

Brooks Macdonald International Multi Strategy Fund Limited

Interim Report and Unaudited Financial Statements

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

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Company Information

The Company

Brooks Macdonald International Multi Strategy Fund Limited

Directors:

Ross Davey Willcox (Non-Executive Director and Chair)
Michael Peter Farley (Non-Executive Director)
Richard John Hughes
Brian Charles James

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Investment Objectives and Policy

Brooks Macdonald International Multi Strategy Fund Limited (the 'Company') is an open-ended investment company registered in Jersey with five classes, each being an individual 'Fund' or together the 'Funds'.

The overall objective of the Company is to provide investors with a managed investment designed to meet the specific objectives laid down for each Fund. The investment objectives and policy of the Funds are set out below.

The policy of the Company or Funds is to invest in collective investment funds and multi-manager funds managed by a range of fund managers.

These Funds, in turn, invest in a number of asset classes. These could include, but are not limited to, bonds, equities, property and cash. Each Fund may also hold cash deposits to enable Shares to be repurchased or for the efficient management of the Funds.

Brooks Macdonald International Fund Managers Limited (the 'Manager') has given discretion to Brooks Macdonald Asset Management (International) Limited (the 'Investment Manager') to decide on the type of assets held for each Fund and this may change without notice to the shareholders.

The exact allocation of the assets of each Fund between the various asset classes is decided by the Investment Manager and will vary depending on the risk profile of each Fund.

The Funds are managed according to their risk profile and each Fund carries a risk of loss to capital value and/or return particularly in the short to medium term but with potential for growth over the medium to long term. There is a modest level of risk for investors in the Cautious Balanced and Balanced Strategies. The level of risk increases for the Growth Strategy and the US\$ Growth Strategy and a higher risk level for the High Growth Strategy. Typically, higher growth potential is associated with higher risk, although this cannot be guaranteed.

The investment objective of each Fund (or 'Strategy') is set out below:

Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund

Seek to provide long-term capital growth through investment in a well-diversified portfolio of funds investing across the capital markets with a low level of volatility over the medium to long term. This Fund operates a cautious investment strategy where equity exposure is limited and likely to range from 30% - 55%. A typical investor is likely to have a risk profile where capital preservation is of primary importance and so a lower level of investment return is acceptable if it avoids the risk of excessive fluctuations in capital value and where there is limited ability to bear a material financial loss which might have a negative impact on fund values over the longer-term. It may be suitable for investors whose requirements align to the objectives and policies of the Fund, who have sterling as their reference currency and are willing to invest for a minimum of five years, preferably ten years.

Balanced Strategy Fund

Seek to provide long-term capital growth through investment in a balanced portfolio of funds investing across the capital markets with a medium level of volatility over the longer term. This Fund operates an investment strategy which will maintain a balance between exposure to fixed interest securities, equities and alternative assets where equity exposure is likely to range from 55% - 75%. A typical investor is likely to have a risk profile where capital growth is as important as capital preservation and so sufficient risk of fluctuations in capital value must be borne over the medium term to achieve the objective. It is important to accept the risk of financial loss to achieve capital growth and this may have an impact on fund values. It may be suitable for investors whose requirements align to the objectives and policies of the Fund, who have sterling as their reference currency and are willing to invest for at least five years, preferably ten years.

Growth Strategy Fund

Seek to provide long-term capital growth through investment in a portfolio of funds investing across the capital markets but with a higher exposure towards equity based assets and therefore a higher level of volatility over the longer term. This Fund operates a strategic growth investment strategy where equity exposure is likely to range from 75% - 95%. A typical investor is likely to have a risk profile where investment returns are more important than capital preservation and so the Fund's portfolio will be exposed to material fluctuations in capital value which may have an impact on fund values in the short-term. It may be suitable for investors whose requirements align to the objectives and policies of the Fund, who have sterling as their reference currency and are willing to invest for at least five years, preferably ten years.

Investment Objectives and Policy continued

High Growth Strategy Fund

Seek to provide a greater potential for long-term capital growth through investment in a portfolio of funds investing primarily in equity based assets and will therefore have a higher level of volatility over the longer term. This Fund operates a high growth investment strategy where equity exposure is likely to exceed 90%. A typical investor is likely to have a risk profile where investment returns are more important than capital preservation and so have an ability to sustain significant fluctuations in capital value which may have an impact on fund values over the medium term. It may be suitable for investors whose requirements align to the objectives and policies of the Fund, who have sterling as their reference currency and are willing to invest for a minimum of seven years, preferably ten years.

US\$ Growth Strategy Fund

Seek to provide long-term capital growth for investors who have US dollars as their reference currency through investment in a portfolio of funds investing across the capital markets but with a higher exposure towards equity based assets and therefore a higher level of volatility over the longer term. The Fund's portfolio will have a bias towards US dollar denominated assets. This Fund operates a strategic growth investment strategy where equity exposure is likely to range from 75% - 95%. A typical investor is likely to have a risk profile where investment returns are more important than capital preservation and so the Fund's portfolio will be exposed to material fluctuations in capital value which may have an impact on fund values in the short-term. It may be suitable for investors whose requirements align to the objectives and policies of the Fund, who have US dollars as their reference currency and are willing to invest for at least five years, preferably ten years.

Directors' Profiles

Ross Davey Willcox (Non-Executive Director and Chair)

Joined the Lloyds Banking Group in 1977 and held a number of managerial positions in the UK and Internationally. He was appointed as Chairman of Lloyds Investment Fund Managers Limited (now Brooks Macdonald International Fund Managers Limited) in 1999 and as Chairman of the Company in 2004. Ross resigned as a Director of the Manager on 30 November 2020. Previous responsibilities included the value proposition of all investment products for Lloyds Bank International Wealth. A qualified Banker, a Fellow of the Securities & Investment Institute, a Chartered Director and Fellow of the Institute of Directors. Aged 64.

Michael Peter Farley (Non-Executive Director)

Joined the Board of Brooks Macdonald International Multi Strategy Fund Limited in 2020. Michael was appointed as a non-executive director and Chair of Brooks Macdonald International Fund Managers Limited on 27 October 2023. He holds a number of other external directorships as an employee and shareholder of the Altair Group. He has over 20 years' experience in managing assets for private clients and is a Fellow of the Chartered Institute of Securities and Investments, holding qualifications in both investments and trusts. Michael has comprehensive experience in senior leadership as a board director, having sat on a variety of regulated boards, including Investment Business, Trust Companies Business and Fund Services Business licensed entities. Aged 57.

Richard John Hughes

Richard joined the Board of Brooks Macdonald International Multi Strategy Fund Limited in 2020. He held executive positions at Brooks Macdonald from 2013 to 2024 with his most recent role being Chief Executive Officer - International. Prior to Brooks Macdonald Richard worked with clients in the asset and wealth management industry in sales and business development roles at BNP Paribas and Vistra Group. In January 2024, Richard joined JTC Group as Group Head of the Commercial Office where he is responsible for commercial development and strategic partnership activities for the JTC Group. Richard is a Chartered Member of the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment ('CISI') and Member of the Institute of Directors (IoD). Aged 39.

Brian Charles James

Brian joined the JTC Group in 2021 as Client Director with responsibilities to include overseeing the delivery of fund administration services to the international funds managed by Brooks Macdonald International Fund Managers Limited. Prior to joining the JTC Group, Brian worked for Lloyds Banking Group for over 30 years holding a number of managerial positions primarily in Financial Control and Risk Management before being appointed as a Director of Lloyds Investment Fund Managers Limited in 1999 and as a Director of the Fund Company in 2004. Previous responsibilities included leading a team of specialists delivering operational functions for the Lloyds Banking Groups range of offshore investment products and services. Brian resigned as a Director of Lloyds Investment Fund Managers Limited on 30 November 2020. Brian is a Chartered Director, Fellow of the Institute of Directors, holder of the International Diploma in Governance, Risk & Compliance and a member of the International Compliance Association. Aged 62.

Report of the Directors

The Directors have pleasure in submitting their Interim Report together with the Unaudited Financial Statements for the period ended 30 November 2023. The Company is domiciled and incorporated as a limited company in Jersey, Channel Islands under the Companies (Jersey) Law 1991, as amended and is listed on The International Stock Exchange with a secondary listing on the Malta Stock Exchange. Full details of the Company, Investment Objectives and Policy and Report of the Directors are stated on pages 2 to 9.

Results

The results for the period are set out in the Financial Statements on pages 11 to 66.

Distributions

Distributions for the period are detailed in Note 6 to the Financial Statements.

Directors

The Directors of the Company who were in office during the period and up to the date of signing the Financial Statements were:

Mr. R.D. Willcox

Mr. M.P. Farley

Mr. R.J. Hughes

Mr. B.C. James

As at 30 November 2023, the Shares held in the Company by the Directors were as follows:

High Growth Strategy Fund	A' Class Shares	B' Class Shares
Mr. R. J. Hughes	—	12,518
Mr. R. D. Willcox	81,838	—
Growth Strategy Fund	A' Class Shares	B' Class Shares
Mr. B. C. James	—	25,738
Balanced Strategy Fund	A' Class Shares	B' Class Shares
Mr. R. J. Hughes	—	100,000

As at 30 November 2023 there were no amounts receivable or payable in respect of the above holdings. No Director has a service contract with the Company and no Director is, or was, materially interested in any service or other contract entered into by the Company other than those disclosed on pages 5 and 6 and below.

Brooks Macdonald International Fund Managers Limited (the 'Manager') acts as the Company's non-EU Alternative Investment Fund Manager for the purpose of the Alternative Investment Fund Managers Directive ('AIFMD'). Fees earned by the Manager are disclosed in these Financial Statements in Note 9.

Directors' Remuneration

Directors remuneration is set at a maximum of £25,000 per annum for each Director as disclosed in the Interim Report and Accounts to 30 November 2023 (31 May 2023: £25,000 per annum).

Investment Activities

The Report of Brooks Macdonald Asset Management (International) Limited (the 'Investment Manager') is set out on page 10.

Independent Auditor

PricewaterhouseCoopers CI LLP was re-appointed as Independent Auditor at the Annual General Meeting held on 7 November 2023 and have indicated their willingness to remain in office.

Report of the Directors continued

Going Concern

The Financial Statements of the Company and the Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund, Balanced Strategy Fund, Growth Strategy Fund, High Growth Strategy Fund and US\$ Growth Strategy Fund have been prepared in accordance with International Reporting Standards ('IFRS') on the going concern basis.

Assessment of Value

The Company has conducted an assessment of value and it confirms that the payments out of scheme property set out in the prospectus are justified in the context of the overall value delivered to shareholders.

Prospectus

Copies of the Prospectus dated December 2023 together with any subsequent addenda are available, free of charge, on application to the Manager. Alternatively it can be accessed on our website at <https://www.brooksmacdonald.com/international-investment-management/international-funds/multi-strategy-investment-funds/international-multi-strategy-funds-governance-and-reports>.

Management and Administration Providers

The names and addresses of management and administration providers are stated on page 2.

Comparatives Tables

The Performance Records and Change in Net Asset Value per Share tables are stated on pages 67 to 74.

Financial Risk Management

The Directors have taken into consideration the financial risk management of the Company, this has been disclosed in Note 20 of the Financial Statements.

Information exchange

Jersey has entered into a number of Information Exchange Agreements with the authorities of other jurisdictions. Shareholders should be aware that information on their investment may be shared with the relevant authorities, and may be passed to the tax authorities in their country of residence, citizenship or residence for tax purposes. For the avoidance of doubt this information may include (but not be limited to) details of shareholder names, addresses, unique identifiers (such as tax or national insurance numbers), amount of investment, redemption or sale proceeds and dividend payments.

Reporting Funds Regime

HM Revenue & Customs has accepted the entry of the Company into the Reporting Funds Regime for the purposes of regulation 51 of the Offshore Funds (Tax) Regulations 2009. The UK offshore funds rules apply in relation to each Fund within the Company. The following Funds have been approved by HM Revenue & Customs in the UK as "Reporting Funds" for the purposes of the UK offshore fund rules: Cautious Balanced Strategy, Balanced Strategy, Growth Strategy and High Growth Strategy.

Directors' Responsibilities

The Directors are responsible for preparing the Financial Statements in accordance with applicable law and IFRS.

The Directors have also chosen to adopt areas of the Statement of Recommended Practice 'Financial Statements of UK Authorized Funds' issued in May 2014 by the Investment Management Association ('IMA') where this does not conflict with other reporting requirements.

The Directors are required by the Companies (Jersey) Law 1991, as amended to prepare Financial Statements for each financial period which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Company for that period and are in accordance with applicable laws. In preparing these Financial Statements the Directors are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- make judgements and estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable accounting standards have been followed subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the Financial Statements; and
- prepare the Financial Statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the Company will continue in business.

Report of the Directors continued

Directors' Responsibilities (continued)

The Directors are responsible for keeping proper accounting records which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the Company and the Funds and to enable them to ensure that the Financial Statements comply with the Companies (Jersey) Law 1991, as amended, and the Collective Investment Funds (Recognized Funds) (Rules) (Jersey) Order 2003, as amended.

The Directors are also responsible for the safeguarding of the assets of the Company which includes the appointment of a duly qualified Custodian. The Directors must also ensure that they or their duly appointed agents take reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud, error and non-compliance with law and regulations.

The Directors confirm that they have complied with the above requirements in preparing the Financial Statements.

Market Conditions

Assets held within certain Funds can be affected by market conditions and this may affect the share price of those Funds.

The Directors would like to remind shareholders that investment in the Funds should be considered as a long term commitment, as the price of shares may rise and fall in the short term in response to changing market conditions.

General Information

The Company is an open-ended investment Company with variable capital and shareholders are not liable for the debts of the Company.

The Company holds a certificate as a recognised Umbrella Fund under the Collective Investment Funds (Recognized Funds) (Rules) (Jersey) Order 2003, as amended, and holds a permit under Article 7 of the Collective Investment Funds (Jersey) Law, 1988, as amended.

The Manager has professional indemnity and directors' and officers' liabilities insurance coverage. The Manager also maintains an appropriate level of 'own funds' to cover the equivalent professional liability risks set out in AIFMD.

Whilst these Funds are not Environmental, Social and Governance standards ('ESG') focused nor sustainable finance funds, we do incorporate ESG issues into investment analysis and decision making processes. ESG factors as well as the industry sector are all incorporated in order to facilitate a judgement of whether to invest in or divest a security.

