



Monthly Factsheet - December 2024

Fund Overview

The fund offers multi-asset investors the potential to achieve more predictable returns from equity, more reliable diversification from bonds, and exposure to crash protection to guard the portfolio during stressed markets.

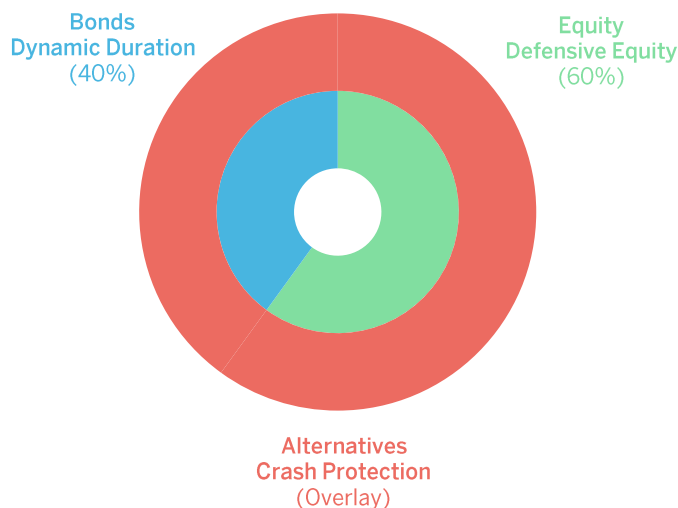
Monthly Performance

The Atlantic House Balanced Return Fund returned -1.34% this month. The IA Mixed Investment 20% - 60% sector returned -1.05%, and the IA Targeted Absolute Return Sector returned -0.17%. This was a turbulent month for all the fund's allocations, especially bonds. A more detailed performance breakdown is provided below, along with commentary.

Key Facts

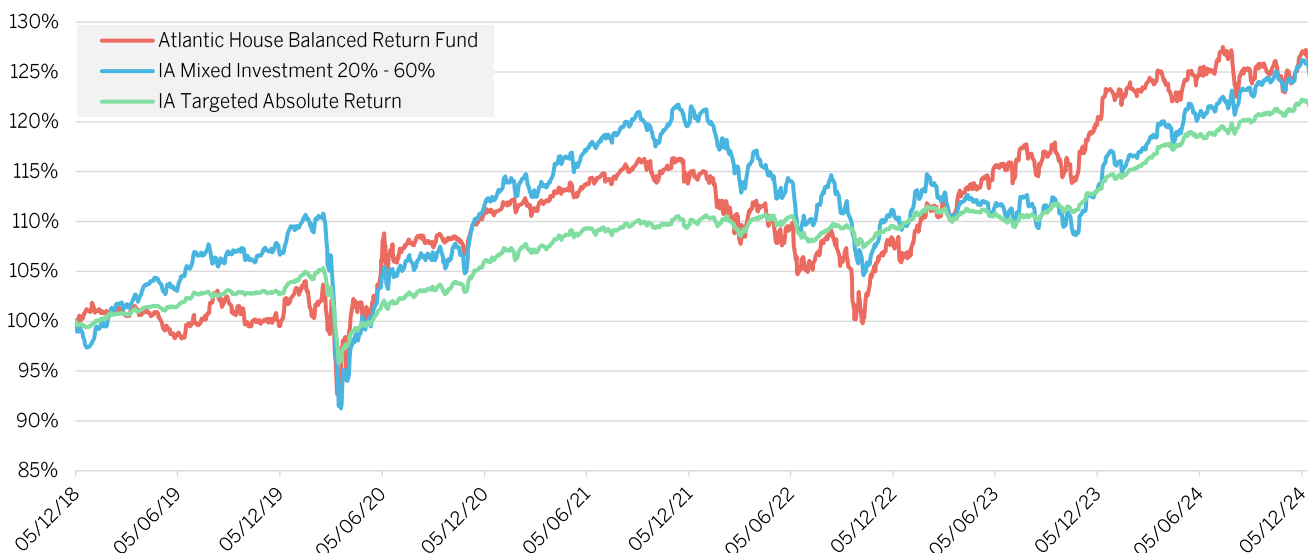
Launch Date	5 December 2018
Fund Size	GBP 45.23m
NAV	1.2471
OCF	0.75% (Capped)
Managers	Jack Roberts, CFA; Mark Greenwood, FIA; Tom May; Fahad Hassan, CFA
Domicile	Dublin, Ireland
Fund Type	UCITS
Dealing	Daily
Currency	GBP
Internal Benchmark	IA Mixed Investment 20% - 60%
IA Sector	IA Targeted Absolute Return
Available Share Classes	A Acc GBP ISIN:IE00BDZQTC81 BDZQTC8 AHFMTAA ID
Distribution and Target Market Strategy	The fund is aimed at advised & discretionary market investors over the long term who have the capacity to tolerate a loss of the entire capital invested or the initial amount.

