# ASHBURTON GLOBAL BALANCED FUND (USD HEDGED) - R CLASS

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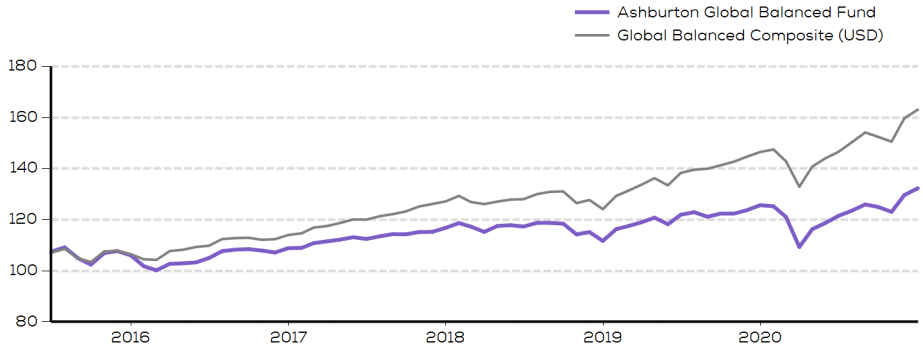
## Investor profile

This Fund is designed as a moderate risk strategy for clients who are prepared to accept a moderate degree of risk with their capital.

## Investment objectives and strategy

The primary aim is to deliver medium to long-term capital growth through a balanced asset allocation across a diversified range of asset classes, regions and currencies with at least 30% of its assets in a combination of fixed income securities, Money Market Instruments and cash whilst not exceeding 60% of its assets in equity securities.

## Performance and statistics




Source: Morningstar®, Ashburton Investments

The investment performance is for illustrative purposes only and is calculated on a bid to bid basis and does not take any initial fees into account. Income is reinvested on the ex-dividend date. Actual performance will differ based on the initial fees applicable, the actual investment date and the date of reinvestment of income. Past performance is not necessarily an indication of future performance.

| Growth (%) | Fund | Benchmark |
|---|---|---|
| YTD | 5.29 | 11.32 |
| 1 Mth | 2.03 | 2.08 |
| 3 Mths | 5.86 | 6.98 |
| 6 Mths | 8.89 | 11.25 |
| 1 Yr | 5.29 | 11.32 |
| 3 Yr | 4.24 | 8.64 |
| 5 Yr | 4.51 | 8.89 |
| Since inception | 4.61 | 8.19 |

| Fund statistics | Fund | Benchmark |
|---|---|---|
| Standard deviation | 8.01 | 6.95 |
| Sortino | -0.30 | 0.26 |
| Sharpe ratio | -0.24 | 0.18 |
| Max drawdown | -13.02 | -9.90 |
| Highest 12 mth | 12.51 | 18.02 |
| Lowest 12 mth | -8.15 | -3.79 |

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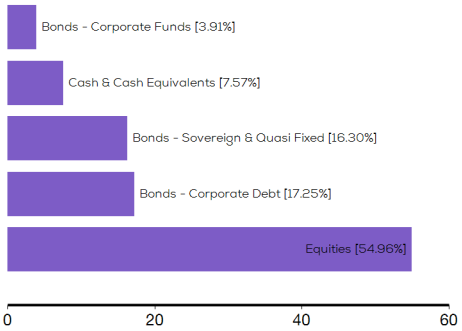
Returns include the re-investment of distributions and are net of fees
Returns over 12 months have been annualised
Fund statistics are calculated since the inception of the fund

## Asset allocation %

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## Largest holdings %

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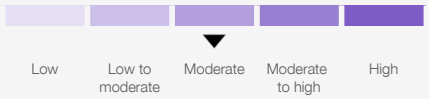
|---|---|
| Fidelity Funds - American Diversified Fund | 13.12 |
| Fidelity Funds - European Growth Fund | 9.36 |
| Fidelity Funds - Emerging Markets Focus Fund | 5.71 |
| Fidelity Funds - Japan Fund | 3.59 |
| Lyxor Core US TIPS DR UCITS ETF - Lyxor Core US | 2.89 |
| US Treas. Note - 0.5000 31 Mar 2025 | 2.03 |
| Fidelity Funds - Asian Special Situations Fund | 1.98 |
| Ashburton Chindia Equity Fund | 1.88 |
| MSCI PACIFIC EX J Mar21 | 1.62 |
| US Treas. Note - 1.6250 15 Aug 2029 | 1.32 |

