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This document is intended for use by individuals who are familiar with investment terminology. Please contact your financial adviser if you need an explanation of the terms used.

The SL abrdn MyFolio Managed III Pension Fund invests primarily in the abrdn MyFolio Managed III Fund. The aim of the abrdn MyFolio Managed III Fund is summarised below.

The fund aims to provide growth over the long term while being managed to a defined level of risk. It is one of the five funds in part of the MyFolio Managed range each of which offers a different level of expected investment risk and return. The fund is risk level III, which aims to be the middle risk fund in this range. This level invests in both traditionally lower risk assets such as money market instruments including cash and certain types of bonds, and traditionally higher risk assets such as company shares, certain types of bonds and commercial property. This may suit you if you have a balanced attitude to risk. The fund invests at least 60% in actively managed abrdn funds to obtain broad exposure to a range of diversified investments. Typically at least 25% is invested in assets traditionally viewed as being lower risk such as money market instruments including cash, government bonds (loans to a government) and investment grade corporate bonds (loans to a company). The rest of the fund is invested in a selection of other assets such as company shares including property shares, alternative funds and commercial property. Alternative funds can use a combination of traditional assets (such as equities and bonds) and investment strategies based on derivatives. The fund is actively managed by the investment team. Their main focus is to select funds within each asset class and ensure that the strategic asset allocation (long-term proportions in each asset class) meets the fund's objectives. In addition, they will take tactical asset allocations (changing short term proportions in each asset class) to improve returns. It may consist of up to 40% passively managed funds (again including those managed by abrdn). Please note that the number contained in the fund name is not related to the synthetic risk and reward indicator contained in the Key Investor Information document (NURS-KII).

The value of any investment can fall as well as rise and is not guaranteed – you may get back less than you pay in.

For further information on the abrdn MyFolio Managed III Fund, please refer to the fund manager fact sheet, link provided below.

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[abrdn MyFolio Managed III - Fund Factsheet - Underlying Factsheet link](#)

Pension  
Investment  
FundMulti-Asset  
Fund of Funds

Quarterly

Standard Life Launch Date 06/10/2010

Standard Life Fund Size (31/12/2023) £2,288.5m

Standard Life Fund Code AAAP

Volatility Rating (0-7) 4

Underlying Fund Launch Date 22/09/2010

Underlying Fund Size (31/12/2023) £2,820.7m

Underlying Fund Manager(s) Robert Bowie, Katie Trowsdale

The investment performance you will experience from investing in the Standard Life version of the fund will vary from the investment performance you would experience from investing in the underlying fund directly. This will be as a result of a number of differences, such as charges, tax and timing of investment.

## Underlying Fund Information \*

**Note:** Asset / Sector / Regional compositions are shown in a standardised format due to categorisation of items. This may be marginally different to the way the same information is displayed by the underlying fund manager. Figures may not add up to 100 due to rounding.

### Composition by Fund Exposure

	Fund (%)		Fund (%)
abrdn Global Govt Bond Tracker Fund X Acc	7.7	abrdn American Income Equity Fund	2.6
SLMT American Equity Unconstrained	6.2	abrdn Emerging Markets Income Equity Fund	2.5
Vanguard US Equity Index Fund Inst Plus	5.8	abrdn Asia Pacific Equity Enhanced Index Fund	2.4
Absolute Return Global Bond Strategies Fund	4.9	abrdn UK Value Equity Fund	2.1
EM Local Currency Debt Fund D Acc GBP	4.6	abrdn Investment Grade Corporate Bond Fund	2.0
Global Corporate Bond Fund S Acc Hedged	4.4	abrdn UK Income Equity Fund I Acc	2.0
abrdn Asia Pacific Equity Fund K Acc	4.4	Neuberger Berman EM Debt Local Currency	2.0
abrdn Global Inflation Linked Bond Fund	4.3	abrdn Emerging Markets Equity K Acc	1.7
abrdn UK Income Unconstrained Equity Fund	4.0	abrdn UK Smaller Companies Fund	1.5
abrdn UK Sustainable and Responsible Investment	3.8	North American Smaller Companies I Acc	1.2
Global High Yield Bond Fund D Acc Hedged	3.6	abrdn Europe ex UK Income Equity Fund	1.2
abrdn American Equity Enhanced Index Fund	3.6	SLMT Standard Life Japan	1.1
SLMT Global REIT Institutional S Acc	3.6	abrdn Sterling Corporate Bond Fund	1.0
Legal and General Global Infrastructure Index Fund	3.4	Other	6.2
abrdn UK Real Estate Feeder Fund Inst Acc	3.4	<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0%</b>
abrdn UK Equity Enhanced Index Fund	2.8		

