CFP Castlefield Sustainable Portfolio Income Fund

FACTSHEET - 31 JANUARY 2024

INVESTMENT AIM:

To provide income, with a minimum income return of 3% per annum, and also to provide capital growth over a period in excess of five years through a portfolio where more than 50% of the Fund is invested in collective investment schemes with exposure to both UK and non-UK equities and fixed income securities using the B.E.S.T proprietary responsible investment approach. To embed proper consideration of environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors as part of the investment selection process, to ensure that each investment is sustainable.

For more information about the fund's detailed investment objective and policy, please view the Key Investment Information Document available on the ConBrio website <u>fund literature page</u>.

FUND INFORMATION

Fund Manager	Simon Holman Callum Wells
Investment Association Sector	Mixed Investment 20- 60% shares
Fund Size	£13.41m
Number of Holdings	30 - 50
Historic Yield ¹	3.3%
Investment Advisor	Castlefield Investment Partners LLP
Launch Date	6 th July 2020
Share Class	G Income
Ongoing Charge ²	1.49%
ISIN	GB00BM97MN27
SEDOL	BM97MN2
Valuation Point	12 noon (Daily)

RATINGS



WHY INVEST?

We offer values-based investing from the perspective of being a values based manager. This includes active engagement and stewardship of each investee company on performance and environmental, social and governance (ESG) considerations – aligned to our own values. That's why we're known as 'the thoughtful investor'.



Tool of diversification: 'One stop shop' with access to diversified portfolio of multiple asset classes.

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THE THOUGHTFUL INVESTOR

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Fundamental Research: Idenfication of best proponents of ESG Funds aligned with our values of investing.

Integrated Responsible Investment Process: Consideration of nonfinancial ESG factors alongside traditional financial analysis within the selection of suitable investments and other mutual funds.



Focus on Sustainable Businesses: Predominantly investing within funds aligned with our values.

Find out more about:

- Castlefield's proprietary responsible investment process known as 'B.E.S.T'.
- Castlefield's Sustainable Fund Range Screening Policy.
- <u>Castlefield's engagement and stewardship activities</u>.

PERFORMANCE



A – IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares TR in GB [10.59%]³
B – CFP Castlefield Sustainable Portfolio Income G Income [3.43%]

06/07/2020 – 31/01/2024. Data from FE fundinfo 2024

Cumulative Performance (%)

	1 Mth	3Mths	6 Mths	1 Yr	3 Yrs	Since Launch
Fund	-2.20	9.34	0.55	-2.48	-1.18	3.43
Sector	-0.40	7.16	3.63	3.23	3.61	10.59

Discrete Performance (%)

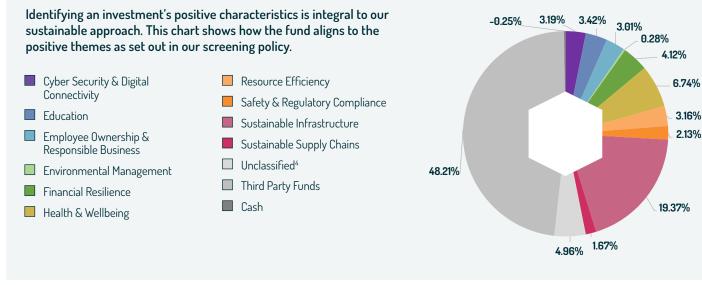
	2024 YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
Fund	-2.20	2.53	-9.38	8.71	-	-
Sector	-0.40	6.81	-9.47	7.20	-	-

Source: FE fundinfo.

Past performance should not be seen as an indication of future performance. The value of investments and the income from them may go down as well as up and you may not get back your original investment. Performance is net of fees and charges.

How We Evidence the Sustainability of This Fund

POSITIVE THEME ALLOCATION (%)



Source: Castlefield

BETTER CARBON EFFICIENCY

Emissions per \$1M revenue Scope 1 & 2 emissions^{5,6} 400 200 178.09 500 Fund Benchmark⁷ Fewer emissions produced than the benchmark

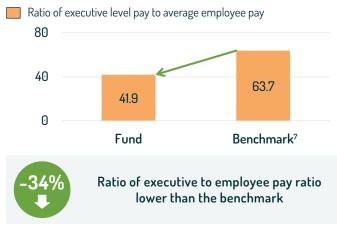
MORE SOCIAL & ENVIRONMENTAL GOOD

Percentage of funds allocated to environmental and social good



LOWER EXECUTIVE PAY

Comparing executive pay to employee pay



LESS SOCIAL & ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE

Percentage of funds that create environmental and social harm



wer investments that create environment and social harm than the benchmark

Source: Impact Cubed.¹² Analysis carried out on 03/01/2023 using Castlefield equity fund data from 30/09/2022 and external fund data from 30/06/2022.

