# Unigestion Adaptive A GLOBAL MACRO STRATEGY



This Global Macro strategy sits among a suite of Multi Asset strategies specifically designed to meet the needs of institutional investors. The Strategy aims to deliver absolute returns by managing long and short exposure across and within asset classes. The Strategy offers the following benefits:

- High risk-adjusted and absolute returns
- Low correlation to equity and fixed income markets
- ▶ Liquid, transparent and cost-efficient access to diversified assets and global macro styles

# WHAT MAKES THIS UNIGESTION STRATEGY UNIQUE?



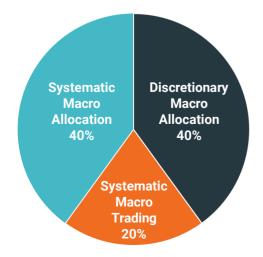
- Diversified across economic environments, asset classes and macro styles (discretionary and systematic)
- 2 DYNAMIC
- Proprietary systematic and discretionary processes to adapt to macro environments



Portfolio mitigating a broad range of risks

## INVESTMENT APPROACH

The Strategy allocates to three different investment sub-strategies (or "books") that do not have a long-term, structural bias to any financial asset. Diversification across books is expected to produce consistent performance, reduce risk, or both. Each book is independent and uses a consistent framework to express its view on a common set of instruments and is expected to generate attractive returns. The Strategy's three books are:



## **Systematic Macro Allocation**

Assesses current macroeconomic conditions using proprietary "nowcasting" and "newscasting" indicators, as well as asset valuations to construct long/short views on global assets. Regime-based and valuation signals are transformed into capital allocation through proprietary risk modeling.

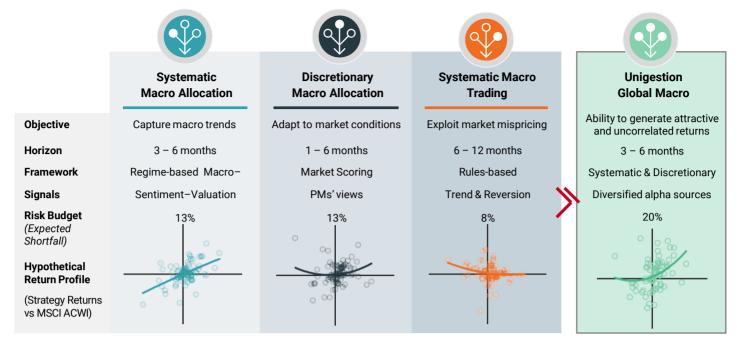
## **Discretionary Macro Allocation**

Aggregates individual, discretionary views of a team of experienced portfolio managers to take long or short exposures across and within asset classes. Complements the systematic book and looks at areas that are difficult for systematic models to handle.

## **Systematic Macro Trading**

A systematic strategy consisting of quantitative signals applied to a diversified set of instrument to capture two main features of markets: Momentum and Mean Reversion.

# COMPLEMENTARY PROFILES COMBINED TO PROVIDE UNCORRELATED SOURCES OF RETURN



Note: the 20% Expected Shortfall target for the portfolio translates into 10% volatility For illustrative purposes only

# INVESTMENT PROCESS - FROM INDIVIDUAL STRATEGIES TO A DYNAMIC PORTFOLIO

#### **STRATEGIES SIGNALS RISK MODEL** ALLOCATION Set of strategies Risk model aligned with Total portfolio capital Each strategy generates identifies opportunities a signal to go long or investor objectives allocation reflects the short based on its level desired positioning of and risk across translates a signal into multiple dimensions of conviction a market exposure each strategy Systematic Macro Allocation Example: S&P 500 Notional Signal **Exposure** Discretionary Macro Allocation Systematic Macro **Trading** -2 2 -1 0

- ► Transparent portfolio construction process allows for attribution of exposures, risk, and performance to individual systematic or discretionary signals
- ▶ Offsetting signals reflect low conviction and naturally lead to smaller exposures
- ▶ Reinforcing signals reflect high conviction and result in significant exposures that are maintained within risk limits

## PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION



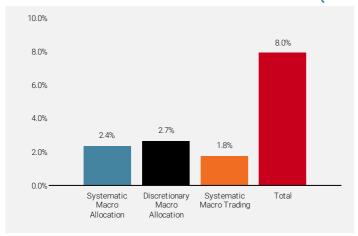
Figures hereunder are hypothetical from 01.01.2015 to 31.08.2021. Please refer to the disclaimer below for additional details. Please refer to the GIPS Compliant Presentation at: https://www.unigestion.com/unigestion-global-macro-10-target-volatility/

