# TRIUM EPYNT MACRO FUND



# **AUGUST 2025 MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**

F USD: +2.8% YTD: +7.9%

# **Strategy Description**

- ▶ The Trium Epynt Macro Fund pursues a traditional thematic approach to investing, with a focus on identifying and monetising major macroeconomic and geopolitical trends.
- ▶ The Portfolio Managers have the flexibility to invest across fixed income, FX, commodities and equities, with a global remit encompassing both developed and liquid emerging markets.
- ▶ The Fund aims to achieve a 6-10% annualised return, independent of market environment, with a volatility of 6-10%.

# Portfolio Manager's Commentary

- ▶ It was a good month for the Fund, with gains from equities, commodities and FX outweighing losses in fixed income.
- ▶ Chinese equity options were the largest contributor to P&L, with the benchmark CSI 300 index surging 10% as confidence in the region continues to rebuild.
- ▶ Weaker data and a Powell pivot towards a more dovish tone at the Jackson Hole gathering led to a big move lower in short-end US rates. The Fund recorded a modest profit on its residual rates receiver position, but enjoyed more significant gains from short US Dollar exposure as the DXY fell -2.2%.
- ▶ We have shifted to a short Dollar bias this year and, on the long side, favour EM commodity producers in a resource-constrained world. Having been forced into another hiking cycle, Brazil offers exceptionally high real rates (15% base rate versus c 5% inflation), which should continue to attract flows into the Real.
- ▶ Commodity gains were driven by precious metals as gold/silver moved higher, fuelled by the prospect of aggressive rate cuts as Trump steps up efforts to secure a Fed "majority", and broader concerns over the reliability of US assets. We switched half of our gold miners' position into the metal after recent outperformance.
- ▶ We cut the majority of our crypto exposure. Prices struggled over the month (Bitcoin -7%), even as the Dollar sold off and gold rallied, and our feeling is that the shills within the administration have likely pushed their agenda as far as they can for now. We also believe it is likely that traditional gold/silver buyers are returning to the metals, having had their heads turned by crypto outperformance.
- ▶ Hong Kong rates were the main detractor. We have periodically had success in trading the range, as the currency pushes against its permitted band, requiring the HKMA to remove/increase liquidity, leading to higher/lower rates. The trade moved sharply against us in August as the relationship broke down, and so we exited.
- ▶ We have written previously about the expectation that macro funds should outperform in adverse environments. We agree that this is a reasonable assumption (Blog), but the mandate is also about capturing asymmetric upside opportunities and the Fund's willingness to embrace such scenarios paid off in August.
- ▶ That said, we have meaningful hedges in place. While the chaos of "Liberation Day" has started to fade in the memory, the outlook remains extremely uncertain. Although VaR analysis suggests that the portfolio is relatively diversified, the distinction between bull and bear positions has become somewhat muddled and historic correlations should not be relied on. We prefer S&P puts as a clean hedge against the risk that the Fund's more 'idiosyncratic' positions go against us in a stock market sell-off.
- ▶ Our S&P short was a drag in August, although we have traded well to be roughly flat YTD despite the index being up c 10%. Current exposure is -8% NAV (delta-adjusted). This would mechanically increase to c -30% NAV should the market trade to our strike.

# **Portfolio Managers**



**Tom Roderick** has managed the Trium Epynt Macro strategy since October 2018. Before joining Trium, Tom was a portfolio manager and partner

at Eclectica Asset Management from 2012-17. Prior to this, Tom worked at Brevan Howard from 2008-11. Tom graduated with a 1st class MSci in Physics from Imperial College, London.



Javier Basabe joined Trium in 2024. Javier was previously a portfolio manager at Bluecrest Capital. Prior to this, he worked within a senior macro

team at Citadel. Javier started his career on the sell side at Barclays, having graduated from the Universidad Pontificia de Comillas - ICAI with an MSc in Mechanical Engineering.

