

Investment Objective

The objective of the Latitude Horizon Fund is to deliver capital appreciation over the long term by holding a concentrated portfolio of stocks, whilst lowering the equity risk and enhancing returns through a selection of non-equity investments.

February Commentary

Gold boils at 2,836°C. Having passed \$2,836 per ounce this month, are the benefits of ownership set to evaporate?

Since 2019 the commodity has produced similar returns to US stocks which themselves recorded one of the strongest runs in history.

A key question we are asked, and ask ourselves, frequently is why we hold no gold in the fund at present.

The answer stems from our risk management framework, as opposed to any specific concerns about the viability of gold as an asset or the potential for further upside.

Gold is a chameleon, and the drivers of returns vary depending on which regime we find ourselves in.

There are two primary drivers of the recent stock market strength: deficit financing to support growth and liquidity, and the risk of inflation that follows.

It's clear that these factors, as well as the commensurate fading confidence in fiat money, are bullish for gold.

What would happen if this situation was to change?

Deficit financing cannot create lasting real growth. The narrative that AI will produce a near-term productivity boom is overly optimistic (see our recent [note](#) on the topic).

If (when?) it comes to pass, weaker performance from AI stocks, which have led the market up, will lead markets lower and drain liquidity.

When liquidity falls, it's highly likely (although clearly not certain) that gold has the potential to compound downside risks should they come to pass.

Indeed, since the major monetary easing cycles began ten years ago, there has only been one year where the performance of gold and stocks was different: in 2021 when stocks rose c.20% and gold fell 4%. It offered no downside protection for a decade.

If markets continue rallying, we are comfortable with the risk, and excited about the rewards, from our equity holdings. If they fall, we seek to protect capital throughout cycle, and don't wish to potentially increase our downside risk through owning gold at these levels.

Latitude Horizon Fund Strategy Track Record¹



Fund Characteristics

Firm size	£862m
Fund size	£426m
Equity holdings	52%
Non-equity holdings	48%
Annual management charge	0.75%
Ongoing charge (OCF)	0.90%
Dealing frequency	Daily by 2pm (business day)

Rolling Performance

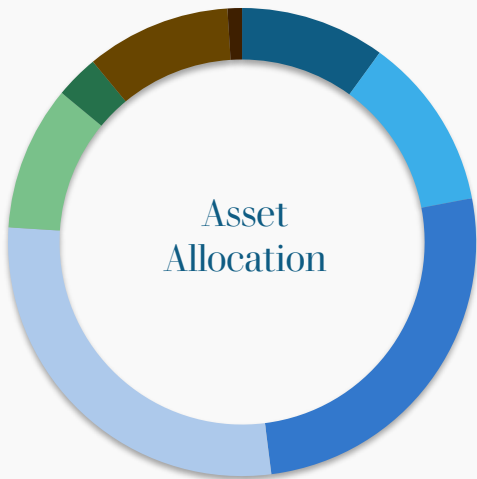
Performance	Since Inception ¹	10Y ¹	5Y	3Y	YTD	1M
Latitude Horizon Fund	140.1%	78.4%	44.7%	16.4%	5.1%	1.5%

¹ Performance data includes strategy track record from Odey Asset Management (2012-2016) and Latitude Investment Management (2016 onwards). Please see disclaimer for further information. The Latitude Horizon Fund performance data is net of fees. Source: Quintillion, Latitude Investment Management LLP.

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GBP ACCUMULATION – CLASS I | DATA AS AT 28TH FEBRUARY 2025

Sector Exposure



- Long-dated Inflation Linked Bonds
- Short-dated Gilts
- Short-dated Bonds
- US Equities
- UK Equities
- Japan Equities
- Europe Equities
- Cash

Top 10 Equity Holdings

Visa	3.3%
Tesco	3.0%
AutoZone	2.9%
McKesson	2.8%
Sony	2.8%
Vinci	2.5%
Ryanair	2.5%
Cencora	2.4%
Unilever	2.3%
WEC Energy Group	2.2%
Total	26.8%

Fund Information

Fund Manager	Freddie Lait
Fund Assets	£426m
Firm Assets	£862m
Legal Structure	Irish Domiciled UCITS V Fund – ICAV
Regulator	Central Bank of Ireland
Base Currency	Sterling
Available Share Class Currencies	Sterling, Euro, US Dollar
Regional Exposure	Global
Benchmark	The fund is not benchmarked
Management Fee	0.75%
Performance Fee	0%
Dealing	Daily liquidity, 2pm Dublin cut off
Administrator	Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Limited
Custodian and Depositary	Northern Trust Fiduciary Services (Ireland) Limited
Auditors	Ernst & Young (Ireland)
Primary Platforms	Aegon, AJ Bell, AllFunds, Alliance Trust, Aviva, Fidelity, FNZ, Hargreaves Lansdown, Hubwise, Interactive Investor, Novia Global, Raymond James, Transact, Utmost, Quilter, 7IM

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Share Classes and Identifiers

Share Class	Class	Minimum	Management Fee	OCF	ISIN	SEDOL
GBP Accumulation	I	£20m	0.75%	0.90%	IE00BG1TMR88	BG1TMR8
GBP Income	I	£20m	0.75%	0.90%	IE00BG1TMP64	BG1TMP6
EUR Accumulation	I	€20m	0.75%	0.90%	IE00BG1TMQ71	BG1TMQ7
EUR Income	I	€20m	0.75%	0.90%	IE00BG1TMK10	BG1TMK1
USD Accumulation	I	\$20m	0.75%	0.90%	IE00BG1TMT03	BG1TMT0
USD Income	I	\$20m	0.75%	0.90%	IE00BG1TMS95	BG1TMS9
GBP Accumulation	P	No Min.	1.00%	1.15%	IE00BDC7CZ89	BDC7CZ8
GBP Income	P	No Min.	1.00%	1.15%	IE00BD37NY30	BD37NY3
EUR Accumulation	P	No Min.	1.00%	1.15%	IE00BDC7CX65	BDC7CX6
EUR Income	P	No Min.	1.00%	1.15%	IE00BDC7CW58	BDC7CW5
USD Accumulation	P	No Min.	1.00%	1.15%	IE00BD37NZ47	BD37NZ4
USD Income	P	No Min.	1.00%	1.15%	IE00BDC7JY67	BDC7JY6

Important Information

Strategy’s Previous Track Record - This is a composite of performance of long-only global absolute return portfolios principally the Latitude Horizon Fund, which launched on 1 November 2016. Prior to this, from 19 October 2012 to 31 October 2016, the portfolio was managed at Odey Asset Management LLP (“Odey”). The information above is for information purposes, only the Latitude Horizon Fund is being offered for investment. Performance above is net of fees and other charges. Past performance does not guarantee future results and the value of all investments and the income derived therefrom can decrease as well as increase. Investments that have an exposure to currencies other than the base currency of the strategy may be subject to exchange rate fluctuations. The data above reflects the reinvestment of all interest and dividends received. The Latitude Horizon Fund is a long only UCITS fund managed with similar investment guidelines, using the same investment process and subject to similar fees and charges. For full details always refer to the prospectus. While every effort will be made to manage the Latitude Horizon Fund in the same manner there is no guarantee that there will be similar performance. Note that at Odey the portfolio changed from a long only UCITS fund to a long-short UCITS fund on 23 April 2014. The performance in the chart above, from 23 April 2014 to 31 October 2016, is a carve-out of the actual long only portfolio at Odey, which includes both long only equity and non-equity positions, rebased to cancel out any effects from leverage. Further details on the carve-out are available upon request.

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