



# EF 8AM Multi-Strategy Portfolio II Fund (Retail)

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## INVESTMENT AIMS

The objective of the fund is to achieve long term Capital Growth.

### Typical Investor Profile

### Benchmark

Multi-Strategy Portfolio II

Cautious

Mixed Investment 20 – 60% Shares

## WHY INVEST?

- Provides a total portfolio management solution.
- A highly experienced management team headed by Tom McGrath.
- Widely diversified portfolio with a broad range of asset classes.
- Fund selection powered by the CleverEngine.

## PERFORMANCE (CLASS R)

	6 m	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	YTD
Multi-Strategy Portfolio II	5.44%	-9.26%	-7.88%	5.87%	-10.18%
IA Mixed Investment 20-60%	7.35%	2.79%	9.03%	27.08%	1.55%

Discrete Year Performance %	Fund	Sector
2015	2.99%	1.45%
2016	5.72%	10.39%
2017	7.75%	7.17%
2018	-5.52%	-5.10%
2019	8.48%	11.99%

Source: 8AM GLOBAL LLP/IA Mixed Investment to 30.11.2020.  
Sector is the IA Mixed Investment 20-60%.

## KEY FACTS

Fund Managers	Tom McGrath Anthony Walters (as of 08.06.20)
Fund Size	£18.30m
Launch Date/ Price	01.08.07/ 100p
Vehicle Type	UK OEIC
Initial charge	up to 5%
Price (NAV)	114.09p
Dealing Day & Time	Daily at 12 noon
Income Allocation	31st Aug, 28th Feb
Min Investment	£1,000
Base Currency	Sterling
Pricing Basis	Forward/Single Price
ISIN:	GB00B1Z8MN25 (Class R)

## PERFORMANCE



■ A - EF - 8AM Multi Strategy Portfolio II R TR in GB  
■ B - IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares GTR in GB

Past performance is not a guide to future performance

Source: 8AM GLOBAL LLP/IA Mixed Investment 30/11/2015 - 30/11/2020



## FUND COMMENTARY

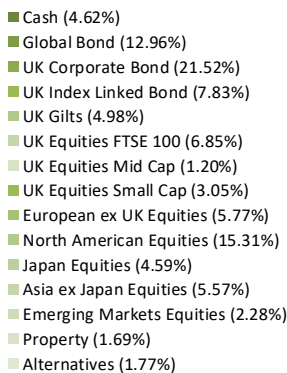
November was yet another extraordinary month, in an extraordinary year, for financial markets. The month began with a burst of optimism when it became clear that Joe Biden would be the next President of the US and that the Republicans would hold the Senate, with this viewed as a perfect scenario for growth companies. Technology shares surged, but this sector move proved to be short lived as news of successful vaccine trials from Moderna and Pfizer boosted hopes of the world returning to normal and the market rotated into economically sensitive sectors including bombed out value plays at the expense of growth companies.

Within the portfolio two of our recent additions topped the table for returns with the HSBC FTSE 250 Index fund rising a stunning 13.69% with Baillie Gifford Positive Change not far behind with a gain of 12.66%. Unsurprisingly in a strong month for equity returns, fixed income was the main detractor with the UK Gilt picks recording slightly negative returns. It is pleasing however to report a gain of 3.08% from the EF 8AM Multi Strategy Portfolio II Fund.

You may be forgiven looking at the strong gains from equity markets for thinking that the world was getting back to normal. This is far from the case as the virus continues to devastate large swathes of the global economy. But markets always look forward and investors are anticipating 2021 as the year when the world eventually gets back to normal and that monetary and fiscal largesse can provide the necessary back stop until the good news comes as vaccines are deployed. Expect a choppy end to the year, but your managers side with the consensus view that financial assets have a good chance of delivering strong positive returns next year.

Source: All performance figures – 8AM GLOBAL LLP to 30.11.2020

## ASSET ALLOCATION



Source: 8AM Global LLP

## MULTI-STRATEGY PORTFOLIO II

Top Ten Holdings	Asset Class	%
Rathbone Ethical Bond	UK Corporate Bond	10.80
Janus Henderson All Stocks Credit Fund	UK Corporate Bond	10.72
Royal London Sustainable Leaders Trust	UK Equities FTSE 100/UK Equities Mid Cap/North American Equities/European ex. UK Equities	9.77
Lyxor Core FTSE Actuaries UK Gilts	UK Index Linked Bond	7.83
L&G Global Infl. Lnkd Bond Index Fund	Global Bond	6.59
iShares Overseas Govt Bond Index Fund	Global Bond	6.37
Baillie Gifford Positive Change Fund	North American Equities/European ex. UK Equities/ Emerging Market Equities/ Asia ex. Japan Equities/Alternatives/ UK Equities FTSE 100	5.98
JPM Asia Growth Fund	Asia ex. Japan Equities	5.16
iShares UK Gilts All Stocks Index Fund	UK Gilts	4.98
Janus Henderson US Growth Fund	North American Equities	4.82

## SUITABILITY

An investor who is comfortable with holding a significant proportion of their portfolio 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 portfolio will be subject to fluctuations in value.

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