and your financial adviser valuable time. It enables you to:

- open a bond with an investment of £25,000/US\$37,500/€37,500 or more (or currency equivalent)
- add extra lump sums of at least £2,500/US\$3,750/€3,750 (or currency equivalent)
- take advantage of investment opportunities from many of the world's leading fund managers

- choose how you want to invest your money, with your financial adviser's help
- access your capital, including an option to take regular withdrawals (see [Easy access to your capital](#) on page 7)
- switch funds to update your portfolio and keep in step with changes in your life
- transfer most collective investment funds or unit trusts which you hold already into your bond*
- appoint an independent fund adviser or a 'discretionary manager' and benefit from their guidance and expertise
- reduce paperwork and monitor your investment easily by keeping all the funds in a single wrapper.

* Subject to our acceptance.

Please remember the value of investments can fluctuate and you may not get back the full amount of your original investment.

This brochure explains how a Collective Bond could benefit individual investors. Many of these benefits equally apply to Trustees and Companies wishing to invest. Please speak to your financial adviser who will be able to explain any important differences.



**A PREMIER PROVIDER OF
OFFSHORE INVESTMENT
PORTFOLIOS FOR OVER
20 YEARS**

Old Mutual International is a leading provider of financial solutions designed for both expatriate and local investors across the world, including Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America, the Middle East and the United Kingdom. Our products and solutions are underpinned by a wide choice of investments and ways to monitor and manage them online, with the help of your financial adviser.

What makes us stand out is the flexibility of the solutions we offer. They are designed so that you can tailor them to suit your individual financial needs and ultimately help you achieve your life goals, whether that's growing or preserving your financial worth, helping your children get on in life or simply retiring active and happy.

Old Mutual International is the international arm of Old Mutual Wealth, a leading retail investment business. Old Mutual Wealth is a core part of Old Mutual plc, one of the world's largest financial services companies. Founded in 1845, Old Mutual is a FTSE® 100 company overseeing £300.5 billion in investments for 16 million customers worldwide (as at 30 June 2014).

THE INVESTMENT THAT CHANGES WITH YOUR LIFE

YOUR INVESTMENT NEEDS WILL CHANGE REGULARLY AS YOUR LIFE EVOLVES. THAT'S WHY THE COLLECTIVE BOND IS DESIGNED TO BE SO FLEXIBLE. YOU CAN TAKE IT WITH YOU IF YOU NEED TO MOVE FROM COUNTRY TO COUNTRY, AND YOU CAN CHANGE THE BALANCE OF YOUR PORTFOLIO TO REFLECT A NEED FOR MORE SECURITY, GREATER POTENTIAL OR A DIFFERENT ETHICAL SLANT.

There is no legal restriction on your contributions* or fund size, so you can invest as much as you wish in your bond and even move existing funds and assets* across if you already have money in collective investment funds or unit trusts.

*Subject to our acceptance.

A CHOICE OF FUNDS

The Collective Bond allows you or your financial adviser to build a portfolio of funds to match your medium- to long-term objectives and your current attitude to risk. You then have freedom to change your fund choice when appropriate.

You can choose from an extensive selection of collective funds, including:

- any external collective investment funds and unit trusts agreed by us
- bank deposits
- Old Mutual International's own range of carefully chosen sector, and specialist funds, managed by some of the world's most prestigious fund management groups.

You can invest in as many different funds as you wish, provided you keep a minimum of £2,500/US\$3,750/€3,750 (or other currency equivalent) in each holding.

SUPPORT AND SERVICE FROM OLD MUTUAL INTERNATIONAL

As a Collective Bond policyholder, you can take advantage of our experience, excellent customer service and specialist investment administration team, who will co-ordinate all your fund switches for you. Your financial adviser can also call on us at any time for technical support, from tax information to administrative issues.

PLUS EXTRA EXTERNAL EXPERTISE...

If you wish, you can nominate an independent fund adviser to work alongside your financial adviser. The fund adviser can guide you both through the process of choosing funds and then manage your portfolio for you. However, all decisions will ultimately be made by you.

You can also go one step further and allow your fund adviser to make decisions on your behalf in line with pre-agreed boundaries. This role is sometimes known as a 'discretionary manager'. This could give you the reassurance that your bond is being pro-actively managed and holds the most appropriate assets for your needs.

If you are interested in using a fund adviser or a discretionary manager, your financial adviser will be able to recommend one for you, or may even be able to offer this service themselves.

...AND YOUR CHOICE OF CUSTODIAN

The structure of a bond means that you need a 'custodian' to hold, on Old Mutual International's behalf, the assets that you decide to link to your bond. You can choose your own 'custodian'. For example, you may have a relationship with a financial institution that is already holding some existing assets for you, and that you therefore know, trust and want to continue using. If you don't have your own custodian, then Old Mutual International will use its own appointed custodian to play this important role for you.

