Equitile Resilience Fund

Monthly Report - February 2024

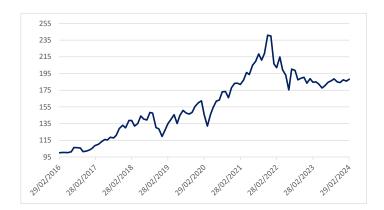


Comments from your Chief Investment Officer

In February Rolls Royce was the fund's largest positive contributor to performance, buoyed by growing confidence in their management's ability to deliver efficiency improvements, together with a strong rebound in air passenger miles, which grew by approximately 37% in 2023.

Typically, strength in tourism goes hand in hand with strength in luxury goods spending, judging by the performance of LVMH and Hermes, this remains the case. Consumers still seem to be in a seize-the-day mood, perhaps still responding to prior lockdown restrictions, growing geopolitical instability and stubborn inflationary pressures.

Less impressive was the performance of the energy sector which despite enjoying near record profitability – in part from that 37% surge in air passenger miles – remains profoundly out of favour with much of the investing community. By our calculation profits in this sector can be purchased for less than 20% of what they currently cost from the more fashionable mega-cap technology companies. Governments around the world are encouraging divestment from the energy sector while mandating an aggressive expansion of the semiconductor industry. We believe this situation is risks malinvestment in both industries, underinvestment in energy and overinvestment in semiconductors. This in turn may place these industries at opposite points of their profitability cycles..



Fund Details					
Launch Date	29th February 2016				
ISIN:	GB00BDD1KW29				
Fund Domicile	UK				
Fund Type	UK UCITS OEIC				
Share Class Availability	NOK, EUR, GBP, USD				
Dealing	Daily (11:00am, UK time)				
Pricing	Daily (15:00pm, UK time)				
OCF**	1.00%				
Management Charge*	0.70%				
Subscription Charge	0.00%				
Redemption Charge	0.00%				
AUM (USD)	102.71 million				
Strategy AUM (USD)	188.69 million				
Depositary	HSBC				
Auditor	Azets Audit Services Limited				

Net Asset \	Value Metrics GBP Class													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Last NAV	YTD
2024	-0.72%	1.20%											188.21	0.48%
2023	2.94%	-2.28%	0.19%	-1.28%	-2.63%	1.59%	2.14%	0.97%	1.24%	-1.96%	-0.43%	1.79%	187.32	2.12%
2022	-13.95%	-2.18%	6.39%	-7.12%	-3.31%	-9.18%	14.25%	-0.77%	-5.62%	0.93%	0.65%	-3.73%	183.44	-23.56%
2021	0.14%	-0.82%	2.86%	4.92%	-1.28%	5.84%	2.00%	4.43%	-3.47%	3.89%	9.99%	-0.41%	239.97	31.05%
2020	1.62%	-10.19%	-9.48%	10.25%	5.99%	5.05%	0.78%	6.03%	0.09%	-4.24%	7.37%	2.77%	183.12	14.60%
2019	6.61%	6.12%	3.48%	4.07%	-7.14%	7.03%	4.28%	-2.13%	-0.84%	1.41%	4.81%	2.65%	159.79	33.72%
2018	6.77%	0.07%	-4.88%	2.25%	6.81%	-2.57%	-0.78%	6.31%	-0.40%	-11.65%	-1.38%	-7.08%	119.50	-8.01%
2017	1.83%	3.10%	1.36%	2.30%	2.84%	-0.40%	2.69%	-0.65%	2.84%	6.38%	3.20%	-2.36%	129.91	25.43%
2016		0.00%	0.59%	-0.01%	-0.36%	0.98%	5.13%	-0.23%	-0.36%	-4.19%	0.80%	1.39%	103.57	3.57%
	1 yr:	1.99%	3 yr:	3.48%	Total return:		88.21%				Annualised	return since	inception	8.23%

Top 10 Holdings	
LVMH MOET HENNE	4.89%
EXXON MOBIL CORP	4.42%
ROLLS-ROYCE HOLD	4.20%
JAPAN TOBACCO	4.05%
AUTOZONE INC	3.84%
TOTALENERGIES SE	3.83%
VISA INC-CLASS A	3.69%
HERMES INTL	3.55%
BOOKING HOLDINGS	3.48%
CONOCOPHILLIPS	3.48%

Country Allocation	
UNITED STATES	34.62%
FRANCE	19.07%
BRITAIN	18.52%
JAPAN	9.09%
AUSTRALIA	5.05%
CANADA	3.44%
NORWAY	3.42%
GERMANY	3.19%
SWITZERLAND	2.11%

Top 10 Industrie	es
Energy	22.60%
Mining	14.19%
Aerospace & Defense	12.30%
Luxury Goods	9.73%
Agriculture	6.36%
Energy Services	3.84%
Financial Services	3.51%
Retail	3.46%
Internet Services	3.46%
Cosmetics & Toiletries	3.40%

Portfolio Characteristics***							
Average market. Cap (USD bn)	146.9	Equity Ratio	0.38	Sales Growth (5yr)	7%		
Number of Holdings	36	PER Current	18.37	EPS Growth (5yr)	8%		

^{*}A management fee of 0.7% is charged only on AUM below £350 million. A performance fee of 10% of returns, in excess of the high water mark, is charged only on AUM above £350 million.

^{**} Ongoing Charges to the Fund, as specified in the Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for the specific share class.

^{***} Weighted average of portfolio

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