Newscape Growth Portfolio

Newscape Capital Group

Blended Style - December 2018

Investment Approach:

The Newscape Managed Portfolio Service offers a range of risk graded multi-asset portfolios. There are 5 total return portfolios ranging from Defensive through to Growth. Our base case Strategic Asset Allocations, which are constructed with reference to 20 years of underlying asset class data, aim to optimise expected return at a given level of risk over the longer term. The 'Blended Style' portfolios predominately hold passively managed Investment funds. However, actively managed funds are also used where we believe they can add value without taking the Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) of the portfolio above 0.3%.

Portfolio Objective:

The objective is to deliver a total annual return in the range of 7.0% - 10.0% over the longer term.

Portfolio Risk:

A higher risk portfolio which aims to provide capital growth where an investor is prepared to accept a higher level of risk for the potential of greater returns. (Volatility target 10.0% - 16.0% per annum over the longer term).

Portfolio Details:

Launch date	31 Dec 2012
Pricing Frequency	Daily
Dealing Frequency	Daily
Base Currency	GBP
Investment Management Fee	0.25% +VAT
Underlying Max OCF	0.30%

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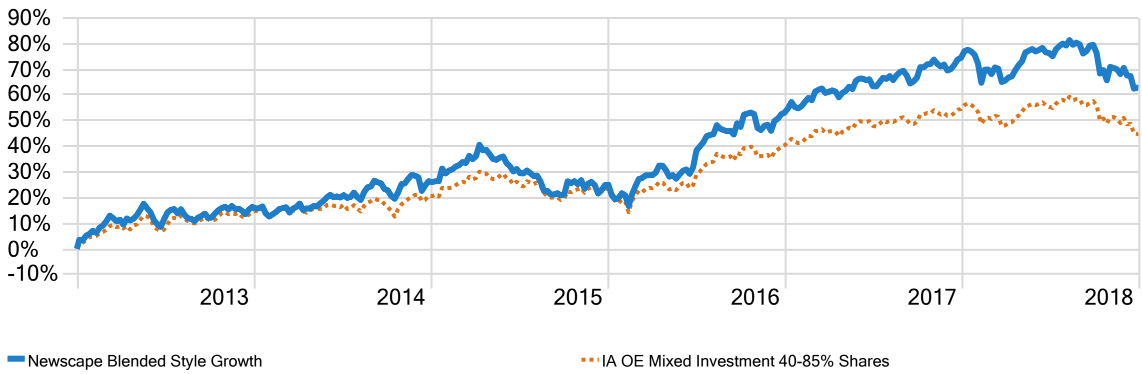
Portfolio Review

The Portfolio was down 4.52% for the month of December and is down 6.64% year to date. Within the portfolio, the strongest performers were the Physical Gold ETF (+5.25%) and the iShares Global Government Bond ETF (+2.82%). The worst performing funds in the portfolio were the M&G North American Value Fund (-11.24%) and the iShares Core S&P 500 ETF (-8.89%).

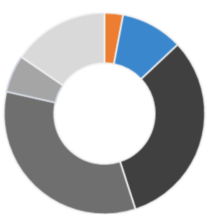
Total Returns	1M	3M	6M	YTD	2016	2017	2018	S/I*
Newscape Blended Style Growth	-4.52	-9.28	-7.66	-6.64	22.46	13.91	-6.64	62.82
IA OE Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares	-3.94	-7.93	-6.63	-6.09	13.28	10.05	-6.09	45.06

Since Inception (S/I) Date* 31 Dec 2012 As of 31/12/2018

Total Return Chart*



Asset Allocation^



- Managed Liquidity - 3%
- Fixed Income - 10%
- UK Equities - 32%
- Developed Equities - 33.5%
- Emerging Market Equities - 6%
- Other Assets - 15.5%

^Source: Newscape. As of 31/12/2018

Geographic Allocation (Equities only)^

- UK Equities - 32%
- US - 16%
- Europe - 9%
- Japan - 4.5%
- Asia Pacific - 4%
- Emerging Market Equities - 6%

Top 10 Allocated Holdings^	(%)
iShares FTSE 100 ETF GBP Acc	14.20
Fidelity Index Europe ex UK W Acc	9.79
iShares MSCI UK Small Cap ETF GBP Acc	7.83
Fidelity Index World P Acc	7.34
L&G Global Emerging Markets Index R Acc	7.05
Fidelity Index US W Acc	6.36
HSBC S&P 500 ETF	6.36
Fidelity Index Japan W Acc	5.87
HSBC FTSE 250 Index C Acc	5.68
iShares FTSE 250 ETF GBP Dist	5.68

Top 3 Performers (1M)^	Return (%)
Physical Gold ETF	5.25
iShares Global Government Bond ETF	2.82
L&G All Stocks Index Linked Gilt Fund	2.10

Bottom 3 Performers (1M)^	Return (%)
M&G North American Value Fund	-11.24
iShares Core S&P 500 ETF	-8.89
iShares Automation & Robotics ETF	-7.75