# ASSET MANAGEMENT

# WAY Global Red Active Portfolio

A unit trust managed by Brompton Asset Management

Gill Lakin Fund manager

### Fund manager's commentary

Oil fell further in December, dropping 19.35% in sterling. Excessive supply appears the primary cause as Opec producers maintain output despite US shale oil production growth. Lower energy costs will stimulate economic growth but investors fear the potential disinflationary consequences. UK inflation fell to 0.5% in December. Global equities fell 1.46% and UK equities underperformed, falling 2.27% as a result of the UK stockmarket's high proportion of natural resources companies. In the eurozone, consumer prices turned negative, dropping 0.2% on a year ago. Eurozone equities fell 4.59% in sterling, partly as a result of the euro's 2.51% decline against sterling. Within the WAY Global Red Portfolio, Schroder European, down 3.36%, was the worst performer. The Federal Reserve remains on track to raise interest rates in mid-2015 following strong employment and consumer confidence data. US equities rose 0.18% as the dollar gained 0.44% against sterling. US equity investment within the portfolio increased through purchases of Fidelity Index World and the SPDR S&P 500 exchange-traded fund. Asia ex Japan equities fell 1.65%, in sterling during December, with Schroder Small Cap Discovery down 1.57%. Hermes Asia ex Japan, however, gained 0.13%, bolstered by its bias towards Chinese companies, which rose 1.60% in sterling. Gilts and corporate bonds rose 1.78% and 1.32% respectively because weak inflation reduced the likelihood of a UK interest rate rise. Investec Enhanced Natural Resources was sold outright in response to the worsening environment for commodities. The WAY Global Red Portfolio fell 1.12%† in December while the sector fell 0.56%.

Financial data source: Thomson Reuters 31 December 2014. † A Acc shares

# **Key facts**

worldwide

Investment objective

The objective of the fund is to provide

maximum capital growth from an actively

managed and diversified portfolio of collective

investment schemes selected from markets

Fund size £47.0 million IMA sector Flexible Investment Base currency Sterling Valuation point Noon 9 December 1991 Launch date Fund managers Gill Lakin Luke Hyde-Smith

Sean Standen

#### T Income Shares

Launch date 15 January 2013 Launch price 100p Price at 31/12/14 120.79p Minimum investment £10,000 Minimum regular savings N/A Investment management fee 1.3% Initial charge 2% Yield 0% Total expense ratio 2.10% 31 March Year end Distribution date 31 May Structure Unit trust SEDOL code B99K1J9 ISIN code GB00B99K1J99

T class shares are for use within the WAY IHT plans

#### E Acc & Inc Shares

15 January 2013 Launch date Launch price 100p E Acc price at 31/12/14 122.14p E Inc price at 31/12/14 121.74p Minimum investment £10,000 Minimum regular savings £100 Investment management fee 1% Initial charge 2% Yield 0% Total expense ratio 1.80% Year end 31 March Distribution date 31 May Structure **Unit trust** Acc SEDOL code **B96VT46** Acc ISIN code GB00B96VT465 Inc SEDOL code **B970YR0** Inc ISIN code GB00B970YR05

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

#### Portfolio breakdown\*

#### Global fixed income Templeton Global Bond iShares Global Inflation Linked Bond

Morgan Stanley Diversified Alpha Plus Standard Life Global Absolute Return

### UK equity

Liontrust Special Situations GLG Undervalued Assets SPDR FTSE UK All Share

## Europe ex-UK equity

Fidelity Germany Schroder European Schroder European (£ hedged) Schroder European Alpha Plus (£ hedged)

#### US equity

iShares Core S&P 500 SPDR S&P 500

#### Japanese equity

GLG Japan CoreAlpha (\$ hedged) GLG Japan CoreAlpha

#### Pacific ex-Japan equity

Hermes Asia ex Japan Equity

#### Emerging market equity Schroder Small Cap Discovery

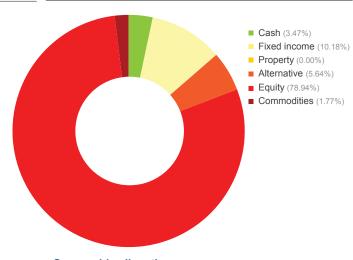
#### Global equity Fidelity Index World

#### Commodities

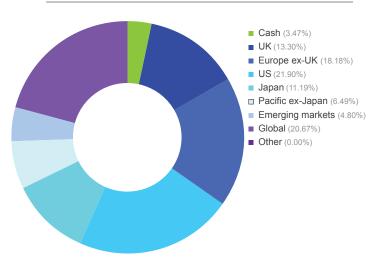
BlackRock Gold & General

\* excluding cash

#### Asset allocation



# Geographic allocation



# BROMPTON ASSET MANAGEMENT

### Investment objective & policy

The objective of the fund is to provide maximum capital growth from an actively-managed and diversified portfolio of collective investment schemes selected from markets worldwide. The assets of the fund will be managed in such a way that the units in the fund will be qualifying investments for Individual Savings Accounts. The use of derivatives is not permitted but borrowing will be permitted on a temporary basis under the terms of the regulations. Although the fund will normally remain fully invested, the property of the fund may consist of up to 10% cash or near cash where this may be reasonably regarded as necessary in order to enable the pursuit of the fund's objective, the redemption of units and the efficient management of the fund in accordance with its objectives or other purposes which may be reasonably regarded as ancillary to the objectives of the fund.t

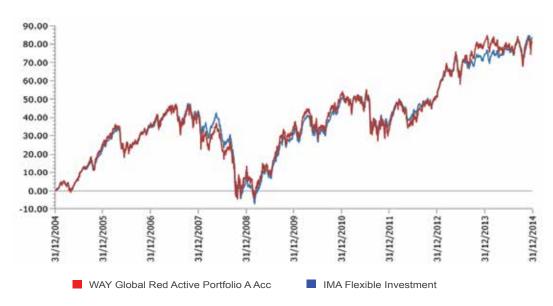
# WAY Global Red Active Portfolio (continued)

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#### Performance†

Percentage growth for 10 years to 31 December 2014

WAY Global Red Active Portfolio A Acc v IMA Flexible Investment



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

Discrete year performance (%)	Year to 31 December 2014	Year to 31 December 2013	Year to 31 December 2012	Year to 31 December 2011	Year to 31 December 2010
WAY Global Red Active Portfolio A Acc	-0.46	19.66	13.41	-12.70	13.65
IMA Flexible Investment	4.88	15.37	10.19	-8.45	14.59
Quartile ranking	4	1	1	4	3
Cumulative performance (%) to 31 December 2014	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	10 years
WAY Global Red Active Portfolio A Acc	-1.12	1.18	1.31	-0.46	80.51
IMA Flexible Investment	-0.56	2.72	3.68	4.88	83.27
Quartile ranking	4	4	4	4	4

Source: Lipper, NAV-NAV, sterling.

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† Brompton took over management of the fund on 20 December 2013.

## 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 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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