BALANCED BETA PORTFOLIO

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Balanced Investor

You are aiming for higher long term returns & accept some sustained periods of poorer performance. You accept the risk of a greater than moderate loss.

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The Balanced Beta Portfolio is a passive growth strategy. It is aimed at medium to long term investors who are seeking above average capital growth from a balanced portfolio of mainly equity investments.

The chosen investment funds can invest in UK and overseas equities, commercial property, cash and fixed interest securities. Passive funds replicate the stockholdings of an underlying index. Since these funds track the composition and performance of the underlying index, there are low levels of human involvement and so the funds have a lower total expense ratio.

The Balanced Beta Portfolio performance is benchmarked against the average performance of the IA Mixed Investment 20%–60% sector and has a risk rating and investor profile of 5 out of 10.

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A C T I V E Managed daily by our personally selected fund managers. 28%

E Q U I T Y Held in risk to drive growth, vs the stability of bonds & property. 47%

%

FEES

The weighted total cost for the portfolio including management, trading & research costs.

Risk

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 Historic Risk Level

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A **risk level 5** investor should be prepared to accept annual returns somewhere **within the range of a -16.66% loss and a 25.08% gain** — returns within this range would be expected 95% of the time. It should be remembered that there is a 5% chance that **risk level 5** portfolios will experience an annual return outside this range — this means an investor may experience **losses greater than -16.66% or gains greater than 25.08%** at some point(s) during their investment in one year.

It is important to remember the figures are not intended to be and should not be taken as a projection of the likely returns from the portfolio risk levels. This is intended to support the risk discussion following the completion of a risk profile questionnaire. They show the implied volatility and mean expected return of risk levels 1 to 10 to two standard deviations in one year (ie all returns are expected to be between these extremes in 95 years out of 100; this is often described as a 95% confidence level). The figures shown are the expected arithmetic average returns and the ranges assume that returns are based on a log normal distribution. Figures are shown net of tax and underlying manager fees.

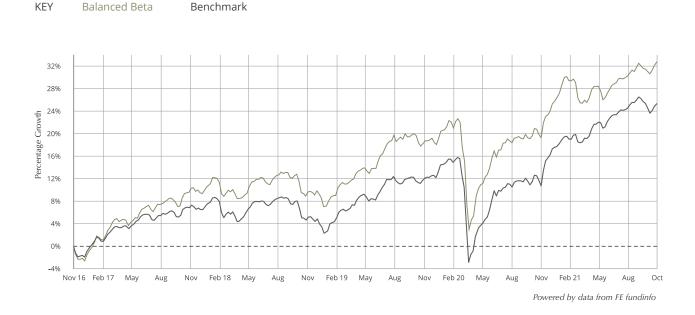
Range of Returns

Upper Return	25.08%	In 95 years out of 100, this is the highest expected level of return for a given level of risk. There is a 2.5% chance that returns could fall outside the upper return figure in one year.
Average of All Returns	4.21%	This is the average of all possible returns within a risk level in one year.
Lower Return	-16.66%	In 95 years out of 100, this is the lowest expected level of return for a given level of risk. There is a 2.5% chance that returns could fall outside the lower return figure in one year.

Asset Allocation

	Money Markets	Fixed Interest	Property	UK Equity	US Equity	European Equity	Asian Equity	Japan Equity	Global Equity	Other Assets
Balanced Beta	15%	30%	8%	7%	19%	4%	4%	2%	6%	5%
Benchmark IA Mixed Investment 20%-60%	7%	32%	2%	12%	6%	4%	5%	2%	16%	14%
Difference Portfolio vs Benchmark	8%	-2%	6%	-5%	13%	0%	-1%	0%	-10%	-9%

Cumulative Performance Chart



Cumulative performance chart shows % growth from 31/10/2016 to 29/10/2021 calculated using bid prices with income re-invested into the fund net of tax. The following tables and charts illustrate the overall performance of the portfolio against its benchmark. The cumulative chart illustrates the overall performance over a maximum of five years dependant on the age of the portfolio and the table shows the overall performance broken down into specified periods. The discrete table and chart illustrates how the portfolio has performed against the benchmark during whole calendar years. All performance is to the latest month end and in GBP.