A SELECTION OF CURRENCIES

When you open your bond, you choose a currency for it, which can be any one of a number of major currencies listed in your application form. However, that does not mean you have to make your payments or withdrawals in that currency, or that you are limited to funds based on that currency.

For example, you could choose US dollars as your policy currency, but make your payments in euros and invest in funds based in sterling. However, you should be aware that making investments in different currencies could lead to losses or gains due to exchange rate fluctuations.

OUR AWARDS

We're proud of our achievements and are grateful for the awards we've received. These awards recognise the quality of our products, service and expertise, and further strengthen our reputation for providing market-leading financial solutions and excellent support. Our most recent awards* include:

INTERNATIONAL FUND & PRODUCT AWARDS

2014

Best International Adviser Portal – **Winner**

Best International Life Group – **Highly Commended**

Best International Protection Product – **Highly Commended**

Best International Savings Plan – **Highly Commended**

Best International Structured Product Provider – **Highly Commended**

2013

Best International Life Group – **Winner**

Best International Portfolio Bond – **Winner**

Best Trust/Estate Planning Product – **Highly Commended**

Best International Protection Plan – **Highly Commended**

Best International Savings Plan – **Highly Commended**

INTERNATIONAL ADVISER LIFE AWARDS

2014

Best Online Proposition (UK Offshore, Europe) – **Winner**

Best New Product (Hong Kong) – **Winner**

Best Single Premium Investment Product (Singapore, Europe) – **Winner**

Best for Adviser Support/ Customer Service (Europe) – **Winner**

Best Regular Premium Investment Product (Middle East) – **Winner**

2013

Best Online Proposition (UK Offshore, Europe, Singapore, Middle East) – **Winner**

Best New Product (UK Offshore, Singapore) – **Winner**

Best Overall Product Range (Middle East, Europe, UK Offshore) – **Winner**

Best Trust/Estate Planning Product (Middle East, Europe, Singapore) – **Winner**

Best Single Premium Investment Product (Singapore) – **Winner**

Best Regular Premium Investment Product (Europe, Middle East) – **Winner**

Best Adviser Support/Customer Service (Europe) – **Winner**

* Accolades for 2014 or earlier were awarded to us as Skandia International (our former name).

CASE STUDY: OLIVIA

'My financial adviser recommended the Collective Bond because she believes I should spread my investments across as wide a range of funds as possible. The bond allows that, as well as giving me greater growth potential.

I've also appointed a discretionary manager who can make decisions on my behalf because, let's face it, I don't have the time or expertise to dabble in the markets. When he sees an offer I shouldn't refuse, he snaps it up, so I never miss out on a good opportunity.'

Please note: this quotation and case study are fictional and used purely to illustrate a possible real-life scenario.

'I trust my financial adviser to make the right choices for me.'

NEATLY PACKAGED TO SAVE YOU TIME, HASSLE AND MONEY

KEEPING TRACK OF A WIDE-RANGING PORTFOLIO CAN BE TIME-CONSUMING AND FRUSTRATING. HOWEVER, ONE OF THE JOYS OF THE COLLECTIVE BOND IS THAT YOU CAN MANAGE AND MONITOR ALL THE FUNDS WITHIN A SINGLE WRAPPER.

So, when you or your financial adviser want to check your portfolio's performance you can access all the valuations and reports within a single website, instead of logging on to multiple sites*.

What's more, we will co-ordinate all the deals and switches for you. You'll also enjoy the benefits of consolidated reporting, without the hassle of individual paperwork, dividend receipts and tax returns for each separate fund. This may even save you money, as it involves less work for your accountant and financial adviser.

*if you are a Trustee or Corporate investor, access to some of our online facilities is restricted.

SIMPLE SWITCHING

It's easy to move between funds whenever you want. All switches are co-ordinated by Old Mutual International rather than individual fund managers, and you or your financial adviser will always complete the same dealing form for consistency and added simplicity. Please note that there may be dealing charges, one for the sale and one for each purchase, these do not apply during the first calendar quarter that the bond is live, to allow you to set up your portfolio. Furthermore, because the deals are carried out by Old Mutual International, administration for certain processes is reduced, which ensures deals can be put through much faster.

If you already hold collective investment funds or unit trusts, you can transfer them into your Collective Bond account, to reduce paperwork even further. The minimum transfer amount is £50,000 and each holding must be £5,000 or more. Please note that all funds need to be agreed by Old Mutual International beforehand, and that the transfer may lead to a capital gains tax liability, as it is deemed to be a sale to Old Mutual International. Speak to your financial adviser to find out more about potential tax implications.

