

EF Brompton Global Equity Fund

An EF Brompton Multi-Manager OEIC sub-fund



Gill Lakin Fund manager

Investment objective

To achieve longer-term capital growth by investing in markets in both the UK and overseas.

Key facts

Fund size £15.6 million
Launch date 23 May 2013
Launch price 100p
IA sector and benchmark Base currency Sterling
Valuation point Noon

B Shares (Retail)

 Price at 28/2/21
 206.54p

 Minimum investment
 £1,000

 Minimum top-up
 £500

 Minimum regular savings
 £100

 Investment management fee
 0.75%

 Initial charge
 2%

 Total expense ratio
 1.59%

I Shares (Institutional)

 Price at 28/2/21
 205.36p

 Minimum investment
 £100,000

 Minimum top-up
 £10,000

 Investment management fee
 1%

 Total expense ratio
 1.84%

ACD admin charge 0.25% Ex-dividend date 1 August Income distribution date 30 September **OEIC** sub-fund Structure 31 July Year end B SEDOL code **B6Y1P94** B ISIN code GB00B6Y1P942 I SEDOL code **B7KKN09** GB00B7KKN090 I ISIN code

Fund manager's commentary

Global equities gained 0.52% while inflation weakened bonds. US retail sales gained 5.3% in January, exceeding prepandemic levels, while jobs data were stronger-than-anticipated. In the commodity markets, oil and copper rose 15.97% and 13.58% respectively in sterling. Against the yen, euro and dollar, sterling gained 3.61%, 1.91% and 1.81% respectively. US equities rose 0.93% in sterling as the \$1.9 trillion relief package moved through Congress. Fuelled by cyclical-stock strength, Vulcan Value Equity and the iShares Edge World Value Factor exchange-traded fund (ETF) rose 4.33% and 4.17% respectively. Polar Capital Global Technology fell 1.35%, while gold price weakness left the iShares Gold Producers ETF down 10.37%. UK stocks gained 1.75% and small companies outperformed, up 6.18%. All three holdings outperformed. Chelverton UK Equity Growth rose 4.19% while Man GLG Income and Majedie UK Focus gained 2.67% and 2.20% respectively. In Europe excluding the UK, where equities gained 0.31% in sterling, BlackRock European Dynamic rose 0.60% but Threadneedle European Smaller Companies fell 1.66%. In Japan, where equities fell 0.47% in sterling, T Rowe Price Japanese Equity and Nippon Active Value lagged, down 1.87% and 0.93% respectively. GLG Japan CoreAlpha was added to the portfolio. Equities in emerging markets and Asia excluding Japan underperformed, down 1.02% and 0.55% respectively in sterling. Within the portfolio, Vietnam Enterprise Investments and Baillie Gifford Pacific rose 3.15% and 3.07% respectively but Matthews Asia ex Japan Dividend fell 1.54%. The EF Brompton Global Equity Fund gained 0.79%† in February while the sector gained 0.54%. Financial data source: Refinitiv 28 February 2021 † B Acc shares

Portfolio breakdown *

Property

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UK equity

Chelverton UK Equity Growth Man GLG Income Majedie UK Focus

Europe ex-UK equity

BlackRock European Dynamic Threadneedle European Smaller Companies

US equity

iShares Core S&P 500 SPDR S&P 500 Vulcan Value Equity Morgan Stanley US Advantage

Japanese equity

T Rowe Price Japanese Equity GLG Japan CoreAlpha Nippon Active Value

Pacific ex-Japan equity

Baillie Gifford Pacific Matthews Asia ex Japan Dividend Morgan Stanley Asia Opportunity

Emerging market equity

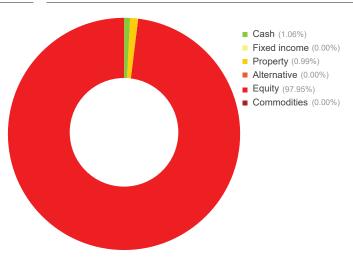
Goldman Sachs Emerging Markets Equity Vietnam Enterprise Investments

Global equity

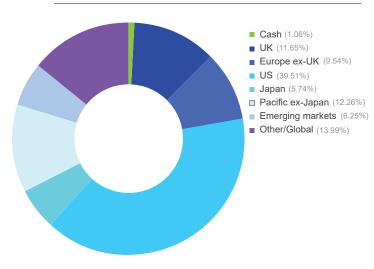
iShares Edge MSCI World Value Factor Polar Capital Global Technology iShares Gold Producers

* excluding cash

Asset allocation



Geographic allocation





Investment policy

The Fund will typically invest a minimum of 80% of its net asset value in collective investment schemes, exchange traded funds and unregulated collective investment schemes. The Fund may also invest in investment trusts (and similar instruments), other transferable securities, money-market instruments, fixed income instruments, deposits and foreign exchange contracts.

Investments will not be confined by industrial, economic or geographical sector. The Fund may hold, on a temporary basis, all or part of its assets in cash or other ancillary liquid assets.

The Fund may utilise derivatives for the purposes of efficient portfolio management (typically hedging, including investing in hedged share classes, which attempts to mitigate against falls in the value of the Fund's assets and the effects of changes in currency exchange rates against the Fund's base currency, which is pounds sterling).

The Fund's benchmark is IA Global. This represents a comparator benchmark because the Fund's performance can be compared to funds which also sit within this industry sector.

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Performance

Percentage growth, 23 May 2013 to 28 February 2021

EF Brompton Global Equity B Acc v IA Global 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 2021	Year to 29 Feb 2020	Year to 28 Feb 2019	Year to 28 Feb 2018	Year to 28 Feb 2017
EF Brompton Global Equity B Acc	23.54	6.88	-3.26	7.97	31.79
IA Global	22.77	6.97	2.01	8.16	32.40
Quartile ranking	2	3	4	4	3

Cumulative performance (%) to 28 February 2021	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	Since launch
EF Brompton Global Equity B Acc	0.79	3.61	9.91	23.54	106.54
IA Global	0.54	2.79	10.46	22.77	115.13
Quartile ranking	2	2	2	2	3

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

Important information

For full details of the fund and its risks please refer to the prospectus or Key Investor Information and Supplementary Information Document, which can be found on the Brompton Asset Management website, www.bromptonam.com. The value of assets and income generated from them may fall as well as rise. Investors may not get a steady income flow and, on disposal, may not receive all their capital back.

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