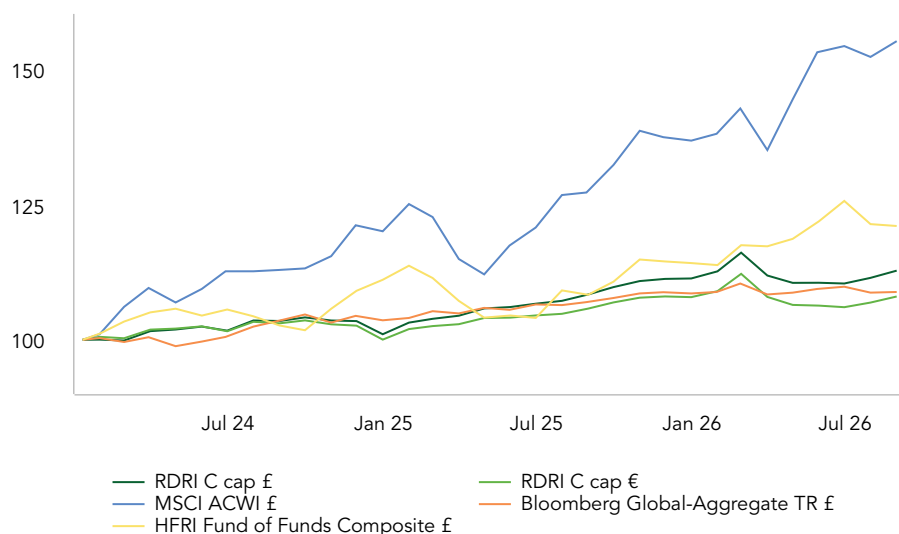


Ruffer Diversified Return International

SHARE PRICE PERFORMANCE SINCE LAUNCH ON 11 JANUARY 2024

Past performance does not predict future returns



The fund delivered positive performance in August, thanks to a strong balance between growth and protection assets. August can often be a volatile period for markets, due to lower liquidity and reduced trading volumes, but it proved relatively subdued this year.

One of the more dynamic areas of the market was gold, which regained momentum after its six-month decline from the January peak. The precious metal appreciated by nearly 10%, while gold-mining equities exhibited their usual high-beta response. As a result, our gold mining exposure was a key contributor to returns, with the reduced position size still capable of contributing almost 1% to performance in August. Elsewhere in commodities, the continued escalation between Russia and Ukraine supported further rises in agricultural commodity prices, providing another source of return for the portfolio.

Equity markets were resilient in the face of geopolitical risks. The earnings season was broadly supportive, and market leadership broadened during the month, demonstrating that equities can continue to reach new highs even as the most popular segments – particularly semiconductors and memory stocks – pause for breath. Notable contributors to performance included the allocation to the Japanese corporate reform theme and the software exposure, which continued to recover even as technology hardware names stabilised after July's sharp losses.

Bond yields completed a round trip over the month and were not a significant contributor to returns. Nevertheless, fixed income remained a major focus for investors as markets weighed the direction of US policy. The US Treasury unexpectedly announced an increase in bond buybacks, a potentially dovish development that likely signals the administration's discomfort with the level of government yields. At the same time, Federal Reserve (Fed) Chair Kevin Warsh adopted a hawkish tone in his first Jackson Hole speech, after the more ambiguous messaging from the Fed's July meeting. As markets digest these and other developments, the emerging consensus points towards a higher-for-longer interest rate environment, placing upward pressure on developed market bond yields.

Our exposure to government bonds remains low relative to historical levels, although we have begun to add selectively on an opportunistic basis. If one believes a key risk facing asset markets is that the AI capital expenditure boom eventually turns to bust, bonds may once again offer an attractive source of diversification in that scenario. The challenge lies in determining how long and painful the journey to that point may be for bondholders, and we do not feel compelled to jump in with both feet.

Finally, the principal detractors from performance were our protective derivative positions and foreign currency exposures outside sterling. The yen resumed its weakening trend despite bilateral intervention in late July. We note that the US Treasury has a strong track record in trading the yen. The market is taking on Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent, and time will tell if that proves courageous or foolish. We maintain a meaningful position in the Japanese currency alongside potent derivative protection to bolster the portfolio in a market shock. We view these instruments as an important source of true diversification, particularly should inflationary pressures re-emerge and a renewed sell-off in bonds lead to contagion across financial markets.