Please see page 4 for endnotes

Simon Holman

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Partner

I'm Simon Holman, a partner at Castlefield

and a member of our Client Management

team. I spent several years as an equity

analyst and fund manager at Aegon asset management before joining Castlefield

where I'm a co-manager of the Castlefield

Sustainable Portfolio Funds. I'm a charter

holder (Chartered Financial Analyst) of the

MCSI, ASIP

FUND COMPOSITION

Top Ten Holdings (%)	
CASTLEFIELD SUSTAINABLE UK OPPORTUNITIES FUND	20.41
RATHBONE ETHICAL BOND FUND INSTITUTIONAL INC	12.71
ROYAL LONDON BOND FUNDS II ICVC ETHICAL BOND FUND	12.69
EDENTREE RESPONSIBLE AND SUSTAINABLE STERLING BOND FUND	8.68
CASTLEFIELD SUSTAINABLE EUROPEAN FUND	4.24
FIRST SENTIER INVEST STEWART WORLDWIDE SUSTAINABILITY FD	4.08
FP WHEB ASSET MANAGEMENT SUSTAINABILITY FUNDS SICAV	3.13
GREENCOAT UK WIND PLC	2.79
LIONTRUST SUSTAINABLE FUTURE ICVC LION TRUST FUT GLB GROWTH	2.71
CASTLEFIELD SUSTAINABLE UK SMALLER COM FUND	2.64

Sector Allocation (%)

Fixed Income	41.77
UK Equity	24.53
Global Equity	15.96
Renewable Energy	12.47
Alternative	1.28
Infrastructure	2.52
Real Estate Investment	1.72
Cash ¹³	-0.25

GENERAL INFORMATION

Authorised Corporate Director	ConBrio Fund Partners Limited
Depositary	NatWest Trustee & Depositary Services
Fund Administrator	The Northern Trust Company
Shareholder Services	SS&C Financial Services Europe
CITI Code	R5AJ
ISA Eligible	Yes
Minimum Investment	£500.00
Initial Fee	£0.00

INVESTMENT TEAM

Co-managers



Investment Manager Chartered FCSI, Chartered

Callum Wells

Wealth Manager

I'm Callum Wells, an Investment Manager at Castlefield and a member of our Investment Management team. I joined Castlefield in 2023, after working within Brown Advisory's International Private Client team. I co-manage Castlefield's Sustainable Portfolio Funds and contribute to the team's investment research activities. I also hold the CISI's Chartered Wealth Manager qualification.

Other Investment Team Managers



Partner BSc (Hons), IMC, Chartered MCSI, CFA



CFA Institute.

James Buckley Investment Manager MSc, MBA



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HOW TO INVEST

Details of how to invest, application forms and other supporting documents are available from the ConBrio website <u>here</u>.

Platform Availability

Aegon Platform, AJ Bell, Aviva Wrap, James Hay, Pershing Nexus, Transact, Wealthtime

ENDNOTES

- Historic Yield reflects the historic dividend income paid from the fund in the preceding 12 months as at 31/01/2024. The yield is not guaranteed or representative of future yields.
- 2. The Ongoing Charge Figure ('OCF') has been calculated as of 30/06/2023.
- 3. IA Sector.
- 4. 'Unclassified' holdings satisfy our negative screening but the percentage of assets managed in ESG or sustainability strategies is relatively low i.e. hotels, professional services consultancies.
- 5. Scope 1 emissions: Emissions generated directly by the company, e.g. emissions from boilers or vehicle fleet.
- 6. Scope 2 emissions: Indirect emissions, eg. from purchased electricity that the company uses.
- 7. Benchmark used by Impact Cubed for the impact analysis: Composite benchmark reflecting the asset classes and geographic exposure of the funds, ie UK and global equities, corporate bonds, UK real estate and developed markets infrastructure.

More information on the benchmarks used is available on request.

- 8. Examples of environmental good: renewable energy, waste and environmental management, public transportation services.
- 9. Examples of social good: telecoms, educational services, healthcare.
- **10. Examples of environmental harm:** oil and gas exploration, plastic production, coal mining.
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13. As of January 31st 2024, the fund had a negative cash position of 0.25%. Occasionally the fund may experience negative cash positions as the ordinary activities of the fund – the inflow and outflow of investor capital, coupled with the ordinary purchase and sales activity within the fund – may result in modest overdrafts that exist for short periods. Where these overdrafts exist on or over a month-end, it will show in our published literature.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

This document provides information about the CFP Castlefield Sustainable Portfolio Income 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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All data as at 31/01/2024 unless otherwise stated.

With effect from 1 July 2022, the name of the Fund and share class was changed from CFP Castlefield B.E.S.T Sustainable Portfolio Income – General Income Shares to CFP Castlefield Sustainable Portfolio Income – G Income Shares.

RISK WARNINGS

The CFP Castlefield Sustainable Portfolio Income Fund invests in different asset classes in seeking to achieve its objective, this exposes investors to the below risks;

Credit risk: A decline in the financial health of an issuer could cause the value of its bonds to fall or become worthless.

Interest rate risk: A rise in interest rates generally causes bond prices to fall.

Liquidity risk: during difficult market conditions some securities, such as structured investments, corporate bonds and positions in emerging markets, may become more difficult to sell at a desired price.

Shares in all Funds should generally be regarded as long term investments. For more information regarding the risks associated with investing in a fund please see the Prospectus.