

Investment Objective

The investment objective of the portfolio is to achieve long-term capital growth by investing across a global portfolio of assets. The Fund invests in a diversified global multi asset portfolio and seeks to achieve above-average returns for a commensurate level of risk for the respective risk profile.

Manager

Simon Newell

Key Facts

Launch Date	20 Jul 2020
Base Curr.	GBP
Initial Charge	0.00%
AMC	0.20%
Minimum Inv.	£25,000

Administration / Dealing

Dealing via platform, on an "Agent as Client" basis.



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Fund Commentary

June was a month of varying market performance. The initial US-Iran peace deal raised hopes of reopening the Strait of Hormuz. But, following the rally in April and consolidation in May, the post peace moves were really an unwinding of the geopolitical trades. Oil prices fell hard boosting investor sentiment, although inflation and central bank messaging tempered optimism. In the UK, following months of pressure, Keir Starmer announced that he would step down as Prime Minister.

Fixed income markets had a more constructive month as government bond yields eased slightly as middle east tensions eased and corporate credit continued to do well. There is still volatility around inflation, central bank messaging and other data releases. Strong cash flow generation and manageable debt levels helped investment grade spreads tighten slightly. Higher yield bonds also had positive returns, but investors are becoming more selective.

US equities fell as concerns over rising inflation and possible rate rises. The Federal Reserve left interest rates on hold and actually hopes that inflation is under control and monetary policy might ease later in the year. Technology and AI-related businesses led the way, supported by financials although investors are becoming more selective. Elon Musk became the world's first trillionaire (in US dollars) following the much-hyped IPO of SpaceX.

The Bank of England voted to keep interest rates on hold, but the dissenters voted to raise rates. Markets are hoping for policy easing later in the year, but this was tempered by uncertainty over the future direction of government policy as Sir Keir Starmer resigned on the 22nd. This triggered a leadership contest where there seems likely to be only one candidate following Andy Burnham's return to parliament after his by-election win on the 18th. The European Central Bank raised rates in June, responding to inflation and the energy shock, signalling that pressure on inflation is likely to remain higher for longer than previously hoped. In contrast, equity markets rose on the ceasefire news and fall in oil prices.

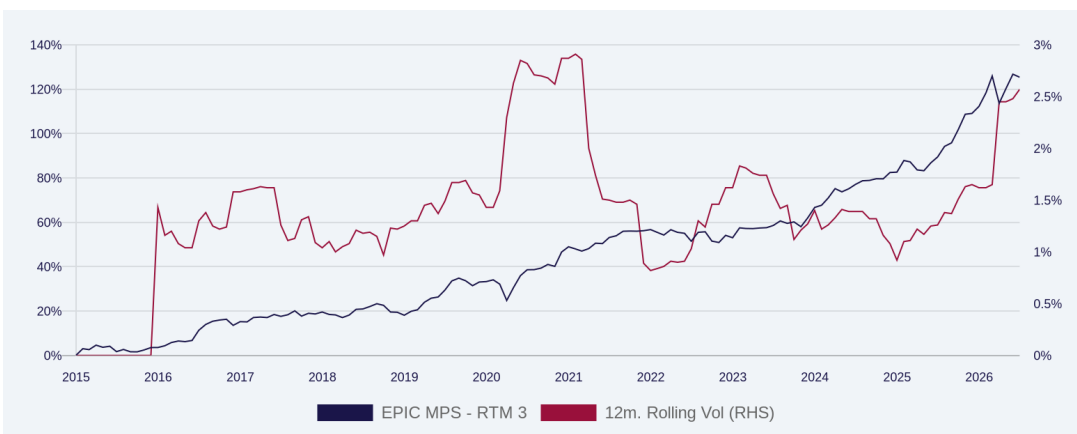
Asian equities fell over the month as oil, growth and geopolitical tensions hurt sentiment. Korea and Taiwan, though, continued to benefit from exceptionally strong semiconductor demand. Japanese equities were broadly positive, supported by the Bank of Japan's cautious approach.

Expectations on future US interest rate cuts led to the US dollar weakening slightly. The unwinding of the war trades saw oil prices fall 20% to \$70 and gold fell a further 11% as its safe haven status was not needed. Industrial metals rose on the back of technology and infrastructure investment demand.

The world cup, co-hosted by Canada, Mexico and the US, began to much fanfare and some controversy. The early stages supported a flow of news for countries beginning with C. Curacao, the smallest nation to ever qualify, scored their first goal as did (D.R.) Congo. Fellow debutants Cape Verde then became the smallest nation to qualify for the knockout rounds and Canada, who followed up winning their first ever world cup match with qualification to the last 16 for the first time. Despite many matches being hosted in New York / New Jersey, basketball dominated the month there as the New York Knicks won their first NBA championship for 53 years.

