

# Managed Portfolio Service: Income Higher Equity

31 March 2024

#### **Portfolio Management**

The portfolio is managed through RBC Brewin Dolphin's investment professionals. The asset allocation team meets monthly to decide upon the top-down strategy for the portfolio. Strict adherence to its recommendations ensures profits are taken regularly and risk is kept within appropriate levels. The fund research team is mandated to provide the building blocks for the portfolio with all funds having been carefully analysed to identify fund managers who can sustain enhanced returns while diversifying risk.

to the 31 March 2024	1 Mth	3 Mths	6 Mths	YTD	1 Yr	2 Yr	3 Yr	4 Yr	5 Yr
Income Higher Equity Portfolio	2.81	4.05	9.84	4.05	10.59	7.00	10.23	36.07	27.96
IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares	2.38	2.50	8.33	2.50	7.80	2.41	4.24	25.15	16.21
Relative	0.43	1.55	1.51	1.55	2.79	4.59	5.99	10.92	11.75
	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	SI (p.a) <sup>1</sup>
Income Higher Equity Portfolio	<b>2023</b> 8.32	<b>2022</b> -8.77	<b>2021</b> 8.43	<b>2020</b> 6.84	<b>2019</b> 14.51	<b>2018</b> -4.16	<b>2017</b> 8.06	<b>2016</b> 12.28	
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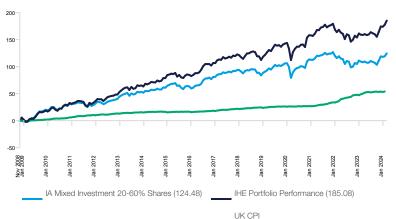
#### **Portfolio Information**

Inception Date	9 September 2019
Estimated Annual Yield	2.62%
Initial Charges	Nil
Investment Management Charge (p.a.)	0.30%

For all other costs and charges please refer to your platform or the RBC Brewin Dolphin OCF sales aid.



#### Performance Since Inception



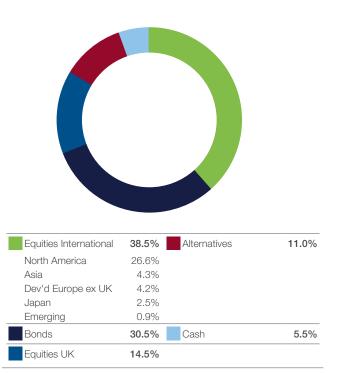
Performance Calculation: All income is reinvested. Performance is shown inclusive of underlying fund charges but gross of RBC Brewin Dolphin's investment management charge. Deduction of this charge will have the result of reducing the illustrated performance. A platform charge is applicable. Please refer to your investment adviser or investment administrator for details. Performance is calculated through Morningstar direct and provided for illustrative purposes only and should not be viewed as the performance of a specific client account. <sup>1</sup>Inception Date of 9 September 2019, quoted on an annualised basis.



#### Portfolio Holdings as of 31 March 2024

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MI Select Managers Bond Instl Inc	30.50%
Insight UK Government - 7.47%	
Robeco Global Credits - 6.56%	
Colchester Global Bond - 5.98%	
DWS US TIPS - 4.85%	
Man GLG Sterling Corporate Bond - 4.30%	
Other Fixed Income Funds - 1.34%	
MI Select Managers NA Equity InstI Inc	19.40%
Brown Advisory US Sustainable Growth - 5.69%	
BNY Mellon US Equity Income - 4.48%	
DWS US Value - 4.42%	
DWS US Tech - 3.51%	
Baillie Gifford American - 1.30%	
MI Select Managers Alternatives	11.00%
Commodities & Other Alternatives - 4.65%	
Schroder Global Cities - 2.46%	
Absolute Return Funds - 1.58%	
Muzinich Global Tactical Credit - 1.47%	
Ninety One Global Macro Alternatives - 0.84%	
MI Select Managers UK Eg Inc Instl Inc	9.40%
Man GLG UK Equity Income - 3.91%	
Ninety One UK Equity Income - 3.79%	
Threadneedle UK Equity Income - 1.70%	
Vanguard Us Equity Index	5.20%
MI Select Managers UK Equity InstI Inc	5.10%
JPM UK Equity Core - 1.67%	
Redwheel UK Equity Income - 1.56%	
Lindsell Train UK Equity - 1.45%	
Teviot UK Smaller Companies - 0.42%	
Blackrock Continental European Income	3.50%
Blackrock Ics Sterling Liquidity Premier	3.50%
Cash	2.00%
Fundsmith Equity	2.00%
M&G Japan	1.80%
Invesco Perpetual Asian	1.50%
BNY Mellon Asian Income	1.40%
Fidelity Asia	1.40%
Fidelity Emerging Markets	0.90%
Baillie Gifford Japanese	0.30%
HSBC European Index	0.70%

## Asset Allocation



### Market Commentary

Global equity markets continued to rally in March, supported by strong economic data and expectations of rate cuts later in the year. US equities posted the strongest first quarter since 2019, while Japan's Nikkei 225 index and Europe's Stoxx 600 index broke fresh record highs in March. The rally in Q1 has been impressive, as traders have scaled back rate cut expectations in the US, pushing US ten-year treasury yields to a four-month high of 4.3%. It vindicates the idea that the equity rally is supported by fundamental strength in corporate earnings and that the economy is resilient despite tight monetary conditions. Indeed, we saw a few encouraging developments in March that are worth noting. First, the Citi global economic surprise indicator, which measures economic data relative to analysts' expectations, has reached a one-year high. Second, manufacturing business surveys in the UK, US and China are back to expansion, signalling a cyclical recovery in a sector that has been contracting for much of the past 18 to 24 months. Third, inflation is trending down. In particular, the eurozone consumer price index (CPI) has slowed to just 2.4% in March. This provides confidence that major developed economies' inflation will slow in a synchronised way, which will ultimately allow central banks to ease policy. Fourth, the Federal Reserve has continued to guide the markets for three rate cuts for 2024. Finally, the US equity rally has broadened out with cyclical sectors catching up with technology's gains in the first quarter.

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