## Hybrid Passive Risk Targeted Managed Service Hybrid Passive Risk Targeted 6 (HP RT6)

## September 2022

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### Strategy details

Inception	1 March 2016
Minimum initial investment (platform)	£1,000
Minimum initial investment (direct)	£20,000
Rebalancing strategy (minimum)	Quarterly
Currency	£GBP
Annual management charge (platform)	0.30% <sup>*</sup>
Annual management charge (direct)	0.75%
Annual yield (current)	1.75%
Ongoing charges figure ('OCF')	0.51%

\*Not including platform fees

#### **Investment update - September**

The market sell-off in August continued into September, driven by persistent high inflation, hawkish rhetoric from central banks and downward expectations for economic growth. It was a particularly tumultuous month in the UK. The government's 'minibudget', which set out plans for a larger-than-expected fiscal package and further substantial government borrowing, caused a spike in gilt yields and a dramatic fall in sterling to an historic low of \$1.03. Intervention by the Bank of England, who purchased longer-dated issues in an attempt to stabilise bond prices, led to a modest recovery in gilts by the month's end. The continued hawkish backdrop pushed bond yields significantly higher and prices lower. Both the US Federal Reserve and European Central Bank increased rates by a further 75 bps in September. On a potentially more positive note, the resilience of corporate earnings may suggest that equity markets have priced in much of the bad news. The same can potentially be said of some areas of the fixed interest markets if inflationary pressures are indeed set to recede. As such, no changes were made during the month as we maintain our commitment to equities, which have historically provided the best defence against inflation. The strategy remains at the upper end of its corresponding Dynamic Planner risk profile. At some point the coast may become clearer for fixed interest markets but volatility currently remains extremely high. Until then, allocations to highly liquid 'alternative' investment funds, which exhibit low levels of volatility and function as an effective risk management tool, are being maintained.

#### **Discretionary manager**

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#### Hybrid Passive Risk Targeted Managed Service

The service consists of five actively managed investment strategies, offering lower cost access to our discretionary fund management capabilities, through the combination of active and passive collective investments. The service provides a solution that, when cost considerations are paramount, does not compromise on quality. Investment strategies are monitored by our central Investment Committee to ensure consistency of performance from one portfolio to another. The service is available on the Abrdn, Aegon, Aviva, James Hay, M&G Wealth and Old Mutual platforms.

#### **Investment objective**

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 profile**

The strategy is managed in accordance with Dynamic Planner risk profile 6, with the strategy's expected volatility targeted to stay within the assigned Dynamic Planner risk profile's boundaries.

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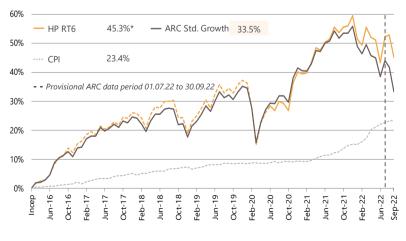
#### **Discrete performance**

	YTD	2021	2020*	2019*	2018 <sup>*</sup>	2017*
HP RT6	-8.9%	13.8%	2.1%	15.5%	-5.7%	9.2%
ARC Steady Growth PCI	-14.4%	10.2%	4.6%	15.0%	-5.6%	9.4%
CPI	7.0%	5.4%	0.7%	1.3%	2.1%	2.9%

#### **Cumulative performance**

	1yr	3yr	5yr
HP RT6	-5.4%	7.9%	19.3%

#### Inception performance



\*Performance from inception (01.03.16) to 30.06.20 is simulated past performance based on back-tested data (represented by orange dashed line).

Source: FE Analytics as at 30.09.22. Bordier UK figures net of 0.30% AMC. VAT applied to AMC from inception until 31.08.21. Highlighted ARC figure is provisional. Past performance is not a guide to future results. See full risk warning overleaf.

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#### Headline asset allocation

Summary of current Bordier UK Investment Committee positioning

## **About Bordier UK**

Bordier & Cie (UK) PLC ('Bordier UK') is a specialist investment manager that promotes a long-standing culture of consistency and excellence, whether in the performance of our portfolios, the service given by our staff or the quality of our reporting.

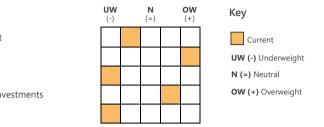
Bordier UK focuses on managing the wealth of individuals, families and trustees. We manage portfolios for pensions, trusts, charities, offshore bonds, livery companies, institutions and welfare committees, as well as investments from our own staff. Working alongside professional advisers and managing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

Bordier UK was previously known as Berry Asset Management, one of the country's most widely respected private portfolio management firms. The team that led Berry Asset Management continue to run the business to this day.

Bordier UK is part of the Bordier Group. The Bordier Group is built on solid foundations, with a strong Tier 1 capital ratio of 32.1%. Established in Geneva in 1844, the Bordier Group operates in six countries across three continents, managing assets of circa £13.4bn for approximately 4,200 families (Source: Bordier & Cie as at 30 June 2022).



## Fixed interest Equities Property Alternative investments Cash



As at 30.09.22

%

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2

6

12

4

10

35

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14 3

11

#### Headline positioning

- The strategies remain at the upper end of their corresponding Dynamic Planner risk profiles with good exposure to those parts of the world less likely to be exposed to the economic fall-out from war in Ukraine.
- We have reduced or removed entirely our exposure to Europe and increased our allocation to Asia-Pacific ex Japan, where fundamentals and valuations look fairly attractive, and policy is more supportive for risk assets.
- In our lower risk strategies, we continue to favour inflation-linked bond • funds, actively managed strategic bond funds and 'market neutral' alternative investments, which continue to act as good portfolio stabilisers, diversifiers of risk and sources of return.
- Cash exposure remains low and there continues to be focus on high levels of liquidity in everything that we own.

#### Model asset allocation Sector Cash International fixed interest Strategic bonds Alternatives UK equity income UK equity growth US equity European equity Asia-Pacific ex Japan equity Active/Passive split % Japanese equity Thematic and global equity Active funds 54 Passive funds 46 40.1.1.1

## **Contact us**

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Top 10 holdings			
Holding	%	Holding	%
Premier Miton US Opportunities	9	Fidelity Index US	6
Artemis US Select	7	Ninety One Global Environment	6
HSBC American Index	7	Vanguard US Equity Index	6
HSBC Pacific Index	7	FTF ClearBridge Global Infrastructure Inc.	5
TM Tellworth UK Select	7	Janus Henderson Absolute Return	5

As at 30.09.22

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