# BLENHEIM

**DIVERSIFIED ALTERNATIVES FUND** 

MAY 2025

# OBJECTIVE

The objective of the fund is to provide a positive total return over any 3 year period. The fund will be actively managed to provide a diversified portfolio of alternative assets, which behave differently to traditional forms of investment.

## **KEY FACTS**



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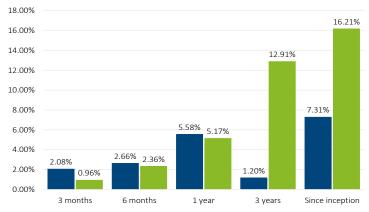
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COMPARATOR BENCHMARK IA Targeted Absolute Return

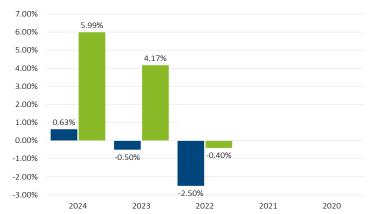
## **PERFORMANCE**<sup>1</sup>

Blenheim Diversified Alternatives Comparator Benchmark

### **CUMULATIVE PERIODS**



### **DISCRETE CALENDAR YEARS**



# AVAILABLE PLATFORMS







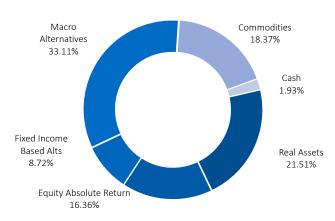


DISTRIBUTION PAYMENT DATES 31/07 and 31/01

**FUND BREAKDOWN** 

# Invested 98.07% Cash 1.93%

ASSET ALLOCATION







### MANAGER COMMENTARY

Following a challenging April, May brought a welcome recovery for developed equity markets. US Equities led the way, with the S&P 500 delivering an impressive return of  $6.15\%^2$ . Japan's Topix Index followed closely with a gain of  $5.3\%^2$ . In the UK, the FTSE 100 outperformed the broader All-Share Index, posting returns of  $3.60\%^2$  and  $3.27\%^2$ , respectively.

In contrast, bond markets came under pressure in this "risk-on" environment. US Treasury yields rose across the curve, with the 10-year yield climbing 24 basis points to end the month at  $4.40\%^2$ . UK Gilts saw a similar move, with 10-year yields rising by 20 basis points to  $4.64\%^2$ .

Currency markets saw the US dollar weaken modestly. It fell just under 1% against the British pound to close at \$1.3459<sup>2</sup>, while the DXY Index – which tracks the dollar against a basket of major currencies – edged down 0.14%.

The fund had a positive month, with a return of 0.54%<sup>1,</sup> marginally underperforming its benchmark of 0.97%<sup>1</sup>. At asset allocation level, equitybased Alternatives were the best-performing asset class with a return of just over 2%<sup>3</sup>, followed by Real assets. Fixed Income and Macro Alternative assets were barely changed, whilst Commodities were the only detractors with a negative return of 0.75%<sup>1</sup>. Cordiant Digital Infrastructure and The Renewables Infrastructure Group were the two assets that performed the best at the holdings level, with returns of 9%<sup>3</sup> and 3.75%<sup>3</sup>, respectively. In contrast, NextEnergy Solar detracted from performance with a negative return of 4%<sup>3</sup>. The managers participated in the launch of a new Zero Dividend Preference Share with an attractive 8.5% yield, backed by more than three times coverage. Otherwise, there were no other significant changes to the holdings.

### HOLDINGS

Cohen & Steers Global Listed Infrastructure	9.55%
Jss Commodity Transition Enhanced	8.58%
TM Tellworth UK Select Fund	8.39%
LF Ruffer Diversified Return Fund	7.97%
Jupiter Global Equity Absolute Return	7.97%
Goldman Sachs Alternative Trend	7.85%
Lazard Rathmore Alternative	7.19%
iShares Physical Gold ETC	7.15%
Trium Alternative Growth Fund	5.89%
SEI Liquid Alternative Fund	5.19%
VT RM Alternative Income	4.01%
Gresham House Energy Storage	2.85%
Citigroup 18 Months USD Commodity Note	2.63%
BNP Capital Protected EUR/USD	2.26%
Cordiant Digital Infrastructure	2.25%
Goldman Sachs Captial Protected	2.02%
NextEnergy Solar Fund	1.96%
Gallium US Volatility Carry Total Return	1.93%
EJF Investments ZDP 2029	1.54%
Renewables Infrastructure Group	0.89%
Cash	1.93%

### **OPERATIONAL INFORMATION**

SHARE CLASS	ISIN	OCF	VALUATION POINT	YIELD	PROSPECTIVE YIELD <sup>4</sup>	MINIMUM INVESTMENT
B Acc	GB00BNDQ9C07	0.69%	08:30	2.73%	2.34%	£10,000,000.00
B Inc	GB00BNDQ9B99	0.69%	08:30	2.78%	2.34%	£10,000,000.00
R Acc	GB00BNDQ9F38	0.94%	08:30	2.55%	2.34%	£10,000.00
R Inc	GB00BNDQ9D14	0.94%	08:30	2.60%	2.34%	£10,000.00

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### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND RISK WARNINGS**

All data references B Acc shares are correct as at 31/05/2025 unless otherwise stated.

<sup>1</sup>Charts' data source: FE Analytics. All figures are in GBP terms. <sup>2</sup>Source: Bloomberg: 30/04/2025 to 31/05/2025. <sup>3</sup>Source: Morningstar Direct. <sup>4</sup>Prospective 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 31/12/2024). Any variation in the actual amounts paid will impact the total yield. This impact could be positive or negative.

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