The published share price of the assets of each Fund share class was as follows:

	30 November 2023	31 May 2023
Sterling Denominated Strategies	pence	pence
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	89.29	89.57
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	124.89	124.96
Balanced Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	92.68	92.81
Balanced Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	92.60	92.50
Growth Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	93.92	93.81
Growth Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	196.54	195.83
High Growth Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	93.88	93.62
High Growth Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	275.31	273.90
US\$ Denominated Strategies	US\$ cents	US\$ cents
US\$ Growth Strategy Fund	180.96	172.63

The latest prices can be viewed on our website.

<https://www.brooksmacdonald.com/international-investment-management/international-funds>

Report of the Directors continued

General Information (continued)

Absolute total returns for each Fund share class for the period are as follows:

	30 November 2023	31 May 2023
	%	%
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	(0.31)	(3.23)
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	(0.06)	(3.44)
Balanced Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	(0.14)	0.94
Balanced Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	0.11	0.93
Growth Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	0.12	0.96
Growth Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	0.36	0.95
High Growth Strategy Fund 'A' Class Shares	0.28	1.78
High Growth Strategy Fund 'B' Class Shares	0.51	1.40
US\$ Growth Strategy Fund	4.83	0.21

Average Portfolio Dealing Spread

The average portfolio dealing spread percentage, including the effect of foreign exchange, for the period is shown below:

	30 November 2023	31 May 2023
	%	%
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund	0.02	0.02
Balanced Strategy Fund	0.01	0.01
Growth Strategy Fund	0.01	0.00
High Growth Strategy Fund	0.01	0.02
US\$ Growth Strategy Fund	0.01	0.01

The spread on the statement of financial position date is representative of the typical spread throughout the period.

Significant events

Mr. M.P. Farley was appointed as a non-executive Director of the Manager with effect from 27 October 2023.

Mr. R. J. Hughes resigned as a Director of the Manager, effective 7 December 2023, and as the Chief Executive Officer of Brooks Macdonald Asset Management (International) Limited, effective 22 January 2024.

Mr. M. Hucker resigned as a Director of the Manager with effect from 30 September 2023.

Apex Financial Services (Corporate) Limited (the 'Custodian') has revised its fees effective from 1 August 2023. Refer to note 11 for detail of the revised fees.

The Manager has waived its right to charge an Initial fee on all investments in the fund, including regular savings and dividend reinvestments.

The Directors have received authorisation from the Jersey Financial Services Commission to include an additional sub-fund in the Company. This new sub-fund will be a High Income Bond Fund, and its launch is expected in March 2024.

There have been no other significant events subsequent to year end.

Website

The Company's Financial Statements can be found on <https://www.brooksmacdonald.com/international-investment-management/international-funds>. Information published on the internet is accessible in many countries. Legislation in Jersey governing the preparation and dissemination of Financial Statements may differ from legislation in other jurisdictions.

The Manager is responsible for the maintenance and integrity of the website.

By order of the Board of Directors
R.D. Willcox
24 January 2024

Report of the Investment Manager

Performance

Equity markets have generally rallied since headline inflation peaked in June and October last year for the US and Europe and we positioned to take advantage of some of the better performing sectors in these and other regions. With rate cuts already being priced into several markets, we see the current environment as being a constructive one for both fixed income and equities.

After a strong first half, the beginning of the second half of the year saw the beginnings of some consolidation in markets. Oil moved higher by nearly 30% over the period after production cuts triggered inflation concerns. Due to this most global equity and bond market indices generally fell from July to October, as the Federal Reserve continued to project a message that interest rates will need to stay “higher for longer” to return inflation to central bank targets. In this environment fixed income assets struggled as market participants awaited confirmation that interest rates were at their peaks.

Whilst inflation remained relatively sticky it was in part, the result of more resilient economic growth, at least relative to expectations. Markets such as the UK that are more exposed the value sectors such as oil and financials held up best during this period. Although as the price of oil receded towards the end of October Growth stocks returned to prominence leading equity markets higher. The unfolding conflict between Hamas and Israel has from a market perspective had limited impact although we retain a close eye on the conflict in case there is any regional spread.

November was conversely an incredibly strong month for global investment markets which resulted in the best month for global bonds since December 2008, the best month for US bonds since May 1985, as well as the strongest month for the S&P 500 this year. When looking at the US indices in particular, the S&P 500 and Nasdaq increased by +8.9% and +10.7%, respectively, to record their best monthly performances since July 2022 and the Dow rallied +8.8% for its best month since October 2022.

The catalysts for the positive sentiment during November were a combination of factors. After almost two years of aggressive monetary tightening, the world’s biggest central banks began to discuss taking time out before weighing up their next move and the focus in financial markets has already shifted to when central banks will start easing policy, cutting rates as economic growth slows and inflation eases.

The tighter financial and credit conditions continue to improve the inflation backdrop which is now normalising quickly. The headline consumer price indices (CPI) in the US, UK and Eurozone ended November at 3.2%, 4.6% and 2.4%, respectively. These are now well below the highs of 2022 when inflation in the US, UK and Eurozone peaked at 9.1%, 11.1%, and 10.7% respectively. The Q3 earnings season gradually came to a close during November and on balance was a solid one with more positive earnings revisions than expected pointedly providing constructive support for markets. Importantly, we are now seeing the returns in the market broaden out beyond that of the technology sector.

Portfolio activity

Fixed income markets have moved significantly with yields not seen since before the financial crisis and whilst bonds are providing attractive income there is now the potential for some capital appreciation as interest rate expectations pivot towards interest rate cuts, something that felt quite far off only a few months ago. In this environment we modestly increased our duration (sensitivity to interest rates) although kept this relatively defensive. In equities we still believe in maintaining balance. Growth stocks have had a strong start to the year but there is still a place for value stocks in any portfolio to provide diversification and to position for a change in market preferences. We have reintroduced a small allocation to the property sector which after a challenging two years now looks poised to be a beneficiary of lower future interest rates.

Outlook

What comes next will depend on the evolution of the inflation picture. With most signs pointing towards the rate hike cycle reaching its end, the market is now focusing on how long rates will need to stay in restrictive territory. It is too early to say where inflation will settle, however the month-on-month inflation readings suggest with increasing confidence that peak inflation is behind us. Sentiment has changed swiftly this year and markets have been volatile but historically, a disinflationary environment should be good for equity markets. As such, we maintain our preference for equities, with an equal weighting between value and growth styles. There is not enough visibility currently to decidedly shift our investment weight behind a single expected sustained outcome. Instead, staying invested but keeping balance continues to be our goal.

Statements of Financial Position

As at 30 November 2023

	Notes	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents		3,149,863	1,477,385	561,255
Creations receivable		290,240	32,096	46,904
Investment sales receivable		608,345	—	—
Derivative assets		60,664	—	—
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		200,205,288	25,598,303	20,446,562
Other accrued income and other debtors	4	3,149	—	—
Total Assets		204,317,549	27,107,784	21,054,721
Current Liabilities				
Redemptions payable		344,130	73,310	15,000
Investment purchases payable		867,991	792,123	75,868
Accrued expenses and other creditors	5	266,229	34,319	18,002
Derivative liabilities		60,489	—	—
Nominal shares		2,149	—	—
Total Liabilities*		1,540,988	899,752	108,870
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares	17	202,775,561	26,208,032	20,945,851
Equity				
Ordinary share capital		1,000	—	—
Total Equity		1,000	—	—
Total Liabilities and Equity		204,317,549	27,107,784	21,054,721

* Excluding net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares.

The Financial Statements on pages 16 to 66 were approved by the Board of Directors on 24 January 2024.

The notes on pages 33 to 66 form an integral part of these Financial Statements.

Statements of Financial Position

As at 30 November 2023

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	810,413	172,727	148,487
Creations receivable	172,853	32,780	6,500
Investment sales receivable	556,744	51,601	—
Derivative assets	12,526	48,138	—
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	132,080,752	15,952,508	7,103,240
Other accrued income and other debtors	—	—	—
Total Assets	133,633,288	16,257,754	7,258,227
Current Liabilities			
Redemptions payable	180,122	73,542	2,500
Investment purchases payable	—	—	—
Accrued expenses and other creditors	185,435	21,250	8,372
Derivative liabilities	12,553	47,936	—
Nominal shares	—	—	—
Total Liabilities*	378,110	142,728	10,872
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares	133,255,178	16,115,026	7,247,355
Equity			
Ordinary share capital	—	—	—
Total Equity	—	—	—
Total Liabilities and Equity	133,633,288	16,257,754	7,258,227

* Excluding net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares.

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Statements of Financial Position continued

As at 31 May 2023

	Notes	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents		2,081,040	651,373	360,887
Creations receivable		226,584	109,039	11,928
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss		177,716,305	23,686,998	12,699,122
Other accrued income and other debtors	4	40,242	906	414
Total Assets		180,064,171	24,448,316	13,072,351
Current Liabilities				
Redemptions payable		12,229	6,960	—
Investment purchases payable		6,773	—	—
Distributions Payable	6	1,396,895	329,750	179,826
Accrued expenses and other creditors	5	309,068	41,245	14,986
Nominal shares		32,679	—	—
Total Liabilities*		1,757,644	377,955	194,812
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares	17	178,305,527	24,070,361	12,877,539
Equity				
Ordinary share capital		1,000	—	—
Total Equity		1,000	—	—
Total Liabilities and Equity		180,064,171	24,448,316	13,072,351

* Excluding net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares.

The notes on pages 33 to 66 form an integral part of these Financial Statements.

Statements of Financial Position continued

As at 31 May 2023

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	950,171	80,331	47,620
Creations receivable	86,303	13,796	6,863
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	121,307,880	14,491,960	6,880,250
Other accrued income and other debtors	4,509	550	230
Total Assets	122,348,863	14,586,637	6,934,963
Current Liabilities			
Redemptions payable	—	5,269	—
Investment purchases payable	6,773	—	—
Distributions Payable	838,809	48,510	—
Accrued expenses and other creditors	217,150	25,696	12,429
Nominal shares	—	—	—
Total Liabilities*	1,062,732	79,475	12,429
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares	121,286,131	14,507,162	6,922,534
Equity			
Ordinary share capital	—	—	—
Total Equity	—	—	—
Total Liabilities and Equity	122,348,863	14,586,637	6,934,963

* Excluding net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares.

The notes on pages 33 to 66 form an integral part of these Financial Statements.

Statements of Comprehensive Income

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

	Notes	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Operating Profit				
Net profit on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	7	3,587,282	236,082	248,771
Investment income		1,684,772	346,173	179,231
Other income	8	12	—	—
Operating expenses	9	(1,097,012)	(147,073)	(78,283)
Operating income		4,175,054	435,182	349,719
Finance costs and distributions				
Distributions to holders	6	41,896	7,155	18,797
Interest paid		(712)	(712)	—
Total finance costs and distributions		41,184	6,443	18,797
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations		4,216,238	441,625	368,516

For the six month period ended 30 November 2022

	Notes	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Operating Profit				
Net (loss)/profit on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	7	(1,291,277)	(823,420)	97,582
Investment income		1,477,508	322,421	72,953
Other income	8	770	—	—
Operating expenses	9	(1,069,454)	(153,370)	(30,255)
Operating (loss)/income		(882,453)	(654,369)	140,280
Finance costs and distributions				
Distributions to holders	6	—	—	—
(Decrease)/increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations		(882,453)	(654,369)	140,280

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Statements of Comprehensive Income

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Operating Profit			
Net profit on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	2,434,262	300,964	426,129
Investment income	1,032,015	111,813	18,034
Other income	9	3	-
Operating expenses	(738,244)	(91,437)	(48,712)
Operating income	2,728,042	321,343	395,451
Finance costs and distributions			
Distributions to holders	12,750	3,194	—
Interest paid	—	—	—
Total finance costs	12,750	3,194	—
(Decrease)/increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations	2,740,792	324,537	395,451

For the six month period ended 30 November 2022

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Operating Profit			
Net (loss)/profit on financial assets at fair value through profit or loss	(386,472)	22,627	(237,443)
Investment income	967,448	92,027	26,688
Other income	770	—	—
Operating expenses	(750,151)	(95,277)	(47,586)
Operating loss	(168,405)	19,377	(258,341)
Finance costs and distributions			
Distributions to holders	—	—	—
(Decrease)/increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations	(168,405)	19,377	(258,341)

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Statements of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Participating Redeemable Preference Shares

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares at the beginning of the period	178,305,527	24,070,361	12,877,541
Creation of participating redeemable preference shares issued	28,172,434	3,176,895	8,250,006
Redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(8,259,958)	(1,480,849)	(550,212)
Net increase/(decrease) from share transactions	19,912,476	1,696,046	7,699,794
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations	4,216,238	441,625	368,516
Movement in currency translation	341,320	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares as at 30 November 2023	202,775,561	26,208,032	20,945,851

For the six month period ended 30 November 2022

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares at the beginning of the period	173,967,992	24,992,450	5,092,187
Creation of participating redeemable preference shares issued	17,064,547	1,891,797	6,494,433
Redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(6,263,592)	(980,258)	(114,923)
Net increase/(decrease) from share transactions	10,800,955	911,539	6,379,510
(Decrease)/increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations	(882,453)	(654,369)	140,280
Movement in currency translation	252,871	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares as at 30 November 2022	184,139,365	25,249,620	11,611,977

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Statements of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Participating Redeemable Preference Shares

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares at the beginning of the period	121,286,131	14,507,162	6,922,534
Creation of participating redeemable preference shares issued	14,402,379	2,343,154	515,157
Redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(5,174,124)	(1,059,827)	(585,787)
Net increase/(decrease) from share transactions	9,228,255	1,283,327	(70,630)
(Decrease)/increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations	2,740,792	324,537	395,451
Movement in currency translation	—	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares as at 30 November 2023	133,255,178	16,115,026	7,247,355

For the six month period ended 30 November 2022

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares at the beginning of the period	123,190,430	15,235,131	6,878,127
Creation of participating redeemable preference shares issued	7,881,280	712,461	98,889
Redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(4,566,471)	(492,119)	(127,475)
Net increase/(decrease) from share transactions	3,314,809	220,342	(28,586)
(Decrease)/increase in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares from operations	(168,405)	19,377	(258,341)
Movement in currency translation	—	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares as at 30 November 2022	126,336,834	15,474,850	6,591,200

