# August 2019

# Risk Targeted Managed Service Bordier UK Risk Targeted 6 (RT6)

## **Key information**

### Benchmark

ARC Sterling Steady Growth PCI

#### Strategy details

Launch date	1 March 2016
Minimum initial investment (direct)	£20,000
Minimum initial investment (platform)	£1,000
Rebalancing strategy (minimum)	Quarterly
Currency	£ GBP
Annual management charge (direct)	0.75% + VAT
Annual management charge (platform)	0.30% + VAT *
Annual yield (current)	1.84%
Ongoing charges figure ('OCF')	0.78%

\* Not including platform fees

#### **Investment update - August**

Although the press 'silly season' is drawing to a close, President Trump fittingly continues to dominate headlines. His tweets at the beginning of August stating that the U.S. would put an additional 10% tariff on \$300 billion in imports from China had marked consequences; Chinese exports to America fell by 16% in August whilst Chinese imports of US good fell by around 22%. The US/China trade tensions had further consequence on world equity markets, with increased volatility leading to markets recording their second negative monthly period of the year. Talks of recession have also contributed to volatility as President Trump ramps up the pressure on the US Federal Reserve to cut interest rates to stave off any potential threat. Closer to home, Brexit continues to act as a headwind. The initial lurch towards a 'no-deal' Brexit and subsequent political upheaval has brought the situation into greater focus and contributed to a further decline in the pound and increased uncertainty in financial markets. With the aforementioned headwinds coming to the fore, no changes were made to the RT6 strategy during August as we maintain our neutral risk position relative to the Dynamic Planner risk boundaries, which continues to reflect both the longer-term opportunity and shorter-term uncertainty that is currently being presented.

#### **Discretionary manager**

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#### **Risk Targeted Managed Service**

Our Risk Targeted ('RT') Managed Service is available directly through our Bordier UK platform or via the Novia or Transact platforms. The offering provides access to our discretionary management service at a much lower entry level than would normally be available and offers cost-effective portfolio management. The portfolios:

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- Offer five investment strategies with different levels of risk and expected return.
- Are rigorously mapped within a specific Dynamic Planner ('DP') risk profile tolerance.
- Can be held within general investment accounts, ISAs, SIPPs and other wrappers (platform dependent).

#### **Investment objective**

The objective is to build capital in real (inflation-adjusted) terms over the medium to longer term. Investors should expect a high correlation to stock market behaviour and rewards, including significant fluctuations in value, with only moderate protection in times of market weakness.

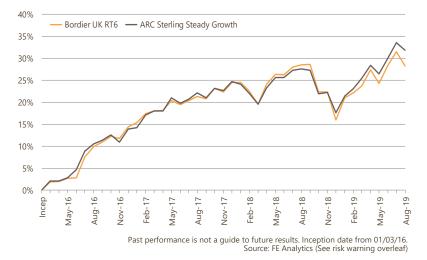
#### **Risk category**

The strategy is managed in accordance with DP risk profiles and is part of their Risk Target Managed ('RTM') offering. The strategy's expected volatility is targeted to stay within the assigned DP risk profile's boundaries.

Model performance			DYNAMIC Planner* targeted			6	
	1mth	3mth	6mth	YTD	1yr	3yr	Start*
Bordier UK RT6	-2.5%	3.2%	5.0%	10.6%	-0.2%	16.7%	28.2%
ARC Steady Growth	-1.3%	4.3%	7.2%	12.1%	3.3%	19.3%	31.9%

Data as at 31/08/19 (\*Inception from 01/03/16 to 31/08/19) - Figures net of 0.30% + VAT Source: FE Analytics

#### Inception performance



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Bordier UK focuses on managing the wealth of individuals, families and trustees. We manage portfolios for pensions, trusts, charities, offshore bonds, livery companies, institutions and welfare committees, as well as investments from our own staff. Working alongside professional advisers and managing investment solutions on behalf of their clients is core to the Bordier UK business.

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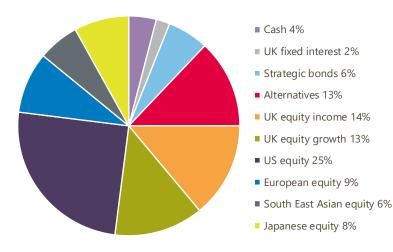


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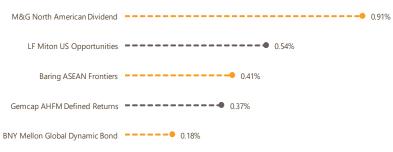




#### **Top 10 holdings**

Holding		Holding	%
M&G North American Dividend	7	LF Miton US Opportunities	6
Franklin UK Equity Income	6	Man GLG Japan CoreAlpha	6
Gemcap AHFM Defined Returns	6	Cash (deposit)	4
JPM US Equity Income (GBP Hedged)	6	JOHCM Continental European	4
Legg Mason Clearbridge US Agg. Growth	6	Merian Global Equity Absolute Return	4

#### Top 5 contributors over 1 year



Data as at 31/08/19 Source: FE Analytics

#### **Discrete returns**

	2016*	2017	2018	Q1 2019	Q2 2019
Bordier UK RT6	14.5%	8.8%	-6.9%	6.7%	3.8%
ARC Steady Growth	14.0%	9.4%	-5.6%	6.6%	3.7%

Data to 30/06/19 (\*2016 performance from 01/03/16) - Figures net of 0.30% + VAT Source: FE Analytics

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