

WS T. Bailey Multi-Asset Growth Fund

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OBJECTIVE

To deliver a real return of UK inflation (CPI) plus 4% per annum over Rolling Periods of 5 years after deduction of fees.

Although the Fund aims to outperform the CPI plus 4% per annum over Rolling Periods of 5 years capital invested is, in fact, at risk and there is no guarantee that a positive return will be generated over that time period or any other time period.

FUND MANAGERS



Peter Askew has led global fixed income teams at T. Rowe Price, Flemings and JP Morgan. Before joining T. Bailey in 2013 he held senior roles at a fund of hedge funds and Standard Life Investments. Previously he worked with a multi-family office and ran his own investment consultancy business.

Elliot Farley, A Warwick University mathematics graduate with over twenty years' experience in the fund management industry. He has worked with the T. Bailey Funds since 2000 having previously been an ACA with Deloitte.

KEY FACTS

Fund Size	£17.8m
Sector	IA Mixed Investment 40% - 85% Shares
Launch Date	21/02/2022
Liquidity	Daily
Pricing Frequency	Daily
Settlement	T+4
Single Priced	Yes
Initial Fee	Nil
Exit Fee	Nil
Performance Fee	Nil
AFM	Waystone Fund Services (UK) Ltd

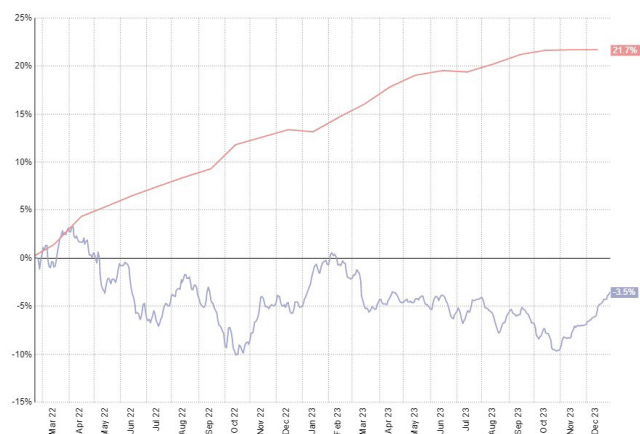
CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE AFTER ALL ONGOING CHARGES TO LAST VALUATION POINT IN DECEMBER 2023

	3 months	1 year	Since Launch
WS T. Bailey Multi-Asset Growth F Acc	3.43%	1.60%	(3.53%)
CPI plus 4% per annum	0.42%	7.34%	21.72%

QUARTER-END DISCRETE PERFORMANCE: 12 MONTHS ENDED LAST VALUATION POINT IN DECEMBER

	2023
WS T. Bailey Multi-Asset Growth F Acc	1.60%
CPI plus 4% per annum	7.34%

PERFORMANCE SINCE LAUNCH



Total Return, Bid to Bid (with the exception of any charge taken by your Financial Adviser). Source: T. Bailey/Refinitiv. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. The value of your investment and the income derived from it can go down as well as up and you may not get back the money you invested. The tables and graph shown list the performance of the F Accumulation unit class.

Source: Refinitiv

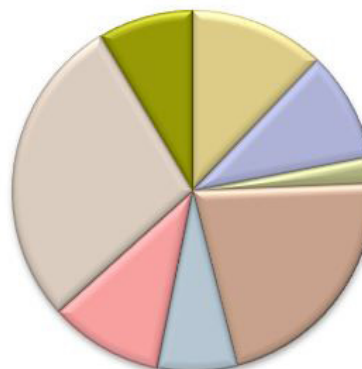
- WS T. Bailey Multi-Asset Growth Fund F - (3.53%)
- CPI Plus 4% per annum - 21.72%

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TOP 10 HOLDINGS

	%
iShares \$ Treasury Bond	8.0
UK Treasury Bond	8.0
Man GLG High Yield Opportunities	7.0
Polar Capital UK Value Opportunities	6.3
Man GLG Absolute Value Professional	6.0
Polar Capital Healthcare Opportunities	5.9
Amundi Pri Japan	5.4
JPMorgan GBP Ultra-Short Income	5.1
JK Japan	4.5
Polar Capital Global Insurance	4.4
Sub Total	60.5
Other 12 Holdings	30.9
Cash*	8.6
TOTAL	100.0

ASSET ALLOCATION



UK Equities	12.8%
Japan	9.9%
Pacific Basin (ex. Japan)	2.4%
Global Thematic	21.7%
Commodities	7.1%
Diversifiers	10.2%
Debt	28.1%
Cash* / Net Fund Income	8.6%

*Includes net exposure of forward foreign exchange contracts.

COMMENTARY

December was a month when inflation continued to fall in developed countries allowing financial markets to price in significant official rate cuts for 2024. This optimism was boosted with US Federal Reserve Chair, Jerome Powell's dovish comments at the Federal Reserve's meeting on 13 December. Markets sensing an about turn in interest rates led to a continuation of a rally in financial assets that had started at the end of October, especially those with any interest rate sensitivity.

While most of 2023 was all about the performance of a few mega-cap US stocks, November and December witnessed a sharp rebound in attractively valued, previously unloved (in 2023) stocks. This was notable in the UK beneath the FTSE 100 where the absolute and relative attractiveness of UK mid and smaller sized businesses saw significant volumes of share buybacks, mergers and acquisitions and private equity activity.

Many of the same influences on UK equities were evidenced in Japan as Japanese equities rounded out a stellar year in yen terms, buoyed by the continuation of corporate governance reforms. China continued to disappoint investors as official measures failed to ignite the economy which remains in the doldrums.

The US dollar had a weaker month as interest rate expectations reflected a greater fall than before Jerome Powell's dovish comments.

The Japanese yen reversed the direction it had endured for much of 2023, appreciating against the US currency and Sterling.

One of the key beneficiaries from lower interest rate expectations in western developed markets has been the debt market where government bond yields fell sharply and credit markets piggy-backed on their capital appreciation.

Gold was a positive influence in December, due more to a weaker US dollar and lower interest rates than regional conflicts. Copper was slightly up but oil, expected to be a beneficiary of middle eastern upheaval has been anything but. Brent crude finished the month of December roughly where it started and way below forecasts.

There were no significant changes to portfolios in December. The one exception was to increase Japanese yen exposure ahead of an expected change away from overly stimulative monetary policy from the Bank of Japan.

Energy transition led the way in thematic equity exposures with Schroder Energy Transition rising over 10%, as did Healthcare through Polar Healthcare Opportunities, enjoying a similar uplift after languishing during a period when healthcare normally performs better.

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UNIT CLASS INFORMATION

	Distribution Frequency	Net Yield	AMC	OCF	Min Investment	Subsequent Investment	Regular Savers	Sedol	ISIN
F Inc	Quarterly	0.5%	0.45%	1.20%	£5,000,000	£500	N/A	BPR9SS8	GB00BPR9SS80
F Acc	N/A	0.5%	0.45%	1.20%	£5,000,000	£500	N/A	BPR9SR7	GB00BPR9SR73
S Inc	Quarterly	0.4%	0.60%	1.35%	£1,000	£500	Yes	BPR9SV1	GB00BPR9SV10
S Acc	N/A	0.4%	0.60%	1.35%	£1,000	£500	Yes	BPR9ST9	GB00BPR9ST97

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