Source: FE fundinfo 31/12/2023

## Fund Performance \*

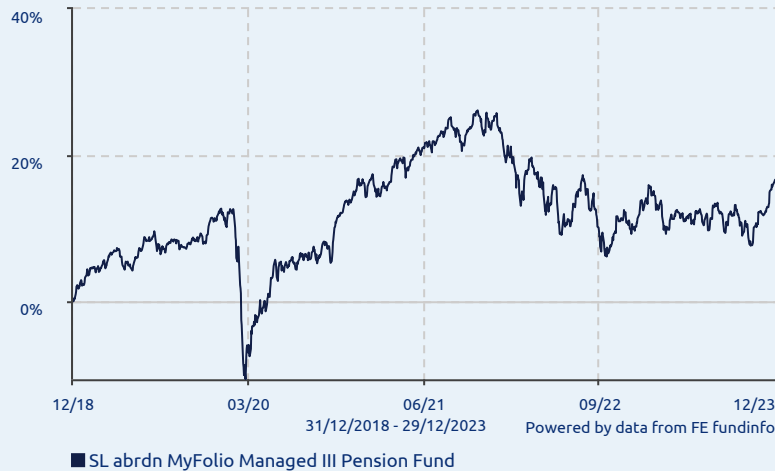
### Year on Year

Source: FE fundinfo

	Year to 31/12/2023 (%)	Year to 31/12/2022 (%)	Year to 31/12/2021 (%)	Year to 31/12/2020 (%)	Year to 31/12/2019 (%)
SL abrdn MyFolio Managed III Pension Fund	5.8	-12.1	9.5	3.2	10.9

### Performance

Source: FE fundinfo



### Cumulative Performance

Source: FE fundinfo

	3 Months (%)	1 Year (%)	3 Years (%)	5 Years (%)
SL abrdn MyFolio Managed III Pension Fund	5.3	5.8	1.9	16.7

**Note(s):** The information shown relates to the past. Past performance is not a guide to the future. The value of your investment can go down as well as up. For the relevant charges on your policy please refer to your policy documentation.

Where a fund holds overseas assets the Sterling value of these assets may rise and fall as a result of exchange rate fluctuations.

**Definition(s):** Volatility Rating - The volatility rating of a fund indicates how much the fund price might move compared to other funds. The higher the volatility rating, the less stable the fund price is likely to be. You can use this to help you decide how much risk you're comfortable taking with your investments. Volatility ratings are calculated on a scale of 0-7.

Money Market - may include bank and building society deposits, other money market instruments such as Certificates of Deposits (CDs), Floating Rate Notes (FRNs) including Asset Backed Securities (ABSS), Money Market Funds and allowances for tax, dividends and interest due if appropriate.

## Key Risks

The fund can invest in a wide variety of investment strategies and assets. Below we document the specific or heightened risks applicable to this fund rather than an exhaustive list.

**Collective Investment Schemes** - The fund can invest in collective investment schemes which can themselves invest in a diverse range of other assets. These underlying assets may vary from time to time but each category of asset (which may include equities, bonds or immovable property) has individual risks associated with them. The fund may not have any control over the activities of any collective investment scheme invested in by the fund.

**Equities Risk** - This fund can invest in equities which are one of the more volatile asset classes and can therefore suffer sudden sharp falls or rises. Equities can offer good growth potential over the longer term but may have a higher volatility than other asset classes.

**Bond Risk** - This fund can invest in bonds, the value of a bond may fall if, for example, the company or government issuing the bond is unable to pay the loan amount or interest when they are supposed to. The value may also be affected by movements in interest rates which may result in the value of the bond rising or falling. This may (or will) result in the value of the fund falling.

**Property Risk** - This fund can invest in direct property. The value of properties held in any property fund is generally a matter of the valuer's opinion and not fact. Property can also be difficult to sell, so you might not be able to sell your investment when you want to.

**Absolute Return** - This fund invests in one or more absolute return funds. It is important not to confuse absolute return funds with guaranteed funds or products which guarantee a positive return over any period. Absolute return funds can lose money when markets rise and vice-versa. They aim to reduce overall volatility by using more sophisticated investment techniques and instruments such as derivatives. Derivatives are financial instruments which derive their value from an underlying asset, such as a share or bond, and are used routinely in global financial markets. Used carefully, derivatives offer an effective and cost-efficient way of investing in markets. However, derivatives can lead to increased volatility of returns in a fund, thus requiring a robust and extensive risk management process. While the fund will not borrow cash for investment purposes, the total value of exposures to markets will routinely exceed the fund's net asset value. Derivatives may be Exchange Traded or Over the Counter (OTC).

However, the success of the fund is heavily dependent on the skill of the fund managers and the investment strategies they employ. As such, the performance of an absolute return fund is heavily dependent on the skill of the fund managers and the investment strategies they decide to employ, rather than the direction of the market.

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