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Cash Flow Statements

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Cash flows from operating activities			
Purchase of financial assets	(64,118,157)	(8,541,455)	(10,009,995)
Due to brokers	867,991	792,123	75,868
Receipts from sale of investments	45,643,215	6,866,908	2,511,385
Due from brokers	(608,345)	—	—
Investment income received	1,684,772	346,173	179,231
Bank interest (paid)/received	(700)	(712)	—
Operating expenses paid	(1,134,023)	(153,090)	(74,852)
Net cash (outflow) /inflow from operating activities	(17,665,247)	(690,053)	(7,318,363)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Distributions paid	(1,354,999)	(322,596)	(161,028)
Proceeds received from issue of participating redeemable preference shares	28,553,098	3,253,836	8,215,030
Payments on redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(8,444,669)	(1,414,499)	(535,212)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities	18,753,430	1,516,741	7,518,790
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	1,088,183	826,688	200,427
Cash and cash equivalents as at the beginning of the period	2,081,040	651,373	360,887
Exchange losses on cash and cash equivalents	(19,360)	(676)	(59)
Cash and cash equivalents as at 30 November 2023	3,149,863	1,477,385	561,255

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Cash Flow Statements

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Cash flows from operating activities			
Purchase of financial assets	(39,208,214)	(5,205,839)	(1,337,623)
Due to brokers	—	—	—
Receipts from sale of investments	30,880,479	4,048,159	1,550,720
Due from brokers	(556,744)	(51,601)	—
Investment income received	1,032,015	111,813	18,034
Bank interest received	9	3	—
Operating expenses paid	(765,473)	(95,333)	(52,539)
Net cash (outflow)/inflow from operating activities	(8,617,928)	(1,192,798)	178,592
Cash flows from financing activities			
Distributions paid	(826,059)	(45,316)	—
Proceeds received from issue of participating redeemable preference shares	14,315,828	2,324,171	515,520
Payments on redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(5,000,775)	(991,554)	(583,287)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities	8,488,994	1,287,301	(67,767)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(128,934)	94,503	110,825
Cash and cash equivalents as at the beginning of the period	950,171	80,331	47,620
Exchange losses on cash and cash equivalents	(10,824)	(2,107)	(9,958)
Cash and cash equivalents as at 30 November 2023	810,413	172,727	148,487

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Cash Flow Statements continued

For the six month period ended 30 November 2022

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Cash flows from operating activities			
Purchase of financial assets	(48,024,290)	(5,061,090)	(6,986,932)
Due to brokers	(11,214,632)	(1,722,123)	—
Receipts from sale of investments	36,201,090	3,978,539	1,065,282
Investment income received	1,476,708	322,174	72,953
Bank interest received	770	—	—
Operating expenses paid	(1,076,854)	(155,109)	(28,793)
Net cash outflow from operating activities	(22,637,208)	(2,637,609)	(5,877,490)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Distributions paid	(247,822)	(208,488)	(22,266)
Proceeds received from issue of participating redeemable preference shares	17,000,738	1,869,436	6,458,508
Payments on redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(6,960,576)	(909,010)	(588,964)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities	9,792,340	751,938	5,847,278
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(12,844,868)	(1,885,671)	(30,212)
Cash and cash equivalents as at the beginning of the period	16,375,447	2,166,782	622,003
Exchange (losses)/gains on cash and cash equivalents	(748,889)	(1,587)	331
Cash and cash equivalents as at 30 November 2022	2,781,690	279,524	592,122

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Cash Flow Statements continued

For the six month period ended 30 November 2022

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Cash flows from operating activities			
Purchase of financial assets	(32,532,157)	(2,529,078)	(1,103,380)
Due to brokers	(8,519,937)	(972,572)	(944,073)
Receipts from sale of investments	27,614,659	2,661,108	1,062,947
Investment income received	967,447	92,002	26,688
Bank interest received	770	—	—
Operating expenses paid	(744,042)	(96,296)	(48,988)
Net cash outflow from operating activities	(13,225,248)	(844,836)	(1,006,806)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Distributions paid	(15,374)	(1,694)	—
Proceeds received from issue of participating redeemable preference shares	7,892,410	696,329	101,357
Payments on redemption of participating redeemable preference shares	(4,827,901)	(530,490)	(125,662)
Net cash inflow/(outflow) from financing activities	3,049,135	164,145	(24,305)
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(10,176,113)	(680,691)	(1,031,111)
Cash and cash equivalents as at the beginning of the period	11,565,951	1,155,714	1,089,686
Exchange (losses)/gains on cash and cash equivalents	(3,205)	385	(692)
Cash and cash equivalents as at 30 November 2022	1,386,633	475,408	57,883

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Investment Portfolios

Cautious Balanced Strategy

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Bond Funds 48.54% (50.86%)						
Brevan Howard Absolute Return Government Bond	15,458	1,578,495	6.02	14,503	1,435,302	5.96
Invesco UK Gilts UCITS ETF GBP Inc	44,540	1,339,206	5.11	38,529	1,157,796	4.81
Invesco US Treasury Bond 3-7 Year UCITS ETF	22,048	792,736	3.02	19,652	722,014	3.00
iShares £ Ultrashort Bond UCITS ETF GBP (Dist)	15,396	1,581,092	6.03	14,434	1,473,784	6.12
iShares Core FTSE 100 UCITS ETF	310,351	2,266,804	8.65	256,503	1,882,989	7.82
Muzinich Global Tactical Credit Hedged Founder Inc GBP	8,976	808,978	3.09	7,966	717,937	2.98
UBS(Lux)Fund Solutions - Bloomberg US Liquid Corporates 1-5 Year UCITS ETF(hedged GBP)A-dis	42,055	533,257	2.03	59,005	748,183	3.11
Vanguard U.K. Government Bond Index Fund Institutional	9,357	785,980	3.00	—	—	—
Vanguard U.K. Investment Grade Bond Index Fund Institutional Plus	13,403	1,222,629	4.67	12,002	1,072,908	4.46
Vanguard U.K. Short-Term Investment Grade Bond Index Fund Institutional	—	—	—	7,950	742,061	3.08
Vanguard U.S. Government Bond Index Fund GBP Hedged Dist	8,885	767,027	2.93	—	—	—
Vontobel Fund - Twentyfour Absolute Return Credit Fund	10,807	1,045,769	3.99	16,433	1,567,406	6.51
Equity Funds 43.07% (33.52%)						
AB - International Health Care Portfolio S1 USD Acc	4,440	766,866	2.93	—	—	—
Aikya Global EM Fund C1 Class USD	87,157	665,160	2.54	59,970	462,446	1.92
Dimensional Global Value Fund GBP	34,050	519,601	1.98	31,897	463,142	1.92
Dodge & Cox Worldwide Funds Plc - U.S. Stock Fund A USD	16,767	540,859	2.06	15,619	468,999	1.95
Edgewood L Select - US Select Growth	3,111	536,185	2.05	3,377	538,203	2.24
Federated Hermes Asia ex-Japan Equity Fund	289,044	640,464	2.44	213,384	479,857	1.99
Fidelity Funds - Global Technology Fund	79,352	550,388	2.10	120,435	756,815	3.14
Guinness Global Equity Income	18,957	516,528	1.97	18,957	506,610	2.10
Hermes Investment Funds Plc - Hermes USD SMID	215,777	487,066	1.86	215,777	480,089	1.99
Invesco UK Gilt 1-5 Year UCITS ETF	31,863	1,179,967	4.50	—	—	—
iShares Developed Markets Property Yield UCITS ETF	30,974	518,660	1.98	—	—	—
J O Hambro Capital Management Continental European Y EUR Inc	333,676	525,294	2.00	316,302	488,991	2.03
Neuberger Berman US Equity Index PutWrite Fund GBP I3 Accumulating Class	61,148	760,072	2.90	—	—	—
Ninety One Global Strategy Fund - Global Environment Fund GBP	18,854	486,986	1.86	25,051	700,673	2.91

Investment Portfolios

Cautious Balanced Strategy *continued*

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Equity Funds (continued)						
Pictet - Japanese Equity Opportunities	—	—	—	5,227	498,226	2.07
Polar Capital Funds Plc - Healthcare Opportunities	—	—	—	13,814	758,823	3.15
Polar Capital Global Convertible I Acc GBP	112,633	1,029,466	3.93	—	—	—
Threadneedle Lux - UK Equity Income	145,649	1,565,786	5.97	134,238	1,470,633	6.11
Hedge Fund and Alternatives 0% (5.72%)						
Polar Capital Funds Plc - Global Convertible Fund	—	—	—	209,029	1,377,498	5.72
Structured Return Funds 6.06% (8.28%)						
Gemcap Investment Ireland - AHFM Defined Return Fund	1,361,632	1,586,982	6.06	1,765,812	1,990,249	8.28
Total value of investments		25,598,303	97.67		23,686,998	98.38
Other assets		1,509,481	5.76		761,318	3.19
Total assets		27,107,784	103.43		24,448,316	101.57
Liabilities		(899,752)	(3.43)		(377,955)	(1.57)
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preferences shares		26,208,032	100.00		24,070,361	100.00
Class of shares	Shares in issue 30.11.23	NAV per share 30.11.23		Shares in issue 31.05.23	NAV per share 31.05.23	
'A' Class shares	6,354,549	89.35		4,285,411	87.63	
'B' Class shares	16,421,525	125.01		16,532,549	122.88	
		For the period ended 30.11.23			For the year ended 31.05.23	
Cost of investments purchased		£8,541,455			£13,897,880	
Proceeds from investments sold		£6,866,908			£13,959,846	

Investment Portfolios

Balanced Strategy

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Bond Funds 23.60% (28.42%)						
Brevan Howard Absolute Return Government Bond	12,101	1,235,656	5.90	8,010	792,763	6.16
Invesco UK Gilts UCITS ETF GBP Inc	20,772	624,562	2.98	12,622	379,291	2.95
Invesco US Treasury Bond 3-7 Year UCITS ETF	—	—	—	7,124	261,736	2.03
iShares £ Ultrashort Bond UCITS ETF GBP (Dist)	3,872	397,635	1.90	2,481	253,323	1.97
Polar Capital Global Convertible I Acc GBP	44,417	405,970	1.94	56,216	527,866	4.10
Vanguard U.K. Government Bond Index Fund Institutional	6,285	527,976	2.52	—	—	—
Vanguard U.K. Short-Term Investment Grade Bond Index Fund Institutional	—	—	—	3,486	325,364	2.53
Vanguard U.S. Government Bond Index Fund GBP Hedged Dist	7,114	614,177	2.93	—	—	—
Vontobel Fund - Twentyfour Absolute Return Credit Fund	11,743	1,136,343	5.43	7,576	722,621	5.61
Vontobel Fund - Twentyfour Strategic Income	—	—	—	4,500	394,900	3.07
Equity Funds 66.03% (62.26%)						
AB - International Health Care Portfolio S1 USD Acc	4,712	813,907	3.89	—	—	—
Aikya Global EM Fund C1 Class USD	108,972	831,639	3.97	66,709	514,416	3.99
BlackRock Global Funds - Continental European Flexible Fund D2	—	—	—	6,651	250,763	1.95
BlackRock Global Funds - Continental European Flexible Fund I2	15,851	418,578	2.00	—	—	—
Dimensional Global Value Fund GBP	53,574	817,541	3.90	34,709	503,967	3.91
Dodge & Cox Worldwide Funds Plc - U.S. Stock Fund A USD	13,131	423,549	2.02	8,774	263,463	2.05
Edgewood L Select - US Select Growth	3,738	644,383	3.08	2,591	412,945	3.21
Federated Hermes Asia ex-Japan Equity Fund	282,144	625,174	2.98	173,550	390,280	3.03
Fidelity Funds - Global Technology Fund	120,963	838,996	4.01	88,493	556,092	4.32
Guinness Global Equity Income	16,152	440,104	2.10	9,594	256,391	1.99
Hermes Investment Funds Plc - Hermes USD SMID	185,545	418,824	2.00	120,828	268,833	2.09
Invesco UK Gilt 1-5 Year UCITS ETF	11,930	441,798	2.11	—	—	—
iShares Core FTSE 100 UCITS ETF	198,073	1,446,725	6.91	116,655	856,364	6.65
iShares Developed Markets Property Yield UCITS ETF	24,914	417,185	1.99	—	—	—
J O Hambro Capital Management Continental European Y EUR Inc	260,067	409,415	1.95	161,341	249,428	1.94

Investment Portfolios

Balanced Strategy continued

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Equity Funds (continued)						
Ninety One Global Strategy Fund - Global Environment Fund GBP	33,005	852,523	4.07	18,343	513,056	3.98
Pictet - Japanese Equity Opportunities	6,370	627,355	3.00	4,225	402,684	3.13
Polar Capital Funds Plc - Healthcare Opportunities	—	—	—	9,346	513,359	3.99
Polar Capital Funds Plc - UK Value Opportunities	112,913	1,277,048	6.10	69,424	786,578	6.11
Threadneedle Lux - UK Equity Income	135,633	1,458,110	6.96	81,259	890,228	6.91
Vanguard U.S. 500 Stock Index Fund Institutional	2,763	625,731	2.99	1,844	389,504	3.02
Structured Return Funds 8.00% (7.94%)						
Gemcap Investment Ireland - AHFM Defined Return Fund	1,437,715	1,675,658	8.00	907,557	1,022,907	7.94

Total value of investments	20,446,562	97.63	12,699,122	98.62
Other assets	608,159	2.90	373,230	2.90
Total assets	21,054,721	100.53	13,072,352	101.52
Liabilities	(108,870)	(0.53)	(194,811)	(1.52)
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preferences shares	20,945,851	100.00	12,877,542	100.00

	Shares in issue 30.11.23	NAV per share 30.11.23	Shares in issue 31.05.23	NAV per share 31.05.23
Class of shares				
'A' Class shares	17,341,078	92.83	10,091,733	90.84
'B' Class shares	5,228,116	92.73	4,078,465	90.97

	For the period ended 30.11.23	For the year ended 31.05.23
Cost of investments purchased	£10,009,995	£12,335,746
Proceeds from investments sold	£2,511,385	£4,672,665