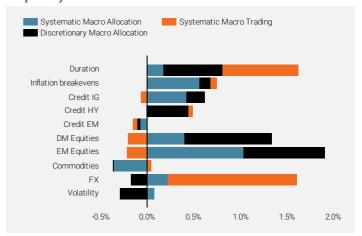
Hypothetical MonthlyGross Returns in USD from 01.01.2015 to 31.08.2021. Performance of the live portfolio afterwards.														
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Gross	YTD Net
2022	0.4%	-2.5%	-0.6%	2.5%	1.4%	-1.8%	0.3%						-0.3%	-1.0%
2021	0.2%	1.9%	1.8%	0.9%	1.0%	3.5%	1.5%	0.3%	-2.3%	0.9%	-0.4%	1.2%	10.8%	8.6%
2020	-4.0%	-2.9%	3.6%	-0.6%	-1.3%	-1.1%	2.1%	3.0%	-1.9%	-0.4%	2.4%	1.9%	0.3%	-0.6%
2019	5.0%	0.7%	1.1%	1.2%	-2.0%	5.0%	0.3%	0.0%	2.8%	0.7%	3.6%	2.6%	23.0%	19.7%
2018	6.0%	6.4%	1.8%	-1.8%	-2.2%	-0.3%	-0.8%	2.2%	-1.8%	-0.7%	-0.8%	-1.4%	6.5%	5.0%
2017	2.5%	0.5%	1.7%	1.3%	1.9%	0.3%	0.5%	-0.2%	5.7%	4.4%	1.7%	1.6%	24.2%	20.8%
2016	-1.0%	-2.3%	0.9%	-1.6%	-0.4%	2.2%	0.8%	0.3%	0.2%	1.8%	-4.2%	2.5%	-1.2%	-2.1%
2015	3.1%	1.9%	2.4%	-1.8%	-0.3%	-2.9%	0.9%	-0.7%	-2.2%	3.7%	1.4%	-4.7%	0.4%	-0.5%

Performance	Gross	Net
MTD	0.3%	0.2%
YTD	-0.3%	-1.0%
1 year	-0.7%	-1.9%
3 years (annualised)	6.9%	5.2%
SI (annualised)	8.0%	6.2%

Risk Metrics Since Inception	Gross	Net
Volatility	7.7%	7.3%
Max Drawdown	10.7%	11.1%
Perf/Vol	1.03	0.86
Calmar Ratio	0.74	0.56
% positive months	63%	63%
% negative months	37%	37%

# **CONTRIBUTIONS BY STRATEGY COMPONENTS (Since Inception)**





Source: Unigestion. Data as at 31.07.2022.

The strategy performed 8.0% (gross of fees, USD) and 6.2% (net of fees).

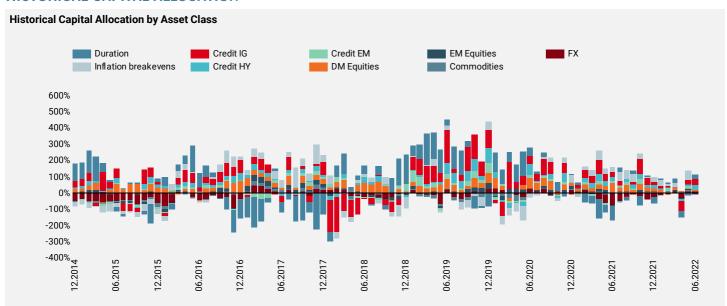
The performance of the Unigestion Adaptive Strategy is the hypothetical performance of the Strategy from 01.01.2015 to 31.08.2021, chained from 01.09.2021 with the live performance of the first actual portfolio managed by Unigestion adopting this strategy. The hypothetical performance is based on the carve out of the most representative account of the Multi Asset Risk Targeted Composite, leveraged 5x to target an ex-ante volatility of 10%. The live performance is the actual performance of the most representative account of the Unigestion Global Macro - 10% Target Volatility strategy. Hypothetical and actual past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results, the value of investments can fall as well as rise and there is no guarantee that your initial investment will be returned. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. The monthly performance figures are shown gross of fees, thereby the inclusion of fees, costs and charges will reduce the overall value of performance. Where the performance is shown net, it includes management fees (0.9%), performance fees (10%), and administration/custody fees.

