

RIO STOCK TRADING USD



1 April 2024

MANAGER COMMENTS

Stock Trading USD posted a return of 6.30% during March. This is excellent news but it's the returns produced over the past three years which have made this investment the envy of many in the investment industry. This investment has massively outperformed both its benchmark (Dow Jones) and target return. The Dow Jones has produced a return of 20.70% in the past three years, in stark comparison, the Stock Trading account has produced a staggering 95.55%; that says it all, over this period the Stock Trading account was one of the top performing equity investments in the market.

The account has never posted an annual loss, to be clear, every calendar year has been closed in profit. But it's not all about gains, it's about accurate allocation and weighting. 2022 was a period when almost every other investment company was overweight in equities and as a result they suffered double digit losses. RIO, however, had correctly predicted that 2022 would be a year of carnage, and therefore spent much of that year weighted to safety (cash), the result was that the account avoided losses. Of course, my decision to weight the account to cash was also influenced by the fact that in the prior two years (2020/2021) the account had posted significant returns of 62.24% for those invested. Given that, it seemed only logical to protect the gains to date.

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

RIO Stock Trading USD is for the seasoned and experienced investor only; ideally an investor who already has a sizeable portfolio. It is not suitable for, nor aimed at, novice investors. The product was created at the request of members who have portfolios with The RIO Club valued in excess of \$2 million.

This is a very high-risk investment which is focused predominately on equities; it is designed for those who can accept a higher degree of risk in exchange for the possibility of a higher return. Given that it is a higher risk product, it is not for those looking for a simple steady or constant return; it is in fact expected and accepted that an investment of this nature would be very likely to see volatility.

The above being so, RIO Stock Trading USD is not for a cautious investor, nor is it for members who cannot accept the potentially substantial swings in the value of their investment. The aggressive trading could substantially reward the right type of member; a person who is ready to accept additional risks.

INFORMATION

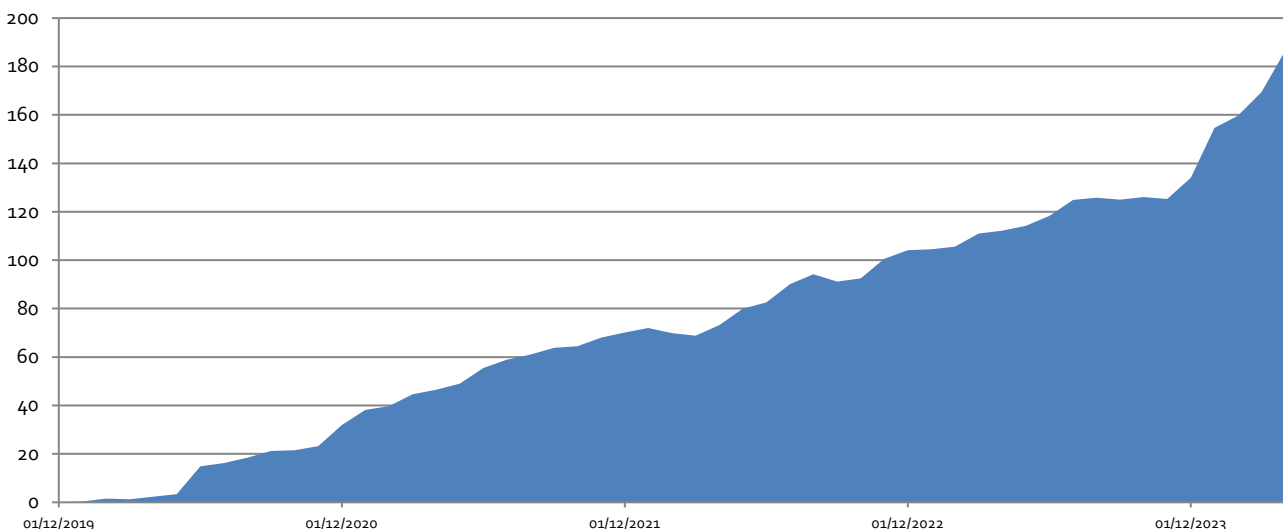
NAV	286.46
Launch Date	December 2019
Investment Manager	William Gray
Currency	USD
Minimum Investment	10,000
Establishment Charge	700
Administration Fee	0.25% pa
Performance Fee	5.00%
Dealing Frequency	Monthly