Investment Portfolios

Growth Strategy

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Bond Funds 10.22% (9.92%)						
Brevan Howard Absolute Return Government Bond	40,988	4,185,545	3.14	36,845	3,646,463	3.01
Vanguard U.K. Government Bond Index Fund Institutional	32,081	2,694,737	2.02	—	—	—
Vanguard U.K. Investment Grade Bond Index Fund Institutional Plus	—	—	—	26,895	2,404,140	1.98
Vanguard U.K. Short-Term Investment Grade Bond Index Fund Institutional	43,461	4,149,636	3.11	38,846	3,625,679	2.99
Vanguard U.S. Government Bond Index Fund GBP Hedged Dist	30,080	2,596,849	1.95	—	—	—
Vontobel Fund - Twentyfour Strategic Income	—	—	—	26,880	2,359,010	1.94
Equity Funds 84.78% (85.97%)						
AB - International Health Care Portfolio S1 USD Acc	29,454	5,087,436	3.82	—	—	—
Aikya Global EM Fund C1 Class USD	843,500	6,437,348	4.83	757,058	5,837,892	4.81
BlackRock Global Funds - Continental European Flexible Fund D2	—	—	—	99,393	3,747,516	3.09
BlackRock Global Funds - Continental European Flexible Fund I2	149,838	3,956,856	2.97	—	—	—
Dimensional Global Value Fund GBP	—	—	—	630,642	9,156,918	7.55
Dodge & Cox Worldwide Funds Plc - U.S. Stock Fund A USD	82,763	2,669,672	2.00	122,899	3,690,441	3.04
Edgewood L Select - US Select Growth	24,286	4,186,312	3.14	33,607	5,356,501	4.42
Federated Hermes Asia ex-Japan Equity Fund	2,919,050	6,468,031	4.85	2,773,996	6,238,163	5.14
Fidelity Funds - Global Technology Fund	777,007	5,389,319	4.04	813,181	5,110,027	4.21
Fundsmith Equity Fund I GBP Acc	179,354	6,857,119	5.15	—	—	—
Guinness Global Equity Income	297,406	8,103,587	6.08	286,958	7,668,769	6.32
Hermes Investment Funds Plc - Hermes USD SMID	1,696,873	3,830,292	2.87	1,689,568	3,759,170	3.10
HSBC MSCI World UCITS ETF	221,096	5,296,907	3.98	—	—	—
iShares Core FTSE 100 UCITS ETF	1,414,766	10,333,451	7.75	1,302,835	9,564,112	7.89
iShares Developed Markets Property Yield UCITS ETF	157,962	2,645,074	1.98	—	—	—
J O Hambro Capital Management Continental European Y EUR Inc	1,737,053	2,734,583	2.05	1,603,390	2,478,784	2.04
Ninety One Global Strategy Fund - Global Environment Fund GBP	207,915	5,370,444	4.03	163,139	4,562,988	3.76
Pictet - Japanese Equity Opportunities	68,089	6,705,428	5.03	65,505	6,243,902	5.15
Polar Capital Funds Plc - Healthcare Opportunities	—	—	—	116,143	6,379,748	5.26
Polar Capital Funds Plc - UK Value Opportunities	837,889	9,476,523	7.11	743,985	8,429,346	6.95

Investment Portfolios

Growth Strategy continued

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Equity Funds (continued)						
Threadneedle Lux - UK Equity Income	878,572	9,445,000	7.09	787,943	8,632,225	7.12
Vanguard U.S. 500 Stock Index Fund Institutional	35,336	8,003,277	6.01	35,155	7,427,623	6.12
Structured Return Funds 4.09% (4.11%)						
Gemcap Investment Ireland - AHFM Defined Return Fund	4,682,392	5,457,326	4.09	4,425,926	4,988,463	4.11
Total value of investments		132,080,752	99.09		121,307,880	100.00
Other assets		1,552,536	1.17		1,040,983	0.86
Total assets		133,633,288	100.26		122,348,863	100.86
Liabilities		(378,110)	(0.26)		(1,062,732)	(0.86)
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preferences shares		133,255,178	100.00		121,286,131	100.00

	Shares in issue 30.11.23	NAV per share 30.11.23	Shares in issue 31.05.23	NAV per share 31.05.23
Class of shares				
'A' Class shares	23,922,757	94.14	11,203,484	91.93
'B' Class shares	56,198,031	197.02	57,547,959	192.86

	For the period ended 30.11.23	For the year ended 31.05.23
Cost of investments purchased	£39,208,214	£61,276,061
Proceeds from investments sold	£30,880,479	£60,444,004

Investment Portfolios

High Growth Strategy

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Bond Funds 1.99% (0%)						
Brevan Howard Absolute Return Government Bond	3,142	320,863	1.99	—	—	—
Equity Funds 97.00% (99.88%)						
AB - International Health Care Portfolio S1 USD Acc	3,689	637,205	3.95	—	—	—
Aikya Global EM Fund C1 Class USD	115,919	884,660	5.49	99,049	763,799	5.26
AXA World Funds - Framlington UK L Capitalisation	—	—	—	313,196	425,383	2.93
BlackRock Global Funds - Continental European Flexible Fund D2	—	—	—	15,772	594,662	4.10
BlackRock Global Funds - Continental European Flexible Fund I2	23,929	631,906	3.92	—	—	—
Dimensional Global Value Fund GBP	—	—	—	57,400	833,450	5.75
Dodge & Cox Worldwide Funds Plc - U.S. Stock Fund A USD	14,768	476,379	2.96	18,738	562,660	3.88
Edgewood L Select - US Select Growth	3,852	664,009	4.12	5,129	817,504	5.64
Federated Hermes Asia ex-Japan Equity Fund	388,781	861,461	5.35	358,855	806,993	5.56
Fidelity Funds - Global Technology Fund	97,688	677,563	4.20	100,106	629,065	4.34
Fundsmith Equity Fund I GBP Acc	25,536	976,304	6.06	—	—	—
Guinness Global Equity Income	35,238	960,150	5.96	34,114	911,672	6.28
Hermes Investment Funds Plc - Hermes USD SMID	214,523	484,235	3.00	193,578	430,698	2.97
HSBC MSCI World UCITS ETF	20,162	483,031	3.00	31,515	713,775	4.92
iShares Core FTSE 100 UCITS ETF	287,884	2,102,705	13.05	190,787	1,400,567	9.65
iShares Developed Markets Property Yield UCITS ETF	18,870	315,978	1.96	—	—	—
J O Hambro Capital Management Continental European Y EUR Inc	205,899	324,140	2.01	191,724	296,398	2.04
Ninety One Global Strategy Fund - Global Environment Fund GBP	24,213	625,412	3.88	20,356	569,366	3.92
Pictet - Japanese Equity Opportunities	11,459	1,128,509	7.00	11,075	1,055,625	7.28
Polar Capital Funds Plc - Healthcare Opportunities	—	—	—	11,049	606,908	4.18
Polar Capital Funds Plc - UK Value Opportunities	102,297	1,156,984	7.18	88,446	1,002,090	6.91
Threadneedle Lux - UK Equity Income	102,937	1,106,611	6.87	93,944	1,029,189	7.09
Vanguard U.S. 500 Stock Index Fund Institutional	5,009	1,134,403	7.04	4,933	1,042,156	7.18

Investment Portfolios

High Growth Strategy continued

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 £	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 £	% of Total Net Assets
Total value of investments		15,952,508	98.99		14,491,960	99.88
Other assets		305,246	1.89		94,677	0.65
Total assets		16,257,754	100.88		14,586,637	100.53
Liabilities		(142,728)	(0.88)		(79,475)	(0.53)
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preferences shares		16,115,026	100.00		14,507,162	100.00

Class of shares	Shares in issue 30.11.23	NAV per share 30.11.23	Shares in issue 31.05.23	NAV per share 31.05.23
'A' Class shares	4,590,838	94.17	2,563,186	91.79
'B' Class shares	4,269,610	276.16	4,490,495	270.53

	For the period ended 30.11.23	For the year ended 31.05.23
Cost of investments purchased	£5,205,839	£6,572,207
Proceeds from investments sold	£4,048,159	£7,268,068

Investment Portfolios

US\$ Growth Strategy

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 US\$	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 US\$	% of Total Net Assets
Bond Funds 9.70% (7.14%)						
Coremont Ivt Fd Abs.Ret.Gov BdFd A2M USD Dis	2,037	204,715	2.82	—	—	—
UBS(Lux)Fund Solutions - Bloomberg US Liquid Corporates 1-5 Year UCITS ETF(USD)A-dis (EUR)	15,137	207,566	2.86	15,508	212,343	3.07
Vanguard U.S. Government Bond Index Institutional	2,688	291,418	4.02	1,280	141,056	2.04
Vanguard U.S. Investment Grade Credit Index Fund Institutional Plus	—	—	—	1,534	140,809	2.03
Equity Funds 84.43% (87.29%)						
AB - International Health Care Portfolio S1 USD Acc	1,301	284,559	3.93	—	—	—
Aikya Global EM Fund C1 Class USD	37,372	361,197	4.98	33,595	320,068	4.62
Brown Advisory US Sustainable Growth Fund	18,016	510,748	7.05	20,022	505,364	7.30
Dimensional Global Value Fund GBP	14,714	284,357	3.92	14,151	253,866	3.67
Dodge & Cox Worldwide Funds Plc - U.S. Stock Fund A USD	12,407	506,829	6.99	12,939	480,030	6.93
Eagle Capital US Equity Value Fund USD	3,905	505,449	6.97	4,427	504,732	7.29
Edgewood L.Select - US Select Growth	2,338	510,424	7.04	2,603	512,571	7.40
Fidelity Funds - Global Technology Fund	7,925	301,935	4.17	8,477	286,686	4.14
Hermes Investment Funds Plc - Hermes USD SMID	180,744	516,676	7.13	175,156	481,487	6.96
iShares Core FTSE 100 UCITS ETF	15,548	143,823	1.98	14,455	131,102	1.89
iShares Developed Markets Property Yield UCITS ETF	6,937	147,113	2.03	—	—	—
J O Hambro Capital Management Continental European Y EUR Inc	151,562	302,197	4.17	141,769	270,750	3.91
Legg Mason Royce US Small Cap Opportunity Fund Premier Class USD Accumulating	631	219,700	3.03	610	199,258	2.88
Ninety One Global Strategy Fund - Global Environment Fund USD	9,290	287,611	3.97	8,191	270,148	3.90
Pictet - Japanese Equity Opportunities	1,716	216,889	2.99	2,888	346,803	5.01
Polar Capital Funds Plc - Healthcare Opportunities	—	—	—	4,085	278,112	4.02
Threadneedle Lux - UK Equity Income	16,298	221,897	3.06	20,257	274,184	3.96
Vanguard U.S. 500 Stock Index Fund Institutional	2,784	798,602	11.02	3,554	927,836	13.41
Structured Return Funds 3.86% (4.96%)						
Atlantic House Defined Returns USD Hedged	183,326	279,535	3.86	237,648	343,045	4.96

Investment Portfolios

US\$ Growth Strategy continued

As at 30 November 2023

	Holding 30.11.23	Market Value 30.11.23 US\$	% of Total Net Assets	Holding 31.05.23	Market Value 31.05.23 US\$	% of Total Net Assets
Total value of investments		7,103,240	97.99		6,880,250	99.39
Other assets		154,987	2.14		54,713	0.79
Total assets		7,258,227	100.13		6,934,963	100.18
Liabilities		(10,872)	(0.13)		(12,429)	(0.18)
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preferences shares		7,247,355	100.00		6,922,534	100.00

Class of shares	Shares in issue 30.11.23	NAV per share 30.11.23	Shares in issue 31.05.23	NAV per share 31.05.23
'B' Class shares	3,998,568	181.25	4,038,839	171.40

	For the period ended 30.11.23	For the year ended 31.05.23
Cost of investments purchased	\$1,337,623	\$2,679,335
Proceeds from investments sold	\$1,550,720	\$2,571,565

Notes to the Financial Statements

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1. The Company

The Company is domiciled and incorporated as a limited company in Jersey, Channel Islands under the Companies (Jersey) Law 1991, as amended and is listed on The International Stock Exchange with a secondary listing on the Malta Stock Exchange. Full details of the Company, Investment Objectives and Policy and Report of the Directors are stated on pages 2 to 9.

2. Basis of Preparation

2.1 Basis of preparation

The Financial Statements of the Company and the Funds have been prepared in accordance with IFRS as issued by the IASB. Within the Financial Statements the Company represents the total value of the Funds combined, with the exception of the statements of financial position which also includes the nominal share values. The Financial Statements of the Company and the following Funds are prepared on the going concern basis:

- Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund
- Balanced Strategy Fund
- Growth Strategy Fund
- High Growth Strategy Fund
- US\$ Growth Strategy Fund

The policies set out below have been consistently applied to all periods presented (unless otherwise stated).

The interim report has been prepared under the historical cost convention, as modified by the revaluation of investments, held at fair value through the profit or loss and in accordance with the Companies (Jersey) Law 1991, as amended and with the Collective Investment Funds (Recognized Funds) (Rules) (Jersey) Order 2003, as amended. Jersey is not part of the United Kingdom ('UK') and the Company is not regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority ('FCA') or the Prudential Regulation Authority ('PRA') of the UK.

The capital of the Company comprises various classes of Shares each relating to a separate Fund consisting of securities, cash, other assets and liabilities. This interim report presents the statements of financial position, statements of comprehensive income, statements of changes in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares, cash flow statements, investment portfolios, notes to the Financial Statements, performance records, change in net asset value per share and distribution tables. At the statement of financial position date there were five Funds in existence; Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund, Balanced Strategy Fund, Growth Strategy Fund, High Growth Strategy Fund and US\$ Growth Strategy Fund. The Directors may from time to time create further classes (Funds).

The net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares are classified as financial liabilities and therefore, in the opinion of the Directors, the Capital of the Company is only represented by the Founders Shares. Details of Founders Shares are disclosed in Notes 3 and 14.

Where assets of an individual Fund are insufficient to meet that Fund's liabilities, then any liabilities that remain undischarged will revert to the Company as a whole and be allocated amongst the other Funds.

2.2 Significant accounting estimates and judgements

The Company makes assumptions and estimates that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the statement of financial position date. Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The accounting policies deemed significant to the Company's results and financial position, based upon materiality and significant judgements and estimates, are discussed in the following notes. There are no significant estimates and judgements that have a material effect on the Financial Statements.

2.3 Going concern

The Financial Statements of the Company and Funds have been prepared in accordance with IFRS on the going concern basis. The Directors have a reasonable expectation that the Company will continue as a going concern for the foreseeable future.

Notes to the Financial Statements continued

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The principal accounting policies applied in the preparation of these Financial Statements are set out below. These policies have been applied consistently to all periods presented, unless otherwise stated in the following text:

The Directors also monitor new standards and ensure that they are applied when relevant.

