



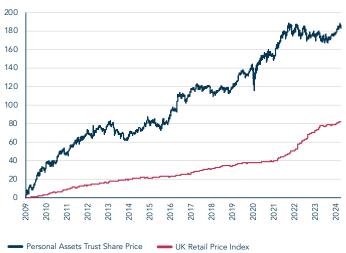
All data as at 31 May 2024

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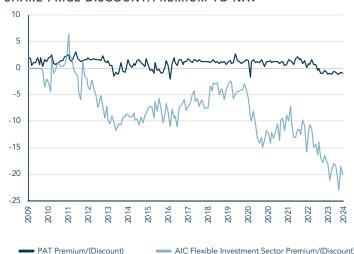
The Trust's policy is to protect and increase (in that order) the value of shareholders' funds per share over the long term.

PRICE	NAV	PREMIUM/ DISCOUNT	MARKET CAP
485.00p	489.57p	-0.9%	£1.7bn

PERCENTAGE GROWTH FROM 03/03/2009* TO 31/05/2024







Source: Thomson Reuters Datastream

Source: Lipper

Total Return to 31 May 2024	03/03/09 Troy Appt.	31/05/14 10 years	31/05/17 7 years	31/05/19 5 years	31/05/21 3 years	31/05/23 1 year
Personal Assets Trust Share Price	+185.2%	+67.6%	+29.0%	+26.5%	+7.2%	+4.6%
Personal Assets Trust NAV	+196.6%	+69.6%	+32.0%	+29.1%	+9.6%	+4.5%
UK Retail Price Index	+82.2%	+50.4%	+41.7%	+33.1%	+27.5%	+2.6%

Discrete Calendar Annual Returns	2009*	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
	+32.7%	+14.4%	+8.3%	+4.2%	-4.8%	+10.3%	+1.7%	+14.2%
Personal Assets Trust Share Price	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 YTD
	+5.7%	-3.0%	+10.2%	+7.9%	+12.0%	-3.5%	+0.7%	+2.8%

^{*}Since Troy Appointment 3 March 2009

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Source: Lipper

May Commentary

The Trust produced a Net Asset Value total return of +0.6% during the month and a price total return of +0.4%, compared to a return of +2.4% for the FTSE All-Share Index (TR).

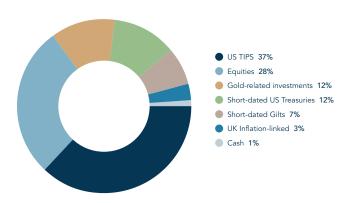
Renewed speculation has continued in the equity market, fed in part by the boom in Al-related expenditure. How sustainable this is, remains to be seen. In contrast, the secular bear market in bonds, which began in 2020 when yields troughed during the pandemic, has continued with modestly rising yields (and falling prices) in 2024. It is becoming clear that we have entered a new era of upward yield pressure and a commensurate rising cost of capital. It may take time for equity markets to reflect this change, as valuations for equities remain high by historic levels, but the gravity of higher interest rates is likely to eventually reassert itself. This new regime is the reverse of the 2010s, when benign inflation and low growth meant expectations of interest rate rises were continuously dashed and bond yields ground ever lower.

At the beginning of 2024, the consensus forecast was for no less than six interest rate cuts over the coming year from the U.S. Federal Reserve and the Bank of England. Yet five months on, interest rate cuts haven't been forthcoming. Fewer cuts, when they eventually arrive, may imply interest rates bottom at a higher level than many expect, with further implications for long-dated bond yields and equities. As a result, we continue to keep the Fund's duration risk low, which served us well in 2022 when we avoided material drawdowns from rising yields. We suspect there is a need to acclimatise to this new environment. Despite easy comparisons from price levels of a year ago, inflation has remained stickier than expected with core levels still stubbornly above central bank targets in the US and the UK. This volatile path of inflation plays into our preference for holding inflation-linked bonds, which offer positive real yields and have outperformed conventional bonds in recent years.





ASSET ALLOCATION



Source: Factset, Asset Allocation and holdings subject to change.

RETURN VS VOLATILITY SINCE 03/03/2009



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RISK ANALYSIS

Risk analysis since 03/03/2009	Personal Assets Trust Share Price
Total Return	+185.2%
Max Drawdown ¹	-12.0%
Best Month	+5.0%
Worst Month	-5.0%
Positive Months	+64.0%
Annualised Volatility ²	+7.0%

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- ¹ Measures the worst investment period
- ² Measured by standard deviation of annual returns.

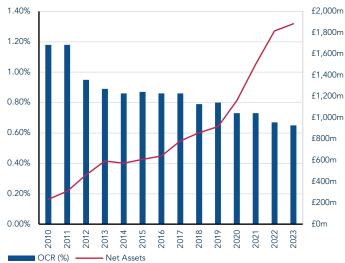
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Independent Non-Exec Director	
Independent Non-Exec Director	
Manager	Sebastian Lyon
Assistant Manager	Charlotte Yonge
Currency	£ Sterling
AIFM Jur	iper Partners Limited

TOP 10 HOLDINGS

Gold Bullion (Bars)	12.4%
Unilever	4.0%
Visa	3.1%
Nestlé	2.7%
Diageo	2.4%
Microsoft	2.3%
Heineken	2.3%
Alphabet	2.3%
American Express	2.2%
Becton Dickinson	1.7%
Total Top 10	35.4%
4 Other Equity holdings	4.7%
US TIPS	36.5%
Short-dated US Treasuries	11.5%
Short-dated Gilts	7.1%
UK Inflation-linked	3.3%
Cash	1.5%
TOTAL	100.0%
Source: Factset. Holdings subject to change.	

HISTORIC ONGOING CHARGES RATIO



Fund Manager Awards

Source: Juniper Partners Limited

30 April

-0.93% Nil

Shares with voting rights Shares held in treasury	53,141,828
Net Assets	£1,662,898,270
Ongoing Charges (30 April 2023)	0.65%
Management Fee	
0.65% on first £750m	
0.50% on £750m-£1bn	
0.45% on £1bn plus	
Allocation of Expense and Interest	Capital 65%
	Revenue 35%
Established	22 July 1983

Capital Structure

Year End

Gearing

Premium (Discount)

Pricing Share price is listed daily	in the FT and Scotsman
Dividend Payments	January, April, July, October
Historic Dividend Yield	1.59%
Market Makers	PEEL, VHL, NUMS, JPMS, WINS, STFL, INV
Bloomberg/Reuters Cod	e PNL.L / PNL.LN
ISIN Sedol	GB00BM8B5H06 BM8B5H0





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