BLENHEIM

ETHICAL OPPORTUNITIES FUND

AUGUST 2024

OBJECTIVE

The objective of the fund is to provide capital growth over time through investments considered by the Investment Manager to be ethical investment choices, across multiple asset classes, as defined in the Ethical Investment Policy, which is published on Margetts.com. A minimum of 70% of the portfolio will be invested in collective investment schemes and overall exposure to equities will be a minimum of 20% and a maximum of 60%.

KEY FACTS



AUTHORISED CORPORATE DIRECTORMargetts Fund Management Limited



INVESTMENT ADVISER

Beckett Asset Management Limited



MANAGERS

Samantha Owen and Tony Yousefian



COMPARATOR BENCHMARK

IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares



LAUNCH DATE 11/01/2021



DISTRIBUTION PAYMENT DATES 31/07 and 31/01



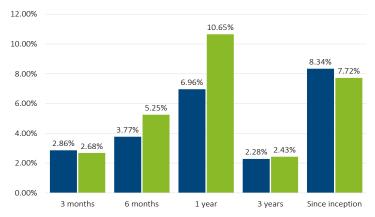
FUND SIZE £97.23m

PERFORMANCE1

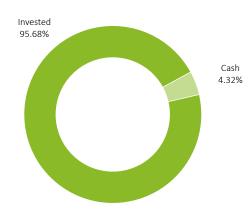
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Comparator Benchmark

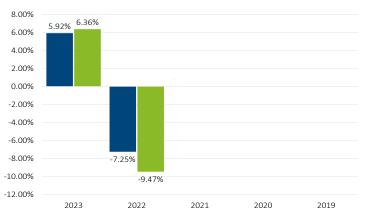
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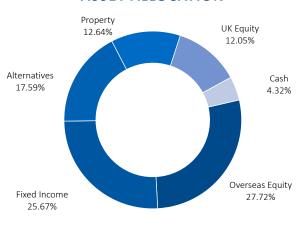
FUND BREAKDOWN



DISCRETE CALENDAR YEARS



ASSET ALLOCATION



AVAILABLE PLATFORMS













MANAGER COMMENTARY

August has traditionally proved to be a mixed month for risk assets, and this year was no exception. The indices of the top 100 companies in the UK and the top 500 companies in the US by market cap demonstrated resilience, with a growth of 0.10%² and 2.28%², respectively. In contrast, the Japanese Topix and the Chinese Shanghai Composite were down by 2.92%² and 3.28%², respectively.

It was a similar story in the Sovereign Bond markets, with UK Gilt yields rising while US Treasuries went in the opposite direction. The UK 2-year and 10-year yields ended the month up by 7.9% and 1.132%, respectively, while the US 2-year treasuries were down by 9.47% and the 10-year by 4.73%. In the currency markets, the US Dollar (DXY) was down by 2.35%, and the Sterling shone in this scenario, ending the month at \$1.3126, up by 3.83%.

In August, the fund was up by $0.66\%^3$ versus its benchmark return of $0.64\%^3$. This is a multi-asset fund, and Property was the best-performing asset class in the month, with a return of just under $4\%^3$. In contrast, Overseas equities were down by $0.8\%^3$. PRS REIT was the star performer at the holdings level, with a return of just over $16\%^3$. In collectives, the BNY Mellon Sustainable Global Income was the best performer with a return of $2.1\%^3$, closely followed by the Redwheel Responsible Global Income of $2\%^3$. There were no changes to the underlying holdings. After a period of underperformance, the managers are beginning to see support slowly coming back for the types of assets held. This is mainly due to the improving interest rate outlook. This support should gather momentum as inflation and interest rates continue falling.

HOLDINGS

11.99%
9.69%
8.66%
7.63%
6.16%
5.63%
5.39%
4.97%
4.41%
4.30%
4.29%
4.05%
3.72%
3.00%
2.56%
2.55%
1.94%
1.74%
1.54%
1.45%
4.32%

OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

SHARE	ISIN	OCF	VALUATION	YIELD	PROSPECTIVE	MINIMUM
CLASS			POINT		YIELD ⁴	INVESTMENT
В Асс	GB00BNDQ9H51	0.73%	08:30	2.40%	3.33%	£10,000,000.00
B Inc	GB00BNDQ9G45	0.73%	08:30	2.45%	3.33%	£10,000,000.00
R Acc	GB00BNDQ9K80	0.98%	08:30	2.21%	3.33%	£10,000.00
R Inc	GB00BNDQ9J75	0.98%	08:30	2.27%	3.33%	£10,000.00

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND RISK WARNINGS

All data references B Acc shares and is correct as at 30/08/2024 unless otherwise stated.

¹Charts' data source: FE Fundinfo. All figures are in GBP terms. ²Source: Updata Analytics: 31 July 2024 to 30 August 2024 ³Source: Morningstar Direct. ⁴Prospective yield is not guaranteed and does not include deductions for expenses and tax. It is calculated using the holdings' expected distributions over the next 12 months (data as at 30/06/2024). Any variation in the actual amounts paid will impact the total yield. This impact could be positive or negative.

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