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WAY MA Cautious Portfolio

An OEIC managed by
Brompton Asset Management

Investment objective

The objective of the Fund is to seek capital growth.

Key facts

Fund size	£18.7 million
IA sector	Mixed Investment
	20-60% Shares
Base currency	Sterling
Valuation point	Noon
Launch date	23 June 2008

The fund is managed with a 0% target yield.

T Income Shares

Launch date	14 January 2013
Launch price	100p
Price at 31/7/23	148.48p
Minimum investment	£1,000
Minimum regular savings	N/A
Investment management fee	1.25%
Initial charge	2%
Total expense ratio	2.11%
Year end	31 March
Distribution date	31 May
Structure	OEIC
SEDOL code	B8YPMQ64
ISIN code	GB00B8YPMQ64

T class shares are for use within the WAY IHT plans.

E Income & Accumulation Shares

Launch date	31 December 2012
Launch price	100p
E Inc price at 31/7/23	153.26p
E Acc price at 31/7/23	154.56p
Minimum investment	£1,000
Minimum regular savings	£100pm
Investment management fee	0.95%
Initial charge	2%
Total expense ratio	1.81%
Year end	31 March
Distribution date	31 May
Structure	OEIC
Inc SEDOL code	B8JQGM8
Inc ISIN code	GB00B8JQGM80
Acc SEDOL code	B87X8G9
Acc ISIN code	GB00B87X8G93

E class shares are available for direct fund investment. For information, please ring the dealing line, 01202 855856.

Fund manager's commentary

The Federal Reserve increased its official interest rate by a quarter percentage point to 5.25-5.5% and US inflation slowed to 3.0%, raising hopes that peak rates may be close. UK headline inflation remained stubbornly high at 7.9%, prompting the Bank of England to raise Bank Rate by a quarter percentage point in August. Global equities rose 2.46% in sterling but global bonds fell 0.51%. Among the WAY MA Cautious Portfolio's significant global equity holdings, Dimensional Global Targeted Value did best, up 4.89%, but Polar Capital Global Insurance gained only 1.05%. UK equities rose 2.55% and small companies outperformed, rising 4.24%. Higher interest rates may, however, affect economic activity and the portfolio's UK equity allocation was reduced through reductions in Artemis UK Special Situations and Chelverton UK Equity Growth. UK government bonds, sterling investment-grade corporate bonds and sterling high-yield bonds returned 0.81%, 2.44% and 2.21% respectively. Within the portfolio, the sterling-hedged Redwheel Asia Convertibles and Schroder Strategic Credit rose 4.41% and 1.41% respectively but the sterling-hedged iShares \$ Treasury Bond 7-10 Years exchange-traded fund holding fell 0.66%. Equities in emerging markets and Asia excluding Japan outperformed, up 5.03% and 4.94% respectively in sterling, with Chinese stocks, in particular, benefiting from Beijing's plans to support consumer spending as the growth boost delivered by the withdrawal of zero-Covid-19 policies wanes. Within the portfolio, Redwheel Global Emerging Markets did best, up 8.01%, but Stewart Investors Indian Subcontinent fell 0.66%. The WAY MA Cautious Portfolio rose 1.14%† in July while the sector rose 1.43%.

Financial data source: Refinitiv 31 July 2023. † E Inc share

Portfolio breakdown*

UK fixed income

Schroder Strategic Credit
Jupiter Dynamic Bond
Janus Henderson Strategic Bond

Global fixed income

Vanguard Global Aggregate Bond (£-hedged)
iShares \$ Treasury Bond 7-10 Years (£-hedged)
Redwheel Asia Convertibles (£-hedged)
Goldman Sachs Global Strategic Income Bond

Alternative

Trojan
Man GLG UK Absolute Value
CT Real Estate Equity Market Neutral
BlackRock European Absolute Alpha

UK equity

Artemis UK Special Situations
Liontrust Special Situations
Liontrust UK Smaller Companies
Fidelity Index UK
Lindsell Train UK Equity
Chelverton UK Equity Growth

Europe ex-UK equity

BlackRock European Dynamic
Janus Henderson European Smaller Companies

US equity

Fidelity Index US

Japanese equity

Comgest Growth Japan
Baillie Gifford Japanese Smaller Companies

Pacific ex-Japan equity

Man GLG Asia (ex Japan) Equity

Emerging market equity

Baillie Gifford Emerging Markets Growth
Stewart Investors Indian Subcontinent
Redwheel Global Emerging Markets

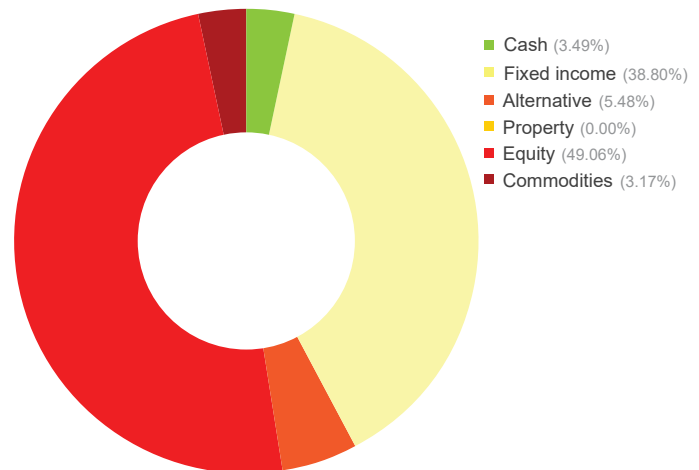
Global equity

Polar Capital Global Technology
Polar Capital Global Insurance
First Sentier Global Listed Infrastructure
Dimensional Global Targeted Value
iShares Gold Producers

