

# CFP Castlefield B.E.S.T Sustainable Portfolio Growth Fund



## Factsheet - January 2022

### Fund Objective and Strategy

The investment objective of the Fund is to focus on achieving capital growth and also to provide income consistent with this primary objective over the long term. Long term means over a minimum investment horizon of five years.

The Investment Adviser expects to invest more than 50% in collective investment schemes with exposure to both UK and non-UK equities and fixed income securities. The Fund may also invest in transferable securities such as shares and bonds (both quoted and unquoted), money market instruments, deposits, warrants, cash and near cash.

In seeking to achieve the stated investment objective, the Investment Adviser uses a responsible investment research process to identify the universe of securities from which the Fund may invest. The four criteria that need to be evidenced by each investment are reflected in the name of the Fund where "B.E.S.T" indicates Business & financial, Environmental & ecological, Social and Transparency & governance, however equal weighting may not be given to each element of these criteria when screening potential investments. The Investment Adviser then supplements this research process by selecting only those investments which, by their nature, are considered to be sustainable in order to meet the investment objective. Sustainable activities are considered to be those necessary to ensure the long term continuity of an activity, system, society or enterprise. Further information on the "B.E.S.T" criteria and the sustainability element may be obtained from the Investment Adviser's website: [www.castlefield.com](http://www.castlefield.com).

The Fund may invest in shares or units of collective investment schemes which are managed or operated by the ACD or an associate of the ACD. When investing in collective investment schemes, some of the underlying investments of that collective investment scheme may not meet all four elements of the "B.E.S.T" criteria.

The Fund may also use derivatives and forward transactions for investment purposes or efficient portfolio management (including hedging). The use of derivatives for these purposes is expected to be limited however it may affect the volatility or risk profile of the Fund although this is not the ACD's intention. Investors will be given 60 days' notice prior to the Fund using derivatives for investment purposes.

### Fund Information

<b>Fund Manager</b>	Simon Holman
<b>Historic Yield*</b>	1.30
<b>Sector</b>	IA Mixed Investment 40-85
<b>Fund Size</b>	£64.60m
<b>Number of Holdings</b>	35-45
<b>ACD</b>	ConBrio Fund Partners Limited
<b>Launch Date</b>	1st February 2018
<b>Platform Availability</b>	AJ Bell, Aviva, Elevate, Novia, Hargreaves Lansdown

### Share Class Information

<b>Share Class</b>	General
<b>Min. Investment</b>	£500
<b>Initial Charge</b>	0%
<b>Investment Adviser Fee</b>	0.50%
<b>Ongoing Charge**</b>	1.28%
<b>Payment Dates</b>	Quarterly
<b>ISA Eligible</b>	Yes
<b>ISIN</b>	GB00BYXG3H04

Pricing Spread: Bid-Bid • Data Frequency: Monthly • Currency: Pounds Sterling



A - CFP Castlefield B.E.S.T Sustainable Portfolio Growth Gen. [32.92%]

B - IA Mixed Investment 40-85 Shares [27.38%]

01/02/2018- 31/12/2021. Data from FE 2021

### Cumulative Performance (%)

	1 Mth	3Mths	6 Mths	1 Yr	3 Yr	Since Launch
<b>Fund</b>	2.15	2.01	4.29	13.63	39.16	32.92
<b>Sector</b>	1.53	2.73	4.09	10.94	35.29	27.38
<b>Quartile</b>	1	3	2	1	2	2

### Discrete Performance (%)

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
<b>Fund</b>	13.63	3.91	17.86	-	-
<b>Sector</b>	10.94	5.32	15.78	-	-
<b>Quartile</b>	1	3	1	-	-

### Discrete Year to Quarter End Performance (%)

	Q4 2020	Q4 2019	Q4 2018	Q4 2017	Q4 2016
	Q4 2021	Q4 2020	Q4 2019	Q4 2018	Q4 2017
<b>Fund</b>	13.63	3.91	17.86	-	-

Source of performance data: Financial Express. as at 31/12/2021

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

Investment in the fund carries the risk of potential loss of capital.

\*Historic Yield reflects the historic dividend income paid from the fund in the preceding 12 months as at 31/12/2021.

\*\*The Ongoing Charge Figure ('OCF') has been calculated as of 31/12/2020.

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## Sector Allocation (%)

Global Equity	31.51
UK Equity	29.96
Fixed Income	14.31
Renewable Energy	9.36
Alternative	6.07
Real Estate Investment	3.77
Infrastructure	3.06
Cash	1.96

## Top Ten Holdings (%)

CASTLEFIELD B.E.S.T SUSTAINABLE UK OPPORTUNITIES FUND	11.38
CASTLEFIELD B.E.S.T SUSTAINABLE UK SMALLER COM FD	10.22
FIRST SENTIER INVEST ICVC STEWART WORLDWIDE SUSTAINABILITY FD	9.27
CASTLEFIELD B.E.S.T SUSTAINABLE INCOME FUND	8.36
CASTLEFIELD B.E.S.T SUSTAINABLE EUROPEAN FUND	7.62
FP WHEB ASSET MANAGEMENT SUSTAINABILITY FUNDS	6.69
CASTLEFIELD REAL RETURN FUND	4.99
RATHBONE ETHICAL BOND FUND	3.92
ROYAL LONDON BOND FUNDS II ICVC ETHICAL BOND FUND	3.54
SARASIN FUNDS ICVC SARASIN RESPONSIBLE GLB EQUITY	3.13

## Fund Manager



### Simon Holman

Partner

MA Hons, MSc, CFA




Simon Holman is a graduate of Spanish from Edinburgh University and has also completed a Postgraduate Masters qualification in Investment Analysis at Stirling University. He spent several years as an equity analyst and then fund manager at Aegon Asset Management (now known as Kames Capital) before returning home to Cheshire to join Castlefield. Simon combines an investment role that includes being the lead manager of the CFP Castlefield B.E.S.T Sustainable Portfolio Fund range with analysing developments in the ethical investment world. Simon is also a charter holder (Chartered Financial Analyst) of the CFA Institute and has over 10 years industry experience.

## Contact Information


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## Important Information

This document provides information about the CFP Castlefield B.E.S.T Sustainable Portfolio Growth Fund. ConBrio Fund Partners Limited (CFP) is the Authorised Corporate Director (ACD) of the Fund and Castlefield Investment Partners LLP (CIP) is the appointed Investment Adviser. Both CFP and CIP are authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

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Investors should not purchase the Fund referred to in this document except on the basis of information contained in the Fund's prospectus. We recommend that investors who are not professional investors should contact their professional adviser. The Funds Prospectus and Key Investor Information Document (KIID) are available from [www.conbriofunds.com](http://www.conbriofunds.com) or direct from ConBrio Fund Partners.

All data as at 31/12/2021 unless otherwise stated.