All performance figures are in GBP unless otherwise stated.

Cumulative Performance	1m	Year-to-date	1Yr	3Yr	5Yr	Since Inception (ann.)
Class GBP Acc.	-0.60%	6.20%	18.98%	42.14%	47.18%	7.18%



12 month Performance	30/06/2021 - 30/06/2022	30/06/2022 - 30/06/2023	30/06/2023 - 30/06/2024	30/06/2024 - 30/06/2025	30/06/2025 - 30/06/2026
Class GBP Acc.	-1.10%	4.70%	11.69%	6.96%	18.98%

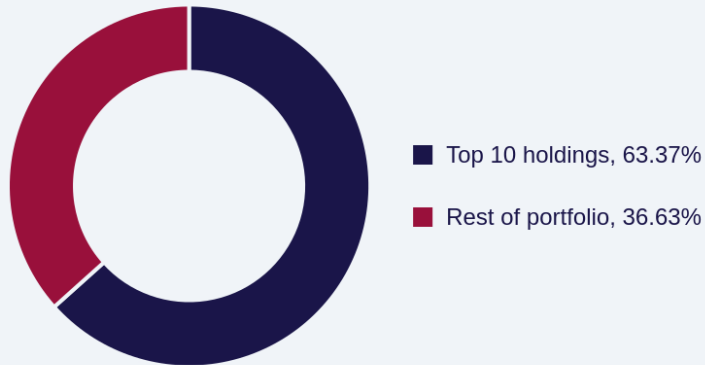
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Platform Availability

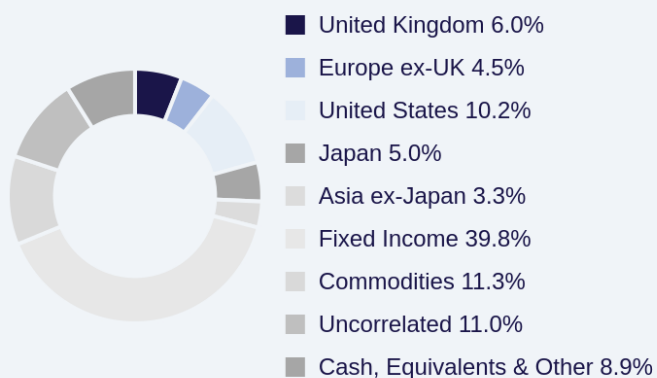
Abrdn, AVIVA, Fidelity, Fundment, Novia Global, Nucleus, Platform One, Quilter, Transact, Wealthtime, 7iM.

Top 10 Holdings (% NAV)



SPDR Bloomberg Global Agg. Bond GBP H ETF	Fixed Income
iShares Core Corp Bond UCITS ETF GBP Dist.	Fixed Income
Aspect Diversified Trends	Uncorrelated
LF Canlife £ Liquidity Fund	Cash, Equivalents & Other
Jupiter Gold & Silver Fund I GBP Acc	Commodities
iShares £ Corp Bond 0-5yr ETF GBP Dist.	Fixed Income
iShares Core S&P 500 UCITS ETF Dist.	Equities
Fidelity Index Japan	Equities
ManGLG High Yield Opportunities Fund	Fixed Income
UBS ETF CMCI COMPOS. H. CHF	Commodities

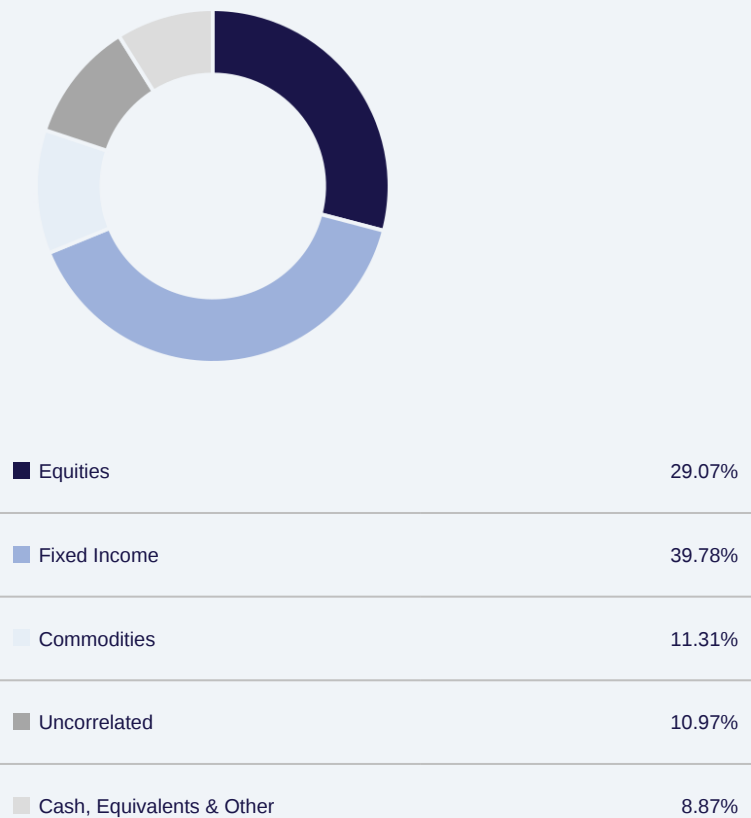
Equities Breakdown (% NAV)



