# **True Potential Pictet Balanced**

31 December 2024

### **Fund objective**

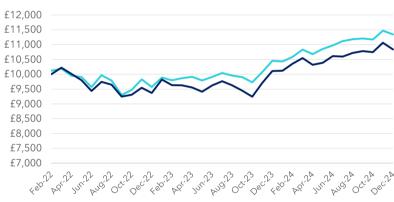
The Fund seeks to deliver growth over a rolling 3 year period net of fees.

### **December Investment Manager commentary**

Major stock markets ended the year on a negative note, weighed down by a stronger US dollar and weakened expectations for further interest-rate cuts in the US. The Federal Reserve cut rates by 0.25% but raised inflation forecasts for 2025. Government bonds struggled due to rising US Treasury yields and political instability in Europe. Gold prices fell, and a short-lived oil rally was impacted by weakening global demand.

The True Potential Pictet Balanced fund fell 2.04% (net of fees) in December. The allocation to thematic equity funds detracted from performance, with the overweights in the digital and security themes faring the worst as US stocks fell. Tactical allocations to interest-rate-sensitive US utilities and financials stocks also performed poorly. Conversely, Japanese and Asian equities provided positive contributions to relative performance, both delivering gains in absolute terms. In fixed income, the fund's allocations to US Treasuries detracted the most as yields rose. In contrast, European high-yield bonds delivered modest positive returns, supported by a 'dovish' 0.25% rate cut by the European Central Bank. In alternatives, the holding in a broad commodity index fund performed well, but the allocation to gold detracted. The fund hedging the US dollar back to sterling detracted as the former strengthened over the period in review.

## Growth of £10,000 invested since launch



## Why invest in this fund?

- For investors looking to invest for the long term (5 years or more).
- Diversifies risk by investing in stocks and bonds.
- The balanced approach of the fund strives to provide both growth and income, while managing short-term losses through a diversified mix of assets that moderate risk.

• True Potential Pictet Balanced Acc\*

Morningstar UK Moderate Target Allocation Index\*\*

### % Growth

	1 year	3 year	5 year	Since launch
True Potential Pictet Balanced Acc*	7.2%	-	-	8.4%
Morningstar UK Moderate Target Allocation Index**	8.6%	-	-	13.5%

#### Annual % Growth

	Dec '19 Dec '20	Dec '20 Dec '21	Dec '21 Dec '22	Dec '22 Dec '23	Dec '23 Dec '24
True Potential Pictet Balanced Acc*	-	-	-	7.9%	7.2%
Morningstar UK Moderate Target Allocation Index**	-	-	-	9.3%	8.6%

\*Source: True Potential Administration LLP. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

\*\*Source: Morningstar Inc.

## What is the benchmark for this fund?

The benchmark for this fund is Morningstar UK Moderate Target Allocation. The benchmark may be used as a guide to compare and assess the performance of the Fund. This benchmark tracks the performance of an index that represents assets or securities with a similar risk profile to the Fund. Our aim is to help you monitor how your investment is performing. This benchmark reflects the multi-asset nature and relative risk profile of the Fund. The Fund does not use the benchmark as a target, nor is the Fund constrained by it. The mix of assets in the Fund may vary from those of the benchmark (and its constituents). Accordingly, it should be used for reference purposes only.



# Key fund information

Accumulation shares: this type of share reinvests the income generated by its underlying assets (such as dividends or interest) back into the fund, rather than paying it out to shareholders as income.

**Income shares:** this type of share pays out the income generated by the fund's underlying assets (such as dividends or interest) directly to investors, rather than reinvesting it back into the fund.

Fund details	Accumulation shares
ISIN	GB00BMF19606
12 month yield*	1.14%
Launch Date	24/02/2022
Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)**	0.83%
Risk profile	Balanced
Investment Manager	True Potential Investments
Sub-Investment Manager	Pictet
Minimum Recommended holding period	5 years
Income payment frequency	Annual

\* The 12 month yield reflects distributions declared over the past 12 months, as a percentage of the latest share/unit price. Investors may be subject to tax on their distributions. Yield as at 31 Dec 2024. Source: True Potential Administration LLP.

