



## IFSL YOU Multi-Asset Blend Cautious Fund

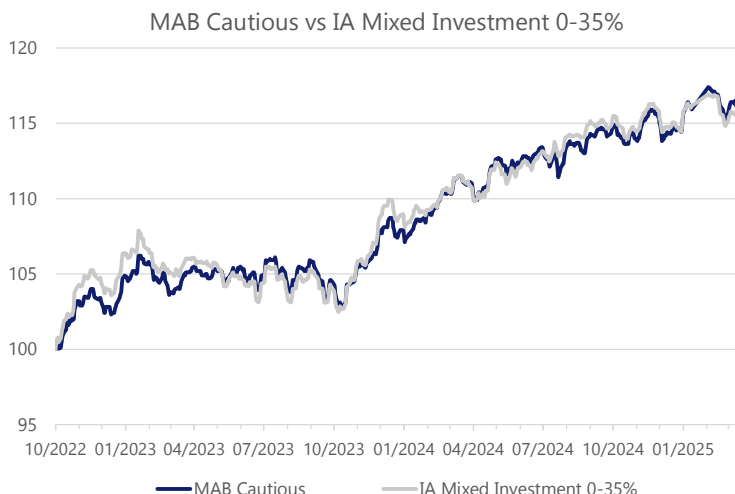
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### Objective

The objective of the Fund is to increase the value of its investments over a minimum of five years, through a combination of capital growth, which is profit on an investment, and income, which is money paid out from an investment such as interest and dividends. The Fund is actively managed, which means the Investment Manager decides which investments to buy and when, and will invest at least 80% in other collective investment schemes, investment trusts and exchange-traded funds.

### Performance summary to 31st March 2025

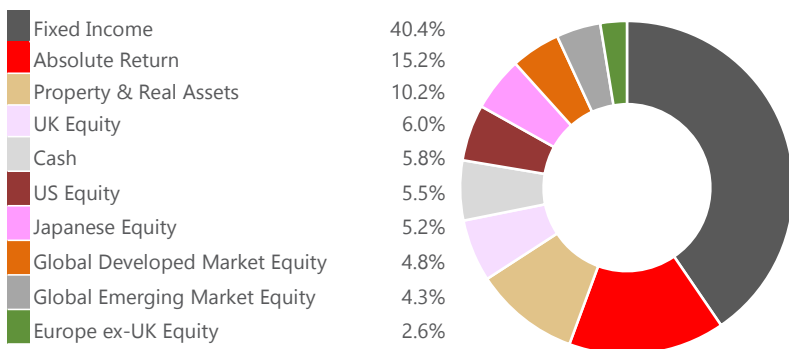
The Fund performance figures are presented net of the Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) and are compared to the IA Mixed Investment 0-35% index. This is a risk-based index measuring the performance of investment managers with similar investment characteristics to the MAB Cautious fund.



	MAB Cautious	IA Mixed Investment 0-35%
1 Month	-0.9%	-1.3%
3 Month	1.3%	0.4%
Year-to-date	1.3%	0.4%
1 Year	3.9%	3.3%
Since Inception	15.8%	15.3%

Past performance is not a guide to future performance. Investments may fall as well as rise and you may not get back your original investment.

### Asset allocation & pie chart



### Key facts

Fund AUM	£251.2m
Fund NAV	115.7p
Number of Holdings	35
Ongoing Charges Figure	0.97%
Fund Launch Date	17th October 2022
Domicile	United Kingdom
Base Currency	Pound Sterling
Fund Type	OEIC, NURS
Valuation Point	12 O'Clock GMT
Citi	RWN3
ISIN	GB00BN78XY23
SEDOL	BN78XY2
Fund Managers	Shane Balkham Cormac Nevin Chris Ayton

### Management charges & fund charges:

Annual Management Charge (AMC): This represents the cost of investing in the underlying Fund Manager and covers the direct, day-to-day costs of managing the Fund.

Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF): The OCF includes the AMC described above, as well as additional administrative costs of holding a Fund including administrative, legal, audit, depository and regulatory costs. Transaction costs may be charged in addition to the OCF.



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Commentaries

### Market

March witnessed a backdrop of continued political and economic uncertainty as well as ongoing speculation about the future breadth and magnitude of President Trump's programme of tariffs. This presented a challenging environment for equity markets, with the MSCI All-Country World Index of global equities down -6.2% in Sterling terms.

US equities were particularly hard hit as investors sought to rotate out of these higher valued assets into other cheaper regional equity markets or other asset classes altogether. The S&P 500 index of US equities was down -7.9% in Sterling terms. Large US tech stocks fell even further with the NASDAQ 100 Index down -9.9%, also in Sterling terms, as concerns grew that lofty expectations about future spend on Artificial Intelligence infrastructure may be too optimistic.

Continuing the pattern of relative outperformance of non-US markets, other regional equity markets fared somewhat better but were generally also down in Sterling terms. The MSCI Japan was down -2.1% as the Bank of Japan held interest rates at 0.5% despite continued encouraging signs of healthy wage growth. More evidence that the Chinese government is serious about supporting its leading private enterprises as well as its consumers to start spending again, helped the MSCI China to a +2.0% rise in local currency terms although those gains were wiped out for Sterling investors by the relative weakness in the Chinese Renminbi.

