

EF Brompton Global Conservative Fund

An EF Brompton Multi-Manager OEIC sub-fund



Gill Lakin Fund manager

Fund manager's commentary

Stronger-than-anticipated economic data, including US non-farm payroll increases, may mean interest rates remain higher for longer. In response, global bonds and equities fell 1.69% and 1.19% respectively in sterling and the dollar rose 1.69% against the pound. The EF Brompton Global Conservative Fund's global equity holdings, Polar Capital Global Technology, Polar Capital Global Insurance and Guinness Global Equity Income, outperformed, up 1.77% and 0.94% and down 0.21% respectively. Equities in Asia excluding Japan and emerging markets fell 5.24% and 4.90% respectively in sterling on dollar-strength and fears of tighter monetary policy. Within the portfolio, Redwheel Global Emerging Markets and Matthew Asia ex Japan Total Return Equity fell 6.78% and 5.10% respectively. The UK economy grew 0.3% in January, beating expectations, and UK equities outperformed, up 1.75%, although small stocks gained only 1.15%. Within the portfolio, Man GLG Income and Liontrust Special Situations did best, up 2.65% and 1.94% respectively, but Chelverton UK Equity Growth, a small-stock specialist, fell 0.18%. Equities in Europe excluding the UK gained 0.81% in sterling and BlackRock European Dynamic outperformed, up 4.27%. In Japan, where equities fell 2.00% in sterling, Lindsell Train Japanese Equity did worse, down 4.93%. The weakest alternative holdings were the 3i Infrastructure investment trust, down 5.53% after announcing a share issue, and Man GLG Asia Pacific (ex-Japan) Equity Alternative, down 1.04%, while weak bullion prices led to a 3.57% fall for the iShares Physical Gold exchange-traded commodity. The EF Brompton Global Conservative Fund fell 1.18%† in February while the sector fell 1.21%. Financial data source: Refitity 28 February 2023. † B Acc shares

Key facts Fund size

To achieve modest growth

Launch date 8 April 2014
Launch price 100p
IA sector and benchmark Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares
Base currency Sterling
Valuation point Noon

B Shares (Retail)

 Price at 28/2/23
 133.65p

 Minimum investment
 £1,000

 Minimum top-up
 £500

 Minimum regular savings
 £100

 Investment management fee
 0.75%

 Initial charge
 2%

 Total expense ratio
 1.57%

ACD admin charge
Ex-dividend date
Income distribution date
Structure
Year end
B SEDOL code

B ISIN code

0.25%
1 August
30 September
OEIC sub-fund
31 July
BG6LVN8
GB00BG6LVN84

£10.7 million

Portfolio breakdown *

UK fixed income

Schroder Strategic Credit TwentyFour Dynamic Bond Henderson Fixed Interest Monthly Income Global fixed income

iShares \$ Treasury Bond 7-10 Years

(£-hedged)

Vanguard Global Bond (£-hedged)
Legal & General Global Inflation Linked
Bond (£-hedged)

Alternative

3i Infrastructure Trojan

Man GLG UK Absolute Value BlackRock European Absolute Alpha CT Real Estate Equity Market Neutral Man GLG Asia Pacific (ex-Japan) Equity Alternative

UK equity

Liontrust Special Situations Man GLG Income Aberforth UK Small Companies Chelverton UK Equity Growth

US equity

iShares Core S&P 500

Europe ex-UK equity

Blackrock European Dynamic

Japanese equity
Lindsell Train Japanese Equity

Pacific ex-Japan equity Matthews Asia ex Japan Total Return

Equity

Emerging markets equity Redwheel Global Emerging Markets

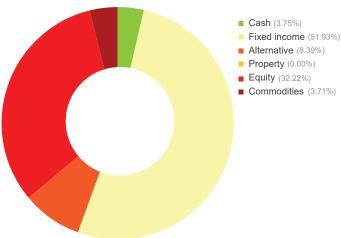
Global equity

Polar Capital Global Insurance Polar Capital Global Technology Guinness Global Equity

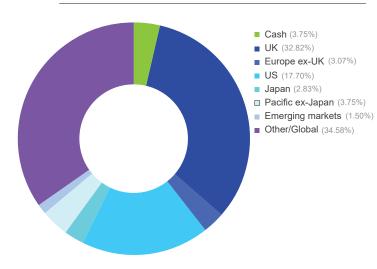
Commodities

iShares Physical Gold

Asset allocation



Geographic allocation





^{*} excluding cash



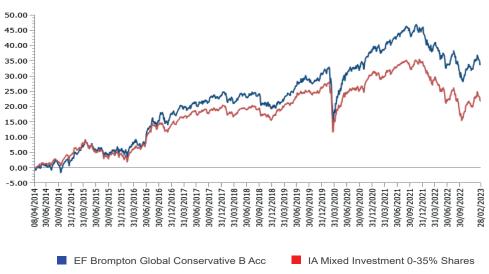
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Performance

Percentage growth, 8 April 2014 to 28 February 2023

EF Brompton Global Conservative B Acc v IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares since launch



Source: Lipper, NAV-NAV, sterling, net income reinvested Past performance is not an indicator of future performance

Discrete period performance (%)	Year to 28 Feb 2023	Year to 28 Feb 2022	Year to 28 Feb 2021	Year to 29 Feb 2020	Year to 28 Feb 2019
EF Brompton Global Conservative B Acc	-3.70	0.54	7.06	6.68	-1.50
IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares	-5.75	0.10	3.33	5.26	0.31
Quartile ranking	2	2	1	1	4

Cumulative performance (%) to 28 February 2023	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	Since launch
EF Brompton Global Conservative B Acc	-1.18	0.77	-1.39	-3.70	33.65
IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares	-1.21	0.33	-1.09	-5.75	21.60
Quartile ranking	2	2	3	2	1

Source: Lipper, NAV-NAV, sterling, net income reinvested 1st quartile means the fund is ranked in the top 25% of funds in its sector

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