### **Fund terms**

Investment Manager	Trium Capital LLP
Fund Name	Trium Epynt Macro Fund
SFDR	Article 6
Inception Date	30 September 2022
Structure	UCITS (Ireland)
Base Currency	USD
Currency Share Classes	USD, GBP, EUR and CHF
Dealing Frequency	Daily, 11am Irish Time
Valuation Point	5pm EST
Registered for Sale	France, Germany, Guernsey, Jersey, Ireland, Italy, Switzerland, UK

# Fund service providers

Administrator	Northern Trust
Management Company	Trium Ireland Ltd

Administrator	NOITHEITH HUSE				
Swap Providers	Morgan Stanley, Société Générale, JP Morgan				
Auditor	PricewaterhouseCoopers				
Legal Advisors	McCann Fitzgerald				

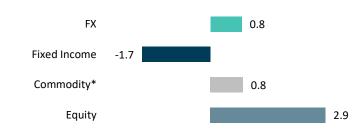
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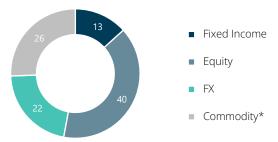


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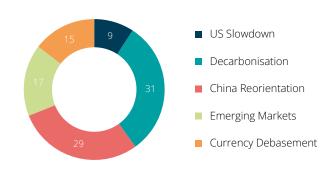
# MTD P&L Attribution (% NAV)



# Asset Class Exposure (% Gross VaR)



# Portfolio Themes (% Gross VaR)



# Top 10 Positions (% Gross VaR)



# Position Exposure (% NAV)\*



\* Delta-adjusted exposure

# FX Exposure (% NAV)\*

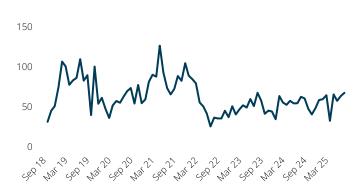


\* Delta-adjusted exposure

# Fixed Income Exposure (DV01)



# History - 1-day Portfolio VaR 95 (BP)



Source: Trium Capital LLP. Past performance is not a reliable indicator for future returns. Gross VaR is the sum of the VaRs of all Positions within the portfolio. A Position may comprise of more than one portfolio constituent. Theme VaR is the sum of the VaRs of Positions within the Theme. Position VaR% and Theme VaR% is expressed relative to Gross VaR. Asset Class VaR is the sum of VaRs of Positions within the Asset Class (accounting for the effects of diversification). Asset Class VaR% is expressed relative to the sum of Asset Class VaRs. Portfolio VaR% is the VaR of the portfolio. Figures based on 1-day VaR (95% confidence level, using a 2yr historical look back). Historical VaR analysis was produced by the Portfolio Management team and has not been independently verified.

<sup>\*</sup> Commodity includes carbon emissions. FX excludes pegged currencies. Delta-adjusted exposures are shown for option-based trade expressions.



# Historical Monthly Returns - F USD (Founders')

F USD	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2025	1.0%	-0.2%	0.5%	-0.3%	-0.3%	3.5%	0.6%	2.8%					7.9%
2024	-0.0%	0.8%	1.7%	2.1%	0.0%	-2.2%	1.6%	-3.1%	2.5%	1.9%	3.4%	0.1%	8.9%
2023	0.1%	0.8%	-2.1%	0.6%	-1.6%	1.9%	1.5%	1.1%	3.2%	0.1%	-2.1%	-1.3%	2.0%
2022										-0.4%	-2.6%	0.7%	-2.2%

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# Historical Monthly Returns - Epynt Macro Strategy

