Global Growth Fund

Global Equities

Factsheet April 2024

Objective

The fund targets 6% to 10% annualised growth over the recommended minimum time horizon for investment of at least ten years, aiming to achieve this with less risk than global equity markets. The fund aims to deliver capital growth with outperformance of the Investment Association sector average over a rolling 10-year period. At least 80% of the fund will be held in overseas shares.

Outlook

Equity and bond markets rallied strongly last month. Economic activity continues to surprise positively in North America. At home data suggests that the UK is coming out of a brief and shallow recession. Investor focus remains on the outlook for interest rate cuts, both the timing and the magnitude. Momentum in corporate earnings will have to be maintained in order to justify valuations in some pockets of the equity market. The funds remain well diversified across asset classes, geographies and investment styles.

Summary

as at 31.03.2024

Since launch: Percentage growth

360.3% 8.7% per year

Annualised Track Record

18 Years

Holdings

as at 31.03.2024

Cash **UK Equities** Allianz UK Listed Equity Income

WS Canlife UK Equity Income MI Chelverton UK Equity Growth Royal London Sustainable Leaders Trust Vanguard FTSE UK All Share Index

North American Equities Baillie Gifford American Granahan US SMID Select JPM US Research Enhanced Index Legal & General US Index WS Canlife North American

Lyrical Value Polen Capital Focus U.S. Growth Seilern America Smead US Value

UBS US Growth Vanguard US Equity Index

European Equities 16% BlackRock European Dynamic JPM Europe ex UK Research Enhanced Index WS Lightman European

Japanese Equities Arcus Japan

Fidelity Index Japan **Asian and Emerging Market Equities** Jupiter Asian Income

Premier Miton European Opportunities

CIM Dividend Income BlackRock Emerging Markets Vanguard Emerging Markets Stock Index

Global BlueBox Global Technology Fiera Atlas Global Companies JPM Global Equity Income Royal London Global Equity Income

40%

11%

17%

2% **Fund Value** 9%

Medium - High Risk Level

Low Risk High Risk 145/200 40 120 160 200

Fund Facts

as at 31.03.2024

Basic Level

Global

IA Global

05.12.2005

£ 79.8m

Investor Type¹ Mass-Market Retail Knowledge & Experience¹ IA Sector² **Benchmark Launch Date Fund Type Unit Type** Accumulation units **Unit Price ISIN Code** Sedol Code

460.28p (R Acc) GB00B79FLP68 (R Acc) B79FLP6 (R Acc)

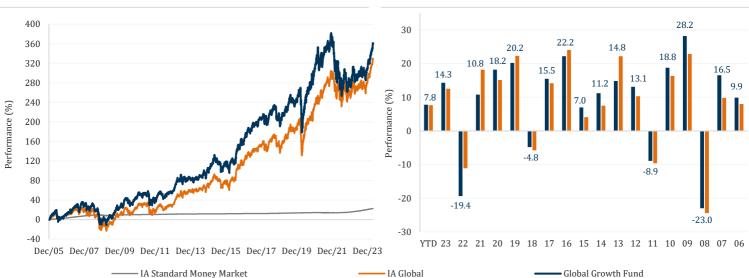
0.94%

Performance since launch vs. IA Global sector average

Calendar year performance vs. IA Global sector average

as at 31.03.2024 as at 31.03.2024 28.2

Yield3



Past, simulated past or future projected performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and may not be repeated. All performance in this fact sheet is based upon net value R Accumulation units, denominated in GBP with dividends reinvested. All performance data is sourced from Refinitiv Lipper for Investment Management and compiled to 31.03.2024. The risk rating is calculated on a scale from 0 to 200. This is calculated using a four variable risk rating process based on volatility, value at risk, maximum drawdown and negative periods over 25 years. 1 Products classified as 'Mass-Market Retail' and 'basic level' are such that investors with no financial industry experience or knowledge outside that provided by the regulated and authorised offering documentations and/or basic point-of-sale information can understand the product, its intended outcomes and the circumstances in which it may not deliver those outcomes. ²IA Sector refers to Investment Association. ³Yield reflects the trailing 12-month dividend yield as at 31.03.2024. It does not include any initial charge and investors may be subject to tax on their distributions.

