

### FP Brompton Global Conservative Fund

An FP Brompton Multi-Manager OEIC sub-fund



Gill Lakin Fund manager

## Investment objective

To achieve modest growth

#### **Key facts**

 Fund size
 £13.9 million

 Launch date
 8 April 2014

 Launch price
 100p

 IA sector
 Mixed Investment

 0-35% Shares

 Base currency
 Sterling

 Valuation point
 Noon

#### **B Shares (Retail)**

 Price at 31/08/16
 115.05p

 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 31/08/16
 114.38p

 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

#### Fund manager's commentary

In early August, the Bank of England cut interest rates for the first time since 2009, revived quantitative easing and introduced measures to foster bank lending. Interest rates may be cut even further. UK economic data remained robust over the summer but the Bank's initiatives are aimed at bolstering longer-term sentiment and activity once Brexit negotiations begin in earnest. Leading indicators for UK services and manufacturing rebounded in August and consumer spending was resilient. UK government bonds rose 2.66% and the dollar strengthened 1.37% against sterling in response to the relaxation in UK monetary policy. Dollar strength buoyed the FP Brompton Global Conservative Fund's investments in the iShares Global Inflation Linked Bond exchange-traded fund and Templeton Global Bond, which gained 3.30% and 1.48% respectively. UK equities rose 1.55%, modestly underperforming the 1.76% gain by global equities in sterling. Asia ex-Japan and emerging market equities outperformed, rising 4.82% and 3.93% respectively in sterling. Despite marginally underperforming their benchmark, the portfolio's two emerging market holdings helped performance. Outside emerging markets, Liontrust Special Situations contributed positively, rising 2.38%. The sterling-hedge holding in Lindsell Train Japanese Equity, did worst, falling 2.73%. In Japan, the portfolio switched from the sterling-hedged share class of GLG Japan CoreAlpha into the dollar-hedged class. Overall, there was a reduction in the portfolio's equity allocation, with holdings in UK and emerging market equities reduced in favour of cash. The FP Brompton Global Conservative Fund gained 1.25% † in August while the sector gained 1.55%. Financial data source: Thomson Reuters 31 August 2016. † B Acc shares

#### Portfolio breakdown \*

#### 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 Templeton Emerging Markets Bond (£-hedged) Legal & General Global Inflation Linked Bond iShares \$ Treasury Bond 1-3 yrs SPDR Barclays Emerging Markets Local Bond

#### Alternative

F&C Real Estate Equity Long/Short Trojan Newton Real Return 3i Infrastructure

#### **UK** Equity

Lindsell Train UK Equity Liontrust Special Situations SPDR FTSE UK All Share

#### Japanese Equity

Lindsell Train Japanese Equity (£-hedged) GLG Japan CoreAlpha (\$-hedged)

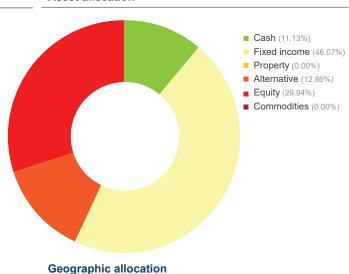
#### Emerging market equity

Schroder Small Cap Discovery
Goldman Sachs Emerging Markets Equity

#### Global equity

Fundsmith Equity Newton Global Income

#### **Asset allocation**



#### Cash (11.13%)

<sup>\*</sup> excluding cash and cash funds

<sup>■</sup> UK (26.04%)

<sup>■</sup> Europe ex-UK (0.00%)

US (4.86%)

Japan (1.76%)

<sup>■</sup> Pacific ex-Japan (0.00%)

<sup>■</sup> Emerging markets (14.08%)

Other/Global (42.13%)



#### **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.

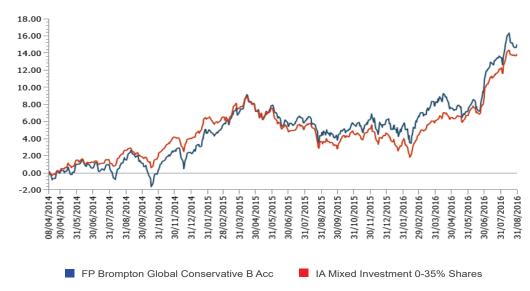
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#### Performance

Percentage growth, 8 April 2014 to 31 August 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>31 Aug 2016 | Year to 31 Aug 2015 |  |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|--|
| FP Brompton Global Conservative B Acc | 10.24                  | 2.74                |  |
| IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares      | 9.77                   | 0.99                |  |
| Quartile ranking                      | 2                      | 1                   |  |

| Cumulative performance (%) to 31 August 2016 | 1<br>month | 3<br>months | 6<br>months | 12<br>months | Since<br>launch |
|--|------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|
| FP Brompton Global Conservative B Acc        | 1.25       | 7.27        | 7.85        | 10.24        | 15.05           |
| IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares             | 1.55       | 6.61        | 8.92        | 9.77         | 13.81           |
| Quartile ranking                             | 3          | 2           | 3           | 2            | 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

For full details of the fund and its risks please refer to the prospectus or simplified prospectus, 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. Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.

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