As of 28 March 2025

### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The Signature CIO Balanced Fund Open Ended IC PLC (the "Fund" or "Balanced Fund") is a feeder fund that seeks to achieve growth through capital appreciation and income accumulation over a mid to long-term investment horizon. The Fund will invest in the Amundi Asia Funds - Signature CIO Balanced Fund (the "Master Fund") which is managed by Amundi Asset Management. The Master Fund combines top-down macroeconomic views and bottom-up mutual funds and ETF selection from Standard Chartered's Chief Investment Officer ("CIO") and Investment Management Teams.



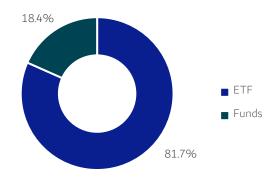
<sup>\*</sup>The performance data shown is for the Master Fund - Amundi Asia Funds - Signature CIO Balanced Fund AU USD ACC share class (LU2708335943) to 17 May 2024, which commenced its investment program on 30 September 2022, and data for Signature CIO Balanced Fund Open Ended IC PL A ACC USD share class (AEDFXA48C005) from 17 May 2024 to date. An investment in the Fund is not the same as a direct investment in the underlying Master Fund. It should be noted that the past performance data is not available yet for a full calendar year. Past performance is not indicative of future returns. All performances are calculated net of fees and are calculated net income reinvested and net of all charges taken by the Sub-Fund and expressed with the round-off superior

FUND CHARACTERISTICS			
AUM (US\$m)*	2.86		
Inception Date	17 May 2024		
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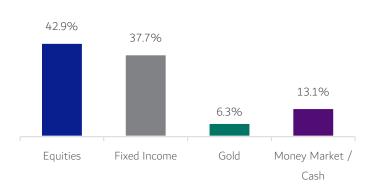
MASTER FUND CHARACTERISTICS				
No. of Securities	27			
Volatility**	7.82%			
Sharpe ratio**	0.18			
Maximum Drawdown	-4.10%			

Data as of end March 2025.

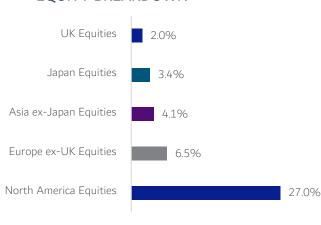
### **ASSET ALLOCATION\***



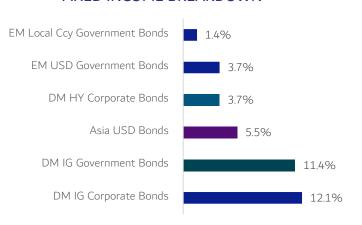
### **FUND ASSET ALLOCATION\***



### **EQUITY BREAKDOWN\***



### FIXED INCOME BREAKDOWN\*



Source of data: Aditum Investment Management Limited & Bloomberg. \*for the Master Fund, Source of data: Amundi Asset Management SAS. Please note that values may not add up to 100% due to rounding.



<sup>\*\*</sup>These numbers are over one year period.

### **ALLOCATION BREAKDOWN\***

SCB - Allocation breakdown (Foundation)

As of 28 March 2025

	Portfolio	Instrument type (ETF/Fund)	
Equities	42.9%	-	
North America Equities	27.0%	-	
AMUNDI S&P 500 ETF D-USD	8.0%	ETF	
XTRACKERS MSCI USA ETF 1C	7.4%	ETF	
ISHARES CORE S&P 500 ETF USD ACC	6.5%	ETF	
VANGUARD FTSE NORTH AMERICA UCITS ETF	4.0%	ETF	
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Europe ex-UK Equities	6.5%	-	
ISHARES MSCI EUROPE EX-UK ETF EUR DIST	6.5%	ETF	
Asia ex-Japan Equities	4.1%	-	
ISHARES MSCI EM ASIA ETF USD ACC	4.1%	ETF	
Japan Equities	3.4%	-	
ISHARES CORE MSCI JAPAN IMI ETF USD ACC	3.4%	ETF	
JK Equities	2.0%	-	
VANGUARD FTSE 100 UCITS ETF	2.0%	ETF	
Fixed Income	36.7%	-	
DM IG Corporate Bonds	12.1%	-	
JPM AGGREGATE BOND I ACC USD	5.1%	Fund	
ISHARES GLOBAL CORP BOND ETF USD H ACC	4.2%	ETF	
PIMCO GIS INCOME INSTITUTIONAL USD ACC	2.7%	Fund	
DM IG Government Bonds	11.4%	-	
ISHARES TREASURY BD 7-10YR ETFUSD DIST	6.0%	ETF	
ISHARES GLOBAL GOVT BOND UCITS ETF USD H	5.3%	ETF	
Asia USD Bonds	5.5%	-	
BGF ASIAN TIGER BOND 13 USD	5.0%	Fund	
PIMCO GIS ASIA STRATINTSBD INS USD INC	0.5%	Fund	
EM USD Government Bonds	3.7%	-	
PRINCIPAL GI FIN UNCON EM FX INC 12 ACC	1.9%	Fund	
ISHARES JP MORGAN EM BD ETF USD ACC	1.7%	ETF	
DM HY Corporate Bonds	2.7%	-	
BGF GLOBAL HIGH YIELD BOND 12 USD	2.7%	Fund	
EM Local Ccy Government Bonds	1.4%	-	
ISHARES JPMORGAN EM LCL GOVT BD ETFACC	1.4%	ETF	
Gold	6.3%	-	
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INVESCO PHYSICAL GOLD ETC	6.3%	ETF	
Money Market / Cash	13.1%	-	
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SPDR S&P 500 ETF USD ACC	7.5%	ETF	
Cash	2.3%	-	
XTRACKERS MSCI ACASIAEXJP ESG SWP ETF 1C	1.5%	ETF	
LYXOR MSCI AC ASIA EX JAPAN UCITS ETF -	1.3%	ETF	
ISHARES MSCI EUROPE INDUSTRIALS SECTOR U	0.5%	ETF	
BNP PARIBAS INSTICASH USD	0.0%	Fund	
SCB - Allocation breakdown (Opportunistic)			
	Portfolio	Instrument type (ETF/Fund)	

