

## KEY FACTS

### Volatility range

11.25% to 13.75%<sup>1</sup>

1. There is no guarantee that targets will be met.

### Fund managers

Manager names: Will Bartleet,  
Louis Cucciniello,  
Will Thompson

### Pricing and AUM information

Nav price (30 Aug 24): 11.30  
Pricing frequency: Any Business Day  
Fund AUM: GBP 165.0m

### Fund facts

Investment manager: Pacific Asset Management  
  
Launch date of fund: 19 Jan 17  
Launch date of class: 19 Jan 17  
Fund structure: Irish UCITS  
Fund type: Multi Asset  
Base currency: GBP  
Currencies available: AUD, CHF, EUR, GBP, ILS, SGD, USD  
Other currencies available on request  
IA sector: Flexible Investment  
Dealing frequency: Any Business Day  
Subscription cut off: 10am Irish Time  
ISA eligible: Yes  
Auditors: Deloitte  
Depositary: Citi Depository Services Ireland

### Identifiers

ISIN: IE00BYX7QD08  
Bloomberg: PPLECNH ID

### Charges

Initial Charge: NIL  
AMC:\* 0.85%  
Ongoing Charges Figure: 1.99%

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION ON CHARGES

The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) is an estimate based on projected expenses and may vary from year to year. An estimate is used in order to provide the figure that will most likely be charged. For more information about charges please see the Key Investor Information Document (KIID) and "Fees and Expenses" of the Funds Prospectus and Supplement. \*Included in the OCF.

### Investment objective

The Funds investment objective is to provide capital growth over the long term whilst attempting to limit the risk of capital loss, the Fund will have the majority of assets invested in equity markets.

### Fund manager commentary

Market volatility picked up in August as some crowded macro trades unwound rapidly triggered by signs that the labour market in the US is softening. Equity volatility, as measured by the VIX index, rose to 38 at the start of the month, and during a period of frantic trading, Japanese equities dropped over 20% before recovering some of this loss. At the Jackson Hole conference, Federal Reserve Chair Powell signalled that the Fed intended to cut policy rates at its September stating that: 'The time has come for policy to adjust. The direction of travel is clear, and the timing and pace of rate cuts will depend on incoming data, the evolving outlook, and the balance of risks.'

Despite these dramatic moves, global equity ended the month broadly unchanged in sterling terms, as markets recovered much of the early losses. Within Equities, the holding in the Pacific North American Opportunities fund outperformed due to strong stock selection and by having no exposure to the Magnificent Seven stocks that sold off in August.

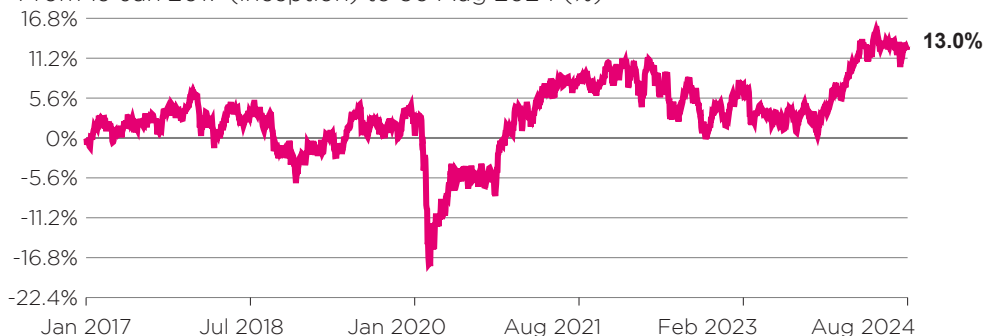
Fixed income markets were positive in July and provided a diversifying effect against the volatility seen in equity markets. Holdings in US inflation linked government bonds rallied over the course of the month. A position in Asian High Yield was sold over the course of the month, having rallied over 15% since inception of the trade in November 2023.

Within Alternatives, a small position in broad commodities was exited, on signs that the global demand for commodities is weakening, whilst the risks of inflation are falling.