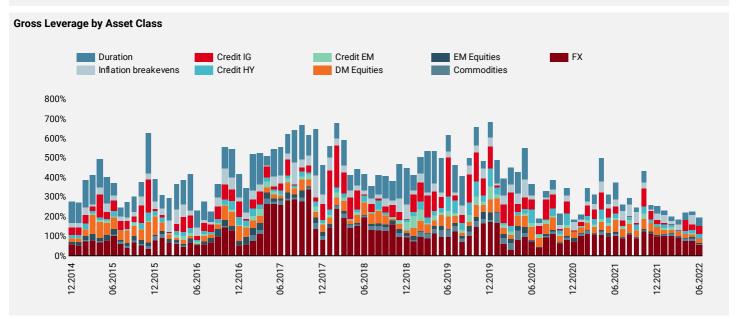


## No Data



# HISTORICAL CAPITAL ALLOCATION







For further information about Global Macro please contact your Unigestion representative at clients@unigestion.com



## **Important Information**

Past performance is no guide to the future, the value of investments, and the income from them change frequently, may fall as well as rise, there is no guarantee that your initial investment will be returned. This document has been prepared for your information only and must not be distributed, published, reproduced or disclosed (in whole or in part) by recipients to any other person without the prior written consent of Unigestion. It is neither directed to, nor intended for distribution or use by, any person or entity who is a citizen or resident of, or domiciled or located in, any locality, state, country or jurisdiction where such distribution, publication, availability or use would be contrary to law or regulation.

This is a promotional statement of our investment philosophy and services only in relation to the subject matter of this presentation. It constitutes neither investment advice nor recommendation. This document represents no offer, solicitation or suggestion of suitability to subscribe in either the investment vehicles to which it refers or to any securities or financial instruments described herein. Any such offer to sell or solicitation of an offer to purchase shall be made only by formal offering documents, which include, among others, a confidential offering memorandum, limited partnership agreement (if applicable), investment management agreement (if applicable), operating agreement (if applicable), and related subscription documents (if applicable). Such documentation contains additional information material to any decision to invest. Please contact your professional adviser/consultant before making an investment decision.

Where possible we aim to disclose the material risks pertinent to this document. The views expressed in this document do not purport to be a complete description of the securities, markets and developments referred to in it. Reference to specific securities should not be considered a recommendation to buy or sell. Unigestion maintains the right to delete or modify information without prior notice.

Investors shall conduct their own analysis of the risks (including any legal, regulatory, tax or other consequences) associated with an investment and should seek independent professional advice. Some of the investment strategies or financial instruments described or alluded to herein may be construed as high risk and not readily realisable investments, which may experience substantial and sudden losses including total loss of investment. These are not suitable for all types of investors. Unigestion has the ability in its sole discretion to change the strategies described herein.

To the extent that this report contains statements about the future, such statements are forward-looking and subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, including, but not limited to, the impact of competitive products, market acceptance risks and other risks. Actual results could differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements. As such, forward looking statements should not be relied upon for future returns. Targeted returns reflect subjective determinations by Unigestion based on a variety of factors, including, among others, internal modeling, investment strategy, prior performance of similar products (if any), volatility measures, risk tolerance and market conditions. Targeted returns are not intended to be actual performance and should not be relied upon as an indication of actual or future performance.

Information about any indices shown herein is provided to allow for comparison of the performance of the strategy to that of certain well-known and widely recognized indices. There is no representation that such index is an appropriate benchmark for such comparison. You cannot invest directly in an index and the indices represented do not take into account trading commissions and/or other brokerage or custodial costs. The volatility of the indices may be materially different from that of the strategy. In addition, the strategy's holdings may differ substantially from the securities that comprise the indices shown.

No separate verification has been made as to the accuracy or completeness of the information herein. Data and graphical information herein are for information only and may have been derived from third party sources. Unigestion takes reasonable steps to verify, but does not guarantee, the accuracy and completeness of information from third party sources. As a result, no representation or warranty, expressed or implied, is or will be made by Unigestion in this respect and no responsibility or liability is or will be accepted. All information provided here is subject to change without notice. It should only be considered current as of the date of publication without regard to the date on which you may access the information. Rates of exchange may cause the value of investments to go up or down. An investment with Unigestion, like all investments, contains risks, including total loss for the investor.

## **Hypothetical Performance Disclaimer**

Hypothetical, backtested or simulated performance is not an indicator of future actual results. The results reflect performance of a strategy not currently offered to any investor and do not represent returns that any investor actually attained. Hypothetical results are calculated by the retroactive application of a model constructed on the basis of historical data and based on assumptions integral to the model which may or may not be testable and are subject to losses. Changes in these assumptions may have a material impact on the hypothetical (backtested/simulated) returns presented. Certain assumptions have been made for modeling purposes and are unlikely to be realized. No representations and warranties are made as to the reasonableness of the assumptions. This information is provided for illustrative purposes only. Specifically, hypothetical (backtested/simulated) results do not reflect actual trading or the effect of material economic and market factors on the decision-making process. Since trades have not actually been executed, results may have under- or over-compensated for the impact, if any, of certain market factors, such as lack of liquidity, and may not reflect the impact that certain economic or market factors may have had on the decision-making process. Further, backtesting allows the security selection methodology to be adjusted until past returns are maximized.