3.1 Standards, amendments and interpretations

There are no standards, interpretations or amendments to existing standards that are effective for the first time for the financial period beginning 1 June 2023 that have had a material impact on the Fund.

3.2 The following new and revised standards, amendments and interpretations have been published but are not yet effective:

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 January 2023, and have not been early adopted in preparing these Financial Statements. None of these are expected to have a material effect on the Financial Statements of the Fund.

IAS 1, 'Presentation of Financial Statements' on classification of liabilities as current or non-current. The International Accounting Standards Board issued amendments to paragraphs 75 and 76 to specify the requirements for classifying liabilities as current or non-current. (effective periods commencing on or after 1 January 2024).

There are no other standards, interpretations or amendments to existing standards that are not yet effective that would be expected to have a significant impact on the Company and Funds.

Functional currency and presentational currency

Items included in the Company's Financial Statements are measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which it operates (the 'functional currency'). The Directors have adopted sterling as the functional and presentational currency which reflects the Company's primary activity of investing in sterling share Classes and the regulatory environment of the majority of investors, being UK based. The Company has adopted sterling as its presentational and functional currency for the Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund, Balanced Strategy Fund, Growth Strategy Fund and High Growth Strategy Fund as the majority of the Shares in each Fund have been subscribed for in sterling and all non-dealing related fees and expenses are paid in sterling.

The Company has adopted the US Dollar as its presentation and functional currency for the US\$ Growth Strategy Fund. The primary activity of this Strategy is to invest in US Dollar denominated securities, the majority of shares in this Strategy have been subscribed for in US Dollars and the primary currency in which income, fees and expenses are paid is the US Dollar.

Share premium and share capital currency translation

Share premium and share capital transactions are translated into sterling at the exchange rate ruling at the time of the transaction.

Segmental reporting

The Company, at the statement of financial position date, is organised into five business segments or Funds, each focusing on achieving returns by investing in a range of investments as described in the Investment Objectives and Policy on page 3.

The Company issues Shares which are allocated to the Fund selected by the investor. A separate account is maintained for each Fund, to which proceeds of issue, the income arising from those proceeds and expenses are allocated. Upon redemption, shareholders are entitled to their proportion of the net assets held in the Fund in which their Shares have been designated. A statement of financial position, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares and cash flow statement have been prepared for each Fund as well as for the Company as a whole.

The Board has considered the requirements of IFRS 8 'Operating Segments'. The Board is of the view that the Fund is engaged in a single unified business, being to invest in collective investments funds managed by a range of fund managers, and in one geographical area, Jersey. The Board of Directors, as a whole, has been identified as constituting the chief operating decision maker of the Fund.

The Funds invest in mutual funds and these are collective investment vehicles for our purposes.

Notes to the Financial Statements continued

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

Foreign currency translation

Assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than the functional currency of the Fund are translated at the rate of exchange ruling at the statement of financial position date. The currency profits or losses arising on translation, together with currency profits or losses realised during the period, are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

The rate of exchange to sterling from dollar ruling at 30 November 2023 used for the conversion of statement of financial position items was 1.20584 (30 November 2022: 1.20584) and the average rate for the period used for the conversion of the statement of comprehensive income was 1.17783 (30 November 2022: 1.17783).

Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss

(a) Classification

The Fund classifies its investments based on both the Fund's business model for managing those financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets. The portfolio of financial assets is managed and performance is evaluated on a fair value basis.

The Fund is primarily focused on fair value information and uses that information to assess the assets' performance and to make decisions. The Fund has not taken the option to irrevocably designate any equity securities as fair value through other comprehensive income.

The contractual cash flows of these securities are neither held for the purpose of collecting contractual cash flows nor held both for collecting contractual cash flows and for sale.

The collection of contractual cash flows is only incidental to achieving the Fund's business model's objective and consequently, all investments are measured at fair value through profit or loss.

(b) Recognition

Purchases and sales are recognised on the trade date (the date on which the Company commits to purchase or sell the asset).

(c) Measurement

Financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are initially recognised at fair value, and transaction costs for all financial assets and financial liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are expensed in the statement of comprehensive income as incurred. Subsequent to initial recognition, all financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are measured at fair value.

Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income in the period in which they arise.

The aggregated balance of net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference Shares has been translated using the average exchange rate for the period.

IFRS 13 requires the Company to classify fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

- Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1).
- Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (that is, as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices) (level 2).

Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservable inputs) (level 3).

Notes to the Financial Statements continued

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

Creations receivable and Redemptions payable

Creations receivable represent the amount due from investors for the issue of participating shares. Redemptions payable represent the amount payable to investors following a cancellation of participating shares. These are recognised at fair value.

Investment sales receivable and Investment purchases payable

Investment sales receivable represent securities sold that have been contracted for but not yet settled or delivered on the statement of financial position date.

Investment purchases payable represent securities purchased that have been contracted for but not yet settled or delivered on the statement of financial position date.

These amounts are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method less impairment.

When calculating the effective interest rate, the Fund estimates cash flows considering all contractual terms of the financial instrument but does not consider future credit losses.

The calculation includes all fees and points paid or received between parties to the contract that are an integral part of the effective interest rate, including transaction costs and all other premiums or discounts.

A provision for impairment of amounts due on investment sales receivable is established when there is objective evidence that the Fund will not be able to collect all amounts due from the relevant broker. Significant financial difficulties of the broker, probability that the broker will enter bankruptcy or financial reorganisation, and default in payments are considered indicators that the amount due from the broker is impaired.

Revenue recognition

Investment income from Fund investments is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on an ex-dividend basis when the right to receive payment is established. When a Fund holds derivatives with offsetting market risks, it uses bid-market prices as a basis for establishing fair values for the offsetting risk positions and applies this bid-market price to the net open position as appropriate, please note the Funds held no derivatives at 30 November 2023 (31 May 2023: Nil).

Fee rebate income is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on an accruals basis when the service has been provided.

Bank Interest is recognised in the statement of comprehensive income on a time proportionate basis using the effective interest rate method. The effective interest rate method is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash payments or receipts throughout the expected life of the financial asset or liability, or, when appropriate, a shorter period, to the net carrying amount of the financial asset or financial liability.

Transaction costs

There are no direct transaction costs related to the purchase or sale of underlying investments. However, the value of the underlying investments includes indirect transaction costs from the purchase and sale of underlying assets. These transaction costs do not form part of the disclosures herein.

Fair value estimation

The fair value of financial instruments traded in active markets (such as publicly traded derivatives and trading securities) is based on quoted market prices at the statement of financial position date. The quoted market price used for financial assets and financial liabilities held by the Fund is the current mid-market price as required by IFRS 13 financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value at close of business on the last business day of the accounting period.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash in hand and deposits held at call with banks.

Notes to the Financial Statements continued

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

Share capital

- (i) The Founders Shares have been subscribed for by the Manager and are non-participating. The holders thereof are entitled only to income arising on the assets represented by the Founders Shares. These Shares are classified as Ordinary Share capital in the statement of financial position.
- (ii) Unclassified Shares may be issued as either participating redeemable preference shares ('Participating Shares') or Nominal Shares. Participating Shares are redeemable at the shareholder's option and are classified as financial liabilities. Participating Shares are carried at the redemption amount that is payable if the holder exercises the right to redeem Shares at the statement of financial position date. Participating Shares are issued and redeemed at the holder's option at prices based on each Fund's net asset value per Share at the time of issue or redemption. Each Fund's net asset value per Share is calculated by dividing the net assets attributable to the holders of participating redeemable preference shares with the total number of Participating Shares in issue.

In accordance with the provisions of the Company's regulations, investments are valued based on the latest traded market price for the purpose of determining the net asset value per Share for subscriptions and redemptions.

The Shares are divided into funds according to the type of investment in which the proceeds of the issue of Shares in each Fund are invested. A separate portfolio of investments is maintained for each Fund.

The Shares of each Fund (with the exception of the US\$ Growth Strategy) are divided into two classes of participating shares. The different classes are 'A' Class Shares available to eligible Financial Intermediaries or Institutions, and 'B' Class Shares available to personal and other corporate clients.

Each holder of a Participating Share is entitled on a poll, to one vote for each Participating Share held. Participating Shares have a right to dividends declared. If any dividends are paid, different amounts of dividends may be payable in respect of different Funds.

- (iii) Nominal Shares have been accounted for in accordance with the Companies (Jersey) Law 1991, as amended, and corresponding amounts have been included in debtors and financial liabilities. A Nominal Share will be created when a Participating Share is cancelled. A Nominal Share will be cancelled when a Participating Share is created until the number of Nominal Shares falls to zero. Nominal Shares will only be issued to the Manager. Nominal Shares carry no right to dividends. Each holder of the Nominal Shares is entitled, on a poll, to one vote irrespective of the shares held.
- (iv) Both issued Nominal and Participating Shares have a nominal value of £ 0.01 per Share.

Details of the Company's Share capital transactions are shown in Note 14.

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3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies continued

Share premium

The premium on issues and redemptions of Participating Shares is accounted for within the Share premium account which forms part of the net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference Shares. Details are shown in Notes 15 and 16.

Distributions payable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares

Distributions to holders of Participating Shares are recognised and classified as finance costs when they are ratified by the Directors.

Distributions are calculated on an annual basis. A distributable amount includes both investment income (including equalisation from underlying funds) and bank interest received. Revenue expenses deducted include management fees, custodian fees, registrar fee and management expenses. There were no distributions paid to shareholders within the period.

Accrued income and expenses

Accrued income and expenses are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently stated at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

As at 30 November 2023 the Fund held no commitments in respect of an obligation resulting from the occurrence of one or more future events not wholly within the Fund's control.

Other receivables

Other receivables are recognised initially at fair value and are subsequently measured at amortised cost. The other receivables balance is held for collection.

Other payables

Other payables are recognised initially at fair value and subsequently stated at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

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4. Other Accrued Income and Other Debtors

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
As at 30 November 2023			
Cash due for Founders shares	1,000	—	—
Cash due for Nominal shares	2,149	—	—
Prepaid expenses	—	—	—
Total other accrued income and other debtors	3,149	—	—
As at 31 May 2023			
Cash due for Founders shares	1,000	—	—
Cash due for Nominal shares	32,679	—	—
Prepaid expenses	6,563	906	414
Total other accrued income and other debtors	40,242	906	414

5. Accrued Expenses and Other Creditors

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
As at 30 November 2023			
Due to Manager	178,284	23,075	10,712
Due to Custodian	15,433	2,159	1,703
Other Creditors	72,512	9,085	5,587
Total accrued expenses and other creditors	266,229	34,319	18,002
As at 31 May 2023			
Due to Manager	185,736	24,640	7,609
Due to Custodian	21,831	3,345	848
Other Creditors	101,501	13,260	6,529
Total accrued expenses and other creditors	309,068	41,245	14,986

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4. Other Accrued Income and Other Debtors

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
As at 30 November 2023			
Cash due for Founders shares	—	—	—
Cash due for Nominal shares	—	—	—
Prepaid expenses	—	—	—
Total other accrued income and other debtors	—	—	—
As at 31 May 2023			
Cash due for Founders shares	—	—	—
Cash due for Nominal shares	—	—	—
Prepaid expenses	4,509	550	230
Total other accrued income and other debtors	4,509	550	230

5. Accrued Expenses and Other Creditors

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
As at 30 November 2023			
Due to Manager	124,231	14,358	6,850
Due to Custodian	9,741	1,325	586
Other Creditors	51,463	5,567	936
Total accrued expenses and other creditors	185,435	21,250	8,372
As at 31 May 2023			
Due to Manager	132,305	15,261	7,366
Due to Custodian	14,652	2,004	1,223
Other Creditors	70,193	8,431	3,840
Total accrued expenses and other creditors	217,150	25,696	12,429

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6. Distributions

There were no distributions for the six month period ended 30 November 2023.

The distributions take account of income received on the creation of shares and income deducted on the cancellation of shares, and comprise:

Period ended 30 November 2023	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
'A' Class Shares	—	—	—
'B' Class Shares	(125)	—	—
Total distributions	(125)	—	—
Income paid on cancellation of shares	(7,411)	(16,365)	2,597
Income received on creation of shares	(34,360)	9,210	(21,394)
Net distributions after taxation for the period	(41,896)	(7,155)	(18,797)

Period ended 30 November 2022	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
'A' Class Shares	—	—	—
'B' Class Shares	—	—	—
Total distributions	—	—	—
Income paid on cancellation of shares	—	—	—
Income received on creation of shares	—	—	—
Net distributions for the period	—	—	—
Net distributions after taxation	—	—	—

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6. Distributions

There were no distributions for the six month period ended 30 November 2023.