Cumulative Performance: % Growth to 29/10/2021

	3 months %	6 months %	1 year %	3 years %	5 years %
Balanced Beta	2.15	3.55	12.68	21.07	32.81
Benchmark IA Mixed Investment 20%-60%	0.74	2.75	14.13	19.55	25.37
Difference Portfolio vs Benchmark	1.41	0.80	-1.45	1.52	7.44

Discrete Performance to Month End Shown: % Growth to 29/10/2021

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Balanced Beta	6.10	11.86	-3.51	10.97	-
Benchmark IA Mixed Investment 20%-60%	3.51	11.84	-5.10	7.16	10.32
Difference Portfolio vs Benchmark	2.59	0.02	1.59	3.81	-

Individual Fund's Performance To 29/10/2021

Cumulative Performance: % Growth

Fund	% Holding	3 months %	6 months %	1 year %	3 years %	5 years %
Royal London - Short Term Money Market Y Acc	13.00	-0.01	-0.02	-0.04	1.07	1.79
iShares - Global Property Securities Equity Index (UK) D Acc	8.00	3.61	10.20	35.60	22.91	27.62
Vanguard - FTSE Developed World ex-UK Equity Index Acc GBP	6.00	5.04	9.41	31.96	55.96	86.44
L&G - Global Inflation Linked Bond Index I Acc	5.00	-0.34	4.16	5.79	19.90	17.48
Royal London - Short Duration Global Index Linked M Inc	5.00	0.26	3.07	4.68	13.53	12.98
Artemis - Target Return Bond I Acc	4.00	-0.01	0.91	5.51	n/a	n/a
HSBC - American Index C Acc	4.00	5.63	10.63	32.29	65.91	106.00
HSBC - FTSE 100 Index C Acc	4.00	4.68	6.43	34.39	13.75	25.95
L&G - All Stocks Index Linked Gilt Index Trust I Acc	4.00	1.62	11.77	4.84	22.29	23.90
L&G - Pacific Index Trust I Acc**	4.00	-0.18	-3.11	24.00	40.92	51.13
Royal London - Diversified Asset-Backed Securities Z Acc	4.00	1.43	2.51	7.75	10.22	19.93
Royal London - Short Duration Global High Yield Bond M Acc**	4.00	0.46	1.24	3.90	6.31	10.80
Vanguard - US Equity Index Acc GBP	4.00	6.21	10.73	35.50	65.84	107.73
Vanguard - FTSE U.K. All Share Index Unit Trust A Acc GBP	3.00	3.52	5.38	35.33	17.30	31.28
BlackRock - Gold & General D Acc	2.00	-2.40	-2.47	-12.33	65.03	16.97
Fidelity - Index Japan P Acc	2.00	3.81	3.02	12.04	22.36	32.56
First Sentier - Global Listed Infrastructure B Acc GBP	2.00	1.62	2.13	12.76	21.05	30.22
JPM - Natural Resources C Acc	2.00	4.35	5.46	47.10	26.50	41.67
M&G - Global Floating Rate High Yield IH Acc GBP	2.00	1.24	2.62	12.67	9.36	15.93
Polar Capital - Global Insurance I Acc GBP	2.00	5.62	2.37	23.98	26.52	51.18
Polar Capital - Global Technology I GBP	2.00	3.77	7.99	18.30	111.12	218.93
Vanguard - Emerging Markets Stock Index Acc GBP**	2.00	0.77	-4.14	9.79	30.94	37.75
Vanguard - FTSE Developed Europe ex-UK Equity Index Acc GBP	2.00	2.03	7.32	33.12	41.45	59.22
Vanguard - Global Bond Index Hedged Acc GBP	2.00	-1.65	0.38	-1.45	11.51	10.20
Vanguard - Global Small-Cap Index Acc GBP	2.00	4.26	4.18	36.84	45.32	70.70
Vanguard - UK Government Bond Index Acc GBP	2.00	-2.49	1.78	-4.53	12.09	13.95
Baillie Gifford - Positive Change B Acc	1.00	3.54	12.60	38.00	158.39	n/a
BNY Mellon - Real Return Inst W Acc	1.00	1.82	2.80	12.68	28.57	25.40
Guinness - Sustainable Energy Y Acc GBP**	1.00	8.56	14.22	44.34	161.13	139.01
Jupiter - Financial Opportunities I Acc	1.00	5.05	6.73	25.03	53.58	83.06
Total Portfolio	100.00	2.15	3.55	12.68	21.07	32.81

This report displays the cumulative and discrete performance of the underlying holdings of your portfolio. The cumulative performance table illustrates the overall growth of the individual holdings and the discrete table shows how they have performed in whole calendar years. All performance is to the latest month end and in GBP.

Performance Ratios Over 3 Years

Volatility	Alpha	Beta	Sharpe	Information Ratio	Weighted Average TER
2.50	0.06	0.95	0.36	0.19	0.39

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