## **EPIM Cabot Growth**

### Investment objective and policy

These discretionary managed model portfolios offer risk-profiled investment solutions, all of which have a dynamic top-down asset allocation strategy implemented using low cost index tracking funds.

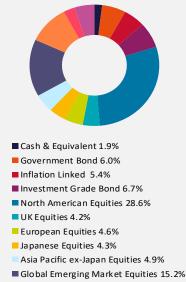
The investment objective for the EPIM Cabot Growth Model Portfolio is to provide a long-term total return which is superior to inflation plus 3% returns. The performance of the model portfolio is not intended to track the rise (or fall) of any specific index.

## Key facts

Inception Date Typical Growth / Defensive Split	30/09/2012 65:35
Annual Management Charge	0.20%
I Total Ongoing Charges (of underlying funds)	0.20%
Portfolio Total Ongoing Charge	0.40%

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### Asset Allocation



- Global/Thematic Equities 10.3%
- Property 2.9%
- Infrastructure 5.0%

### Top ten holdings

Fidelity Index US P Acc Hdg	11.3
Legal & General US Index C Inc	10.2
Fidelity Index Emerging Markets P Acc	9.1
Amundi Index MSCI North America - RHG	7.1
iShares Emerging Markets Equity Index (UK) D Acc	6.2
Vanguard US Government Bond Index Inv GBP Hedged I	nc 6.0
Legal & General Global Technology Index C Acc	5.7
Legal & General Global Inflation Linked Bond Index C In	ic 5.4
Legal & General Global Infrastructure Index C Inc	5.0
Legal & General Pacific Index C Acc	4.9

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# News in the closing days of November that a new variant of Covid-19 had evolved hit global markets immediately and indiscriminately. Named Omicron, the new strain is thought to be potentially highly transmissible, although there is still little known about its epidemiology and we await more medical evidence on whether vaccines work against it or not. The statement from the World Health Organisation raised the spectre of further lockdowns and other economically-protective measures should Omicron's spread prove problematic. There appear to be more questions than answers about the impact – if any – Omicron will have on the recovery at this stage.

As central banks attempt to wean economies off the special measures such as quantitative easing that were part of the pandemic response, the new variant has provided a challenge for policymakers. The large range of inflation expectations is another difficulty that central banks face as they try not to repeat past policy mistakes. Clearly, the US Federal Reserve is now beginning to accept that at least some of the inflation that has been created by running printing presses and economies on "hot" will embed itself in the system. The concern is that it leads to an inflationary wage round reinforcing the supply shortage and energy induced price rises we have seen so far, however the labour market still has many more jobs than willing takers. Chairman Mr Powell, who has been reappointed, conceded this month that the Fed got it wrong on inflation and said it was time to retire the term "transitory" – a word he has consistently used to describe recent high rates of inflation.

The long-awaited COP26 United Nations climate-change conference in Glasgow concluded with a generally positive tone, but progress could only be described as "mixed". Despite many attempts to persuade leading countries to cut back more severely on the use of coal, oil and gas, the combined impact of all the national plans is for the world to be producing more carbon dioxide in 2030 than it did in 2010. China failed to fully engage with the conference and the success of the plan to limit global warming to 1.5 degrees centigrade depends significantly on Beijing. If China, which is currently responsible for almost 30% of global emissions, doesn't go further then these distant targets are unlikely to be met.

Commodity-market movements remained significant. Countries acted in concert to release oil from their strategic reserves to help reverse the soaring price of crude. Falls in the oil price were then accelerated by concerns about the future path of Omicron. However, gas prices remained elevated amid low inventories and worries over pipeline supplies from Russia as disputes with the Kremlin continue.

Most of November saw things continuing pretty much as they had before with strong corporate earnings recovery supporting relatively high valuations in equity markets as the world normalised and came out of the crisis. But now several issues have emerged to murky the outlook further meaning central bankers will need to keep on their toes.

### Performance %

Discrete Performance	Nov 20 - Nov 21	Nov 19 - Nov 20	Nov 18 - Nov 19	Nov 17 - Nov 18	Nov 16 - Nov 17	3 yr Volatility
EPIM Cabot Growth	12.4	6.1	9.9	2.4	11.3	10.2
UK CPI + 3%*	7.2	3.8	4.6	5.5	6.0	-
Cumulative Performance	1m	3m	6m	1yr	Зуr	5yr
EPIM Cabot Growth	0.9	0.7	5.8	12.4	31.0	49.4
UK CPI + 3%*	1.3	2.8	4.7	7.2	16.3	30.1

All data as at 30 November 2021

Source: APX and FE Analytics

Past performance is not a reliable guide to future performance. The performance is net of Eden Park Investment Management fees, with income reinvested. \*UK Consumer Price Inflation figures quoted with a 1 month lag.

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### Investment Team

The model portfolios are managed by Eden Park Investment Management, with investment advisory and management services provided by Charles Stanley. The team of portfolio managers and analysts have extensive experience, drawing upon the expertise of investment specialists, strategists and economists both internally and externally. The research team looks for the best Index tracking funds from the available passive universe.

### Performance since Inception



Sub Manager MPS Proposition Ratings

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