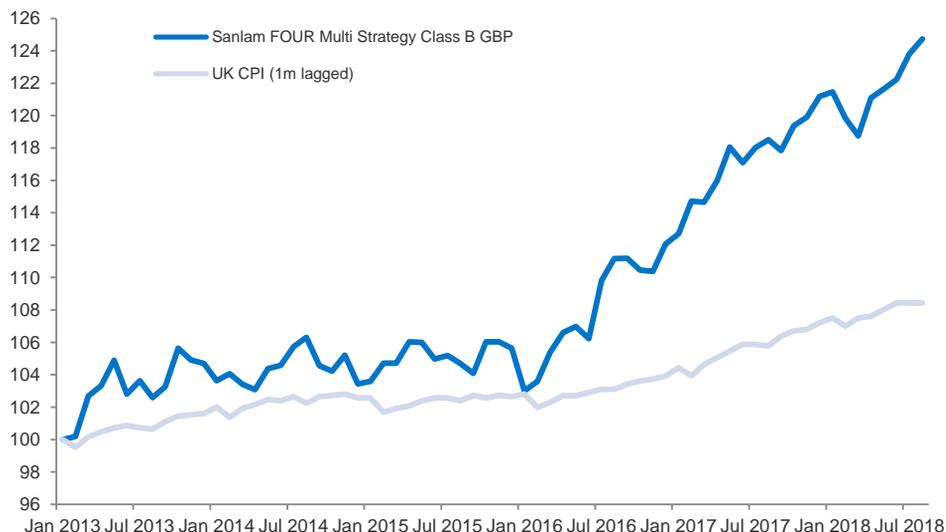


## Overview

The Fund combines thematic and systematic investment strategies aimed at generating long-term positive returns. The broad asset class exposure ranges from stock indices and government bonds to real assets, equity derivatives and high yield corporate bonds. The team employs stringent risk analysis and stop loss positions to provide downside protection.

## Performance - Past performance is not a guide to future performance



Class B returns are used to illustrate the fund's longest track record and has no fixed management fee. It requires a separate agreement with Sanlam FOUR and is not available to retail clients. Class A is available to retail clients with a 0.75% p.a. management fee, which would result in lower performance than shown. Please see table below for the effect of these charges on performance. **Please see the table overleaf for all available share classes and total fees, or contact us for details.**

Source: Sanlam FOUR, SAMI, Bloomberg

## Key Facts

<b>Fund AuM</b>	£158.5m
<b>Yield</b>	3.0%
<b>Target - Short Term</b>	+Returns over 3yrs
<b>Target - Long Term</b>	CPI+4% over 5yrs
<b>Fund Manager</b>	Mike Pinggera
<b>Fund Launch Date</b>	31 January 2013
<b>Domicile</b>	Ireland
<b>Base Currency</b>	Sterling
<b>Fund Type</b>	OEIC, UCITS IV
<b>IA Sector</b>	Absolute Return
<b>Morningstar Category</b>	Alt - Multistrategy
<b>Dealing Deadline</b>	11:00 (GMT)
<b>Settlement Time</b>	T+3
<b>Valuation Point</b>	Midday (GMT)
<b>Distribution</b>	Monthly

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## Performance (%)

	Inception Date	1mth	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	Since Inception
B GBP Accumulation	31/01/13	0.8	2.9	5.3	6.0	4.0	4.0
A GBP Accumulation	11/11/13	0.7	2.4	4.5	5.2	-	3.0
B USD Accumulation	29/11/13	0.9	4.0	7.0	7.0	-	4.2

Performance figures for periods longer than 12 months are annualized

## Discrete Performance (%)

12 Months to	Aug-18	Aug-17	Aug-16	Aug-15	Aug-14
B GBP Accumulation	5.3	6.6	6.2	-1.5	3.6
A GBP Accumulation	4.5	5.8	5.4	-2.3	-
B USD Accumulation	7.0	7.9	6.2	-1.8	-

The Fund has holdings which are denominated in currencies other than sterling and may be affected by movements in exchange rates. Consequently the value of an investment may rise or fall in line with the exchange rates. The fund can invest in derivatives. Derivatives are used to protect against fluctuations in currencies, credit risk and interests rates or for investment purposes. There is a risk that losses could be made on derivative positions or that the counterparties could fail to complete on transactions. The Fund's expenses are charged to capital. This has the effect of increasing dividends while constraining capital appreciation. Part of the fund is invested in bonds. The government or company issuer of a bond might not be able to repay either the interest or the original loan amount and therefore default on the debt. This would affect the credit rating of the bond and, in turn, the value of the fund. Investment in bonds and other debt instruments (including related derivatives) is subject to interest rate risk. If long-term interest rates rise, the value of your shares is likely to fall.