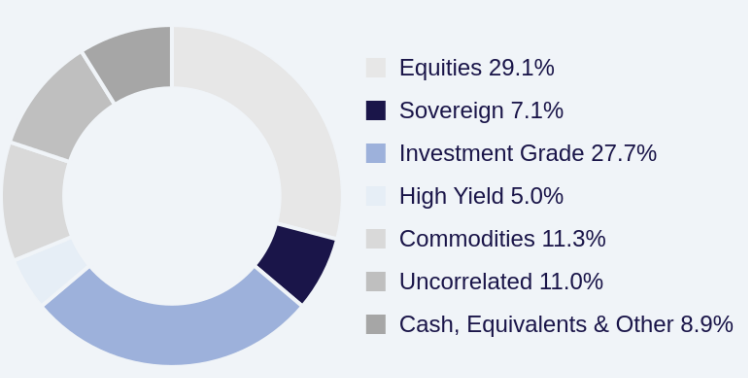
Top Three Contributors

Top Three Contributors	Asset Class
Polar Capital Global Tech Fund	Equities
Vanguard FTSE Dev. Europe ex-UK ETF	Equities
Vanguard FTSE 100 ETF	Equities

Asset Allocation (% NAV)



Fixed Income Breakdown (% NAV)



Bottom Three Contributors

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Jupiter Gold & Silver Fund I GBP Acc	Commodities
Aspect Diversified Trends	Uncorrelated
UBS ETF CMCI COMPOS. H. CHF	Commodities

Portfolio Risk	Annualised Return	Annualised Volatility	Sharpe	Downside Volatility	Sortino
Class GBP Acc.	7.18%	5.59%	0.92	4.09%	1.26

Portfolio Highlights

Key Buys

Name	Asset Class	Action	Description
UBS CMCi COMPOSITE UCITS ETF	Commodities	Bought	This is an ETF incorporated in Ireland that aims to deliver the performance of the UBS Bloomberg Constant Maturity Commodity Index. This is broad commodity exposure where its metals exposure is more tilted to industrial metals and underweight precious metals. We bought this as we do not believe that the disruption in the Gulf is over and want increased diversification.
HSBC FTSE 250 UCITS ETF	Equities	Bought	This fund seeks to track the FTSE 250 Index which is made up of mid-sized stock market listed companies based in the United Kingdom. We bought this as part of our rotation from large cap UK companies to mid cap.
iShares Core S&P 500 UCITS ETF	Equities	Increased	This ETF aims to track the performance of an index composed of the largest 500 listed companies in the US. We added to the position as part of the equity book rebalancing.
iShares Core Corp Bond UCITS ETF	Fixed Income	Increased	This ETF aims to track the performance of the Markit iBoxx GBP Liquid Corporates Large Cap Index. This provides the portfolios exposure to a basket of Sterling denominated investment grade bonds from large cap issuers. We added to the holding as part of the fixed income rebalancing.

Key Sells

Name	Asset Class	Action	Description
Vanguard FTSE 100 ETF	Equities	Decreased	This ETF aims to track the performance of the FTSE 100 Index. The ETF provides us exposure to the largest 100 companies in the UK equity market, which are largely financial, consumer staples and industrials companies. We trimmed this as part of our rotation from large cap UK companies to mid cap.
iShares £ Corp Bond 0-5yr ETF	Fixed Income	Decreased	The ETF seeks to track the performance of an index composed of Sterling denominated investment grade corporate bonds. We reduced the holding as part of the fixed income rebalancing.
iShares Global Govt Bond UCITS ETF	Fixed Income	Decreased	This ETF provides exposure to an index composed of local currency bonds issued by governments of developed countries. We reduced the position on recent strength ahead of central bank meetings.

Important Information

Source: WH Ireland, Bloomberg. As at 30/06/2026. Live performance data is shown from 20 July 2020 onwards. These figures are net of the management fees and ongoing charges of the underlying holdings. Figures referring to simulated past performance of EPIC Model Portfolio Services (EPIC MPS) – Risk Target Managed Portfolio 3 (RTM 3) since 31 December 2014 are based on the asset allocation as it would have been as 31 July 2020. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

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