Unit Trust Model Portfolio

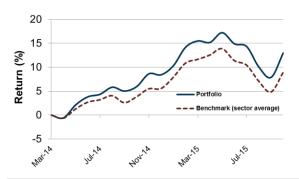
Balanced Portfolio
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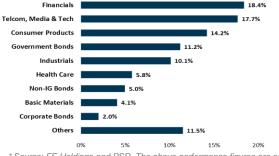


The Balanced Model Portfolio is design with a primary objective of finding a balance between assuring the safety of the principal by minimizing the downside risk and to focus on long-term capital appreciation of the portfolio at the same time, consistent with prudent investment management, through investing in multiple asset classes and geographies. The Model Portfolio will comprise of an actively managed basket of funds investing in equities, fixed income, property and commodities related securities in global markets.

Cumulative Performance Chart*



Sector Allocation[^]



Portfolio Commentary

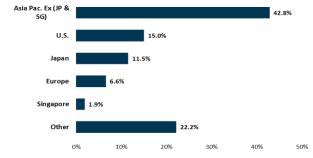
- ✓ The Portfolio returned **4.75**% for the month of October.
- The Portfolio rebounded strongly in the month of October after recording 4 consecutive months of negative performance previously which resulted in a 8% loss from the peak in May till the bottom in September end.

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- ✓ All asset classes returned positively for the month of October. Likewise, all funds managed a positive return for the month.
- Equity allocation contributed close to 4.07% of the return in the Balance Portfolio. Lesser than the Aggressive portfolio but more than the Conservative portfolio, as expected.
- Average return for the equity funds was up 6.8% led by the Lion Global Japan Growth Fund (SGD Hedged) with a return of 10.8% for the month.
- ✓ The average return of the only 2 bond funds in the portfolio was 2.2% and contributed the remaining **0.68%** to the overall return.
- ✓ Marco environment remains challenging as uncertainty still lingers over the effects of a potential Fed rate hikes.
- Equity markets for Japan and Europe were largely driven by the expectation of monetary easing.
- Treasuries yield increased an average of 22 basis point, while credit spread widen in October.

Geographical Allocation[^]



^{*} Source: FE Holdings and PSR. The above performance figures are net of all fees but include the reinvestment of dividends as 31 Oct 2015. Investment returns are NOT guaranteed. Past performance is not indicative of future performance.

Performance Overview Return since inception 13.01% Return (1 Year) 6.84% Sharpe Ratio (1 year annualized) 0.39% Volatility (1 year annualized) 8.49% Portfolio Holdings

Portfolio Holdings		
\checkmark	UOB United SGD	15%
\checkmark	Templeton Total Return (USD)	18%
\checkmark	Fidelity America	10%
\checkmark	Templeton European	7%
\checkmark	First State Dividend Advantage	15%
\checkmark	Lion Global Japan Growth (hedged)	10%
\checkmark	First State Regional China	10%
\checkmark	Allianz Income & Growth	7%
\checkmark	Fidelity Taiwan (USD)	8%

Investment Information

Inception Date: April 2014

Underlying Instrument: Unit Trusts/ Mutual Funds

Base Currency: SGD

Investment Amount

Recommended Initial SGD 20,000 Investment:

Closure: No minimum time commitment

Fees: Applicable fees apply

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