## Key facts

### Risk profile




### General information

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| Fund classification | Multi Asset |
| Launch date | 15 October 2014 |
| Fund size | £70.96 million |
| Net asset value (NAV) | $13.2324 |
| Dividend policy | Accumulation |
| Minimum investment | $10,000 or foreign currency equivalent |
| Benchmark | Global Balanced Composite (USD) |
| Domicile | Luxembourg |
| Dealing | Daily |
| Reporting currency | USD |
| Pricing | Daily |
| Ticker | AIGBLRU LX |
| Sedol | BQWJ909 |
| ISIN | LU1109954740 |
| Management company | MDO Management Company S.A. |
| Investment manager | Ashburton (Jersey) Limited |
| Fund manager(s) | The Multi-Asset Team |
| Reporting fund | Yes |
| Administrator | State Street Bank Luxembourg S.C.A. |
| ISA eligible | Yes |
| FCA recognised | Yes |
| Umbrella Fund | Ashburton Investments SICAV |

### Fee structure (%)

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|---|---|
| Annual management fee | 1.50% |
| Total expense ratio (TER) | 1.99% |
| Transaction charges (TC) | 0.07% |
| Total investment charges (TIC) | 2.06% |

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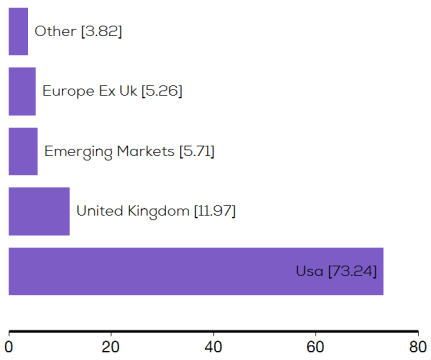
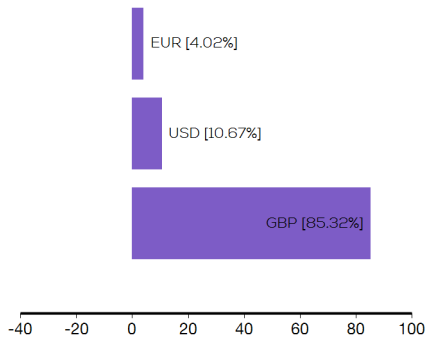
## Geographical weightings %




## Currency weightings %

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## Monthly performance history %

| Year | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | YTD |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2020 | -0.32 | -3.34 | -9.73 | 6.39 | 2.12 | 2.33 | 1.67 | 1.95 | -0.77 | -1.53 | 5.37 | 2.03 | 5.29 |
| 2019 | 4.13 | 1.03 | 1.28 | 1.51 | -2.13 | 3.16 | 0.80 | -1.46 | 1.01 | 0.00 | 1.11 | 1.57 | 12.51 |
| 2018 | 1.61 | -1.19 | -1.75 | 2.02 | 0.26 | -0.44 | 1.22 | -0.01 | -0.25 | -3.55 | 0.80 | -3.02 | -4.38 |
| 2017 | 0.11 | 1.71 | 0.62 | 0.62 | 0.82 | -0.60 | 0.92 | 0.76 | -0.07 | 0.79 | 0.03 | 1.37 | 7.31 |
| 2016 | -4.06 | -1.56 | 2.52 | 0.17 | 0.38 | 1.67 | 2.57 | 0.54 | 0.18 | -0.52 | -0.71 | 1.58 | 2.59 |

Source: Morningstar®

## Definitions

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| Total return: | Total return accounts for two categories of return: income and capital appreciation. Income includes interest paid by fixed income investments, distributions or dividends. Capital appreciation represents the change in the market price of an asset. |
| NAV (net asset value): | This is the total value of assets in the portfolio less any liabilities, divided by the number of shares outstanding. |
| TER (total expense ratio): | This is a measure of the total costs associated with managing and operating an investment fund. These costs consist primarily of management fees and additional expenses such as trustee and custody fees, auditor fees and other operational expenses. The total cost of the fund is divided by the fund's total assets to arrive at a percentage, which represents the TER. |
| Index: | In the case of financial markets, an index is a theoretical portfolio of assets representing a particular market or a portion of it. Each index has its own calculation methodology and is usually expressed in terms of a change from a base value. Thus, the percentage change is more important than the actual numeric value. |
| Transaction costs: | Total costs incurred by the investor in buying and selling the underlying assets of a financial product and is expressed as a percentage of the daily NAV calculated on an annualised basis. These costs include brokerage, VAT, and trading costs. |
| Annualised cost: | Is the cost per year of investing in the assets of a financial product. |
| Annualised return: | This is the average rate earned by the investment over a year in the period measured. |
| Tracking error: | A measure of the amount of risk that is being taken in excess of the benchmark. |

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