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## Monthly Commentary

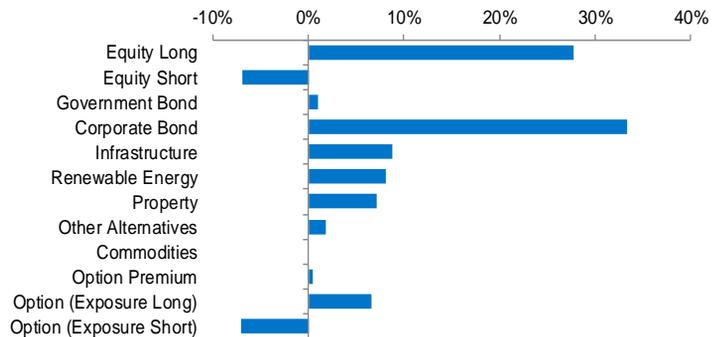
We have exposure to four equity markets in the growth momentum strategy. Elsewhere we are now active Synthetic equity options, Global Infrastructure, Renewables, Property, Active Alpha, corporate bonds (short dated), government bonds and alternatives. We continue to hold equity index put options as downside hedges.

Markets continued to diverge with strong performance in US equities matched by weakness in Europe. The S&P 500 rose by just over 3% during the month due to tax cuts whilst European indices (including the UK) fell by over 3% against the ongoing uncertainty of Brexit. Emerging markets remain under pressure with events in Turkey and Argentina hitting the headlines.

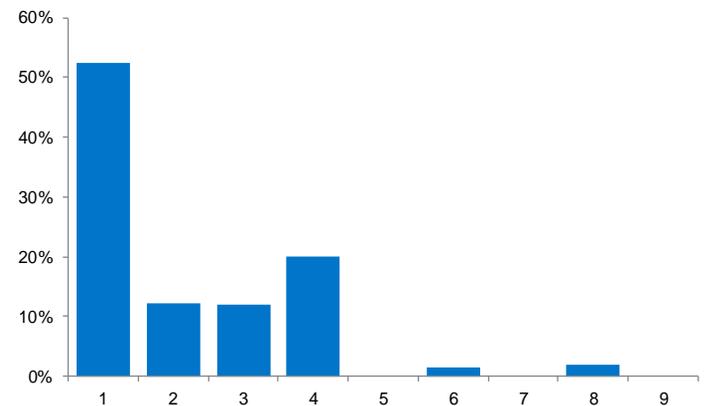
The negative contributions from the fund's equity momentum and infrastructure strategies were offset by positive contributions from synthetic equity, active alpha, renewables, investment grade debt, other alternatives, high yield bonds and property.

Bankers, politicians and investors are returning from their summer breaks to find that nothing has changed. The Brexit clock continues to tick down causing pressure to build and President Trump's policies are supporting American growth but causing disruptions elsewhere. The fund is largely unchanged and remains well positioned with its diversified long-term income producing investments, option based equity exposure and portfolio hedging.

## Asset Class Exposure



## Bond Duration (Years)



Source: Sanlam FOUR, Bloomberg

## Fund Information & Charges

	Inception Date	ISIN	Bloomberg	SEDOL	Initial Charge	AMC	OCF	Price	Minimum investment	Type of Share
B GBP Accumulation	31/01/2013	IE00B8N5CF67	FCMSGGB	B8N5CF6	Up to 5%	*	**	12.4743	£10,000	Accumulation
B GBP Income	29/07/2015	IE00BZ0Y8801	SFMSBGD	BZ0Y880	Up to 5%	*	**	10.9148	£1,000	Income
B USD Accumulation	29/11/2013	IE00B7Y3R463	FCMSGBU	B7Y3R46	Up to 5%	*	**	12.1758	\$10,000	Accumulation
B EUR Accumulation	Awaiting Investment	IE00B8KBRQ38	SFMSBEU	B8KBRQ3	Up to 5%	*		n/a	€10,000	Accumulation
A GBP Accumulation	11/11/2013	IE00B4QNLR45	FCMSGBA	B4QNLR4	None	0.75%	0.99%	11.5215	£1,000	Accumulation
A GBP Income	16/07/2015	IE00BZ0Y8793	SFMSAGD	BZ0Y879	None	0.75%	0.99%	10.6123	£1,000	Income
A EUR Accumulation	Awaiting Investment	IE00B83VWR62	SFMSAEU	B83VWR6	None	0.75%	0.00%	n/a	€1,000	Accumulation
H USD Accumulation	16/08/2017	IE00B8BVF913	SFMSCUS	B8BVF91	Up to 5%	0.75%	0.96%	10.6119	\$1000	Accumulation

\*The AMC for Class B is subject to a separate agreement with Sanlam FOUR \*\*The OCF figure would be the agreed fee plus an additional 0.24%.

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