The distributions take account of income received on the creation of shares and income deducted on the cancellation of shares, and comprise:

Period ended 30 November 2023	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
'A' Class Shares	—	—	—
'B' Class Shares	(125)	—	—
Total distributions	(125)	—	—
Income paid on cancellation of shares	12,080	(5,725)	—
Income received on creation of shares	(24,705)	2,531	—
Net distributions after taxation for the period	(12,750)	(3,194)	—

Period ended 30 November 2022	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
'A' Class Shares	—	—	—
'B' Class Shares	—	—	—
Total distributions	—	—	—
Income paid on cancellation of shares	—	—	—
Income received on creation of shares	—	—	—
Net distributions for the period	—	—	—
Net distributions after taxation	—	—	—

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7. Net Gain / (Losses) on Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss

The net gain on investments during the period comprise:

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Period ended 30 November 2023			
Proceeds from sales of investments during the period	45,629,091	6,866,155	2,511,377
Original cost of investments sold during the period	(44,085,578)	(7,102,977)	(2,509,977)
Realised foreign exchange (losses)/gains	(7,836)	259	(73)
Net gains/(losses) realised during the period	1,535,676	(236,563)	1,327
Realised gains on investments sold during the period	2,345,325	211,636	34,809
Realised losses on investments sold during the period	(801,812)	(448,458)	(33,409)
Movement in unrealised gains for the period	1,316,344	17,401	242,308
Movement in unrealised losses for the period	735,200	455,427	5,114
Unrealised foreign exchange gains/(losses)	61	(183)	22
Net gains on investments	3,587,282	236,082	248,771
Period ended 30 November 2022			
Proceeds from sales of investments during the period	36,222,052	3,978,539	1,065,282
Original cost of investments sold during the period	(40,130,363)	(4,716,086)	(1,118,526)
Realised foreign exchange (losses)/gains	(4,395)	(1,298)	—
Net losses realised during the period	(3,912,706)	(738,845)	(53,244)
Realised gains on investments sold during the period	10,513,144	1,297,403	189,658
Realised losses on investments sold during the period	(14,421,455)	(2,034,950)	(242,902)
Movement in unrealised gains for the period	2,173,987	195,529	172,069
Movement in unrealised losses for the period	447,710	(279,815)	(21,574)
Unrealised foreign exchange (losses)/gains	(268)	(289)	331
Net (losses)/gains on investments	(1,291,277)	(823,420)	97,582

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7. Net Gain / (Losses) on Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit or Loss

The net gain on investments during the period comprise:

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Period ended 30 November 2023			
Proceeds from sales of investments during the period	30,871,913	4,045,919	1,547,754
Original cost of investments sold during the period	(29,262,457)	(3,885,393)	(1,537,364)
Realised foreign exchange (losses)/gains	(2,259)	271	(7,002)
Net gains/(losses) realised during the period	1,607,196	160,797	3,388
Realised gains on investments sold during the period	1,804,143	243,640	59,296
Realised losses on investments sold during the period	(194,688)	(83,114)	(48,907)
Movement in unrealised gains for the period	744,036	90,316	257,954
Movement in unrealised losses for the period	83,084	49,584	164,778
Unrealised foreign exchange gains/(losses)	(54)	267	9
Net gains on investments	2,434,262	300,964	426,129
Period ended 30 November 2022			
Proceeds from sales of investments during the period	27,614,659	2,661,108	1,062,947
Original cost of investments sold during the period	(30,331,939)	(3,018,752)	(1,113,117)
Realised foreign exchange (losses)/gains	(2,959)	453	(694)
Net losses realised during the period	(2,720,239)	(357,191)	(50,864)
Realised gains on investments sold during the period	7,460,739	865,840	823,895
Realised losses on investments sold during the period	(10,178,019)	(1,223,484)	(874,065)
Movement in unrealised gains for the period	1,658,474	205,407	(67,715)
Movement in unrealised losses for the period	675,540	174,478	(118,865)
Unrealised foreign exchange gains	(247)	(67)	1
Net (losses)/gains on investments	(386,472)	22,627	(237,443)

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8. Other Income

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Period ended 30 November 2023			
Bank interest	12	—	—
Total other income	12	—	—
Period ended 30 November 2022			
Bank interest	770	—	—
Total other income	770	—	—

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8. Other Income

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Period ended 30 November 2023			
Bank interest	9	3	—
Total other income	9	3	—
Period ended 30 November 2022			
Bank interest	770	—	—
Total other income	770	—	—

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9. Operating Expenses

	Notes	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Period ended 30 November 2023				
Payable to the Manager:				
Annual management fees	10	878,175	115,606	56,868
Registrar fees	10	33,403	4,092	384
Payable to the Custodian:				
Custodian fees	11	56,114	8,495	6,030
Safe Custody fees	11	25,057	3,254	2,356
Other expenses:				
Administration expenses		46,510	7,905	8,094
Audit fee		31,380	4,244	2,275
Directors fees		19,796	2,571	1,862
Directors Insurance		6,577	906	414
Total expenses		1,097,012	147,073	78,283
Total Expense Ratio' A' Class Shares *			1.22%	1.39%
Total Expense Ratio' B' Class Shares*			1.72%	1.89%
Period ended 30 November 2022				
Payable to the Manager:				
Annual management fees	10	831,619	116,805	23,321
Registrar fees	10	35,236	4,464	204
Payable to the Custodian:				
Custodian fees	11	75,505	12,408	2,151
Safe Custody fees	11	27,229	4,151	1,432
Other expenses:				
Administration expenses		61,923	10,142	1,907
Audit fee		15,690	2,271	461
Directors fees		18,216	2,593	776
Directors Insurance		4,036	536	3
Total expenses		1,069,454	153,370	30,255
Total Expense Ratio' A' Class Shares *			1.37%	1.35%
Total Expense Ratio' B' Class Shares*			1.87%	1.85%

* The Total Expense Ratio ("TER") represents the total expenses charged to the Fund and includes the Annual Management Charge ("AMC"), the Custodian Fee, any underlying fund costs payable and the operating expenses incurred in running the Fund, expressed as a percentage of the average daily net asset values during the period.

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9. Operating Expenses

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Period ended 30 November 2023			
Payable to the Manager:			
Annual management fees	605,562	69,315	35,770
Registrar fees	24,984	3,000	1,095
Payable to the Custodian:			
Custodian fees	33,905	5,227	2,851
Safe Custody fees	16,669	1,995	908
Other expenses:			
Administration expenses	18,107	7,229	6,008
Audit fee	21,339	2,545	1,133
Directors fees	13,169	1,576	717
Directors Insurance	4,509	550	230
Total expenses	738,244	91,437	48,712
Total Expense Ratio' A' Class Shares *	1.34%	1.44%	—
Total Expense Ratio' B' Class Shares *	1.84%	1.94%	2.00%

Period ended 30 November 2022

Payable to the Manager:			
Annual management fees	593,732	70,600	31,992
Registrar fees	26,388	3,228	1,122
Payable to the Custodian:			
Custodian fees	49,240	7,449	5,014
Safe Custody fees	18,393	2,340	1,076
Other expenses:			
Administration expenses	35,594	8,354	6,974
Audit fee	11,094	1,374	579
Directors fees	12,722	1,557	669
Directors Insurance	2,988	375	160
Total expenses	750,151	95,277	47,586
Total Expense Ratio' A' Class Shares *	1.42%	1.49%	—
Total Expense Ratio' B' Class Shares *	1.92%	1.99%	2.15%

* The Total Expense Ratio ("TER") represents the total expenses charged to the Fund and includes the Annual Management Charge ("AMC"), the Custodian Fee, any underlying fund costs payable and the operating expenses incurred in running the Fund, expressed as a percentage of the average daily net asset values during the period.

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10. Related Party Transactions

Parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise influence over the party in making financial or operating decisions. The following are considered by the Directors of the Company to be related parties:

- The Manager, Brooks Macdonald International Fund Managers Limited.
- The Investment Manager, Brooks Macdonald Asset Management (International) Limited.
- Key management personnel.

The fees received by the Manager are set out in Note 9. The Investment Manager is paid by the Manager. Details of amounts due to the Manager at the end of the period are shown in Note 5.

All investor share transactions in the Company are facilitated through the Manager, the aggregate values of which are set out in the statement of changes in net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares on pages 17 and 18.

At the period end the Manager did not hold Participating Shares in the Company.

(a) Management and Registrar fees

The Manager of the Company is part of the Brooks Macdonald Group. The Manager is entitled to a daily fee equal to the annual rate set out below by reference to the net assets of each Fund calculated daily and paid monthly by the Company.

The Management fee for 'A' class shares is 0.50% and for 'B' class shares is 1% of the mid-market value of net assets of the respective classes of each Fund.

The Directors and the Manager may agree a higher fee for any Fund subject to a maximum annual rate of 2.00% of the mid market value of net assets of the Fund. If such a higher fee is agreed, shareholders of the relevant Fund will be given at least three months' written notice before it comes into effect.

None of the Funds as represented within these Financial Statements invest in other Funds within the Company.

The Manager is entitled to a fee payable by the Company of £12.00 (30 November 2022: £12.00) for each shareholding which appears on the Share Register on the last business day of each annual and half yearly accounting period. The Manager and the Company may agree a higher fee.

Details of amounts due to the Manager at the end of the period are shown in Note 5.

(b) Key management personnel

Mr. M.P. Farley was appointed as a non-executive director of the Manager with effect from 27 October 2023.

Mr. R. J. Hughes resigned as a Director of the Manager, effective 7 December 2023, and as the Chief Executive Officer of Brooks Macdonald Asset Management (International) Limited, effective 22 January 2024.

Mr. M. Hucker resigned as a Director of the Manager with effect from 30 September 2023.

(c) Directors' fees

Directors who are employees of the Brooks Macdonald or JTC Groups do not receive any remuneration from the Company. All non-executive Directors currently receive a maximum fee of £25,000 per annum for each Director (31 May 2023: £25,000 per annum). Directors fees expense for the period ended 30 November 2023 was £19,796 (31 May 2023: £37,649). Directors fees outstanding at period end was £6,702 (31 May 2023: £6,401).

11. Custodian

The fees received by the Custodian are set out in Note 9. Details of amounts due to the Custodian at the end of the period are shown in Note 5.

The Custodian is entitled to an annual fee payable monthly by the Company, in respect of each Fund, at the rates set out in the tables on the next page by reference to the net asset value of each Fund calculated on a mid-market basis.

In accordance with Clause 8 of the Custodian Agreement the fee rates have been revised with effect from 1 August 2023. The revised fee structure incorporates a reduction of the basis point fee rate across Funds and adoption of consistent tranches. The rates before and after the revision are set out in the tables on the next page.

Old fee structure

Per the old fee structure Custodian fees were subject to a minimum overall fee of £5,000 per annum per sterling Fund Class and US\$10,000 per US\$ Fund Class. The minimum fee for the US\$ Fund Classes were waived.

The Custodian was entitled to transaction charges as such as was agreed with the Manager from time to time.

The Custodian was entitled to reimbursement by each Fund of its expenses in connection with its duties as Custodian and to make transaction charges to cover the cost of effecting settlement of stock and cash.

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11. Custodian continued

Old fee structure (continued)

These fees were subject to a maximum rate of 0.25% for any Fund.

Custodian Fee Rates

	Up to £50M	NAV of each Fund Next £50M	£100M Plus
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund	0.100%	0.075%	0.050%
Balanced Strategy Fund	0.100%	0.075%	0.050%
Growth Strategy Fund	0.100%	0.075%	0.050%
High Growth Strategy Fund	0.100%	0.075%	0.050%
	Up to US\$100M	NAV of each Fund Next US\$100M	US\$200M Plus
US\$ Growth Strategy Fund	0.100%	0.075%	0.050%

New fee structure

Per the new fee structure Custodian fees are subject to a minimum overall fee of £60,000 per annum for the Fund as a whole to be apportioned between the sub funds.

The Custodian shall charge an annual fixed fee of £350 per sub fund to cover general disbursements incurred in the normal course of business. The Custodian shall also be entitled to recover all other out of pocket expenses reasonably incurred in the performance of its duties.

Minimum fees, fixed fees and time spent fees are subject to an increase of either 6.5% per annum, or annual increase in Jersey inflation rate + 3% per annum at 1st January each year.

Custodian Fee Rates

	Up to £50M	NAV of each Fund £50M to £100M	£100M Plus
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund	0.050%	0.035%	0.025%
Balanced Strategy Fund	0.050%	0.035%	0.025%
Growth Strategy Fund	0.050%	0.035%	0.025%
High Growth Strategy Fund	0.050%	0.035%	0.025%
	Up to US\$50M	NAV of each Fund Next US\$50M	US\$100M Plus
US\$ Growth Strategy Fund	0.050%	0.035%	0.025%

12. Controlling Party

In the opinion of the Directors, there is no ultimate controlling party of the Company as defined by IAS 24 Related Party Disclosures.

13. Equalisation

The price of a share includes an equalisation amount calculated by dividing the net undistributed income of that Fund by the number of shares in issue at the time when the prices are calculated. The payment of the first distribution after the issue of a share includes an amount of equalisation calculated by averaging the amounts received by way of equalisation during the period to which the distribution relates.

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14. Share Capital

Company	30 November 2023 £	31 May 2023 £
Authorised Share Capital:		
1,000 Founders Shares of £1	1,000	1,000
750,000,000 Unclassified Shares of 1p	7,500,000	7,500,000
	7,501,000	7,501,000
Issued Ordinary Share Capital:		
Founders Shares	1,000	1,000
Nominal Shares:		
Balance brought forward	32,679	4,654
Creations	57,421	105,882
Redemptions	(87,951)	(77,857)
Balance carried forward	2,149	32,679
Participating Shares: Total		
Balance brought forward	1,148,326	1,018,277
Creations	292,351	235,931
Redemptions	(57,421)	(105,882)
Balance carried forward	1,383,256	1,148,326
Participating Shares: 'A' Class Shares		
Balance brought forward	281,438	115,849
Creations	255,364	188,832
Redemptions	(14,758)	(23,243)
Balance carried forward	522,044	281,438
Participating Shares: 'B' Class Shares		
Balance brought forward	866,888	902,428
Creations	36,987	47,099
Redemptions	(42,663)	(82,639)
Balance carried forward	861,212	866,888

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14. Share Capital (continued)

	30 November 2023		31 May 2023	
Fund Total	Shares	£	Shares	£
Cautious Balanced Strategy	22,776,074	227,761	20,817,960	208,179
Balanced Strategy	22,569,194	225,692	14,170,198	141,701
Growth Strategy	80,120,788	801,208	68,751,443	687,514
High Growth Strategy	8,860,448	88,604	7,053,681	70,536
Total Sterling Funds	134,326,504	1,343,265	110,793,282	1,107,930
	Shares	US\$	Shares	US\$
US\$ Growth Strategy	3,998,568	133,621	4,038,839	134,079
	Shares	£	Shares	£
Total Company (Sterling equivalent)	138,325,072	1,383,256	114,832,121	1,148,326
Fund 'A' Class Shares	Shares	£	Shares	£
Cautious Balanced Strategy	6,354,549	63,497	4,285,411	42,854
Balanced Strategy	17,341,078	173,411	10,091,733	100,917
Growth Strategy	23,922,757	239,227	11,203,484	112,035
High Growth Strategy	4,590,838	45,909	2,563,186	25,632
Total Sterling Funds	52,209,222	522,044	28,143,814	281,438
	Shares	US\$	Shares	US\$
US\$ Growth Strategy	—	—	—	—
	Shares	£	Shares	£
Total 'A' Class Share (Sterling equivalent)	52,209,222	522,044	28,143,814	281,438

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14. Share Capital (continued)

Fund 'B' Class Shares	30 November 2023		31 May 2023	
	Shares	£	Shares	£
Cautious Balanced Strategy	16,421,525	164,263	16,532,549	165,325
Balanced Strategy	5,228,116	52,281	4,078,465	40,784
Growth Strategy	56,198,031	561,980	57,547,959	575,479
High Growth Strategy	4,269,610	42,695	4,490,495	44,904
Total Sterling Funds	82,117,282	821,219	82,649,468	826,492
	Shares	US\$	Shares	US\$
US\$ Growth Strategy	3,998,568	133,621	4,038,839	134,079
	Shares	£	Shares	£
Total 'B' Class Shares (Sterling equivalent)	86,115,850	861,212	86,688,307	866,888

Details of the Company's share capital are shown on page 37.

