

VT Redlands Multi-Asset Portfolio

January 2019

Investment Objective

The objective of the VT Redlands Multi-Asset Portfolio is to provide capital growth.

The Fund seeks to achieve its objective primarily by investing in collective investment vehicles (including for example collective investment schemes, exchange traded funds and investment trusts) which provide exposure to various different asset classes including equities, fixed income securities and assets having absolute return strategies. The Fund may also invest in other collective investment schemes, transferable securities, money market instruments, deposits, cash and near cash.

There is no particular emphasis on any geographical area or industry or economic sector.

Commentary

With increasing levels of volatility in the capital markets, this should be the time for funds held within the multi asset portfolio to perform whilst managing the risk respectively. A good number of the assets held performed very well in January, beating their peer group. For example, strong relative and absolute numbers from the following funds added value over the month, although not limited exclusively to: Goldman Sachs Absolute Return Tracker, Ruffer Total Return; Fulcrum Income; RIT Capital Partners plc.

Cash on account rose by a little over 1% during the month as the X-Trackers Portfolio total return fund was removed. Your portfolio now contains 23 holdings. During the month cash flow and performance kept the assets in line as compared to the end of December, although a conscious effort to increase exposure to the Ruffer Investment Company helped take the weight to 4.22% from 3.69% the month before.

Performance Summary as at 31 January 2019

	1 MONTH	3 MONTHS	6 MONTHS	1 YEAR	7 JUNE 2017
VT Redlands Multi-Asset Portfolio	1.11%	-0.82%	-2.95%	-3.21%	-1.32%
UM Mixed Asset – Balanced	2.32%	-0.19%	-3.83%	-2.72%	-0.63%
UT Targeted Absolute Return	1.26%	0.11%	-1.40%	-2.03%	-0.75%

Source: Financial Express Analytics & Valu-Trac Investment Management Limited. All figures quoted are on a total return basis with income reinvested.

Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance

Holdings

Artemis Pan European Absolute Return F	3.7%
BH Global Limited GBX	
Fulcrum Asset Management Income F GBP Acc	3.5%
Goldman Sachs Abs Return Tracker Pf I Acc GBP-H	5.7%
H2O MultiReturns Fund I/A (GBP)	6.1%
Hermes Absolute Return Credit F GBP Acc Hdg	
Hipgnosis Songs Fund Ltd	
IFSL Brooks Macdonald Defensive Capital C Acc	
Invesco Perpetual Global Targeted Returns Z Acc	
Janus Henderson European Absolute Return Inst Acc	
Janus Henderson UK Absolute Return GBP I Acc	
JPM Global Macro Opportunities C Net Acc	

Jupiter Absolute Return I Acc GBP	1.7%
Latitude Horizon Fund GBP Acc	3.5%
LF Ruffer Total Return C Acc	3.9%
Merian Global Equity Abs Return GBP R Acc Hdgd	
RIT Capital Partners PLC	5.6%
Ruffer Investment Company Ltd	
Third Point Offshore Investors Limited USD	
Threadneedle UK Absolute Alpha Z Net Acc GBP	
Troy Trojan O Acc	
Tufton Oceanic Assets Ltd	
UBS ETFs plc HFRX GIHdgFd ldx SF UCITS ETF GBP Aa	
Cash	5.3%



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Fund Information

Inception Date	7 June 2017	
Number of Holdings	23	
Fund Size	£79.7m	
Ongoing Charge Figure *	0.81%	
Estimated Yield**	0.81%	
3 Year Annualised Volatility		

^{*} The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses and the net asset value as at 31 August 2018. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs. The Funds annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

Fund Managers



Richard Philbin is Chief Investment Officer of Wellian Investment Solutions. He is one of the UK's best known multi-manager investors and previously AA rated by OBSR, Citywire and S&P. He is also the inventor of the highly regarded and publicised 'Traffic Light Analysis' system of assessing funds. Prior to Wellian, he was AXA Architas Multi Manager's Chief Investment Officer where he chaired the investment committee and helped the company go from a foundling business to a top 5 player in the multi manager space in the UK with responsibility for assets of over £7 bn. Previously, Richard was Head of Multi Manager at F&C Investments. Whilst at F&C he launched the successful LifeStyle range of funds. Assets grew from £100m to over £1bn during his tenure.



Alan Durrant is Chief Executive Officer of Wellian Investment Solutions. Previous roles for Alan were Group Chief Investment Officer at The National Bank of Abu Dhabi (NBAD) and prior to NBAD, was Head of Asset Management at Gulf Finance House. Before moving to the Middle East, Alan was Chief Investment Officer at Skandia Investment Management and Chairman of the investment committee. During his tenure the firm won the Best MultiManager at the prestigious Money Marketing Awards in three consecutive years. Whilst at Skandia, Alan conceived and launched the popular Global Best Ideas and Asset Allocator ranges. Prior to Skandia, he was at Hargreaves Lansdown for 12 years, latterly as Investment Director.

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^{**} Based on the current portfolio weightings using the latest available data of the underlying funds. The yield is not guaranteed and may fluctuate.