European news was dominated by new German Chancellor, Friedrich Merz, announcing the creation of a €500 billion infrastructure fund, emphasising the need for Germany to rearm and exempting defence and security spending above 1% of GDP from deficit limits. Although European equities initially reacted positively to this groundbreaking loosening of German fiscal policy, the broader risk off sentiment eventually hit Europe as well and the MSCI Europe ex-UK Index ended the month down -2.9% in Sterling terms. The UK equity market also fell, with the FTSE All Share Index down -2.3% over the month.

Away from equities, the Bloomberg Global Aggregate index of high quality global bonds fell -0.4% in GBP Hedged terms. Commodity markets were strong with the Bloomberg Commodity Index up +3.9% in GBP Hedged terms, boosted by the continued strength in safe haven assets like gold.

### Performance

In March, your Fund returned -0.9%, outperforming its IA sector comparator which was down -1.3%. Since its launch on 17th October 2022, the Fund has generated cumulative returns of +15.8%.

With both equities and bonds in negative territory, it was the Fund's tactical exposures within Fixed Income as well as differentiated exposures within Absolute Return and Real Assets that helped provide welcome diversification benefits over the month.

Within the Fixed Income component, what was particularly helpful was the holding in the Morgan Stanley Emerging Market Local Income Fund which was up +0.8% over March. The ASI Short Dated Index-Linked Bond Fund was also up +0.8%. This was only partially offset by the exposure to long-dated US Treasuries via the iShares 20+ Year US Treasury ETF that fell -0.9%.

Within the Absolute Return component, the Fulcrum Thematic Equity Market Neutral Fund (+2.8%) continued to deliver positive returns independent of market direction, and the Pacific G10 Macro Rates Fund (+0.4%) clocked up its tenth positive month in the last twelve. The Sanlam Multi Strategy Fund, negated some of this with a -1.4% return, although given this strategy has some equity exposure, that was not entirely unexpected.

The other stand out performers in the diversifying components were the Clearbridge Global Infrastructure Income Fund (+3.1%) and the AQR Managed Futures Fund (+1.7%), the latter's strategy we like as it tends to benefit from trending markets irrespective of whether they are going up or down. The Fund's commodity exposure, gained through the UBS BCOM CMCI ETF, was also helpful, gaining +3.7% over the month.

Unsurprisingly, most of the pain came in the equity component this month, although the Fund's strategy of always maintaining broad diversification across different regions and styles was undoubtedly helpful. In the US, the Amundi Russell 1000 Growth ETF fell -10.7% and the Neuberger Berman US Small Cap Value Fund fell -9.3% and in Europe, BlackRock Continental European Fund fell -9.2%. Although still down -4.0%, the Pzena Global Value Fund significantly outperformed its global equity comparator. Skerryvore Global Emerging Markets Fund's -0.2% return, also represented solid capital preservation in a challenging market environment.

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Holdings as at 31st March 2025



<b>Fund</b>	<b>Asset Class</b>	<b>Weight</b>
Vanguard Global Aggregate Bond ETF	Fixed Income	19.6%
ASI Short-Dated ILB Tracker	Fixed Income	11.1%
Cash	Cash	5.8%
Fulcrum Thematic Equity Market Neutral	Absolute Return	5.1%
Pacific G10 Macro Rates	Absolute Return	5.0%
Sanlam Multi Strategy	Absolute Return	5.0%
iShares 20+ Year US Treasury ETF	Fixed Income	3.6%
Invesco S&P 500 ETF	US Equity	3.3%
AQR Managed Futures	Property & Real Assets	3.1%
ClearBridge Global Infrastructure Income	Property & Real Assets	3.1%
UBS Bloomberg Commodity CMCI ETF	Property & Real Assets	3.1%
Amundi UK Equity All Cap ETF	UK Equity	3.1%
Morgan Stanley Emerging Market Local Income	Fixed Income	3.0%
Man High Yield Opportunities	Fixed Income	3.0%
Amundi Prime Japan ETF	Japanese Equity	2.1%
North of South EM All Cap Equity	Global Emerging Market Equity	1.5%
Lindsell Train UK Equity	UK Equity	1.4%
Amundi MSCI World ETF	Global Developed Market Equity	1.4%
Pzena Global Value	Global Developed Market Equity	1.4%
Neuberger Berman US Small Cap Intrinsic Value	US Equity	1.4%
Brown Advisory Global Leaders	Global Developed Market Equity	1.3%
Vanguard FTSE Developed Europe ex-UK ETF	Europe ex-UK Equity	1.3%
Nikko Japan Value	Japanese Equity	1.3%
GSAM Japan Equity Partners	Japanese Equity	1.2%
Skerryvore Global Emerging Markets	Global Emerging Market Equity	1.1%
Baillie Gifford Pacific	Global Emerging Market Equity	1.1%
Polar Capital UK Value Opportunities	UK Equity	1.1%
Xtrackers Physical Carbon EUA ETC	Property & Real Assets	0.8%
Amundi Russell 1000 Growth ETF	US Equity	0.7%
Lansdowne Special Situations Fund	Europe ex-UK Equity	0.7%
Neuberger Berman Japan Engagement	Japanese Equity	0.6%
HSBC MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	Global Emerging Market Equity	0.6%
Baillie Gifford Global Discovery	Global Developed Market Equity	0.6%
BlackRock Continental Europe	Europe ex-UK Equity	0.6%
Invesco UK Opportunities	UK Equity	0.5%
		100.0%

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