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2022	1.4%	1.7%	1.3%	4.3%	2.4%	0.2%	-1.7%	-0.4%	3.0%				12.7%
2021	0.1%	-2.3%	1.1%	3.1%	0.5%	-3.7%	0.3%	-0.3%	0.8%	-1.3%	1.4%	2.2%	1.6%
2020	1.6%	-0.8%	-4.5%	4.8%	0.4%	0.8%	2.6%	0.4%	0.0%	-2.5%	2.9%	3.6%	9.2%
2019	0.3%	-1.0%	0.7%	0.5%	2.9%	-2.6%	2.4%	0.6%	-1.1%	0.2%	-0.3%	3.4%	6.0%
2018										-0.1%	1.0%	-1.2%	-0.3%
2017	0.2%	1.5%	-2.6%	-1.9%	-1.3%	3.4%							-0.9%
2016	0.7%	-1.5%	-1.9%	-0.3%	-0.1%	-2.1%	-1.4%	1.5%	-1.5%	1.7%	5.0%	4.9%	4.7%
2015	5.2%	1.6%	2.6%	0.3%	-0.5%	0.0%	-2.0%	-3.3%	0.9%	-0.6%	1.4%	1.8%	7.1%
2014	0.4%	0.0%	-1.3%	0.4%	1.1%	0.9%	0.5%	1.0%	1.3%	3.7%	2.8%	2.6%	14.0%
2013											0.3%	1.0%	1.3%

Past performance is not a reliable indicator for future returns. Source: Trium Capital LLP from Oct 2018 onwards (as a sleeve managed within the Trium Multi Strategy UCITS Fund, formerly named the Trium Absolute Return Fund) and at Eclectica Asset Management Nov 2013 – Jun 2017. The strategy did not run between Jul 2017 – Sep 2018. 2013 figure based on returns from Nov to Dec only, 2017 figure based on returns from Jan to Jun only, and 2018 figure based on returns from Oct to Dec only. Data is estimated monthly net of a fee structure of a 0.5% Management Fee and 10% Performance Fee. All as of month-end. Strategy returns are calculated based on internal figures and are not calculated based on any official NAV. While Trium takes all reasonable care to verify the accuracy of data provided by third parties, it cannot vouch for nor accept liability for the accuracy of any such performance data (Nov 2013 - Jun 2017) not generated by Trium. Returns are unaudited. All returns are based on daily returns from underlying portfolio constituents.

# **Share Class details**

<b>Share Class</b>	Management Fee	Performance Fee	Launch Date	Min. Investment	Currency	SEDOL	ISIN	Bloomberg ticker
F CHF	0.50%	10.00%	07/12/2022	1,000	CHF	BJN5167	IE000I57J1X3	TRHBFCH ID
F EUR	0.50%	10.00%	30/09/2022	1,000	EUR	BJN5145	IE000BHGRK57	TREPMFE ID
F GBP	0.50%	10.00%	30/09/2022	1,000	GBP	BJN5156	IE000988JJ99	TREPMFG ID
F USD	0.50%	10.00%	30/09/2022	1,000	USD	BJN5134	IE000ALF9G18	TREPMFU ID
I USD	0.75%	15.00%	30/09/2022	1,000,000	USD	BJN5178	IE0005WQI895	TREPMIU ID
S USD	1.25%	15.00%	30/09/2022	1,000	USD	BJN51C3	IE000IZ2ZC70	TRFSUSD ID

Source: Trium Capital. All data as at End of Month. Positions are % of month end NAV. All performance is net of the relevant share class fees as detailed above. Performance fees are accrued on performance in excess of a Hurdle Rate: (1) For USD this is the US Federal Reserve effective federal funds rate (Bloomberg Ticker: FEDL01 Index); (2) For EUR this is the European Central Bank deposit facility rate (Bloomberg Ticker: EURORDEPO Index); (3) for GBP this is the Bank of England official rate (Bloomberg Ticker: UKBRBASE Index

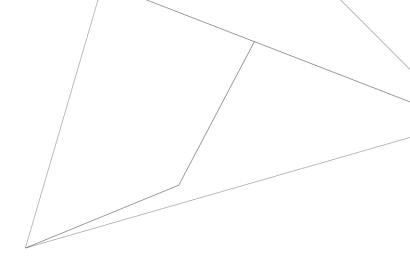
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