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
	12.51	6.30	26.74	35.02	65.34	95.55	-	186.46

CUMMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (Since Launch)



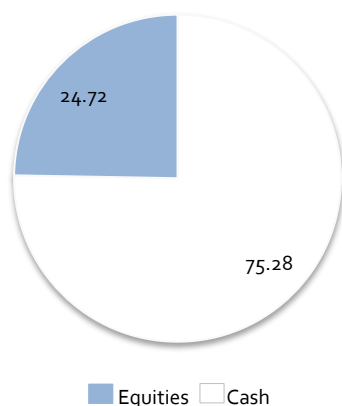
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ASSET ALLOCATION (%)



VOLATILITY & RISK (24 Months)

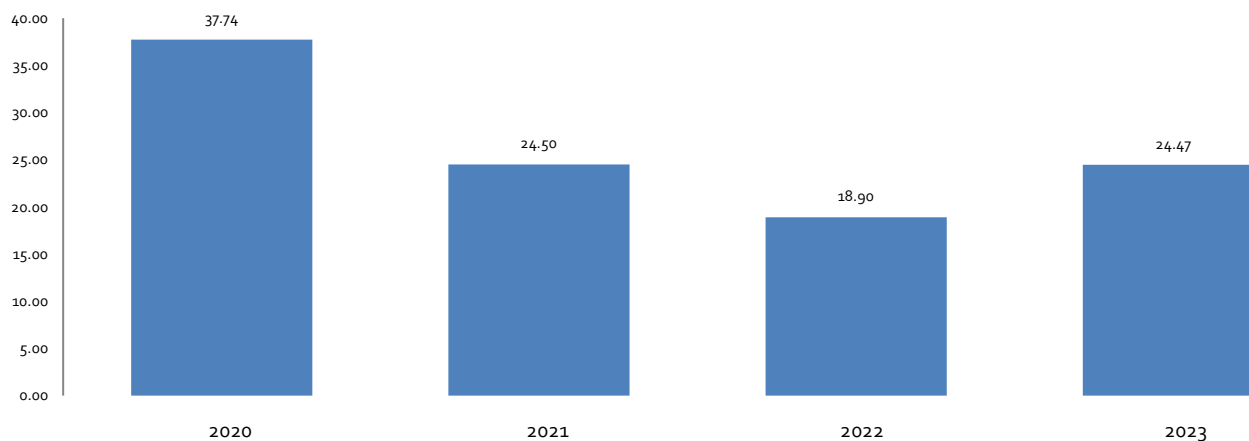
Annualised Volatility	11.15%
Return for Period	65.34%
Best Monthly Return	8.78%
Worst Monthly Return	-1.59%
Risk / Reward Ratio	41.10:1

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 (%)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
January		1.16	1.09	-1.28	0.51	1.98
February		-0.25	3.53	-0.56	2.62	3.78
March		1.07	1.30	2.58	0.55	6.30
April		1.10	1.72	3.84	0.93	
May		11.02	4.30	1.48	1.96	
June		1.20	2.25	4.13	2.97	
July		1.96	1.32	2.14	0.46	
August		2.35	1.71	-1.59	-0.36	
September		0.16	0.45	0.73	0.43	
October		1.40	2.12	4.21	-0.34	
November		7.11	1.28	1.72	3.90	
December	0.32	4.73	1.11	0.24	8.78	

PERFORMANCE FOR CALENDER YEARS (%)



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