

Investment objective

To seek a combination of long-term capital appreciation and income, but with a focus on growth, with a medium risk investment profile.

Benchmark

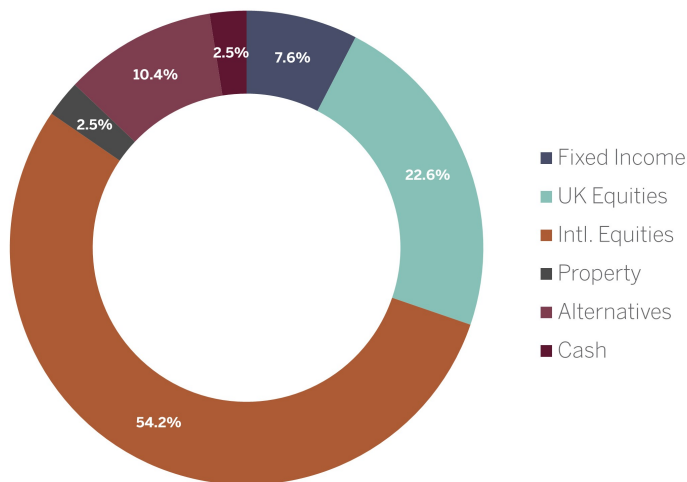
The Fund is benchmarked against the MSCI PIMFA Growth Index (Total Return) and will take active positions relative to this index on both asset allocation and stock selection. The Fund's broad asset allocation (split by equities, fixed income and alternatives) will typically be restricted to a range, relative to the benchmark, set by the CSI Investment Committee.

Investment policy

In order to achieve its objective, the Fund will invest principally in a diversified portfolio of different asset classes such as equities, equity linked securities (including warrants and convertible securities), fixed and floating rate debt securities, index linked bonds, cash and cash equivalents. Equities will be the dominant asset class.

The equity part of the Fund's portfolio will contain primarily securities from the leading UK companies (FTSE 350) or their equivalents from overseas markets. The equity part of the portfolio may also consist of, but to a proportionately lesser extent, the securities of smaller companies. The bond part of the Fund's portfolio will contain mainly bonds such as sovereign debt or securities guaranteed by governments and corporate debt with the focus being on medium to high credit quality. The bond part of the portfolio may also consist of, but to a proportionately lesser extent, lower quality bonds.

Asset Allocation



Key information

Benchmark: MSCI PIMFA Growth Index

Unit Price (A Acc/ A Dist Shares)	£1.71/£1.64
Dividend Yield*	0.4%
Dividend Payment (month end)	Jan & Jul
Inception	15-Apr-13

Charges:

Ongoing Charges**	1.22%
Transaction Costs	0.13%
Total Cost of Ownership	1.35%

Performance Fee	n/a
Exit Charge	n/a

Acc/Dist shares SEDOL	B9L75Q3/B94SJ16
Acc/Dist shares ISIN	LU0904708921/ LU0904709143

Fund Manager (since 26/07/19)	James Godrich, CFA
Deputy Fund Manager (since 01/07/20)	Christopher Barrett
Fund Manager (since 01/01/24)	Nina Etherton, CFA

Top 10 direct holdings

	Percentage
1 SAGE	1.7%
2 NEXT	1.6%
3 RELX	1.3%
4 GAMES WORKSHOP	1.2%
5 UK TREASURY 5% 07/03/2025	1.1%
6 DIAGEO	1.1%
7 UNILEVER	1.1%
8 DUNELM	1.0%
9 EXPERIAN	1.0%
10 HARGREAVES LANSDOWN	1.0%

Top 10 fund holdings

	Percentage
1 VANGUARD S&P 500 ETF	8.8%
2 SPDR S&P 500 ETF	8.0%
3 ISHARES S&P 500 ETF	7.5%
4 HSBC S&P 500 ETF	7.1%
5 PACIFIC ASSETS TRUST	4.1%
6 CAPITAL GEARING TRUST	3.1%
7 PICTET JAPANESE EQUITY SELECTION	3.0%
8 JPMORGAN JAPANESE INVESTMENT TRUST	2.8%
9 PERSONAL ASSETS TRUST	2.8%
10 LATITUDE HORIZON FUND	2.7%

Cumulative performance

(% total return)

	3m	6m	1yr	3yr	5yr
CSI Growth	3.6%	8.7%	8.4%	5.5%	26.2%
MSCI PIMFA Growth Index	6.4%	12.0%	14.8%	25.1%	43.7%

Source: Cadelam and Factset

Discrete 12 month performance

(% total return)

	31.03.20 31.03.19	31.03.21 31.03.20	31.03.22 31.03.21	31.03.23 31.03.22	31.03.24 31.03.23
CSI Growth	-8.6%	30.9%	2.7%	-5.2%	8.4%
MSCI PIMFA Growth Index	-9.5%	27.0%	10.5%	-1.4%	14.8%

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

All performance figures shown are net of underlying fund charges.

*The yield reflects historic distributions declared over the past twelve months as a percentage of the mid-market unit price, as at the date shown and after the deduction of the funds expenses.

**Ongoing charge represents the direct costs of running a fund, which are deducted from the assets of the fund and provide a comparable number for the cost of investing. The annual management charge is included in the ongoing charge.

Fund manager commentary

During the first quarter, the Fund returned 3.6% against the PIMFA Growth Index that returned 6.4%. Relative underperformance was driven by stock selection in International Equities.

In 1605, Spanish author Miguel de Cervantes wrote his best known, and supposedly the first modern, novel 'Don Quixote'. In it he wrote that, "it is the part of a wise man to keep himself today for tomorrow, and not venture all his eggs in one basket". More than 400 years later and that is exactly what passive funds and many oft-quoted benchmarks risk doing.

In the first quarter of 2024 international equity markets (excluding the UK) increased in value by 8.0% - that was primarily driven by the US market which increased again by 10.2%. By contrast the UK equity market increased by just 2.5%.

Such has been the persistence of the US equity market outperformance, and the persistence of the relatively small number of businesses driving that, that we are now in the narrowest market on record with market concentration well above long term averages. By some measures the weighting of the 10 largest companies in the global index is more than double the long-term average.

Fortunately for wholly passive investors, and unfortunately for the Coleman Street Funds, the all-your-eggs-in-one-basket approach of concentrating exposure in a handful of winners continues to pay metaphorical dividends for now (it doesn't pay literal dividends but that's a discussion for another day).

Our approach is to seek greater diversification in risk by asset class, by geography, by sector and by style – we see value in blending passive funds, active funds and owning assets directly. We believe that this resilience will benefit performance as returns broaden and we believe that this is beginning to show in specific assets and geographies already. We are pleased to be able to report strong returns from **Barclays** and **Lloyds** up 19.1% and 8.5% over the quarter, our recently purchased gold position which has increased 8.2% and an overweight position to Japanese equities which saw its index increase by 20.6%.

We will continue to take opportunities to make attractive investments across a diversified portfolio and a number of baskets – we believe that the current market offers great opportunity for both attractive and resilient returns.

Important information

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The value of CSI Growth may go down as well as up and you may not receive back all the money you invest. Investment should be made on the basis of the Prospectus and Key Investor Information Document (KIID), available on our website. You should seek professional advice as to the suitability of the Fund before investing. Values may be affected by fluctuations in exchange rates where assets in the Fund are denominated in currencies other than sterling.

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