

IMPORTANT NOTICE

To: Mutual Fund Operations From: Janus Fund Services

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Re: Janus Fund /INTECH U.S. Core Fund – proposed merger and CDSC waiver

On December 8, 2016, the Board of Trustees for the Janus Fund and INTECH U.S. Core Fund approved a plan that provides for the merger of the Janus Fund into Janus Research Fund and INTECH U.S. Core Fund into INTECH U.S. Managed Volatility Fund. The merger is subject to shareholder approval and is expected to be on or about **Friday**, **April 28**, **2017**.

Effective **December 15, 2016**, Shareholders of Janus Fund and INTECH U.S. Core Fund may redeem or exchange their shares at any time prior to the merger; any applicable contingent deferred sales charges (CDSC) will be waived through the date of the merger (see below for impacted CUSIP information).

Additional operational information regarding the merger will be communicated in the coming months.

| Fund Name | Fund | Ticker | Cusip | CDSC |
|-----------------------------|------|--------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| Janus Fund - Class A Shares | 1242 | JDGAX | 47103C712 | Waived effective 12/15/16 |
| Janus Fund - Class C Shares | 1342 | JGOCX | 47103C696 | Waived effective 12/15/16 |

| Fund Name | Fund | Ticker | Cusip | CDSC |
|---|------|--------|-----------|---------------------------------|
| INTECH U.S. Core Fund - Class A Shares | 1270 | JDOAX | 47103C100 | Waived effective 12/15/16 |
| INTECH U.S. Core Fund - Class C Shares | 1370 | JLCCX | 47103C209 | Waived effective 12/15/16 |

Please make appropriate adjustments to your systems. If further information is required, please contact:

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