Diversifying asset performance was mixed, as momentum-based strategies were weaker, but a holding in the Japanese yen once again rallied and added value, as the carry trade, where investors had previously sold the yen to buy higher yielding currencies, unwound.

### Fund performance

From 19 Jan 2017 (inception) to 30 Aug 2024 (%)



### Year-on-year performance

As at 30 Aug 2024 (%)

| 30 Aug 2019 to 28 Aug 2020 | 28 Aug 2020 to 31 Aug 2021 | 31 Aug 2021 to 31 Aug 2022 | 31 Aug 2022 to 31 Aug 2023 | 31 Aug 2023 to 30 Aug 2024 |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| -6.72                      | 15.01                      | -2.87                      | -2.25                      | 9.40                       |

### Period returns

From 19 Jan 2017 (inception) to 30 Aug 2024 (%)

|      | Jan   | Feb   | Mar   | Apr   | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug   | Sep   | Oct   | Nov   | Dec   | Year  |
|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 2017 | -1.20 | 3.03  | -0.18 | -1.48 | 1.41  | -0.63 | 0.76  | 1.61  | -1.51 | 1.83  | -0.52 | 1.36  | 4.45  |
| 2018 | 0.24  | -1.32 | -2.83 | 2.27  | 0.70  | -0.91 | 1.76  | -1.29 | 0.40  | -4.55 | -0.02 | -3.83 | -9.22 |
| 2019 | 3.03  | -0.01 | 1.29  | 1.18  | -2.15 | 3.75  | 2.56  | -2.72 | 1.02  | -1.65 | 0.71  | 1.22  | 8.30  |
| 2020 | -2.28 | -4.89 | -9.31 | 4.07  | 2.94  | 1.79  | -1.57 | 1.81  | -0.78 | -2.11 | 7.71  | 2.11  | -1.62 |
| 2021 | -0.04 | 0.58  | 3.38  | 1.86  | 0.35  | 0.47  | -0.43 | 1.31  | -1.16 | 0.30  | -0.45 | 2.43  | 8.84  |
| 2022 | -1.03 | -0.79 | 2.57  | -1.44 | -0.27 | -4.85 | 2.39  | -0.37 | -4.37 | 0.68  | 3.04  | -1.89 | -6.48 |
| 2023 | 2.94  | -0.37 | -1.86 | 0.31  | -1.85 | 0.84  | 1.41  | -0.90 | 0.39  | -2.96 | 2.98  | 3.81  | 4.59  |
| 2024 | -0.20 | 2.71  | 3.27  | -1.71 | 0.54  | 0.84  | 0.01  | -0.43 |       |       |       |       | 5.05  |

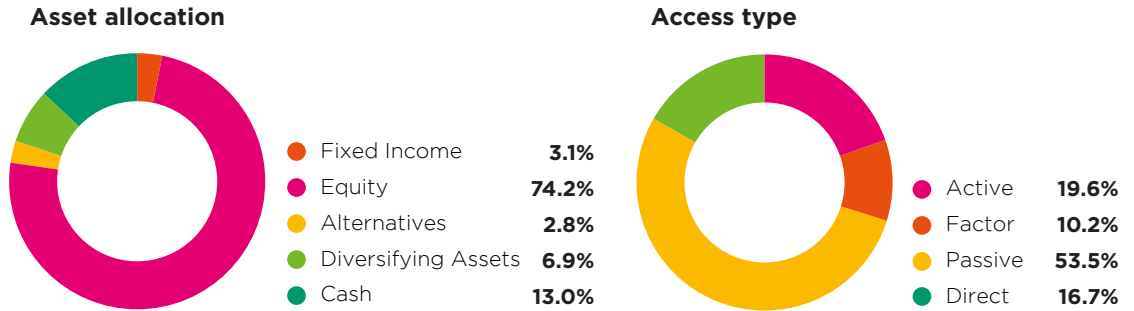
Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance. Performance is shown net of fees.

