

£7.4 million

8 April 2014

0-35% Shares

Mixed Investment

100p

Sterling

107.58p

Noon

Investment objective

To achieve modest growth

**Key facts** 

Launch date

Launch price

Base currency

Valuation point

**B Shares (Retail)** 

Price at 30/04/16

Fund size

IA sector

# FP Brompton Global Conservative Fund

An FP Brompton Multi-Manager OEIC sub-fund



Gill Lakin Fund manager

#### Fund manager's commentary

The Brexit debate took centre stage in April as President Obama backed the "remain" campaign, spurring sterling 1.92% higher against the dollar. The oil price rose 13.87% in sterling in response to falling US oil production and dollar weakness while the commodity-heavy UK stockmarket rose 1.51% during a month in which global equities fell 0.38% in sterling. Active UK managers struggled to keep up, however, and the FP Brompton Global Conservative Fund's UK equity holdings prices contributed to a 1.20% fall in UK government bonds. The portfolio's holding in the iShares Global Inflation-linked Bond exchange-traded fund (ETF), which has significant investments in longer-dated US Treasury index-linked securities, was reduced because of the adverse trends facing the dollar and longer-duration bonds. Over the month, this holding fell 1.60%. Elsewhere within the fixed income portfolio, Henderson Fixed Interest Monthly Income and Artemis Strategic Bond did best, in some commodity-exporting emerging markets such as Russia and Brazil rose but Asia excluding Japan and emerging markets generally underperformed, falling 2.76% and 1.33% respectively, although Schroder Small Cap Discovery, down just 0.23%, outperformed. Investment in emerging market bonds increased through an addition to the SPDR Barclays Emerging Markets Local Bond ETF. The FP Brompton Global Conservative Fund fell 0.55%† in April while the sector gained 0.30%.

### **Asset allocation**

underperformed, with Lindsell Train UK Equity doing worst, down 2.36%. The potentially inflationary impact of rising commodity returning 1.21% and 1.15% respectively. Templeton Global Bond, partly driven lower by its dollar holdings, fell 2.27%. Equities Financial data source: Thomson Reuters 30 April 2016. † B Acc shares Portfolio breakdown \*

#### Minimum investment £1,000 Minimum top-up £500 Minimum regular savings £100 Investment management fee 0.75% Initial charge 2%

Total expense ratio 1.66%

## I Shares (Institutional)

Price at 30/04/16 107.01p Minimum investment £100,000 Minimum top-up £10,000 Investment management fee 1%

ACD admin charge 0.25% Ex-dividend date 1 August Income distribution date 30 September **OEIC** sub-fund Year end 31 July B SEDOL code **BG6LVN8** B ISIN code GB00BG6LVN84 LSEDOL code **BG6I VP0** I ISIN code GB00BG6LVP09

#### UK fixed income

Artemis Strategic Bond Henderson Fixed Interest Monthly Income iShares Core UK Gilts

#### Global fixed income

iShares Global Inflation Linked Bond PFS TwentyFour Dynamic Bond Templeton Global Bond SPDR Barclays Emerging Markets Local Bond

#### Property

Aberdeen UK Property

#### Alternative

F&C Real Estate Equity Long/Short Trojan

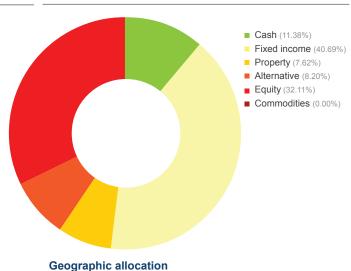
#### **UK Equity**

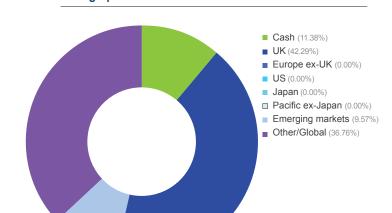
GLG Undervalued Assets Lindsell Train UK Equity **Liontrust Special Situations** 

#### Emerging market equity Schroder Small Cap Discovery

Global equity Fundsmith Equity Artemis Global Income

\* excluding cash and cash funds







#### **Investment policy**

The Fund will invest mainly in collective investment schemes, exchange traded funds and unregulated collective investment schemes (which include limited partnerships) and may also include transferable securities (including investment trusts and similar instruments), money-market instruments, fixed income instruments, deposits and foreign exchange contracts.

It is expected that cash, cash equivalents and fixed income investments will make up a significant part of the Fund's assets, in order to maintain its conservative risk profile. However, investments will not be confined to any particular sector.

The Fund may also 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.

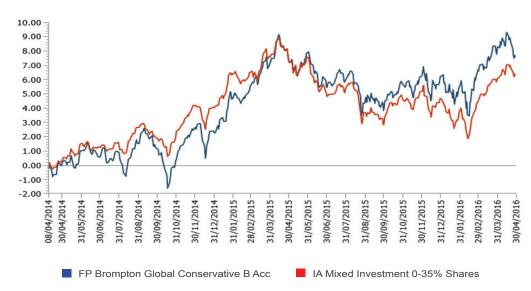
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#### Performance

Percentage growth, 8 April 2014 to 30 April 2016

FP 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<br>30 Apr 2016 |  |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|--|
| FP Brompton Global Conservative B Acc | 0.20                   |  |
| IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares      | -0.75                  |  |
| Quartile ranking                      | 1                      |  |

| Cumulative performance (%) to 30 April 2016 | 1<br>month | 3<br>months | 6<br>months | 12<br>months | Since<br>launch |
|---------------------------------------------|------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|
| FP Brompton Global Conservative B Acc       | -0.55      | 2.08        | 1.76        | 0.20         | 7.58            |
| IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares            | 0.30       | 2.62        | 1.70        | -0.75        | 6.40            |
| Quartile ranking                            | 4          | 3           | 2           | 1            | 2               |

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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#### Important information

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