

momentum global investment management

VT Momentum Diversified Income Fund

31 December 2024

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INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE & STRATEGY

To generate a high level of income with the prospect of maintaining the real value of capital over the long term, by investing in a multi-asset portfolio managed with a focus on value. The Fund may include directly invested UK equities with a bias towards mid-cap stocks, and overseas equity, fixed income, specialist assets and managed liquidity held through third party funds

INVESTMENT TEAM







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Our investment approach is team based with all portfolio managers having specific areas of research focus and access to and input from the wider Momentum Global Investments team.

FIVE YEAR HISTORICAL CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE



CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%)	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years	Since inception annualised
Fund return Class B Inc TR ¹	0.1	(0.6)	4.1	5.3	1.1	17.2	5.0
UK CPI +5%	0.7	2.2	3.6	7.6	36.3	59.3	-
IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares	(1.0)	0.1	2.4	6.2	2.5	12.8	4.2

DISCRETE ANNUAL	31 Dec	Historic net				
PERFORMANCE (%)	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	yield (%) [†]
Fund return Class B Inc TR ¹	5.3	7.7	(10.9)	12.8	2.7	5.3

Sources: Morningstar, MGIM.

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MONTHLY COMMENTARY

- We have introduced the Schroder Emerging Markets Value fund, exiting the iShares Asia Pacific Dividend ETF. This strategy is managed by Schroder's renowned Global Value team and the team's contrarian, bottom-up investment philosophy is grounded in 150 years of market data, demonstrating that lowly valued securities deliver excess returns over the long term. The fund focuses exclusively on the cheapest securities within the emerging markets universe, with a disciplined and consistent process. By adding this differentiated strategy, we have enhanced our emerging markets exposure, particularly in underrepresented regions outside of Asia.
- We also introduced Real Estate Credit Investments (RECI), a closed-ended fund focusing on high-quality real estate debt across Western Europe, targeting large, well-capitalised and experienced institutional borrowers with low loan-to-value ratios. Compared to history, loan-to-value and leverage are near all-time lows, while the dividend yield and loan seniority are at historical highs. Despite uncertainties around property debt with elevated interest rates and the outlook for office space and retail, RÉCI's focus on high quality assets and diverse sub-sectors mitigates risks.
- Several holdings within the portfolio performed well in December. Digital 9 Infrastructure rose by 27.4% after announcing the \$42m sale of its Emic-1 project, releasing the company from additional construction commitments and the proceeds will be used to repay its revolving credit facility.
- Within Private Equity, Schroders Capital Global Innovation Trust rose by 14.8% following the announcement that its continuation vote will be brought forward. The Trust trades at a significant discount to NAV, making possibility of a managed wind-down attractive allowing investors to recover their capital closer to NAV. Further details are expected in January 2025. Chrysalis Investments returned 12.2% following the completion of the sale of its Featurespace holding, delivering a 2.7x return on invested capital (rising to 3x if the amount held in escrow is paid in full). This strengthened liquidity, supporting ongoing share buybacks and capital return initiatives, providing a positive backdrop with potential future upside tied to portfolio events like Klarna's anticipated IPO.
- Marston's returned 12.5% driven by strong financial results, including 13% year-on-year EBITDA growth, margin expansion and reduced net debt. Strong Christmas bookings also suggest potential future growth.

Source: Bloomberg Finance LP, MGIM

PLATFORM AVAILABILITY



FUND RATINGS





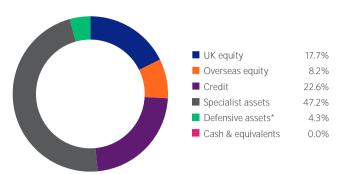




ASSET ALLOCATION



INCOME GENERATION



As at 31.12.2024, allocations subject to change. Source: MGIM

*Defensive assets have reduced/negative correlation to equity markets to provide a more defensive element during times of stress Defensive assets consists of a variety of investments such as gold**, government bonds, short ETFs, alternative/uncorrelated strategies and managed futures strategies. **Exposure to physical gold is achieved through investments in exchange traded certificates (ETC) which aim to provide the performance of gold, as measured by the LBMA Gold Price (PM), which is a recognised benchmark for gold. A Gold ETC is a certificate which is secured by gold bullion, held within the vaults of a nominated custodian.

TOP FIVE HOLDINGS BY ASSET CLASS

UK	EQUITIES	
1.	Phoenix Group Holdings	1.1%
2.	BT Group	1.1%
3.	Legal & General Group	1.0%
4.	OSB Group	0.9%
5.	M&G	0.9%
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1.	Robeco QI Emerging Conservative Equities	2.2%
2.	VT Downing European Unconstrained Income	2.1%
3.	Morant Wright Fuji Yield	1.6%
4.	Samarang Asian Prosperity	1.3%
5.	Schroder Emerging Markets Value	1.2%

CRI	EDIT	
1.	Royal London Sterling Extra Yield Bond	8.4%
2.	Royal London Short Duration Global High Yield	8.1%
3.	MI TwentyFour AM Dynamic Bond	3.2%
4.	Impax EM Corporate Bond	3.1%
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SPE	ECIALIST ASSETS	
1.	Doric Nimrod Air Three	4.1%
2.	Fair Oaks Income	2.8%
3.	Chrysalis Investments	1.9%
4.	AEW UK REIT	1.8%
5.	Sequoia Economic Infrastructure Income	1.7%

DEFENSIVE ASSETS	
1. UK Gilt 4.75% 07/12/38	1.5%
2. UK Gilt 4.25% 06/07/32	1.4%
3. Ninety One Global Gold	1.3%
4. Invesco Physical Gold ETC	1.2%
5. UK Gilt 4.25% 12/07/2049	0.8%

As at 31.12.2024, Source: MGIM

FUND & SHARE CLASS DETAILS

FUND DETAILS	
Investment manager	Momentum Global Investment Management Limited (MGIM)
Fund inception	8 April 2002
Currency	GBP
Target return	UK CPI +5% (net)
IA sector	Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares
Structure	UCITS
Dealing	Daily
Income distribution	Monthly

SHARE CLASS DETAILS	А	B (Inc)	B (Acc)	N
Minimum investment	GBP 3,000	GBP 100,000	GBP 100,000	GBP 1,000
Minimum regular saver	GBP 50	n/a	n/a	GBP 50
ISIN	GB0031467961	GB00B7JTF560	GB00BKV4HY34	GB00B61Y0911
SEDOL	3146796	B7JTF56	BKV4HY3	B61Y091
Citicode	OM45	OWRF	QOPS	OWRE
Month-end price (NAV)	82.60p	103.53p	120.77p	100.39p

ANNUAL CHARGES ²	А	B (Inc)	B (Acc)	N
AMC	1.40%	0.75%	0.75%	1.00%
OCF ²	1.69%	1.04%	1.04%	1.29%

FUND WRAPPERS		
ISAs	Onshore bonds	
SIPPs	Offshore bonds	
Personal pensions		

² As at 30.09.2024. The OCF (Ongoing Charges Figure) is the total expenses paid by the Fund, annualised, against its average net asset value. The OCF will fluctuate as the average net assets and costs change.

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