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### Investment objective

Total investment return against the IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares Index through conservative investment in a diversified portfolio of collective investment schemes. investment trusts, other listed securities, cash or near cash, deposits and money market instruments over a three-year rolling period.

ASSET MANAGEMENT

# **Key facts** Fund size

IA sector	Mixed Investment		
	0-35% Shares		
Base currency	Sterling		
Valuation point	Noon		
Launch date	28 February 2005		

£55.0 million

The fund is managed with a 0% target yield.

#### **T Income Shares**

Launch date 15 January 2013 Launch price 100p Price at 31/7/18 117.72p Minimum investment £50,000 Minimum regular savings N/A 1.30% Investment management fee Initial charge 2% 2.07% Total expense ratio Year end 31 March 31 May Distribution date Structure OEIC SEDOL code B99NHW3 ISIN code **GB00B99NHW38** 

T class shares are for use within the WAY IHT

#### E Income & Accumulation Shares

15 January 2013 Launch date Launch price 100p E Inc price at 31/7/18 120.03p E Acc price at 31/7/18 120.15p Minimum investment £5.000 Minimum regular savings £100 1.00% Investment management fee Initial charge 2% 1.77% Total expense ratio Year end 31 March Distribution date 31 May OEIC Structure Inc SEDOL code B96XS01 GB00B96XS018 Inc ISIN code Acc SEDOL code B971ZJ2 Acc ISIN code GB00B971ZJ29

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

# **Brompton Asset Management** Fund manager's commentary

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President Trump announced tariffs on a further \$200 billion of Chinese exports although further negotiations will precede implementation later this year. Beijing threatened retaliation. The yuan fell 2.32% against sterling, improving China's export  $competitiveness. \ Global\ equity\ markets\ rose\ 3.72\%\ in\ sterling\ terms\ and\ US\ equities\ outperformed,\ gaining\ 4.39\%\ in\ sterling\ as$ the dollar rose 0.65% against the pound. The WAY Global Cautious Portfolio benefited from purchases of the iShares \$ Treasury Bond 1-3 Years exchange-traded fund and Fidelity Index US in early July. The increase in dollar-denominated assets within the portfolio may prove defensive if Brexit negotiations lead to a poor outcome for Britain's economy. UK equities lagged, rising 1.53%, and all of the portfolio's holdings underperformed, with Aberforth UK Small Companies doing worst, down 0.87%. Fears about protectionism proved a headwind for Tokyo stocks, which also lagged, rising only 0.89% in sterling. Lindsell Train Japanese Equity underperformed its benchmark, falling 2.61%. In bond markets, the pound's weakness fuelled the 0.48% rise in global bonds in sterling but UK government bonds fell 0.34% as investors anticipated August's bank rate rise. The UK bond holdings performed well, with Schroder Strategic Credit gaining 1.09%, but the global bond returns were mixed. Legg Mason Western Asset Macro Opportunities returned 1.46% but Man GLG Global Emerging Markets Debt fell 0.94%. Among the alternative holdings, Trojan did best, rising 1.15%, but Man GLG European Mid-Cap Equity Alternative fell 2.05%. The WAY Global Cautious Portfolio gained 0.78%† in July while the sector gained 0.64%.

Financial data source: Thomson Reuters 31 July 2018. † E Inc shares

#### Portfolio breakdown\*

#### UK fixed income

M&G UK Inflation Linked Corporate Bond Schroder Strategic Credit

### Global fixed income

Vanguard Global Short-Term Bond (£-hedged) Vanguard Global Short-Term Bond (\$-hedged) Legal & General Global Inflation Linked Bond (£-hedged)

Man GLG Global Emerging Markets Debt Fidelity Global Inflation Linked Bond Legg Mason Western Asset Macro Opportunities Bond (£-hedged)

iShares \$ Treasury Bond 1-3 Yrs

#### Alternative

EEA Life Settlements F&C Real Estate Equity Long/Short Trojan/Man GLG UK Absolute Value Man GLG European Mid-Cap Equity Alternative Smith & Williamson Enterprise Artemis US Absolute Return (£-hedged)

