

# Fund Factsheet: VT Tatton Blended Active

#### **Cumulative Returns**

Time Period: Since Common Inception (01/02/2018) to 30/04/2024 145.0 140.0 135.0 130.0 125.0 120.0 115.0 110.0 105.0 100.0 95.0 90.0 2020 2024 2018 2022

VT Tatton Blended Active

-ARC Steady Growth PCI TR GBP

## Cumulative Returns (%)

	Month	3 Month	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Inception*
VT Tatton Blended Active	-0.6	4.1	11.3	15.0	34.5	40.4
ARC Steady Growth PCI TR GBP	-1.2	2.9	7.5	4.5	20.1	24.2
	01/05/2023 - 30/04/2024	01/05/20 30/04/2		/05/2021 - /04/2022	01/05/2020 - 30/04/2021	01/05/2019 - 30/04/2020
VT Tatton Blended Active	11.3	0.4		2.9	24.4	-6.0
ARC Steady Growth PCI TR GBP	7.5	-1.9		-0.8	20.2	-4.4

## Performance

The table compares the fund performance with the ARC Private Client Indices (PCI) benchmark, a measure of a peer group of similar investment managers using similar asset allocations. The comparator benchmark is an indicator of similar investment strategies and does not show future returns or investor expectations. ARC monthly data is estimated and may vary from actual performance. ARC data is then confirmed at the end of each quarter, which could change monthly returns.

#### Past performance is not a guide to future performance

#### Monthly Market Commentary - April 2024

Global equities ground to a halt and their positive return profile reversed in April, losing 2.4% in sterling terms. This was fuelled by a selloff in the US over the "higher for longer" narrative for interest rates. Additionally, this message from central banks hurt the global aggregate bond market, which fell by 1.6%.

The UK managed to buck the trend of global equities, performing strongly compared to other developed regions in April, with UK large cap equities returning 2.7%. The Bank of England continued to take a less aggressive stance on future interest rates, as opposed to the US Federal Reserve. Investor sentiment shifted to undervalued sectors found in the UK including energy, health care, materials, and financials, which all performed strongly.

The positive momentum shifted from the US to Emerging Markets equities, which climbed for the third straight month, delivering 1.3% for April. This was largely driven by China, which returned 7.1% in April, with stronger than expected economic growth reported, backed by robust growth in high-tech manufacturing.

There was little change in commodities, which continued to outperform both global equity and bond markets, with the broader commodity index returning 2.1% in April. Easing tensions in the Middle East saw the price of Brent Crude oil fall whilst gold remained elevated, returning 0.1% and 5.8%, respectively. As for disappointments, Global Real Estate fell 5.4% in April, exacerbated by economic uncertainty and the continued impact of elevated interest rates.

### **Fund Objective**

The main objective of this fund is to maximise potential return for a given level of risk.

### **Investment Strategy - Active**

To achieve the fund objective the Manager will use investments in collective investment schemes such as unit trusts, OEICs and other UCITS funds and closed ended schemes. Where appropriate the Manager may also invest in individual stocks, bonds, and derivatives ensuring the fund has a diversified portfolio of assets.

Some of these investments will be denominated in foreign currencies which may or may not be hedged back to Pounds Sterling to help reduce currency risk. The proportion of the fund invested in riskier assets such as equities (company shares) is consistent with the funds' Investment Objective.

Generally, 75% of this fund is invested in equities but this figure may change by a maximum of  $\pm 12.5\%$  in the short term depending on variations in the stock markets, or in the longer term to keep the fund within its' risk boundaries.

## Who is this fund for?

This fund may be suitable for: An investor who is comfortable with holding a significant proportion of their fund in higher risk investments in order to have the opportunity for a greater investment return. An investor who is prepared to accept investment losses in the short-term in order to achieve potentially greater investment returns over the longer-term. The fund will be subject to fluctuations in value.

#### **Change of Circumstances**

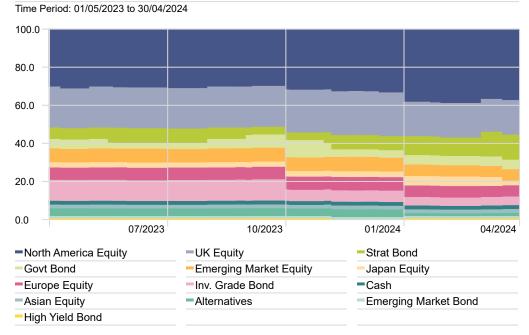
If you feel that this profile no longer matches your investment objectives, or if your circumstances are likely to change, you should contact your adviser.

#### **Fund Important Note**

Please be aware that adjustments to previously reported data can occur. The value of investments and the income from them can fluctuate and it is possible that investors may not get back the amount invested.

#### **Fund Allocation** % North America Equity 37.9 UK Equity 18.8 Strat Bond 9.7 Emerging Market Equity 6.1 Europe Equity 6.1 Japan Equity 4.9 Govt Bond 4.8 Inv. Grade Bond 44 2.0 Asian Equity Money Market 2.0 Alternatives 1.5 High Yield Bond 1.0 Emerging Market Bond 1.0 100.0

#### **Asset Allocation**



#### **Data Definitions**

<u>Inception</u>:The date at which the fund was first managed. This can be found at the top left corner of the investment growth graph.

<u>Benchmark: ARC Private Client Indices</u> – The performance comparator provided in the cumulative return chart and the performance table below. The comparator benchmark(s) shown are representative of the risk/return of the Tatton fund.

Ongoing Charges to the Funds (OCF) is made up of the Annual Management Charge and additional expenses. Additional expenses may be deducted from some funds. These may include, third party administration, trustee, registrar, auditor and regulator fees. As the additional expenses relate to the expenses incurred during the fund management process, they will regularly increase and decrease as a percentage of the fund.

<u>Transaction Cost</u> is the estimated charge for the fund that may be incurred as a result of the acquisition and disposal of investments. The charge is forward looking and used for pre sale reporting.

12 Month Yield: Is the sum of a fund's total trailing 12-monthinterest and dividend payments divided by the last month's ending share price (NAV) plus any capital gains distributed over the same period.

#### **Key Facts**

### **Fund Manager**

Tatton Investment Team

### **Inception Date**

31/01/2018

## Launch Price

£1.00

#### **Minimum Investment**

AAcc Class: £3,000

## Minimum Top Up

A Acc Class: £1,000

## Initial Charge (Up to)

A Acc Class: 0%

Ongoing Charges (OCF): 0.51%

Transaction Fees: 0.02%

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A Acc Class: BFFXRK7

#### ISIN

GB00BFFXRK73

## Fund Size

£174,110,668.00

## **Month End Fund Price**

£1.40

## Yield (%)

12 Month Yield 1.9

### Top Holdings (%)

HSBC American Index C Acc		
HSBC Global Aggregate Bond S2CHGBP		
iShares UK Equity Index (UK) D Acc		
iShares North American Eq Idx (UK) D Acc	5.9	
HSBC Global Government Bond ETFS2CH	IC 5.0	
Invesco UK Enhanced Index UK (No Trail) A		
Vanguard US Equity Index Acc		
HSBC European Index Accumulation C	3.5	
Jupiter Merian North Amer Eq U2 GBP Acc		
ES AllianceBernst Conc US I GBP Acc		

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