# BLENHEIM

### DIVERSIFIED PROPERTY FUND

**MARCH 2024** 

#### **OBJECTIVE**

The objective of the fund is to provide income and capital growth over the medium to long term, from investing in a diversified range of property assets including bricks and mortar property funds, REIT funds and listed property securities. The maximum exposure to collective investment schemes that invest directly in property will be 50%. Direct investment includes funds that invest more than 70% of their assets directly in immovable properties.

#### **KEY FACTS**



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**COMPARATOR BENCHMARK** 

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**LAUNCH DATE** 11/01/2021



DISTRIBUTION PAYMENT DATES

🗓 31/07 and 31/01



**FUND SIZE** £71.38m

■ Blenheim Diversified Property

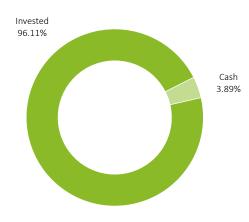
Comparator Benchmark

#### **CUMULATIVE PERIODS**

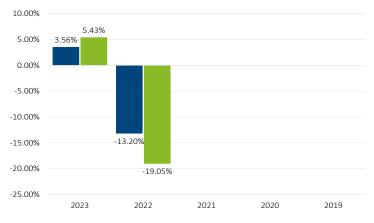
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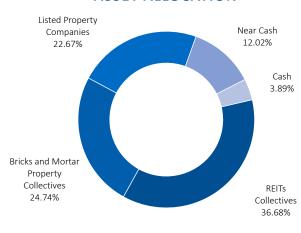
#### **FUND BREAKDOWN**



#### **DISCRETE CALENDAR YEARS**



#### **ASSET ALLOCATION**



#### **AVAILABLE PLATFORMS**













#### MANAGER COMMENTARY

Q1 2024 emerged from the rain clouds to end on a bright note and an early Easter. While economic and liquidity conditions are not universally rosy, the main US equity market, the S&P 500, ended March with strong performance and made new all-time highs, as investors remained optimistic about potential rate cuts later in the year. It hasn't just been the "Magnificent Seven" either; some of those have started to retreat. Gains have broadened across sectors such as materials and financials. Energy, too, has performed well, and oil prices have gained against the backdrop of persistent geopolitical tensions and a resilient global economy. Commodities were generally higher across all the major subsectors. In addition to oil, base metal prices were mostly higher due to the expectation of higher Chinese demand. There are early signs that China's economy is bottoming out. The data released so far this year is consistent with a GDP growth reading of around 7%.

March was a positive month for the fund, with a return of 1.38%<sup>3</sup>. During the month, REITs performed very strongly. As a result, the fund, which is a hybrid, underperformed the benchmark return of 3.28%<sup>3</sup>. However, the fund continues to outperform the benchmark from a volatility point of view, thus providing investors with a much smoother ride.

Listed property companies and REITs funds added value of 5.25% and 3.25%, respectively. The traditional bricks-and-mortar funds were mild performance detractors.

During the month, Supermarket Income REIT was sold on fears of property valuations and replaced with Target Healthcare Group, a quality healthcare provider with much better dividend coverage and lower borrowings. The only other trade for the month was the sale of Life Sciences PLC, where your managers had concerns about corporate governance. The proceeds were used to bolster the fund's cash position.

#### **HOLDINGS**

Schroder Global Cities	13.71%
iShares Ultrashort Bond ETF	12.02%
First Sentier Global Property	11.42%
Premier Miton Pan Europe Property Shares	8.88%
TM Home Investor	6.87%
TIME Commerical Long Income	4.92%
ASI Global Real Estate	4.85%
L&G Property	4.70%
TR Property Trust	4.14%
TIME Social Long Income	3.41%
LondonMetric	3.41%
Empiric Student Property	3.27%
PRS REIT	2.94%
Tritax Eurobox	2.80%
Janus Henderson Global Property Equities	2.66%
Schroder Real Estate Investment Trust	2.45%
Target Healthcare REIT	2.00%
Residential Secure income	1.66%
Cash	3.89%

#### **OPERATIONAL INFORMATION**

SHARE	ISIN	OCF	VALUATION	YIELD	PROSPECTIVE	MINIMUM
CLASS			POINT		YIELD <sup>4</sup>	INVESTMENT
В Асс	GB00BNDQ9757	1.01%	08:30	3.06%	4.48%	£10,000,000.00
B Inc	GB00BNDQ9641	1.01%	08:30	3.13%	4.48%	£10,000,000.00
R Acc	GB00BNDQ9971	1.26%	08:30	2.86%	4.48%	£10,000.00
R Inc	GB00BNDQ9864	1.26%	08:30	2.93%	4.48%	£10,000.00

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#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION AND RISK WARNINGS

All data references B Acc shares and is correct as at 28/03/2024 unless otherwise stated.

<sup>1</sup>Charts' data source: FE Fundinfo. All figures are in GBP terms. <sup>2</sup>Source: Updata Analytics Pro. <sup>3</sup>Source: Morningstar Direct 29/02/2024 to 28/03/2024. <sup>4</sup>Prospective yield is not guaranteed and does not include deductions for expenses and tax. It is calculated using the holdings' expected distributions over the next 12 months (data as at 31/12/2023). Any variation in the actual amounts paid will impact the total yield. This impact could be positive or negative.

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