Source: Pacific Asset Management as at 30 Aug 2024.

## PORTFOLIO BREAKDOWN

**Asset classes:** 5  
**Sub classes:** 11  
**Holdings:** 35  
**Access types:** 4

All holdings data as at 30 Aug 2024



| Asset Class                         | Sub Class                   | %                            | Holding  | %       | Access  |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|--|---------|---------|
| FIXED INCOME: 3.1%                  | IG Corporate Bonds (Global) | 3.1                          | XTrackers USD Corporate Bond ETF               | 2.43    | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | Pacific Coolabah Global Active Credit          | 0.72    | Active  |
| EQUITY: 74.2%                       | US Equity                   | 32.9                         | SPDR S&P 500 ETF                               | 14.88   | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | iShares Core S&P 500 ETF                       | 5.36    | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | Vanguard S&P 500 UCITS ETF                     | 4.85    | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | Pacific North American Opportunities           | 4.23    | Active  |
|                                     |                             |                              | X S&P 500 EQUAL WEIGHT                         | 1.95    | Factor  |
|                                     |                             |                              | iShares Edge MSCI USA Value                    | 1.62    | Factor  |
|                                     | UK Equity                   | 14.1                         | iShares Core FTSE 100                          | 12.16   | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | Vanguard FTSE 250 ETF                          | 1.97    | Passive |
|                                     | Emerging Equity             | 12.6                         | Pacific North of South EM All Cap              | 4.35    | Active  |
|                                     |                             |                              | HSBC Hang Seng Tech UCITS ETF                  | 4.10    | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | Pacific North of South EM Income Opportunities | 2.94    | Active  |
|                                     |                             |                              | iShares EDGE MSCI EM Value UCITS ETF           | 1.25    | Factor  |
|                                     | Global Equity               | 7.2                          | Pacific Longevity and Social Change Fund       | 3.31    | Active  |
|                                     |                             |                              | iShares Edge MSCI World Value                  | 2.39    | Factor  |
| iShares Edge MSCI World Quality ETF |                             |                              | 1.53   | Factor  |         |
| Europe Equity                       | 4.5                         | Vanguard FTSE Dev Eurp Ex UK | 3.04   | Passive |         |
|                                     |                             | iShares edge MSCI Erp Value  | 1.49   | Factor  |         |
| Japan Equity                        | 2.8                         | Vanguard FTSE Japan UCITS    | 2.51   | Passive |         |
|                                     |                             | AVI Japan Opportunity Trust  | 0.28   | Active  |         |
| ALTERNATIVES: 2.8%                  | REITS                       | 2.8                          | iShares UK Property ETF                        | 1.51    | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | iShares Global Property Securities Equity      | 0.69    | Passive |
|                                     |                             |                              | Riverstone Energy Ltd                          | 0.34    | Direct  |
|                                     |                             |                              | Tritax Big Box REIT                            | 0.23    | Active  |
| DIVERSIFYING ASSETS: 6.9%           | Absolute Return             | 3.6                          | AQR Managed Futures UCITS                      | 1.55    | Active  |
|                                     |                             |                              | Pacific G10 Macro Rates                        | 1.34    | Active  |
|                                     |                             |                              | AQR Style Premia UCITS                         | 0.67    | Active  |
|                                     | Diversifying Risk Assets    | 3.4                          | PAM Rates 2s10s Steepener                      | 0.83    | Direct  |
|                                     |                             |                              | FX Value Factor                                | 0.52    | Direct  |
|                                     |                             |                              | FX Carry Factor                                | 0.51    | Direct  |
|                                     |                             |                              | Rates Carry Factor                             | 0.50    | Direct  |
|                                     |                             |                              | Rates FRB Factor                               | 0.50    | Direct  |
| CASH: 13.0%                         | Cash                        | 13.0                         | Rates Momentum Factor                          | 0.49    | Direct  |
|                                     |                             |                              | Cash   | 12.99   | Direct  |

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