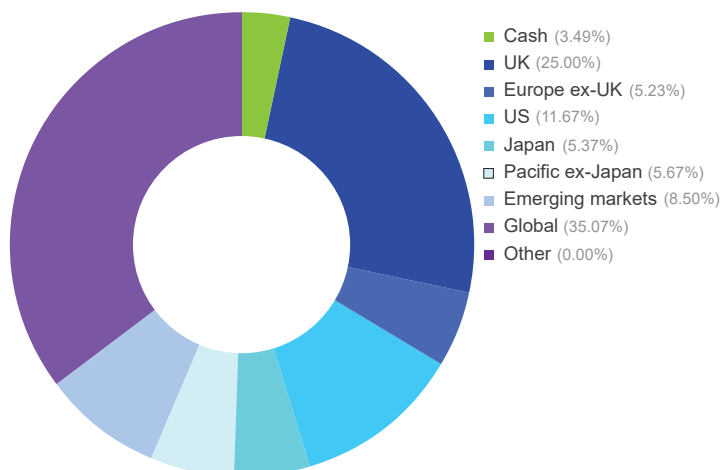
Commodities

iShares Physical Gold

Asset allocation



Geographic allocation



* excluding cash and holdings of less than 0.25% of NAV

Please see overleaf for performance and other important information

WAY MA Cautious Portfolio (continued)

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Investment objective & policy

The objective of the Fund is to seek capital growth.

The Fund will seek to achieve its objective from an actively managed portfolio of collective investment schemes, investment trusts, other transferable securities including listed securities, cash or near cash, deposits and money market instruments. The Fund will typically invest between 20% and 60% of its portfolio in equity securities.

There will be no restrictions on the underlying content of the investments held, in terms of investment type, geographical or economic sector.

The use of derivatives and/or hedging transactions will be permitted in connection with the efficient portfolio management of the Fund (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). Borrowing of up to 10% of the Fund's net asset value will be permitted.

On giving 60 days notice to Shareholders, the Fund may, in addition to its other investment powers, use derivatives and forward transactions for investment purposes. It is not intended that the use of derivatives in this way will change the risk profile of the Fund.

Subject to the above, the Fund may invest in any asset class and adopt any investment technique or strategy permitted under the rules in COLL as such rules are applied to Non-UCITS retail schemes.

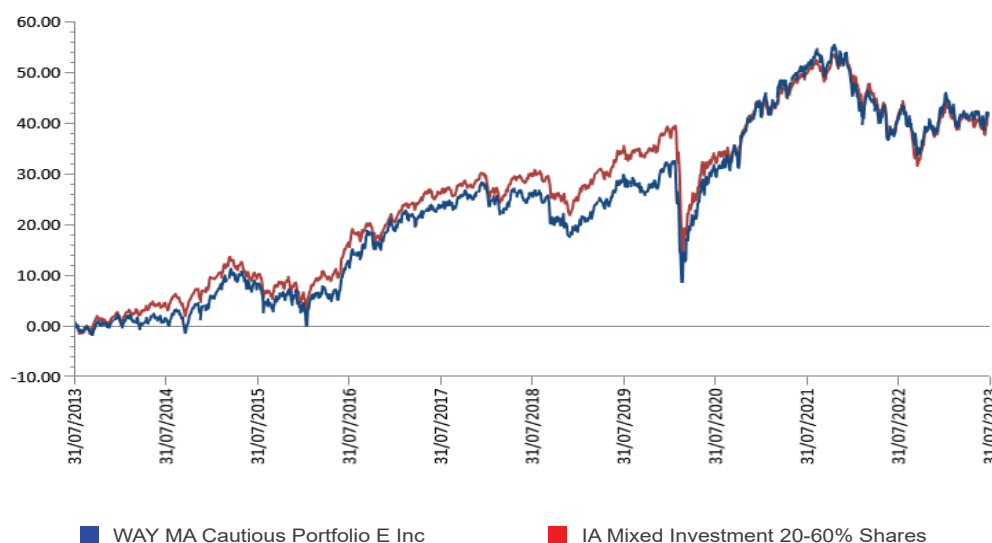
The Fund's benchmark is IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares. This represents a comparator benchmark because the Fund's performance can be compared to funds which also sit within this industry sector.

For further information including details of all share classes please visit our website at www.bromptonam.com

Performance†

Percentage growth for 10 years to 31 July 2023

WAY MA Cautious Portfolio E Inc* v IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares



Discrete period performance (%)	Year to 31 Jul 2023	Year to 31 Jul 2022	Year to 31 Jul 2021	Year to 31 Jul 2020	Year to 31 Jul 2019
WAY MA Cautious Portfolio E Inc	1.03	-6.87	16.51	-0.31	3.13
IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares	0.00	-5.42	13.26	-2.32	4.06
Quartile ranking	2	3	1	2	3

Cumulative performance (%) to 31 July 2023	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	10 years
WAY MA Cautious Portfolio E Inc	1.14	0.66	-1.01	1.03	42.09
IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares	1.43	0.46	-0.36	0.00	41.56
Quartile ranking	4	2	3	2	2

*Source: Lipper, NAV-NAV, sterling. The E Income share class launched on 31 December 2012. Performance history prior to that date is that of the B Inc share class. The backdated performance is based upon the actual returns of the B Inc share class with no alteration for differing fee levels between these share classes.

† Brompton took over management of the fund on 1 May 2017.

Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.

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 WAY Fund Manager's website, www.wayfunds.com. The value of assets and income generated from them may fall as well as rise. Investors are unlikely to receive income and, on disposal, may not receive all their capital back. Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.

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