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#### INTELLIGENT INTUITIVE INVESTING

## **Investment Objective**

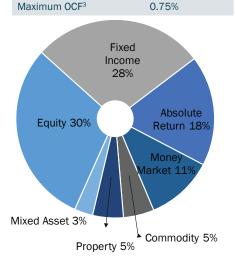
The Cautious Portfolio targets a return in excess of inflation by diversifying across a broad range of assets with differing return and volatility profiles. The portfolio targets a return 3-4% above inflation while minimising the possibility of the investment falling in value. The Cautious portfolio investment

value may fluctuate in the short term, but we would not expect significant fluctuations in value over a sustained period.

### **Market Comment**

In November the biggest news was the election of Donald Trump as President of the United States. The initial shock to financial markets, and for that matter most political pundits, was significant but the effect was short lived. By the end of the month equity markets globally were near or beyond all-time highs although fixed income markets, justifiably hit by expectations of rising rates, and increasing government spending, fell sharply. During November we increased allocations to passive investments across the portfolios we manage, as active strategies find it increasingly difficult to add value. As high valuations persist, we do not expect to shift back to higher active allocations until there is evidence a correction has started.

Key Objectives	Target	S/I <sup>2</sup>
Target Return	4.50%	
Maximum Risk	7.00%	
Expected Maximum Loss	6.00%	



Performance (%) <sup>1</sup>	1 mth	3 mth	6 mth	YTD	1yr	S/I <sup>2</sup>	
<b>Rivers Cautious Portfolio</b>	-1.02	1.48	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.96	
IA Mixed 0%-35% Equity	-1.48	-1.50	4.97	6.84	6.19	2.95	
FTSE Act. Gilts All Stocks	-1.29	-7.31	2.54	8.15	7.05	-2.92	

Top 10 Holdings	
BlackRock - Cash D Acc	11.0%
BlackRock - UK Gilts All Stocks Tracker D Acc	9.0%
Vanguard - UK Inflation Linked Gilt Index Acc	8.0%
Kames - Absolute Return Bond C Acc GBP	8.0%
Insight - Absolute Insight Equity Market Neutral B3p GBP	8.0%
TwentyFour - Monument Bond I Net Acc GBP	6.0%
JPM - Europe Dynamic Ex UK C Hedged Acc GBP	6.0%
Ardevora - Global Equity C	6.0%
Allianz - Best Styles Global AC Equity C Acc	5.0%
HSBC - American Index C Acc	5.0%

Asset Type	Strategic Weight	<b>Current Weight</b>	<b>Tactical Position</b>
Cash	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Anchors	43.0%	50.0%	7.0%
Enhancers	40.0%	35.0%	-5.0%
Diversifiers	17.0%	15.0%	-2.0%

#### **Current Model Characteristics**

Number of holdings	18
Underlying fund charges (Excl fee) <sup>3</sup>	0.61%
Last rebalance date	Nov-16
Current expected portfolio yield <sup>3</sup>	0.98%
Classified 'Passive' investments	50.0%
Current loss since previous high <sup>4</sup>	

#### **Rivers Asset Classification System:**

"Anchors": investments selected for low market correlation, low risk and capital preservation core characteristics. Significant allocation in low risk portfolios.

**"Enhancers"**: selected to increase portfolio long term return but exposed to equity risk. Allocation likely to increase with risk tolerance as returns become more volatile.

"Diversifiers": selected for low correlation to traditional market equity and fixed income risk. Diversifiers are essential for efficiency in all but the lowest and highest risk portfolios.

For a more detailed explanation please contact Rivers Capital Management

#### Notes

- 1. The performance data shown is indicative only. Rivers Capital Management attempts to replicate accurately the performance of the underlying portfolio using Financial Express data but performances will likely differ from individual accounts due to inflows and timing issues. The performance is net of a 0.25%+VAT Rivers Capital Management fee.
- 2. The since inception data will be blank until the July 2017 when the model replication will be 12 months old. The model inception date is July first 2016.
- 3. The fees quoted are based on the current portfolio weightings using the latest available OCF data of each fund. The yield is not guaranteed.
- 4. The current loss is calculated as the replicated loss from the previous month end highest portfolio value. Intra month or daily data may exceed this

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