ECONOMIES OF SCALE

You'll also benefit from Old Mutual International's global buying power. Because we make multiple deals on behalf of our investors, we may be able to negotiate higher interest rates on deposits for you, as well as making savings on initial fund charges, so more of your money is invested right from the start.

You may even be able to access funds which would not normally be available to you as an individual investor. Some of these are 'specialist' funds, so it's vital to seek professional advice and read the fund prospectus to make sure you're aware of all the possible risks.

i You may take one off regular withdrawals for your bond, although an early withdrawal charge may sometimes apply if you cash in some of your investment (this will also depend on the assets you have invested in). Also, depending on the assets you have invested into, there may be early withdrawal charges. Please refer to the charges section of the Policy Terms for further details.

Taking money out of your bond, especially in the early years, will dramatically reduce the potential for the funds to perform – so we strongly believe you should stay invested for at least five years. This will also help to mitigate the effect of the charges made when you set up your bond.

EASY ACCESS TO YOUR CAPITAL

THE COLLECTIVE BOND GIVES YOU FLEXIBLE ACCESS TO YOUR CAPITAL – SUBJECT TO A MINIMUM WITHDRAWAL AMOUNT OF £500/US\$750/€750 (OR OTHER CURRENCY EQUIVALENT), AND PROVIDED THAT THE AMOUNT IN YOUR BOND CAN SUSTAIN BOTH THE WITHDRAWALS AND THE CHARGES INVOLVED.

All withdrawals will be free of charge as long as you leave in a residual surrender value* of £10,000/US\$15,000/€15 000 (or currency equivalent), or at least 25% of your total investment, whichever is higher. If the value of your bond falls below this amount, we have the right to surrender it.

*The surrender value must take into account any charges that apply.

ONE-OFF WITHDRAWALS

As long as you leave the minimum amount in your bond (see previous paragraph), you can normally withdraw any amount you want at any stage. However, please remember that the Collective Bond is designed for medium- to long-term investment, so taking money out of your bond in the early years can dramatically reduce its growth potential.

REGULAR WITHDRAWALS

You can use your bond to create a regular income; either yearly, half-yearly, quarterly or monthly. You should ask your financial adviser about the tax and financial planning implications before you commit to this.



THE TAX-EFFICIENT WAY TO INVEST

WHY WE HAVE CHOSEN THE ISLE OF MAN AS OUR BASE

The Isle of Man is a tax-efficient environment and Old Mutual International is not currently liable to income tax, capital gains tax or corporation tax on assets linked to policies, so your investment will be able to grow virtually tax free.

It's possible that withholding tax may be deducted from some of the dividends at their country of origin. However, once inside your bond they can accumulate tax free*.

This environment means you can make the best use of your own personal tax allowances. Switching between funds and assets will also be tax free in the Isle of Man; furthermore, it will enable you to postpone and minimise tax payments by timing your withdrawals appropriately.

* You may have to pay some tax, either on the growth of the investment or when money is paid out, depending on the taxation in the country in which you reside.

A SAFE HOME FOR YOUR INVESTMENT

The Collective Bond is provided by Old Mutual International Isle of Man Limited. Old Mutual International Isle of Man is based in an established international finance centre with a stable and independent legal, political and regulatory framework.

This means your investment is held in a secure offshore environment. You will benefit from the Isle of Man's policyholder protection scheme, which covers policies issued by an authorised life assurance company based on the island. So in the unlikely event that Old Mutual International becomes insolvent, you will be able to claim compensation of up to 90% of the policy value, less any contractual charges.

MOVING TO THE UK

In the UK, a Collective Bond is regarded as a portfolio bond. If you are planning to move to the UK you will become UK tax resident and taxation of the Collective Bond will be subject to possible 'chargeable events'. These events include: full surrender of the policy, assignments for consideration, and regular withdrawals in excess of the 5% tax deferred allowance. Where we sell redemption contracts, it includes maturity of the Collective Redemption Bond and where we sell life assurance contracts the death of the last life assured of the Collective Investment Bond.

We strongly recommend you discuss your options with your financial adviser before becoming UK tax resident.

ESTATE PLANNING

Your financial adviser may suggest that you place your Collective Bond in trust. This can ensure your wealth is used as you intend during your lifetime and after you die, and may offer some advantages in the future, for example if you are self-employed or get divorced, or if you have an estranged family.

It can also benefit your family or beneficiaries after your death by helping them to avoid probate issues.