Hypothetical performance results have many inherent limitations, some of which are described below. No representation is being made that any account will or is likely to achieve profits or losses similar to those shown. In fact, there are frequently sharp differences between hypothetical performance results and the actual results subsequently achieved by any particular trading program.

One of the limitations of hypothetical performance results is that they are generally prepared with the benefit of hindsight. In addition, hypothetical trading does not involve financial risk, and no hypothetical trading record can completely account for the impact of financial risk in actual trading. For example, the ability to withstand losses or to adhere to a particular trading program in spite of trading losses are material points which can also adversely affect actual trading results. There are numerous other factors related to the markets in general or to the implementation of any specific trading program which cannot be fully accounted for in the preparation of hypothetical performance results and all of which can adversely affect actual trading results.



## Additional information for US investors

The performance figures are based on estimated fees and expenses as well as on the underlying strategy's estimated performances given by fund managers, administrators, custodians and third party sources at a given date. Where performance is reflected gross of fees, potential investors should be aware that the inclusion of fees, costs and charges will reduce the overall value of performance. Unless otherwise stated, the performance data source are Uniquestion, Bloomberg and Compustat.

This information is provided to you solely to give you background information relating to Unigestion, certain strategies it implements and currently offers.

Before making an investment decision with respect to the strategy discussed herein, potential investors are advised to consult with their tax, legal, ERISA and financial advisors. Note that not all strategies may be available or suitable for investment by U.S. investors.

This document may contain forward-looking statements, including observations about markets and industry and regulatory trends as of the original date of this document. Forward-looking statements may be identified by, among other things, the use of words such as "expects," "anticipates," "believes," or "estimates," or the negatives of these terms, and similar expressions. Forward-looking statements reflect Unigestion's views as of such date with respect to possible future events. Actual results could differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements as a result of factors beyond a strategy's or Unigestion's control. Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on such statements. No party has an obligation to update any of the forward-looking statements in this document.

Return targets or objectives, if any, are used for measurement or comparison purposes and only as a guideline for prospective investors to evaluate a particular investment program's investment strategies and accompanying information. Performance may fluctuate, especially over short periods. Targeted returns should be evaluated over the time period indicated and not over shorter periods.

The past performance of Uniquestion, its principals, shareholders, or employees is not indicative of future returns.

Except where otherwise specifically noted, the information contained herein, including performance data and assets under management, relates to the entire affiliated group of Unigestion entities over time including that of Unigestion UK. Such information is intended to provide the reader with background regarding the services, investment strategies and personnel of the Unigestion entities. No guarantee is made that all or any of the individuals involved in generating the performance on behalf the other Unigestion entities will be involved in managing any client account on behalf of Unigestion U.K. More specific information regarding Unigestion UK is set forth herein where indicated and is available on request.

There is no guarantee that Unigestion will be successful in achieving any investment objectives. An investment strategy contains risks, including the risk of complete loss. The risk management practices and methods described herein are for illustrative purposes only and are subject to modification.

## Legal entities disseminating this document

## **United Kingdom**

This material is disseminated in the United Kingdom by Unigestion (UK) Ltd., which is authorized and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority ("FCA").

This information is intended only for professional clients and eligible counterparties, as defined in MiFID directive and has therefore not been adapted to retail clients.

## **United States**

Unigestion is present and offers its services in the United States as Unigestion (UK) Ltd., which is registered as an investment adviser with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). All inquiries from investors present in the United States should be directed to Clients@unigestion.com at Unigestion (UK) Ltd. This information is intended only for institutional clients that are qualified purchasers as defined by the SEC and has therefore not been adapted to retail clients.

## **European Union**

This material is disseminated in the European Union by Unigestion Asset Management (France) SA which is authorized and regulated by the French "Autorité des Marchés Financiers" ("AMF").

This information is intended only for professional clients and eligible counterparties, as defined in the MiFID directive and has therefore not been adapted to retail clients.

## Canada

This material is disseminated in Canada by Unigestion Asset Management (Canada) Inc. which is registered as a portfolio manager and/or exempt market dealer in nine provinces across Canada and also as an investment fund manager in Ontario, Quebec and Newfoundland & Labrador. Its principal regulator is the Ontario Securities Commission ("OSC").

This material may also be distributed by Unigestion SA which has an international advisor exemption in Quebec, Saskatchewan and Ontario. Unigestion SA's assets are situated outside of Canada and, as such, there may be difficulty enforcing legal rights against it.

## Switzerland

This material is disseminated in Switzerland by Unigestion SA which is authorized and regulated by the Swiss Financial Market Supervisory Authority ("FINMA").