## UK equity

Origo Partners /Liontrust Special Situations Aberforth UK Small Companies Schroder Recovery Fidelity Index UK GLG Undervalued Assets

#### Europe ex-UK equity Schroder European

Threadneedle European Smaller Companies BGF Continental European

# US equity

Fidelity Index US

# Japanese equity

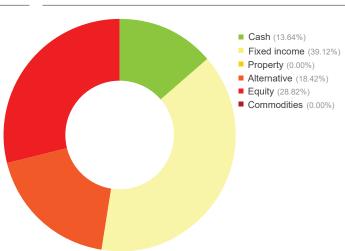
Lindsell Train Japanese Equity

#### Global equity

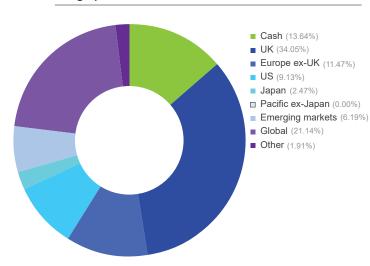
RobecoSAM Smart Materials Fundsmith Equity

\* excluding cash and cash funds

#### **Asset allocation**



### Geographic allocation





## Investment objective & policy

The objective of the company is total investment return against the IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares Index through conservative investment in a diversified portfolio of collective investment schemes, investment trusts, other listed securities, cash or near cash, deposits and money market instruments over a three-year rolling period. Capital invested in the company is at risk and there is no guarantee that the investment objective will be met over the three-year rolling period or in respect of any other period.

Subject to the requirements of the regulations, the portfolio will normally remain fully invested. There will, however, be no restrictions on the underlying content of the investments held, in terms of investment type, geographical or economic sector, other than those imposed by the regulations, meaning that the investment adviser has the absolute discretion to weight the portfolio towards any investment type or sector, including cash, at any time. Unregulated collective investment schemes may be used up to the full extent permitted by the regulations. The portfolio will be actively managed. Derivatives will not be used. Currency hedging transactions may be used where appropriate, and borrowing will be permitted on a temporary basis under the terms of the regulations.

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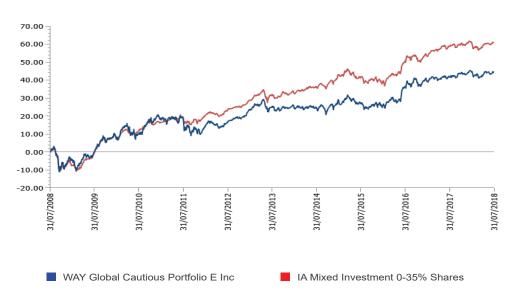
# WAY Global Cautious Portfolio (continued)

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#### Performance+

Percentage growth from April 2007 to 31 July 2018 ††

WAY Global Cautious Portfolio E Inc\* v IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares



Discrete period performance (%)	Year to 31 Jul 2018	Year to 31 Jul 2017	Year to 31 Jul 2016	Year to 31 Jul 2015	Year to 31 Jul 2014
WAY Global Cautious Portfolio E Inc	2.09	3.78	7.49	1.72	-0.14
IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares††	1.52	5.36	6.29	3.99	3.46
Quartile ranking	1	3	1	4	4

Cumulative performance (%) to 31 July 2018	1 month	3 months	6 months	12 months	10 years
WAY Global Cautious Portfolio E Inc	0.78	1.16	0.14	2.09	44.56
IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares††	0.64	1.09	0.38	1.52	61.01
Quartile ranking	2	2	2	1	3

\*Source: Lipper, NAV-NAV, sterling. The E Income share class launched on 15 January 2013. Performance history prior to that date is that of the B Acc share class. The backdated performance is based upon the actual returns of the B Acc share class with no alteration for differing fee levels between these share classes.

# 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 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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<sup>†</sup> Brompton took over management of the fund on 20 December 2013.

<sup>††</sup> IA Mixed Investment 0-35% Shares sector data are available from April 2007. Prior data derived from former IMA Cautious sector. Past performance is not an indicator of future performance.