\*\*OCF payable can fluctuate over time as the underlying investments are variable and can change. The OCF figure is sourced from the Key Investor Information Document (KIID) dated 01 Nov 2024 found at www.truepotential.co.uk/fund-documents.

## Who is this fund suitable for?

This fund is suitable for all investors under the advice of a professional adivser, or investing through the True Potential Portfolios. The minimum recommended holding period is 5 years. Please be aware there is no guarantee that the fund will meet its investment objectives. The Fund is available to those that do not need a capital guarantee and are aware that their capital is at risk. Clients who are unable to bear loss of capital should not invest in this Fund.

## What are the fees associated with investing in this fund?

The OCF of this fund is currently 0.83%. This means that if you invest £1000 in the fund, you can expect to pay £8.30 in fees over the course of a year. The fees you pay are pro-rata. If you hold the fund for less than a year you will only pay the proportional amount of fees applicable (based on the duration of your investment).

## Where is the money invested?

### Asset breakdown

<ul> <li>Europe ex UK Equity Stocks</li> <li>UK Gilts</li> <li>Asia Pacific Stocks</li> <li>Global Corporate Bonds</li> <li>Gold</li> <li>Gold</li> <li>Emerging Markets Stocks</li> <li>Emerging Market Bond HC</li> <li>Global Inflation-Linked Bond (GBP Hedged)</li> <li>UK Stocks</li> <li>Cash and cash equivalents****</li> </ul>	•	Asset class US Stocks Global High Yield Bond (GBP Hedged)	<b>% of total exposure***</b> 41.88% 9.62% 9.29%
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<ul> <li>Emerging Market Bond HC</li> <li>Global Inflation-Linked Bond (GBP Hedged)</li> <li>UK Stocks</li> <li>Cash and cash equivalents****</li> </ul>	•	Global Corporate Bonds	5.08%
UK Stocks     1.68%       Cash and cash equivalents****     1.58%	•	Emerging Market Bond HC	2.71%
	•	UK Stocks	1.68%

\*\*\*Source: True Potential Investments LLP

\*\*\*\*Cash and cash equivalents include bonds with a short time to maturity.

### Risks

The following are some of the key risks associated with investing in this Fund. For a complete list of risks, please refer to the Fund's prospectus, available at www.truepotential.co.uk/fund-documents. **Please be aware that there is no guarantee that capital will be preserved.** 

This Fund invests into other investment funds, they may invest in different assets, countries or economic sectors and
herefore have different risk profiles not in line with those of this Fund.
nvestment objectives express an intended result but there is no guarantee that such a result will be achieved. Depending on market conditions and the macro-economic environment, certain investment types and styles may perform better than others and investment objectives may become more difficult to achieve.
nvestments in emerging markets may involve greater risks due to political and economic instability, and inderdeveloped markets and systems.
There may be cases where the organisation from which we buy a derivative, or an asset, fails to meet its obligations. The Fund's cash deposits are also subject to counterparty risk.
The Fund is entitled to use derivatives. Derivatives may not achieve their intended purpose. Their prices may move up or down significantly over relatively short periods of time which may result in losses greater than the amount paid.
he Fund faces non-market risk, relating to purchasing, holding and servicing the Fund's assets.
Where the Fund invests in bonds, there is a risk the bond issuer may fail to meet its repayments. Changes in interest ates, inflation and the creditworthiness of the bond issuer may also affect the bond's market value. This risk is particularly elevant where the fund invests in bonds with a lower credit rating.
The Fund may invest in securities not denominated in GBP. The value of your investments may be affected by changes in currency exchange rates.
nvestment trusts and closed ended funds may borrow to purchase additional investments. This can increase returns vhen stock markets rise but will magnify losses when markets fall. The value of an investment trust or a closed-ended und moves in line with stock market demand and its share price may be less than or more than the net value of the nvestments it holds.
Certain market conditions could make sufficiently liquid assets difficult to sell quickly at a fair price. This could result in an inpredictable fall in the value, and overall liquidity of the Fund.

### To find out more

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