

GLOBAL GROWTH FUND (GBP HEDGED) R SHARE CLASS

Minimum disclosure document (fact sheet) as at 31 May 2018

Investment objectives & strategy

The primary aim is to maximise total return (capital plus income) over the long term, through a flexible asset allocation across a diversified range of asset classes, regions and currencies without exceeding a maximum equity exposure of 75%.

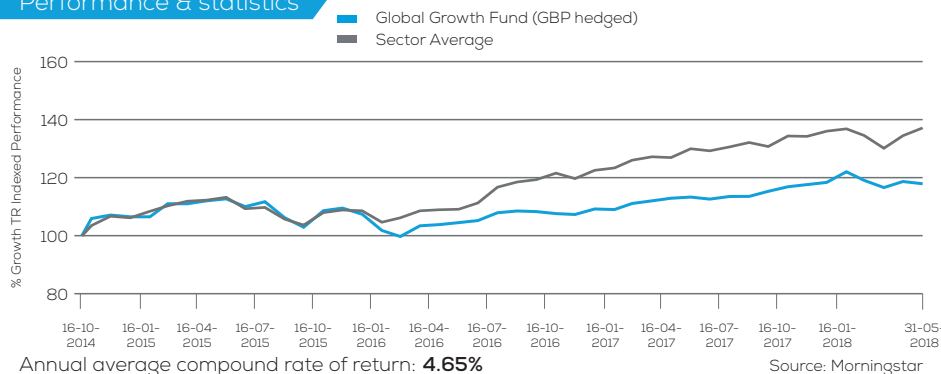
Investor profile

The Sub-Fund is designed as a moderate to higher risk strategy for clients who are prepared to take an increased level of risk with their capital.

Fund activity

- Emerging markets (EM) became the flash-point during the month, as the combined effects of the stronger US dollar, higher US Treasury yields, and higher oil prices finally combined to break the positive EM story.
- JP Morgan EMBI spreads widened by 30 bps to 366 bps over the month, the highest level since late 2016, being a reflection of the risk-off mood that gripped markets.
- Italian politics caused alarm, with an inability to form a governing coalition raising worries about a move towards populist policy, including the possibility of an exit from the EU. On the back of these developments, the US dollar remains the safe-haven currency, with the DXY Index (USD) up another 2.3% in the month.
- Global equity markets tracked mostly sideways, with the MSCI All Countries index down 0.2% for the month, and in fixed income, the FTSE WGBI Index was down 1.2%.
- On the back of the most recent developments we cut equity exposure to neutral and opted to make use of higher yields to increase duration.

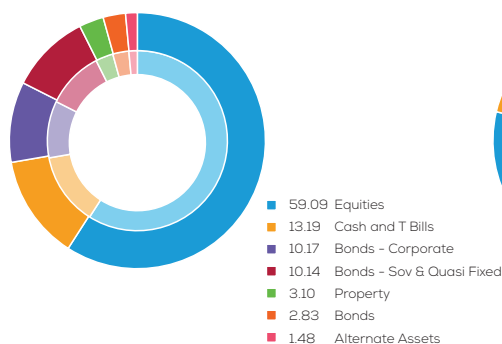
Performance & statistics



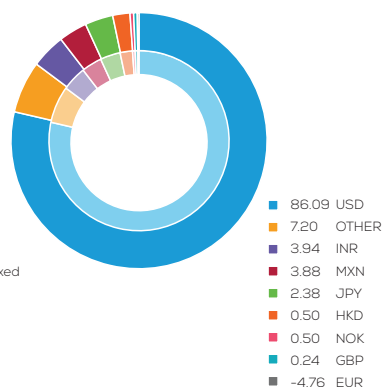
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Growth (%)	Fund	Sector
YTD	-0.39	0.53
1 Mth	-0.64	1.57
3 Mths	-0.98	2.03
6 Mths	0.24	1.85
1 Yr	4.01	4.03
3 Yrs	4.62	19.83
Since launch	17.89	36.92

Asset allocation (%)



Currency weightings** (%)



International

Key facts

Risk profile



General Information

Launch date	15/10/14
Fund size	\$132.39m
Minimum investment	The GBP equivalent of USD10,000
Sector	Mixed Asset Aggressive
Domicile	Luxembourg
Dealing	Daily
ISIN	LU1109956109
Sedol	BQWJ9D2
Bloomberg ticker	ASHGGRG LX
Nav price	£11.7891
Dividend policy	Accumulation
Management Company	MDO Management Company S.A.
Investment manager	Ashburton (Jersey) Limited
Reporting fund	Yes
Administrator	State Street Bank Luxembourg S.C.A.
Fund Structure	UCITS
ISA eligible	Yes
FCA recognised	Yes
Umbrella fund	Ashburton Investments SICAV

Fee Structure (%)

Annual Management fee	1.50%
Total Expense Ratio (TER)	1.83%
Transaction Charges	0.17%
Total Investment Charges	2.00%

Initial Charges are subject to prescribed minimums. Please refer to the Fund Prospectus.

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Monthly performance history (%)

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Calendar year
2018	3.10	-2.43	-2.07	1.78	-0.64	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.39
2017	-0.16	1.89	0.88	0.74	0.41	-0.67	0.85	0.00	1.53	1.37	0.64	0.64	8.40
2016	-5.22	-2.11	3.75	0.35	0.68	0.69	2.61	0.54	-0.17	-0.71	-0.29	1.80	1.63
2015	0.04	4.22	-0.04	0.95	0.58	-2.37	1.50	-4.94	-3.10	5.55	0.89	-1.92	0.91
2014	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5.88	1.16	-0.59	6.47

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Top 5 bond holdings (%)

	Sector	%
Mexican Bonos 5.7500 05 Mar 2026	Sovereign & Quasi Fixed	2.93
iShares Global Corp Bond UCITS ETF USD Dist 0.0000 12 Jun 2018	Corporate Funds	2.91
Fidelity Funds - Emerging Markets Local Currency Debt	Other	2.83
United States Treasury Note/Bond 2.2500 15 Feb 2027	Sovereign & Quasi Fixed	2.24
Petroleos Mexicanos 6.5000 13 Mar 2027	Corporate Debt	2.10

Top 5 equity holdings (%)

	Sector	%
iShares Core S&P 500 UCITS ETF USD Acc	ETFs	17.49
EURO STOXX 50 Jun18	Notional	9.51
S&P500 EMINI FUT Jun18	Notional	8.45
NIKKEI 225 (OSE) Jun18	Notional	8.45
Ashburton Indian Equity Opportunities Fund	Internal Shares	6.08

Geographical weighting (%)

	ASIA	EMERGING MARKETS	EU	JPN	OTHER	UK	US
Bonds - Corporate	-	-	-	-	0.8	-	9.4
Options	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bonds - Sov & Quasi Fixed	-	-	-	-	7.9	-	2.2
Equities	6.8	1.0	13.2	8.5	0.4	0.4	28.8
Property	-	-	-	-	3.1	-	-
Alternate Assets	-	-	1.5	-	-	-	-

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