# **RIO STOCK TRADING GBP**

### 1 November 2022

MANAGER COMMENTS

RIO Stock Trading GBP continues its exceptional gain since the start of the year, up 22.05%. The FTSE, in comparison, has registered a loss of 3.93% over the same period. Looking back, this high-risk equity investment was first launched in June 2016; members who have remained invested since inception have seen awe-inspiring returns, with the net return to date being 172.67%. Incredible!

The UK Market - RIO's in-depth research has uncovered that more money flowed out of UK equities this year than any other point on record; but nothing goes down in a straight line, and I have traded this volatility relatively well, banking gains throughout 2022. After one of the most turbulent and chaotic periods in British political history, UK stocks, it has to be said, are now the cheapest on record compared to their global peers. The heard investor has been selling all this year, but due to the above, the trend has really accelerated. This is excellent news, as consistent selling has pushed UK equity valuations to the lowest on record compared to global peers. Our analysts agree that the average forward price/earnings (p/e) ratio of companies in the UK is around 8.7, and in the US, it's 16.4.

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

RIO Stock Trading GBP is a high-risk trading platform through which RIO can invest in currency, UK equities, and the commodity market. The account may also invest in other high-risk traded securities, where the potential gains are deemed to be in line with the risk-reward ratio, at the discretion of the investment manager. The trading strategy favours a midterm investment of between 2-3 years due to the expected short-term volatility.

As an active investment specialist, market volatility can create a prime investment opportunity and RIO expects further volatility, especially against the current backdrop. Geopolitical tensions are at fever pitch as the effects of Russia's invasion of Ukraine make negotiations tense. The knock-on effects of this are reflected in the stock values of UK-listed companies.

RIO Stock Trading GBP will focus predominantly on trading those entities listed on the FTSE 100 index and has already identified several trading opportunities.

Please note that this investment is only suitable for those prepared to accept the additional risk, in exchange for the potential reward.

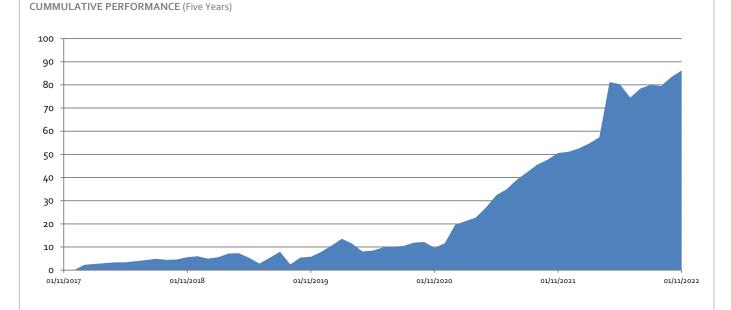
#### INFORMATION

NAV	272.67
Launch Date	June 2016
Investment Manager	William Gray
Currency	GBP
Minimum Investment	10,000
Establishment Charge	500
Administration Fee	0.25% pa
Performance Fee	5.00%
Dealing Frequency	Monthly

#### INVESTMENT MANAGER

RIO's Investment Manager has vast experience having designed , launched and managed several Government licensed mutual funds over the past two decades. He has actively traded stocks, bonds, currencies and commodities with some degree of accuracy. A proven track record combined with all the advantages of an experienced multi asset fund manager.

PERFORMANCE	YTD	1m	6m	1Yr	2Yr	3Yr	5Yr	S/L
	22.05	1.52	3.25	23.63	69.81	75.93	86.19	172.67



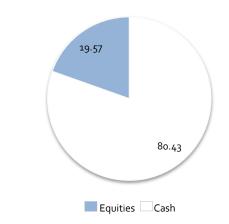
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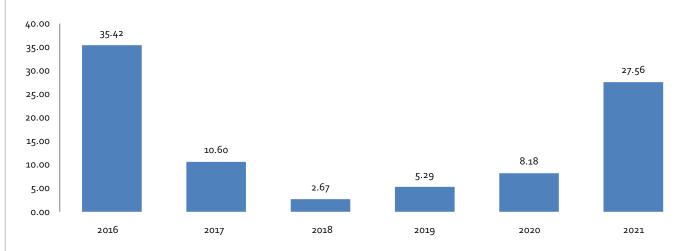


VOLATILITY & RISK (24 Months)	
Annualised Volatility	16.49%
Return for Period	69.81%
Best Monthly Return	15.16%
Worst Monthly Return	-3.23%
Risk / Reward Ratio	21.62:1

The risk/reward calculation is a division of net profit (the reward) by the price of your maximum risk. Any investor should determine their acceptable risk, but it is always best to be more conservative with risk than aggressive with reward.

#### **MONTHLY PERFORMANCE FIGURES (%)** 2022 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 0.80 0.41 0.59 2.71 1.32 1.41 January 1.71 3.21 0.38 1.49 -1.83 1.23 February 0.30 0.10 -3.01 3.61 15.16 -0.87 March -1.85 -0.49 April 1.40 0.00 0.31 4.11 -3.23 0.48 -2.35 1.24 1.96 1.23 May 2.25 4.24 2.13 0.49 2.41 0.35 3.13 June 3.62 -3.41 0.50 2.52 0.26 2.26 0.90 July -0.47 -5.05 1.30 2.34 -0.31 August 5.13 5.10 September 0.22 2.86 0.21 2.18 2.27 0.20 1.48 0.91 0.36 -2.23 1.52 October 8.70 -1.66 1.90 November 0.40 1.95 5.25 0.05 1.80 0.31 December 1.93 2.22 -0.97 2.46 7.15 0.98

## PERFORMANCE FOR CALENDER YEARS (%)



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