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15. Share Premium

	30 November 2023	31 May 2023
	£	£
Total		
Cautious Balanced Strategy	19,793,388	18,116,925
Balanced Strategy	20,602,308	12,986,503
Growth Strategy	81,923,175	72,808,614
High Growth Strategy	5,204,117	3,938,858
Total Sterling Funds	127,522,988	107,850,900
	US\$	US\$
US\$ Growth Strategy	2,242,717	2,322,628
Total Company (Sterling equivalent)	126,900,646	107,297,420
Balance brought forward	107,297,420	101,538,925
Premium on creations	28,312,500	22,735,421
Premium on redemptions	(8,709,274)	(16,976,926)
Balance carried forward	126,900,646	107,297,420
	£	£
'A' Class Shares		
Cautious Balanced Strategy	5,748,017	3,948,067
Balanced Strategy	15,833,362	9,261,152
Growth Strategy	22,132,141	10,394,958
High Growth Strategy	4,358,980	2,489,542
Total Sterling Funds	48,072,500	26,093,719
	US\$	US\$
US\$ Growth Strategy	—	—
Total 'A' Class Shares (Sterling equivalent)	48,072,500	26,093,719
Balance brought forward	26,093,719	11,081,305
Premium on creations	23,326,074	17,082,082
Premium on redemptions	(1,347,293)	(2,069,668)
Balance carried forward	48,072,500	26,093,719

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15. Share Premium (continued)

	30 November 2023	31 May 2023
	£	£
'B' Class Shares		
Cautious Balanced Strategy	14,045,371	14,168,858
Balanced Strategy	4,768,946	3,725,351
Growth Strategy	59,791,034	62,413,656
High Growth Strategy	845,137	1,449,316
Total Sterling Funds	79,450,488	81,757,181
	US\$	US\$
US\$ Growth Strategy	2,242,717	2,322,628
Total 'B' Class Shares (Sterling equivalent)	78,828,147	81,203,701
Balance brought forward	81,203,701	90,457,619
Premium on creations	4,986,425	5,653,339
Premium on redemptions	(7,361,979)	(14,907,257)
Balance carried forward	78,828,147	81,203,701

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16. Capital Reserves

	Notes	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Net realised gains/(losses) on investments brought forward as at 31 May 2023		68,248,701	6,067,676	(332,571)
Net realised gains/(losses) for the period	7	1,535,676	(236,563)	1,327
Net realised gains/(losses) on investments carried forward as at 30 November 2023		69,784,377	5,831,113	(331,244)
Net unrealised movement on investment brought forward as at 31 May 2023		(314,409)	(457,391)	82,427
Net unrealised movement in the period	7	2,051,606	472,645	247,444
Net unrealised movement on investment carried forward as at 30 November 2023		1,737,197	15,254	329,871
Total realised / unrealised movement carried forward		71,521,574	5,846,367	(1,373)
Net transfer (from) / to capital reserve brought forward as at 31 May 2023		(983,969)	—	—
Net movement from capital reserve in the period		(18,044)	—	—
Net transfer from capital reserve carried forward as at 30 November 2023		(1,002,013)	—	—
As at 30 November 2023		70,519,561	5,846,367	(1,373)

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16. Capital Reserves

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Net realised gains/(losses) on investments brought forward as at 31 May 2023	47,815,520	10,494,009	6,005,227
Net realised gains/(losses) for the period	1,607,196	160,797	3,387
Net realised gains/(losses) on investments carried forward as at 30 November 2023	49,422,716	10,654,806	6,008,614
Net unrealised movement on investment brought forward as at 31 May 2023	320,879	(160)	(159,333)
Net unrealised movement in the period	827,066	140,167	422,742
Net unrealised movement on investment carried forward as at 30 November 2023	1,147,945	140,007	263,409
Total realised / unrealised movement carried forward	50,570,661	10,794,813	6,272,023
Net transfer (from) / to capital reserve brought forward as at 31 May 2023	(147,559)	—	(1,380,067)
Net movement from capital reserve in the period	—	—	(20,939)
Net transfer from capital reserve carried forward as at 30 November 2023	(147,559)	—	(1,401,006)
As at 30 November 2023	50,423,102	10,794,813	4,871,017

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17. Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares

As at 30 November 2023	Notes	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Share capital	14	1,383,256	227,761	225,692
Share premium	15	126,900,646	19,793,388	20,602,308
Capital reserves	16	70,519,561	5,846,367	(1,373)
Undistributed income *		594,926	340,515	119,224
Movement in currency translation		3,377,172	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares		202,775,561	26,208,031	20,945,851
As at 31 May 2023				
Share capital	14	1,148,326	208,179	141,701
Share premium	15	107,297,420	18,116,925	12,986,503
Capital reserves	16	66,950,323	5,610,285	(250,144)
Undistributed (loss) / income*		(60,473)	134,972	(519)
Movement in currency translation		2,969,931	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares		178,305,527	24,070,361	12,877,541

* Undistributed income under the accruals method as at 30 November 2023 amounts to £655,392 (31 May 2023 amounts to £12,815).

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17. Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
As at 30 November 2023			
Share capital	801,208	88,604	133,621
Share premium	81,923,175	5,204,117	2,242,717
Capital reserves	50,423,102	10,794,813	4,871,017
Undistributed income *	107,693	27,492	—
Movement in currency translation	—	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares	133,255,178	16,115,026	7,247,355
As at 31 May 2023			
Share capital	687,514	70,536	134,079
Share premium	72,808,614	3,938,858	2,322,628
Capital reserves	47,988,840	10,493,849	4,465,827
Undistributed income	(198,837)	3,919	—
Movement in currency translation	—	—	—
Net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares	121,286,131	14,501,162	6,922,534

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18. Taxation

In accordance with IAS 12 Income Taxes, investment income is shown gross of withholding tax.

During the period ended 30 November 2023 no withholding tax was suffered (31 May 2023: nil)

The Company is liable to be charged at a tax rate of 0% under Schedule D of the Income Tax (Jersey) Law 1961, as amended (the 'Income Tax Law') in respect of:

- (i) the income or profits of any trade carried on by the Company in Jersey or elsewhere,
- (ii) any interest of money, whether yearly or otherwise, or other annual payment paid to the Company, whether such payment is made within or outside of Jersey,
- (iii) dividends and other distributions of a company regarded as resident in Jersey paid to the Company,
- (iv) income arising to the Company from securities outside of Jersey, and
- (v) any other income of the Company that is not derived from the ownership or disposal of land in Jersey.

It is not expected that the Company will be in receipt of income charged to tax under any Schedule under Income Tax Law other than Schedule D. As such the Company is no longer subject to the payment of tax in Jersey.

Jersey resident individuals should note that any income received from the Fund(s) will be paid gross and will be taxable under Schedule D Case III (D3) of the Income Tax Law.

19. Investment Dealing

During the period no transactions in the property of the Funds were carried out through brokers. All transactions were carried out directly with the Investment Managers.

20. Financial risk management

Strategy in using financial instruments

The Company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including currency risk, fair value interest rate risk, cash flow interest rate risk and price risk), liquidity risk, counter-party risk, capital risk and certain other risks. The Company's overall risk management programme focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the Company's financial performance. Each Fund is able to use derivative financial instruments to moderate certain risk exposures, there were no such exposures as at 30 November 2023.

Each Fund's investment objectives and policy are stated on page 3.

To achieve these objectives the Fund's assets and liabilities comprise financial instruments held in accordance with the Fund's investment objectives and policy.

These may include funds that may hold

- Investments including equity and non-equity Shares, bonds and floating rate securities
- Cash, liquid resources and short term debtors and creditors that arise directly from the investment activities
- Hedging instruments, such as forward exchange contracts and traded options, which a Fund may enter into for the purpose of managing the risks arising from the Fund's investment activities

Market risk

All securities investments present a risk of loss of capital. The Investment Manager moderates this risk through a careful selection of investments within specified limits. The maximum risk resulting from investments is determined by the fair value of those investments. The overall market position and therefore the risk exposure for each Fund are governed by the Prospectus, the Collective Investment Funds (Recognized Funds) (Rules) (Jersey) Order 2003, as amended and the investment objectives for each Fund. These positions are monitored on a daily basis by the Investment Manager.

The Funds invest exclusively in collective investments which in turn predominantly invest in equities, and cash, dependent on each Fund's investment policy. The value of these are not fixed and may go down as well as up. This may be the result of a specific factor affecting the value of an individual stock or be caused by general market factors (such as interest rates, government policy or the health of the underlying economy) which could affect the entire portfolio of a Fund.

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20. Financial risk management continued

The period end portfolios of each Fund are detailed on pages 23 to 32.

The Investment Manager controls this risk on a Fund by Fund basis and monitors the performance of each underlying collective investment against the relevant composite indices and peer group.

Price Risk

The Investment Manager considers that a reasonably possible movement in the market risk components would be equivalent to a 5% movement in equity and bond indices and a 1% movement in market interest rates.

The table below summarises, for each of the Funds, the impact of increases/ (decreases) in the equity and bond indices, and market interest rates on the net asset value as at 30 November 2023. The analysis is based on the assumption that the equity indices increase / (decrease) by 20%, bond indices increase / (decrease) by 9%, and market interest rates increase / (decrease) by 1%, with all other variables held constant. The analysis also assumes that the movement in the portfolios of each Fund has perfect positive correlation with the equity and bond indices and market interest rates.

Period/year ended	Strategy	Value (base currency)	Equities 20% Movement in equity index	Bonds 9% Movement in bond index	Cash 1% Movement in interest rate
30.11.2023	Cautious Balanced	26,208,032	2,771,547	680,250	14,774
31.05.2023	Cautious Balanced	24,070,361	3,085,111	440,433	6,514
30.11.2023	Balanced	20,945,851	2,348,949	167,420	5,613
31.05.2023	Balanced	12,877,539	2,190,719	65,036	3,609
30.11.2023	Growth	133,255,178	17,214,372	376,699	8,104
31.05.2023	Growth	121,286,131	23,263,884	—	9,502
30.11.2023	High Growth	16,115,026	2,446,729	—	1,727
31.05.2023	High Growth	14,507,162	2,898,392	—	803
30.11.2023	US\$ Growth	7,247,355	1,019,901	18,424	1,485
31.05.2023	US\$ Growth	6,922,534	1,307,441	—	476

Interest rate risk

Each Fund receives income from its various investments. The income received by each Investment is not fixed in nature. It is derived from the securities held in the portfolio of each underlying Investment which may be varied from time to time in accordance with its investment objective and policy. In accordance with the Fund's policy, the Investment Manager monitors each Fund's overall interest rate sensitivity on a daily basis. The interest bearing financial assets and liabilities held in the Funds expose them to risks associated with the effects of fluctuations in the prevailing levels of market interest rates on their financial position and cash flows.

Foreign currency risk

A portion of the underlying financial assets of the Funds may be denominated in currencies other than the base currency with the effect that the statement of financial position and each Fund's total return can be significantly affected by currency movements. An investment in a currency other than the shareholders' own base currency will be subject to the movement of foreign exchange rates, which may cause additional favourable or unfavourable changes in value.

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20. Financial risk management continued

In respect of foreign currency exposure, derivative instruments will only be utilised where a forward exchange or currency option is used for the purpose of reduction of foreign currency risk, in order to hedge this exposure back to the base currency of the Fund.

The Company is not currently involved in any currency hedging transactions. In accordance with the Company's policy, the Investment Manager monitors each Fund's currency position on a daily basis. None of the underlying financial assets of the Funds were denominated in a currency other than base currency at 30 November 2023.

Credit risk

The Company takes on exposure to credit risk, which is the risk that a counter-party will be unable to pay amounts in full when due. Impairment provisions would be provided for losses that have been incurred by the statement of financial position date. As at 30 November 2023, no impairment provisions were required and there was no money overdue.

In accordance with each Fund's policy, the Investment Manager monitors the Fund's credit position on a daily basis.

Certain transactions that the Funds enter into expose them to the risk that the counter-party will not deliver the investment (purchase) or cash (sale) after the Fund has fulfilled its responsibilities. It is the policy of the Investment Manager to buy and sell investments only through approved brokers, or directly with the Manager. Credit risk exposure is balanced by the regulatory obligation of the counter parties.

The risk to Shareholders is that one or more Funds will not have enough cash to cover redemptions. To counter this risk each Fund's cash is managed to meet its liabilities. Where investments cannot be realised in time to meet any redemptions of Participating Shares, each Fund may borrow up to 10% of its value to ensure settlement of its liabilities.

No borrowings have been undertaken during the period.

The maximum credit risk of the Company in the event of other parties failing to perform their obligations is the statements of financial position value of assets.

Capital risk management

The net assets attributable to holders of participating redeemable preference shares are classified as financial liabilities and therefore, in the opinion of the Directors, the Capital of the Company is only represented by the Founders Shares. Details of Founders Shares are shown in notes 3 and 14. Due to the nature and requirement for Founders' Shares the Directors have decided that no active capital risk management is required.

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20. Financial risk management continued

Fair value estimation

The fair value of financial assets and liabilities traded in active markets are based on the latest published price of the collective investments held. The quoted market price used for financial assets held by the Company is the current mid price, these are updated each morning at 10am and represented in the Fund's daily share prices; the appropriate quoted market price for financial liabilities is the current asking price. When the Company holds derivatives with offsetting market risks, it uses mid-market prices as a basis for establishing fair values for the offsetting risk positions and applies this bid or asking price to the net open position, as appropriate. If a significant movement in fair value occurs subsequent to the close of trading on the period end date, valuation techniques will be applied to determine the fair value. There has been no significant movements in the fair value of any holdings since the period end date.

A financial instrument is regarded as quoted in an active market if quoted prices are readily and regularly available from a fund manager, exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service, or regulatory agency, and those prices represent actual and regularly occurring market transactions at an arm's length basis.

IFRS 13 requires the Company to classify fair value measurements using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

- Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1).
- Inputs other than quoted prices included within level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (that is, as prices) or indirectly (that is, derived from prices) (level 2).
- Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (that is, unobservable inputs) (level 3).
- The level in the fair value hierarchy within which the fair value measurement is categorised in its entirety is determined on the basis of the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. For this purpose, the significance of an input is assessed against the fair value measurement in its entirety.