1.0%

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DM HY Corporate Bonds

\*for the Master Fund

Fixed Income

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Source of data: Bloomberg and Amundi Asset Management SAS

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#### MASTER FUND COMMENTARY

As of 28 March 2025

#### **Fund Performance**

The Signature CIO Balanced Fund posted negative performance in March, primarily due to a weaker growth outlook in the US.

Our overweight stance in global equities detracted from performance. Equities underperformed relative to cash, bonds, and gold, as elevated uncertainty stemming from heightened geopolitical tensions and the implementation of new tariffs impacted global financial markets. US equities, in particular, experienced a sharp pullback, with technology stocks leading a broad-based selloff. The US 10-year Treasury yield fell as markets began pricing in potential rate cuts by the Federal Reserve.

Our underweight Europe ex-UK equity underperformed as European stocks remained relatively resilient despite tariff pressure. However, they eventually closed lower due to renewed concerns over the upcoming US tariffs, which is expected to take effect in April, and the potential impact on global growth.

In fixed income, our overweight in DM HY bonds was challenged by the broader risk-off sentiment. Higher interest rates, wider credit spreads, and investor caution in light of policy and trade uncertainty all weighed on the asset class. Nevertheless, yield premiums continued to offer some cushion amid the volatility. Our underweight in EM LCY government bonds detracted due to weaker dollar amid ongoing tariff uncertainties and waning consumer confidence.

On the flip side, our overweight position in gold proved to be a strong contributor this month. Investor sentiment was weighed down by growing concerns over the US fiscal deficit, higher inflation, and ongoing geopolitical tensions. These factors prompted a flight to safe-haven assets.

### **Fund Positioning**

We retain our preference for global equities over bonds and cash. While we have trimmed the size of this Overweight modestly in response to heightened uncertainty on US tariff policy and elevated inflation. The possible avoidance of a US recession means we still see room for global equities to rebound once policy uncertainty reduces.

We have trimmed our US equity allocation following the downgrade of the asset class to Neutral. The recent market sell-off amplified investor concerns regarding policy uncertainties and a less enticing risk-reward ratio. Additionally, earnings projections for 2025 have moderated, alongside elevated valuations in the region.

Conversely, we have increased our exposure to Europe ex UK equity following our upgraded view to Neutral. We believe that the parliamentary approval of Germany's fiscal spending packages is a step in the right direction, directly supporting the domestic growth outlook for Europe.

Within bonds, we maintained a balanced allocation between rates and credit. We have trimmed the DM IG government bond positioning following a strong rally in Treasury bonds. On the other hand, we have increased our exposure to EM LCY bonds, driven by the expectation of a weaker dollar in the next 12 months.

Additionally, we have marginally trimmed our exposure to gold but continue to favour the asset due to strong demand supported by central banks and reliable hedge against the risk of higher inflation and geopolitical developments.

In our opportunistic sleeve, we have initiated a small position in European Industrials and will start averaging into the position should we see further pullback closer to Tariff day. Fundamentally, we expect the sector to benefit from a fiscal boost in Europe focused on infrastructure and defence spending. Aerospace and defence is the largest industry in the sector at c.25% of index weight while rising demand for air travel would support the aerospace industry. Meanwhile, infrastructure spending would benefit sectors in electrical equipment and machinery sales. A downturn in Europe's economy is a risk.

Source of data: Bloomberg and Amundi Asset Management SAS



FUND INFORMATION			
Domicile	Dubai International Financial Centre, UAE		
Fund Manager	Aditum Investment Management Limited		
Master Fund	Amundi Asia Funds – Signature CIO Balanced Fund - AU		
Investment Manager of Master Fund	Amundi Asset Management SAS		
Fund Administrator	Standard Chartered Bank DIFC		
Custodian	Standard Chartered Bank UAE		
Auditor	Grant Thornton Audit and Accounting Limited (BVI)		
Fund Strategy	Balanced		
Currency	USD		
Inception Date	17 May 2024		
Dealing Frequency	Daily		
Redemption Notice	1 BD		

FEES							
SHARE CLASS	ISIN	ACCUMULATING / DISTRIBUTING	MANAGEMENT FEE	PLACEMENT FEE	MINIMUM SUBSCRIPTION	SUBSEQUENT INVESTMENT	
Class A ACC (USD)	AEDFXA48C005	Accumulating	Up to 0.72%	Up to 5%	US\$1000	US\$1000	

For a full outline on applicable fees, please refer to Fund's prospectus

#### **RISK INDICATOR**

















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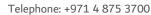
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