Asset Allocation and Estimated Monthly Attribution



Allocation	Defensive Equity	Dynamic Duration	Crash Protection	Total
Monthly Attribution	-0.14%	-0.85%	-0.35%	-1.34%

Cumulative Performance and Performance Since Launch



Past performance does not predict future returns. Source: Atlantic House. FE Analytics. NAV performance. Total Return basis in GBP as at 31/12/24.





Performance

Name	1 month	3 months	6 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	Since launch	Annualised
AH Balanced Return Fund	-1.34%	-0.56%	-0.34%	1.23%	1.23%	8.52%	24.71%	3.70%
IA Mixed Investment 20% - 60%	-1.05%	0.06%	2.34%	6.07%	6.07%	2.57%	24.22%	3.63%
IA Targeted Absolute Return	-0.17%	0.71%	2.30%	5.99%	5.99%	10.16%	21.59%	3.27%

Calendar Year Performance

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
AH Balanced Return Fund	1.23%	15.87%	-7.47%	3.42%	7.97%	1.99%
IA Mixed Investment 20% - 60%	6.07%	6.81%	-9.47%	7.20%	3.51%	11.84%
IA Targeted Absolute Return	5.99%	4.31%	-0.37%	3.53%	2.59%	4.38%

Discrete Yearly Performance

	29/12/2023 - 31/12/2024	30/12/2022 - 29/12/2023	31/12/2021 - 30/12/2022	31/12/2020 - 31/12/2021	31/12/2019 - 31/12/2020	31/12/2018 - 31/12/2019
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Fund Manager Monthly Commentary

- Mixed Global Equity Performance:** US equities fell in December, especially smaller caps following the FED's surprisingly hawkish dot plot. The UK followed suit, but European equities were strong, as were Japanese. The fund's equity allocation, primarily consisting of defined return investments, has lower equity sensitivity to initial market falls and fared relatively well to global equity.
- Bond Market Movements:** UK and US long-term bond yields rose in December as the market digested the FED's more hawkish dot plot projections and UK headline inflation rose for a second month. The fund's bond allocation, including the dynamic duration strategy and credit exposure, performed poorly amid rising yields and slightly widened credit spreads.
- Crash Protection Contribution:** Equity volatility spiked briefly as US equities fell mid-month, following what appeared a FED pivot towards higher for longer interest rates. The crash protection allocation fell as volatility quickly mean reverted, while equities did not fall meaningfully to reach levels where protection is triggered. There was some respite from the fund's interest rate volatility strategies which benefitted from the changed higher rates narrative. The VIX closed December in its 46th percentile over three years, providing a potentially favourable starting point for the crash protection allocation to benefit from volatility increases into early 2025.

A Note on Benchmarks

The fund uses derivatives to implement its risk exposures. Given the fund has a 60% exposure to equity through defined return investments, we see the appropriate benchmark (internally) as the IA Mixed Investment 20% - 60% sector. However, IA rules dictate that to officially be in this sector, a fund must hold between 20% and 60% in direct equity. Since the fund's exposures to equity are not through direct investments, but instead are through derivatives, the fund is officially grouped into the IA Targeted Absolute Return Sector instead. A comparison of the fund against both sectors since launch is shown on the first page and given the fund has behaved more similarly to the 20-60 sector, alongside its defensive equity weight of 60%, we see the 20-60 sector as a more comparable and relevant benchmark for the fund.



Key Risks

This is a marketing communication. The fund is aimed at advised & discretionary market investors over the long term who have the capacity to tolerate a loss of the entire capital invested or the initial amount.

A final investment decision should not be contemplated until the risks are fully considered. A comprehensive list of risk factors is detailed in the Risk Warnings Section of the Prospectus and the Supplement of the fund and in the relevant key investor information document (KIID) A copy of the English version of the Supplement, the Prospectus, and any other offering document and the KIID can be viewed at www.atlantichousegroup.com and www.gemincapital.ie. A summary of investor rights associated with an investment in the fund is available in English at www.gemincapital.ie.

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