If a fair value measurement uses observable inputs that require significant adjustment based on unobservable inputs, that measurement is a level 3 measurement. Assessing the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgement, considering factors specific to the asset or liability.

The determination of what constitutes 'observable', requires significant judgement by the Directors. The Directors consider observable data to be that market data that is readily available, regularly distributed or updated, reliable and verifiable, not proprietary, and provided by independent sources that are actively involved in the relevant market.

There have been no transfers between levels. The financial assets at fair value through profit or loss of the Company are all quoted in active markets and therefore fall under level 1 as defined above.

Derivatives

Derivatives will only be used where they accord with existing investment objectives and policy. They may not be used for the purpose of reducing risk independently of investment strategy in respect of the underlying physical assets or for merely speculative purposes. Derivatives will only be used for efficient portfolio management. Derivatives may not be used for the purpose of gearing or leveraging, or for purposes of producing, enhancing or generating income. No derivative can be traded on an Over The Counter basis, and no uncovered positions are allowed.

The underlying Funds may hold the following derivatives:

(a) Futures

Futures are contractual obligations to buy or sell financial instruments on a future date at a specified price established in an organised market. The futures contracts are collateralised by cash or marketable securities. Changes in the futures contracts value are settled daily with the exchange. Interest rate futures are contractual obligations to receive or pay a net amount based on changes in interest rates at a future date at a specified price, established in an organised financial market. Futures are settled on a net basis.

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20. Financial risk management continued

(b) Options

An option is a contractual arrangement under which the seller (writer) grants the purchaser (holder) the right, but not the obligation, either to buy (a call option) or sell (a put option) at or by a set date or during a set period, a specific amount of securities or a financial instrument at a predetermined price. The seller receives a premium from the purchaser in consideration for the assumption of future securities prices. Where options are held by the underlying Funds, they are exchange-traded. The Funds are exposed to credit risk on purchased options only to the extent of their carrying amount, which is their fair value. Options are settled on a gross basis.

The notional amounts of certain types of financial instrument provide a basis for comparison with instruments recognised on the statements of financial position, but they do not necessarily indicate the amounts of future cash flows involved or the current fair value of the instruments and do not therefore indicate the Company's exposure to credit or market price risks. The derivative instruments become favourable (assets) or unfavourable (liabilities) as a result of fluctuations in market interest rates or foreign exchange rates relative to their terms.

The aggregate contractual or notional amount of derivative financial instruments on hand, the extent to which instruments are favourable or unfavourable, and thus the aggregate fair values of derivative financial assets and liabilities can fluctuate significantly from time to time.

During the period the Company did not enter into any derivative contracts.

Liquidity risk

The Company is exposed to daily cash redemptions of Participating Shares which are redeemed on demand at the holder's option.

It therefore invests all of its assets in investments that are traded in an active market and can be readily disposed of. From time to time assets held could become illiquid due to in-active trading. At 30 November 2023 the percentage of the assets within the portfolios which are subject to special arrangements arising from their illiquid nature is 0% (31 May 2023: 0%). As such each Fund's financial assets are considered to be readily realisable for cash.

The Investment Manager manages each Fund's cash to meet its liabilities. Where investments cannot be realised in time to meet any redemptions of Participating Shares, each Fund may borrow up to 10% of its value to ensure settlement of its liabilities. Borrowings during the period did not exceed the 10% limit.

In accordance with the Company's policy, the Investment Manager monitors each Fund's liquidity position on a daily basis.

The table on the following pages analyses the Company's financial liabilities into relevant maturity groups based on the remaining period at the statement of financial position date to the contractual maturity date.

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20 Financial Risk Management (continued)

Liquidity risk continued

	Company £	Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund £	Balanced Strategy Fund £
Period ended 30 November 2023			
Share Capital (less than 1 month)	202,839,198	26,208,031	20,945,851
Cancellations payable (less than 1 month)	344,130	73,310	15,000
Investments purchased payable (less than 1 month)	867,991	792,123	75,868
Other liabilities (less than 1 month)	232,799	30,228	17,630
(1 month to 3 months)	33,430	4,091	372
Total financial liabilities	204,317,548	27,107,783	21,054,721
Year ended 31 May 2023			
Share Capital (less than 1 month)	178,305,527	24,070,361	12,877,541
Cancellation payable (less than 1 month)	12,229	6,960	—
Investment purchase payable (less than 1 month)	6,773	—	—
Other liabilities (less than 1 month)	207,567	27,985	8,457
(1 month to 3 months)	101,501	13,260	6,529
Total financial liabilities	178,633,597	24,118,566	12,892,527

None of the Alternative Investment Fund's assets are subject to special arrangements arising from their illiquid nature in accordance with Article 23(4)(a) of Directive 2011/61/EU.

Cross Fund Liability

Shareholders should be aware that in the event of the Company being unable to meet liabilities attributable to any particular Fund or share class out of the assets attributable to such Fund or share class, the excess liabilities may have to be met out of the assets attributable to the other Funds or share classes.

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20 Financial Risk Management (continued)

Liquidity risk continued

	Growth Strategy Fund £	High Growth Strategy Fund £	US\$ Growth Strategy Fund US\$
Period ended 30 November 2023			
Share Capital (less than 1 month)	133,267,730	16,162,963	7,247,355
Cancellations payable (less than 1 month)	180,122	73,542	2,500
Investments purchased payable (less than 1 month)	—	—	—
Other liabilities (less than 1 month)	160,427	18,238	7,275
(1 month to 3 months)	25,008	3,012	1,097
Total financial liabilities	133,633,287	16,257,755	7,258,227
Year ended 31 May 2023			
Share Capital (less than 1 month)	121,305,527	14,507,162	6,922,534
Cancellation payable (less than 1 month)	—	—	—
Investment purchase payable (less than 1 month)	6,773	—	—
Other liabilities (less than 1 month)	146,957	17,265	8,589
(1 month to 3 months)	70,193	8,431	3,840
Total financial liabilities	121,510,054	14,538,127	6,934,963

None of the Alternative Investment Fund's assets are subject to special arrangements arising from their illiquid nature in accordance with Article 23(4)(a) of Directive 2011/61/EU.

21. Events After The Period End Date

There are no events after reporting period end that have arisen in the interval between the end of the financial period and the date of this report, any other item, transaction or event of a material nature likely in the opinion of the Directors, to affect significantly the operations of the Company, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of the Company, in subsequent financial years.

Performance Records

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

'A' Class Shares

Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 7 July 2021 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/ Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 07/07/2021 £
2021	102.17	98.92	—	—
2022	101.33	84.04	1.00	9.97
30.11.23	92.53	86.79	—	—

Balanced Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 11 August 2021 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/ Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 11/08/2021 £
2021	102.13	96.46	—	—
2022	101.07	85.83	0.52	5.24
30.11.23	95.94	89.36	—	—

Growth Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 7 July 2021 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/ Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 07/07/2021 £
2021	105.29	99.31	—	—
2022	103.94	85.59	0.46	4.60
30.11.23	97.21	89.99	—	—

High Growth Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 7 July 2021 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/ Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 07/07/2021 £
2021	105.77	99.06	—	—
2022	104.16	85.05	0.11	1.11
30.11.23	97.08	89.85	—	—

Performance Records continued

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'B' Class Shares

Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 14 September 2004 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 31/12/13 £
2014	112.40	104.60	2.60	27.35
2015	117.30	108.10	2.35	24.72
2016	123.10	107.30	1.95	20.51
2017	125.90	120.90	1.12	11.78
2018	126.10	117.70	0.55	5.79
2019	132.20	118.50	—	—
2020	133.40	111.90	—	—
2021	138.26	126.00	—	—
2022	141.94	117.61	1.03	10.87
30.11.23	129.29	121.56	—	—

Balanced Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 22 December 2021 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 22/12/21 £
2021	100.85	100.32	—	—
2022	100.95	85.81	0.08	0.82
30.11.23	95.76	89.32	—	—

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'B' Class Shares

Growth Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 14 September 2004 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 31/12/13 £
2014	149.50	138.80	2.50	22.81
2015	160.80	141.80	2.20	20.07
2016	171.30	137.70	1.95	17.79
2017	183.00	170.40	1.26	11.50
2018	187.60	164.70	0.44	4.01
2019	193.70	166.50	—	—
2020	197.80	147.10	—	—
2021	206.87	174.60	—	—
2022	217.40	179.23	1.03	—
30.11.23	203.24	188.39	—	—

High Growth Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 14 September 2004 at an offer price of 100p per share.

Calendar Year/Period	Highest Offer Price p	Lowest Bid Price p	Income per Share p	Income per £1,000 Invested at 31/12/13 £
2014	180.80	162.30	—	—
2015	198.60	166.70	—	—
2016	221.10	162.20	—	—
2017	246.30	220.00	—	—
2018	256.70	217.80	—	—
2019	263.00	221.50	—	—
2020	270.30	192.70	—	—
2021	289.80	234.30	—	—
2022	306.47	250.00	—	—
30.11.23	284.43	263.59	—	—

Performance Records continued

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'B' Class Shares

US\$ Growth Strategy Fund

Shares in the Fund Class were first offered to the public on the 14 October 2005 at an offer price of US\$1.00 per share.

Calendar Year/Period	Highest Offer Price c	Lowest Bid Price c	Income per Share c	Income per \$1,000 Invested at 31/12/13 \$
2014	145.90	130.40	—	—
2015	150.90	130.30	—	—
2016	145.40	120.30	—	—
2017	166.00	143.20	—	—
2018	172.70	144.10	—	—
2019	172.80	146.30	—	—
2020	179.10	127.90	—	—
2021	206.85	160.10	—	—
2022	215.07	146.09	—	—
30.11.23	185.36	159.61	—	—

Change in Net Asset Value per Share

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

'A' Class Shares Year/Period	Net Asset Value of Fund £	Number of Shares in Issue	Opening net asset value per share p	Return before operating charges p
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	2,323,677	2,712,400	100.00	(0.79)
31.05.23	3,755,572	4,285,411	85.67	(0.40)
30.11.23	5,678,234	6,354,549	87.63	0.71
Balanced Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	3,656,937	4,003,809	100.00	(3.23)
31.05.23	9,167,026	10,091,733	91.34	1.26
30.11.23	16,097,292	17,341,078	90.84	1.46
Growth Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	3,099,653	3,342,117	100.00	(0.37)
31.05.23	10,300,097	11,203,484	92.75	0.40
30.11.23	22,526,113	23,922,757	91.93	1.29
High Growth Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	1,397,038	1,526,553	100.00	(2.60)
31.05.23	2,353,124	2,563,186	91.52	1.60
30.11.23	4,323,556	4,590,838	91.79	2.41

Change in Net Asset Value per Share continued

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Operating charges	Return after operating charges	Distributions on shares	Appreciation / (Depreciation) on capital assets	Closing net asset value per share	Retained income per share
p	p	p	p	p	p
(0.21)	(1.00)	0.009	(13.34)	85.67	1.46
(0.30)	(0.70)	0.016	2.68	87.63	—
(0.18)	0.53	—	1.19	89.35	—
(0.24)	(3.47)	0.005	(5.20)	91.34	0.40
(0.45)	0.81	0.014	(1.29)	90.84	—
(0.27)	1.19	—	0.80	92.83	—
(0.13)	(0.50)	0.004	(6.75)	92.75	0.65
(0.35)	0.05	0.011	(0.86)	91.93	—
(0.28)	1.01	—	1.20	94.14	0.01
(0.74)	(3.34)	0.001	(5.14)	91.52	0.03
(0.98)	0.62	0.007	(0.34)	91.79	—
(0.53)	1.88	—	0.50	94.17	—

Change in Net Asset Value per Share continued

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'B' Class Shares	Net Asset Value of Fund	Number of Shares in Issue	Opening net asset value per share	Return before operating charges
Year/Period	£		p	p
Cautious Balanced Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	22,668,773	17,564,936	137.40	(5.15)
31.05.23	20,314,789	16,532,549	129.06	(1.56)
30.11.23	20,529,796	16,421,525	122.88	1.84
Balanced Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	1,435,251	1,568,834	100.00	(1.26)
31.05.23	3,710,515	4,078,465	91.49	0.51
30.11.23	4,848,560	5,228,116	90.97	0.44
Growth Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	120,090,774	61,973,029	204.12	(6.78)
31.05.23	110,986,033	57,547,959	193.78	2.06
30.11.23	110,729,064	56,198,031	192.86	3.03
High Growth Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	13,838,093	5,129,842	285.61	(8.75)
31.05.23	12,148,304	4,490,495	269.76	2.81
30.11.23	11,791,472	4,269,610	270.53	2.24
	Net Asset Value of Fund	Number of Shares in Issue	Opening net asset value per share	Return before operating charges
	\$		c	c
US\$ Growth Strategy Fund				
31.05.22	6,878,127	4,005,720	206.37	(30.21)
31.05.23	6,922,534	4,038,839	171.71	2.11
30.11.23	7,247,355	3,998,568	171.40	11.11

Change in Net Asset Value per Share continued

For the six month period ended 30 November 2023

Operating charges	Return after operating charges	Distributions on shares	Appreciation / (Depreciation) on capital assets	Closing net asset value per share	Retained income per share
p	p	p	p	p	p
(1.39)	(6.54)	0.010	(1.81)	129.06	0.97
(1.16)	(2.72)	0.016	(3.45)	122.88	—
(0.47)	1.37	—	0.76	125.01	—
(0.10)	(1.36)	—	(7.15)	91.49	0.37
(0.18)	0.33	0.009	(0.84)	90.97	—
(0.08)	0.36	—	1.40	92.73	—
(2.46)	(9.24)	—	(1.10)	193.78	0.51
(1.82)	0.24	0.013	(1.15)	192.86	0.02
(0.65)	2.38	—	1.78	197.02	0.01
(2.47)	(11.22)	—	(4.63)	269.76	0.31
(1.71)	1.10	0.007	(0.32)	270.53	—
(0.50)	1.74	—	3.89	276.16	—
Operating charges	Return after operating charges	Distributions on shares	Appreciation / (Depreciation) on capital assets	Closing net asset value per share	Retained income per share
c	c	c	c	c	c
(2.61)	(32.81)	—	(1.85)	171.71	(1.93)
(2.38)	(0.27)	—	(0.04)	171.40	—
(1.22)	9.89	—	(0.04)	181.25	—