

Portfolio Manager



James Kempster
Manager since July 2010

Portfolio objective

To provide a long-term capital return in excess of the UT Flexible Investment Retail sector.

Investment approach

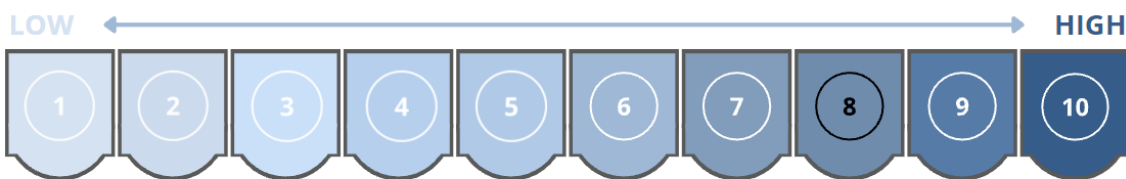
The objective is achieved by using a diverse investment approach across a variety of geographical regions and industrial sectors, exchanging a higher level of risk with the potential for a greater rate of return. The performance of all funds in the portfolio is constantly monitored and formally reviewed on a quarterly basis by our investment committee.

Portfolio manager's commentary

The portfolio generated a positive return of 1.89% over the quarter thanks to strong performance from across the equity allocation. Leading the way was the newest holding of Jupiter India which returned almost 10% since it was added last quarter. The bond and gilt positions acted as a headwind in a reversal of fortune from the previous period as speculation about interest rate rises saw volatility rapidly return to fixed income sectors.

The annual review of the strategic asset allocation made a number of recommendations which we have taken into account within our tactical view. This resulted in a reduction to our Emerging Market Debt position with a corresponding increase to US equities. For the bulk of this increase we have added to the existing smaller companies fund in order to complement the passive index tracker we use as the core position. We have also replaced our holding within the Sterling Strategic Bond sector. Full details of the changes being recommended are outlined on the Fund Changes summary which is available on our website.

Indicative risk rating



5 year fund performance versus benchmark

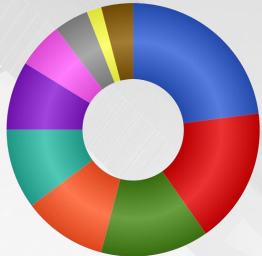


■ A - **IMS Growth (July 2010) 01/08/2021 TR in GB [48.32%]
■ B - UT Flexible Investment Retail TR in GB [41.68%]

Top 10 Holdings

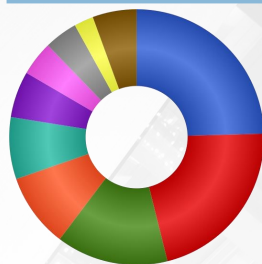
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| Liontrust - Special Situations | 8% |
| Aviva Investors - Multi-Strategy Target Return | 6% |
| Fidelity - Emerging Markets | 6% |
| Fundsmith - Equity | 6% |
| HSBC - American Index | 6% |
| Jupiter - European | 6% |
| Rathbone - Income | 6% |
| Schroder - Recovery | 6% |
| Baillie Gifford - Pacific | 4% |
| First Sentier - Global Listed Infrastructure | 4% |

Asset allocation



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| UK Equities | 22.93% |
| North American Equities | 17.33% |
| Global Fixed Interest | 13.81% |
| European Equities | 10.73% |
| Asia Pacific Emerging Equities | 10.22% |
| Japanese Equities | 8.76% |
| Undisclosed | 5.85% |
| Money Market | 4.40% |
| UK Gilts | 1.89% |
| Other | 4.07% |

Regional breakdown



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| UK | 24.57% |
| North America | 21.53% |
| Europe ex UK | 14.21% |
| Japan | 9.38% |
| Pacific Basin | 7.84% |
| Undisclosed | 5.85% |
| International | 4.36% |
| Asia Pacific | 4.21% |
| Money Market | 2.46% |
| Other | 5.59% |

Important notes

All data are to 31.10.2021. Any fund performance data include explicit (OCF) and implicit (ongoing) fund manager charges but do not include platform, adviser or investment management fees. Full details will be outlined in your product provider illustration. For further information please contact your financial adviser.

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Key facts

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| Ongoing charge figure | 1.32% |
| ISA qualification | Yes |
| Twelve month historical yield | 1.18% |
| Volatility* | 8.23 (Benchmark 7.26) |
| Sharpe ratio** | 2.00 (Benchmark 2.37) |

*Volatility measures how much an investment deviates from its average over a period.

**The Sharpe Ratio measures the trade-off between risk and return.

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