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# TM STONEHAGE FLEMING

# **GLOBAL GROWTH PORTFOLIO FUND**









A global portfolio of long term investment opportunities, including talented active managers and passive strategies.

# INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

To achieve capital growth in real terms over the longer term.

### PORTFOLIO MANAGER PERFORMANCE



2010	2017	2010	2017
†19.4%	Growth Fund	16.7%	Comparator Index

# **FUND PERFORMANCE**

%	3m	2020 to date	I2m	3yrs p.a.	5yrs p.a.
Growth Fund	6.7	-1.2	3.5	3.6	6.0
Comparator Index	3.4	-2.9	0.1	2.4	5.6
%	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Growth Fund	18.2	-8.4	10.7	11.1	0.5
Comparator Index	15.0	-5.6	9.4	11.6	2.3

### **FUND INFORMATION**

Total assets (Millions GBP)	73.9
Net income yield <sup>1</sup>	1.1%
Income paid as dividend	Feb, May, Aug, Nov
Fund type	UK domiciled UCITS OEIC
Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) <sup>2</sup>	0.99%
Comparator index <sup>3</sup>	ARC GBP Steady Growth PCI
Base currency	GBP
Fund inception	26 October 2011
Portfolio manager inception	31 October 2016
Number of holdings	19
Dealing frequency	Daily
Settlement period	T+4
ISIN code	GB00B3VQ4K51

# **TOP 5 ACTIVE STRATEGIES**

Fund	% of Portfolio
Stonehage Fleming Global Best Ideas Fund	11.0
Evenlode Global Income Fund	6.9
Findlay Park American Fund	4.6
PIMCO Income Fund	4.5
BlueBay Global Investment Grade Bond Fund	3.8

# **TOP 5 PASSIVE STRATEGIES**

Fund	% of Portfolio
Lyxor Core MSCI World UCITS ETF	14.3
Vanguard S&P 500 UCITS ETF	9.7
Vanguard Emerging Markets Stock Fund	8.0
iShares Physical Gold ETC	4.9
Vanguard Global Aggregate Bond UCITS Fund	4.7

### PERFORMANCE DISCLOSURE

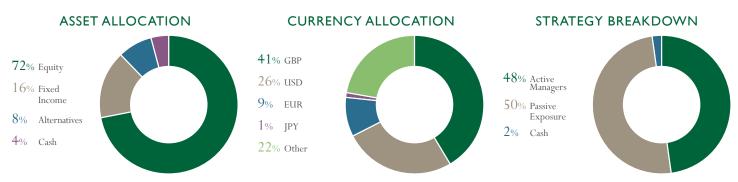
Past performance is not a guide to future performance. The value of investments can fall. Investors may not get back the amount invested. Income from investments may vary and is not guaranteed. The return may increase or decrease due to currency fluctuations. Performance figures are net of fees and charges. For a full list of risks applicable to this fund, please refer to the Prospectus.  $^{\dagger}$ Since portfolio manager inception.

<sup>1</sup>Net figure based on dividends paid over the past 12 months. <sup>2</sup>The OCF is the management fee plus additional fund expenses (excluding transaction costs) as a percentage of the assets of the fund. This gives an indication of annual expenses which may vary over time. <sup>3</sup>ARC Research Ltd PCI *www.assetrisk.com*.



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# **DETAILED ASSET ALLOCATION (%)**

Cash	3.5	Government Bonds	7.9	Investment Grade Bonds	6.9	Sub-Investment Grade Bonds	1.4	Alternatives	8.1
US Equity	41.0	Europe ex UK Equity	12.4	UK Equity	6.7	Asian Equity (Inc. Japan)	3.0	Emerging Market Equity	9.2

Portfolio exposures are sourced from underlying managers, are approximate and are not guaranteed.

#### PORTFOLIO COMMENTARY

The Global Growth Portfolio returned 3.3% in August, taking 2020 returns so far to -1.2%. The summer period saw continued strong gains for equities, with the US market delivering the best August return since 1986, up 7%, while the tech-heavy Nasdaq returned almost 10% for the month. We continue to allocate to this index through a low cost passive strategy, which has returned c. 37% in 2020 so far.

Central banking policy is having a profound effect on market action. The Federal Reserve outlined their tolerance of higher inflation over the past month, supporting the view that ultra-low rates are here to stay. This has pushed inflation expectations to pre-crisis levels and has coincided with a weaker US Dollar, which has also supported physical gold and broad commodity prices. We added to our physical gold position this month, taking it to c. 5%, and have seen continued recovery from the equity and credit components of the portfolio.

### **ACTIVE MANAGER IN FOCUS**

The Findlay Park American Fund invests in large and mega-cap US equities, focusing on their cash flow generation and profit sustainability. Top holdings currently include Microsoft, T-Mobile and Amazon. At a sector level, the manager favours Healthcare, Communications and Financials and avoids Utilities and Real Estate. In recent months the fund has maintained an elevated cash balance reflecting the manager's cautious outlook. Over the long term the team have delivered strong outperformance of the US market and followed a disciplined process and philosophy that remains in place today.

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The TM Stonehage Fleming Global Growth Portfolio Fund ("the Fund") is a UCITS sub-fund of the TM Stonehage Fleming Global Multi Asset Umbrella Fund, which is a UCITS scheme that is authorised and regulated in the UK by the Financial Conduct Authority (reference number 541432).

The TM Stonehage Fleming Global Multi Asset Umbrella Fund is an open-ended investment company with variable capital, incorporated in England and Wales under registered number IC000898.

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The investment manager is Stonehage Fleming Investment Management Ltd, which is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (reference number 194382).

#### PORTFOLIO MANAGERS



# **GRAHAM WAINER**

Graham is CEO and Head of Investments for Stonehage Fleming Investment Management. He also Chairs the Investment Committee.

Prior to joining the Group, Graham was GAM's Group Head of Investments — Multi Asset Class Solutions and Chairman of GAM's Investment Advisory Board where he had overall responsibility for the firm's discretionary mandates and related co-mingled funds.



#### PETER MCLEAN

Peter is a Director for Stonehage Fleming Investment Management with responsibility for the day-to-day management of the Global Balanced and Global Growth Portfolio funds.

Peter joined the Group in 2010 and became a member of the Investment Committee in 2016, focusing on multiasset portfolio management. He is a CFA Charterholder.

Derivatives may be used for efficient portfolio management. The Fund invests in assets which are denominated in other currencies; hence changes in the relevant exchange rate will affect the value of the investment.

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