MARKETING

COMMUNICATION

C CLASS AUGUST 2026



Performance C cap %	GBP	EUR
August	1.2	1.0
Year to date	1.3	0.1
1 year	4.1	2.1
3 years pa	–	–
5 years pa	–	–
10 years pa	–	–
Since inception pa	4.6	3.0
Share price, p		
C EUR cap		1.0797
C GBP cap		1.1273
C GBP dis		1.1244
	Net	Gross
Duration (years)	2.8	2.8
Equity exposure %	31.5	34.2

12 month performance to 30 June 2026

%	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026
RDRI C cap £	–	–	–	4.9	3.5
RDRI C cap €	–	–	–	2.9	1.5
MSCI ACWI £	–	–	–	7.2	27.7
B'berg Gbl-Agg TR £	–	–	–	5.9	3.1
HFRI FOF Comp £	–	–	–	-1.5	20.7

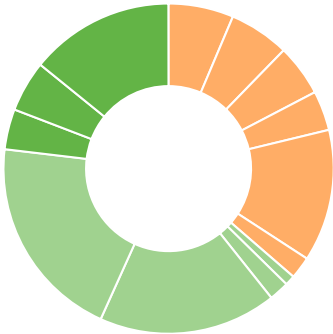
Ruffer performance is shown after deduction of all fees and management charges, and on the basis of income being reinvested. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. The value of the shares and the income from them can go down as well as up and you may not get back the full amount originally invested. The value of overseas investments will be influenced by the rate of exchange. One to 12 month performance figures are cumulative, all others annualised. Source: Ruffer LLP, MSCI, Bloomberg, HFRI.

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

To achieve positive returns in all market conditions over any 12 month period from an actively managed diversified portfolio. The fund may have exposure to the following asset classes: cash, debt securities of any type (including government and corporate debt), equities and equity related securities and commodities (including precious metals). Overriding this objective is a fundamental philosophy of capital preservation. Investors should note there can be no assurance the investment objective will be achieved.

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ASSET ALLOCATION



Inflation	%
Long-dated non-UK inflation-linked bonds	14.2
Short-dated non-UK inflation-linked bonds	5.0
Gold and precious metals exposure	4.0
Protection	
Short-dated nominal bonds	20.2
Long-dated nominal bonds	17.5
Cash	2.0
Credit and derivative strategies	0.6
Growth	
Consumer discretionary equities	6.4
Financials equities	5.9
Industrials equities	5.1
Materials equities	3.9
Other equities	13.0
Commodity exposure	2.2

Currency allocation	%
Sterling	68.3
US dollar	12.4
Yen	10.5
Euro	5.3
Other	3.5

Geographical equity allocation	%
UK equities	10.4
North America equities	9.6
Europe equities	7.6
Japan equities	6.0
Asia ex-Japan equities	0.5

5 LARGEST EQUITY HOLDINGS

Stock	ESG score	% of fund
Prosus	AA	1.5
BP	A	1.3
Banco Santander	AA	1.2
Prudential	AA	1.1
SLB	A	0.9

The credit and derivatives strategies allocation is calculated using market value. In some cases, this allocation might be negative due to the nature of how the instruments, in particular credit default swaps, are priced. Largest equity holdings exclude Ruffer funds | Source: MSCI ESG Research, Ruffer LLP | Totals may not equal 100 due to rounding

RUFFER LLP

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FUND SIZE £124.3M

FUND INFORMATION

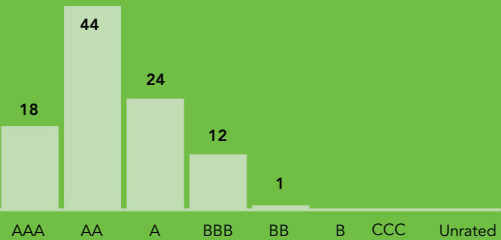
Minimum investment (or equivalent in other currency)		£10m
Ongoing Charges Figure %		1.43
Cut offs		3pm Luxembourg time on valuation day
Dealing frequency		Daily
Ex dividend dates		Next NAV following the record date
Pay dates		Within five business days after ex dividend date
Record dates		Third Monday of November
Investment manager		Ruffer LLP
Depository bank		Bank Pictet & Cie (Europe) A.G.
Management company, administrative agent, registrar and transfer agent, paying and domiciliary agent		FundPartner Solutions (Europe) S.A.
Auditors		Ernst & Young S.A.
Structure		Sub-fund of Ruffer SICAV, a Luxembourg domiciled UCITS SICAV
SFDR classification		Article 8
Share class	ISIN	SEDOL
C EUR cap	LU2699373192	BRBR0D1
C GBP cap	LU2699370172	BRBR0C0
C GBP dis	LU2699372624	BRBR0H5
CR EUR cap	LU2699372202	BRBR0M0

ESG INFORMATION

WEIGHTED AVERAGE CARBON INTENSITY



ESG RATING BREAKDOWN, EQUITIES %



Source: MSCI ESG Research

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- the lowest 20% scoring sovereign issuers based on identified environmental, social and governance-related criteria and
- corporate issuers that derive a significant proportion of their revenues from industries deemed to have a detrimental social or environmental impact.

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E/S characteristic	1 Decarbonisation/ emissions reduction	2 Energy transition alignment	3 Sector and value- based exclusions
Real world decarbonisation commodities	x	x	na
Sovereign fixed income securities	na	na	x
Equity and corporate fixed income securities	x	x	x

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