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Absolute Fund Performance¹ Matrix

as at 31.03.2024

(%)	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year ²
2024	1.42	2.62	3.58										7.8
2023	6.22	0.34	-1.91	-0.43	1.93	1.04	1.98	-1.24	-1.21	-3.41	5.50	5.17	14.3
2022	-12.93	-0.57	5.97	-7.61	-2.19	-4.33	3.91	3.21	-4.11	-2.00	3.28	-2.32	-19.4
2021	0.57	2.07	-3.33	6.43	-2.98	5.39	-1.01	2.55	-0.61	0.83	0.94	-0.12	10.8
2020	0.47	-2.77	-15.40	10.39	6.97	2.13	1.79	4.91	0.41	0.16	5.99	4.18	18.2
2019	3.34	2.94	0.77	4.95	-1.51	3.44	5.48	-3.57	0.61	-2.58	3.44	1.71	20.2
2018	1.03	-0.91	-4.71	3.48	3.42	-0.04	3.07	2.35	-1.13	-7.7	2.99	-5.93	-4.8
2017	1.49	3.17	1.49	-0.64	2.83	0.49	0.64	1.16	-1.27	4.34	0.30	0.62	15.5
2016	-5.94	3.84	2.73	0.10	-1.26	4.40	8.14	1.85	1.51	4.02	-1.66	3.23	22.2
2015	2.69	2.03	4.14	0.15	0.57	-4.59	0.16	-5.17	-2.41	7.43	1.66	0.77	7.0
2014	-3.37	2.95	0.51	-0.60	3.01	-0.15	1.04	2.46	-0.59	0.45	5.42	-0.16	11.2
2013	7.43	3.28	2.08	-0.82	3.59	-5.23	4.53	-3.80	2.06	3.57	-2.04	0.01	14.8
2012	5.05	4.34	0.30	-2.62	-4.50	0.86	3.32	0.89	1.29	0.54	1.74	1.56	13.1
2011	-2.31	-1.12	2.01	0.29	-1.54	0.81	-0.88	-8.63	-2.79	8.21	-5.42	3.08	-8.9
2010	-4.93	5.37	8.48	-0.08	-5.41	-1.75	0.89	-2.65	7.94	2.05	1.98	6.65	18.8
2009	-0.03	-7.89	6.53	3.37	1.52	-0.97	7.37	5.16	6.33	-4.55	2.69	6.85	28.2
2008	-7.94	4.23	-3.74	4.16	2.32	-5.90	-4.01	2.93	-8.47	-14.61	0.65	6.99	-23.0
2007	0.43	4.44	-0.14	3.78	1.80	0.52	-1.24	-2.79	7.49	4.05	-5.31	3.05	16.5
2006	6.32	2.82	0.85	3.57	-10.2	-4.41	0.88	1.36	0.92	3.06	1.32	4.03	9.9
2005												3.56	3.6
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Absolute Fund Performance – the return an investment achieves over a period of time. Figures may not be exact due to rounding. Past, simulated past or future projected performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance and may not be repeated.

Minimum Investments

Lump Sum £1,000 £100 Top-ups £100 **Monthly Contributions Costs and Charges**

Initial Charge 0.00% **Annual Management Charge (AMC)** 0.75% **Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)** 1.37%

The above figures are on an ex-ante basis. The ongoing charges figure is based on the fixed annual management charge for the VT Greystone fund and the ongoing charges for underlying funds held which can vary over time. The ongoing charges figure excludes transactional and incidental costs associated with the VT Greystone fund and underlying funds held.

Please refer to our MiFID II Costs & Charges Disclosure document on our website for full details on fund charges.

Platform Availability

Fund Management



James Menzies MA **Investment Director** Head of Multi-Asset



James Jackson, MSc **Head of Investment Research**



Samuel Adams, MSc.

Fund Awards

as at 31.03.2024



INVESTMENT **SPECIALIST** INVESTMENT **AWARDS 2020**



-SHORTLISTED-



Investment Analyst





(R Acc share class)

























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