# VT ESPRIT SUSTAINABLE GROWTH



**APR 2024** 

## **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The investment objective of the VT Esprit Sustainable Growth Fund is to achieve a level of investment return in excess of the benchmark over the longer term (5 years+) while investing at least 80% of its portfolio in investment funds which promote ethical, sustainable or responsible investment.

As part of our investment process, a fund may only form part of our investment universe if it meets one or more of the following criteria:

# 1. Integration of environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors

We will not own funds which invest in companies with significant revenue exposure (more than 10%) to industries such as alcohol, tobacco, gambling, nuclear power, fossil fuels, armaments and adult entertainment.

## 2. Sustainability themed investing

We will consider investing in funds which seek to identify companies that deliver a positive social or environmental impact. We would expect such funds to address one or more of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

### 3. Impact investing

We will consider investing in funds which seek to identify companies that deliver a measurable positive social or environmental impact, alongside attractive financial returns. The United Nations Sustainable Development Goals framework will be used to identify such funds.

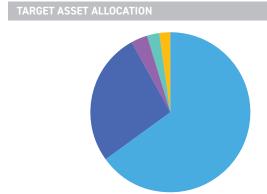
## **FUND INFORMATION** Launch date: 10/08/2020 Size: £13.3M Holdings: 21 Share class: Accumulation ISIN: GB00BL9X2M21 GB00BQ2KRY24 (C) Sedol: BL9X2M2 BQ2KRY2 (C) IA Sector: IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares Yield1: 0% (Accumulation) Initial charge: 0%

**OCF**<sup>2</sup>: 1.03% (C)

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### **PORTFOLIO BREAKDOWN - 30 APR 2024**



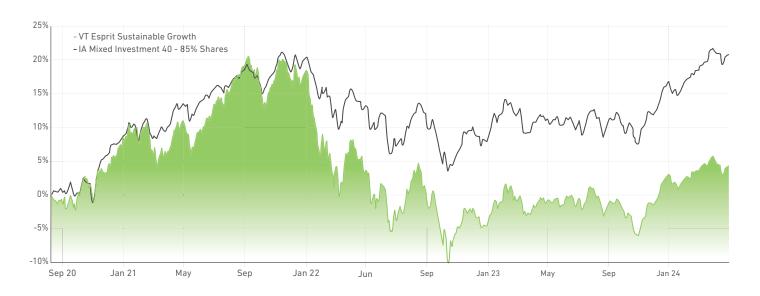
Equities	65%
Fixed Income	27%
Alternatives	3.5%
Money Market	2.5%
Cash	2%

#### TOP 10 HOLDINGS

iShares MSCI USA ESG Enhanced ETF	11%
UBS MSCI UK IMI Socially Responsible ETF	9%
Amundi MSCI Emerging Markets SRI ETF	8%
Fundsmith Sustainable Equity	6%
Federated Hermes Sustainable Global Equity	6%
Invesco MSCI USA ESG Climate Paris Aligned ETF	6%
Vanguard ESG Global Corporate Bond ETF	6%
Amundi UK Government Bond ETF	5%
Amundi Index MSCI USA SRI	4%

Invesco Global High Yield Corporate Bond ESG ETF 4%

#### **PERFORMANCE**



Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future performance.

10/08/20 to 30/05/24 Data from Morningstar

#### **HOW TO INVEST**





















#### WHY INVESTS

# Simplicity

A single fund to meet your investment needs

# Diversification

Access a range of asset classes, investment styles and geographies

# Actively managed

The fund will change as market conditions and the economic cycle evolves

# Expertise

The managers share 40 years investment experience

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'Yield: The amount of income generated by a fund's investments in relation to the price shown as an annual percentage

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<sup>2</sup>OCF: The Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) is the overall cost shown as a percentage of the value of the assets of the fund. It is made up of the Annual Management Charge (AMC), the underlying fund charges, and other operating costs.

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