As an added benefit, Old Mutual International offers a comprehensive range of standard trusts for estate planning and asset protection which could be suitable for your needs. If you wish, you can complement this with our professional trust service, the Old Mutual International Trust Company.

Old Mutual International also offers a beneficiary nomination which allows you to nominate beneficiaries and to transfer ownership of the policy on your death.

If you want to find out more about our trusts and nomination, we have a range of literature available which explains them in more detail. Your financial adviser will be able to give you copies and advise you whether a trust would be advantageous for you.

FEES AND CHARGES

THE CHARGES FOR SETTING UP AND MAINTAINING YOUR COLLECTIVE BOND WILL DEPEND ON THE KIND OF FUNDS YOU CHOOSE, YOUR AGREEMENT WITH YOUR FINANCIAL ADVISER, AND OTHER VARIABLES.

Your financial adviser will provide details and explanations, and the charges will also be listed for you in a **charges schedule**.

The charges will cover:

- the costs Old Mutual International has incurred in setting up and managing your bond
- the administrative costs of the fund managers
- fees charged by your financial adviser.

You may need to pay an **early withdrawal charge** if you cash in your bond fully. The amount of this charge reflects the cost to us of setting up the bond, including any payments (such as commission) made by Old Mutual International to your financial adviser. This charge may also apply if you cash in part of your bond and the amount remaining is less than either 25% of your total investment, or £10,000/US\$15,000/€15 000 (or another currency equivalent).

If you decide to move any of the investments into a different fund or asset, you will usually have to pay a **dealing charge**. This is currently £15 for each transaction. Most switches involve two transactions: out of the current fund and into the new one – so the charge would be £30. If they are external assets (i.e. outside the Old Mutual International internal fund range) you may also need to pay other **third-party charges** such as bank charges, which will be included in the net amount being switched.

There may also be other charges to pay, such as telegraphic transfer charges.

The Collective Bond and some of the investments which may be held within it have fees which exist partly to meet the advice, promotion and distribution expenses. These may include initial and on-going payments (such as commission) made by us to your financial adviser. These payments could be in addition to any commission payable by the investment provider to your financial adviser in respect of the investment held.

Further details of the fees payable by you and the amounts payable to your financial adviser are available from your financial adviser on request.

TALK TO YOUR FINANCIAL ADVISER **ABOUT THE COLLECTIVE BOND**

Your financial adviser looks at your financial arrangements holistically and can help make sure the bond fits in with your overall objectives and plans. They will be able to answer your questions, recommend specific funds and fund managers, and provide you with further support material, including the full Policy Terms.

THE COLLECTIVE BOND COULD BE **RIGHT FOR YOU IF YOU WANT TO:**

- take maximum advantage of offshore tax benefits
- invest in a wide range of funds
- be able to deal investment funds, quickly and simply
- consolidate any existing investments you hold in collective funds or unit trusts
- have flexible access to your investment
- use your investment to generate a regular income
- invest at least £25,000/ US\$37,500/€37 500 (or currency equivalent)
- save for growth over the medium- to long-term
- create a trust or nomination for your children or grandchildren's future.





i WE STRONGLY RECOMMEND YOU AND YOUR FINANCIAL ADVISER MANAGE YOUR BOND TO ENSURE THERE IS ALWAYS ENOUGH CASH IN LIQUID ASSETS TO MEET CHARGES AND ANY REGULAR WITHDRAWALS.

We do not sell our products directly to customers, but through financial advisers; making an investment is an important decision, and we recommend that you seek your own independent financial advice by appointing one. With your appointed financial adviser you can decide whether to take out an Old Mutual International product and manage any investments you make. Old Mutual International cannot give you that advice.

Whichever financial adviser you use you will need to provide us with confirmation that they can act on your behalf, which once received, we will then deal with them acting as your 'intermediary' between us. Unless you inform us otherwise, we may pay commission to your financial adviser in respect of any products you take out with us. Details of this payment will be available from your financial adviser.

This document was last reviewed in July 2013.

Please confirm with your financial adviser that this is the most up-to-date document for your product or servicing needs.

i The value of your bond can rise or fall over time and there is no guarantee that your capital will be returned to you.

You should view your investment in the bond as a long-term commitment; if you cash in your bond in the early years we may make a charge and the amount you receive may be less than the premiums you've paid.

You and your financial adviser should satisfy yourselves that any particular fund is suitably based on your needs, objectives and attitude to risk. You should also familiarise yourself with any particular risks associated with the funds in your portfolio. There may be currency risks if funds are denominated in another currency, or liquidity and valuation risks for property funds, for example. The value of the assets linked to the bond determines the value of the policy and can fall as well as rise.

This brochure should be read in conjunction with the Policy Terms and where appropriate any additional disclosure information.

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