

# NEXUS Global Solutions Institutional GBP

FACTSHEET - January 2025



## Strategy Objective

The Nexus Global Solutions Portfolio is an actively managed, globally diversified, multi-asset class fund. The aim is growth over the medium term, with a dual focus on capital protection as well as capital appreciation. An understanding of macro economic conditions together with detailed research into individual securities is used to construct diversified, highly liquid portfolios, able to adapt to a unique range of market conditions.

## Investment Process

The fund manager's approach to investment combines strong valuation disciplines within a long-term strategic framework, together with a willingness to adjust asset allocation and stock selection in response to short term market opportunities. The Fund is not constrained by one particular investment style such as growth or value, but instead the manager believes that the best returns are achieved by correctly positioning the portfolio to benefit at all stages of each economic cycle. The manager has the mandate to search out value in all asset classes and so is well placed to judge the relative merits of a wide range of investment opportunities

## Key Fund Facts

Launch Date	19/09/2019
Launch Price	£100.00
Month End Price	DBP £118.23
Fund Size	£74,609,143.00
Fund Structure	UCITS V
ISAs/SIPPs/SASSs	Eligible
Base Currency	Pound Sterling
Available Share Classes	GBP/USD/EUR
Fund Charges	0% Initial
AMC	0.85%
Minimum Investment	£500,000
Dealing Frequency	Daily
ISIN Code	MT7000025466

## Top 5 Performers

Time Period: 01/01/2025 to 31/01/2025

	Contribution
Meta Platforms Inc	0.61%
Qualcomm Inc	0.50%
Siemens AG	0.45%
Leonardo SpA	0.43%
RTX Corp	0.40%

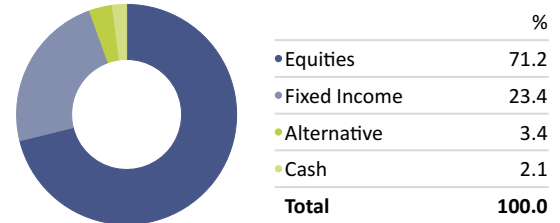
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Time Period: 01/01/2025 to 31/01/2025

	Contribution
Diageo PLC	-0.12%
Novo Nordisk AS	-0.05%
Microsoft Corp	-0.02%
U.S. Bancorp	0.00%
Samsung Electronics	0.01%

## Asset Allocation

Portfolio Date: 31/01/2025



## Market Commentary

Enthusiasm over Donald Trump's US Presidential Election victory, coupled with optimism for the continuation of strong US economic growth carried into January. The month proved a fruitful one for most major equity markets. Fixed income markets also stabilised in the latter half of the month as the fears about fiscal deficits and inflation abated.

Towards the end of the month, two developments took centre stage and are poised to influence the market for some time. The first was the emergence of the Chinese AI app DeepSeek, whose creators claimed to have spent a fraction of what Open AI spends on creating and training a large language AI model, and they did it without access to Nvidia's latest and greatest GPUs. This revelation challenges the AI investment theme and questions the wisdom of the huge capital spending by the mega cap tech names in the US. The market response was sharp and quick - Nvidia fell by 17% on the day the news broke, resulting in the largest daily loss (\$589 bn) for a single stock in history.

The second major development was the inauguration of Donald Trump for a second term as US President and his immediate plans to place tariffs on the exports of China, Canada, and Mexico.

Many of our investment themes came to life this month. European defence stocks did very well with returns ranging from 7 to 15% on average in January. Energy and mining names also posted high single digit gains on the month. Despite the challenge that the advent of DeepSeek poses to US tech, our technology exposure fared well with Meta up over 16% on the month for example.

Gold was a strong positive contributor as well. It can increasingly be viewed as not only an inflation hedge but a place to hide from the volatility coming out of the Trump tariff announcements. Fixed income suffered early in the month, but the second half rally left us with positive returns overall.

## Top 10 Holdings

Portfolio Date: 31/01/2025

	Weighting %
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern	3.98
SPDR® Blmbrg 0-5 Yr Stlg Corp Bd ETF Dis	3.52
iShares Physical Gold ETC	3.39
iShares Core £ Corp Bond ETF GBP Dist	3.32
Shell PLC	3.27
Amazon.com Inc	3.17
Polar Capital Technology Ord	3.15
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern	3.15
Siemens AG	2.97
iShares £ Corp Bond 0-5yr ETF GBP Dist	2.86
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## Performance Figures

Past performance is not a guide to future performance and future returns are not guaranteed.  
The current fund manager, Oakglen Wealth, was appointed to manage this fund on 1st June 2024.

Cumulative Performance %	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	Since inception	Annualised return SI
Nexus Global Solutions Port DBP GBP	5.27	6.76	5.17	5.27	10.21	6.65	17.61	3.09

Source: Morningstar Direct

## Monthly Returns

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2020	-0.03	-3.92	-8.21	5.45	3.19	1.60	-0.30	1.70	-0.21	-1.86	5.71	2.57	4.93
2021	-1.25	-0.74	2.00	2.52	-0.16	1.81	0.99	1.96	-2.30	2.35	0.54	0.60	8.49
2022	-4.02	-2.35	1.56	-3.59	-0.85	-4.58	4.18	-2.01	-5.51	2.08	3.59	-2.27	-13.45
2023	3.65	-0.99	-0.93	0.83	-1.40	0.82	1.60	-1.27	-0.25	-2.00	3.72	4.01	7.80
2024	-0.45	1.62	2.47	-1.15	1.62	0.76	-0.57	-0.34	-1.44	0.28	2.62	-1.17	4.22
2025	<b>5.27</b>												5.27

Source: Morningstar Direct

The monthly returns in bold represent the investment performance achieved by Oakglen Wealth having been appointed on 1st June 2024

## Investment Managers

**Jeff Brummette**  
Chief Investment Officer

Jeff is the Chief Investment Officer for Oakglen Wealth. He brings decades of investment markets experience to his role and was one of the founding partners of Rubicon Fund Management LLP and latterly Head of Investor Relations. Prior to his return to Rubicon, he was founder and CIO of Onewall Advisors UK LLP. Before setting up Onewall, Jeff was a Partner and Portfolio Manager at Strategic Fixed Income UK LLP, where he was involved in managing strategies for the macro hedge fund and a variety of managed accounts.



Earlier in his career, he worked for the foreign exchange unit of Salomon Smith Barney (in Singapore) and managed a variety of global fixed income portfolios at Prudential Global Advisors (a unit of The Prudential Insurance Company of America), and as an analyst in the economic research department of the Irving Trust Company in New York City. Jeff holds a BA with High Honours in Economics from Rutgers University and an MBA from New York University's Stern School of Business Administration.

**Nick Davis**  
Investment Manager

Nick has more than 31 years of experience in investment management. He began his career managing money for individuals at Kleinwort Benson before moving to Credit Suisse Private Bank in 1999. In 2005, he began working with institutional clients, specialising in charities at CCLA and pension funds at PSolve, before returning to managing portfolios for individuals, pensions, trusts and charities at Williams de Broe.



More recently, Nick spent 10 years at Quilter Cheviot as a Discretionary Fund Manager, managing investments for private clients in SIPPs, ISAs, and Offshore Bonds. In addition, Nick works closely with intermediaries both onshore and offshore. Nick is a Chartered Fellow of the Chartered Institute for Securities & Investment.

## About Oakglen Wealth

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