

## Quarterly Headlines

International equity markets moved higher in a volatile fourth quarter. Market sentiment was tested by the longest US government shutdown on record, signs of a slowing labour market, and persistent concerns around stretched IT valuations and an emerging AI-bubble. Against this backdrop, the Federal Reserve delivered its third consecutive interest rate cut, but a more hawkish tone from policymakers signalled a reluctance to continue easing and prompted a rotation toward select defensive sectors. The utilities and health care sectors led returns, while communication services lagged as softer earnings momentum weighed on select stocks.

The portfolio delivered strong absolute returns and outperformed the benchmark. Outperformance was driven by stock selection in the UK and the industrials sector. SSE, the UK integrated utility, delivered strong returns, supported by its upgraded investment plan and improved visibility across regulated earnings and renewable infrastructure growth. Deutsche Post, the German diversified logistics company, was also strong following resilient earnings despite tariff-related challenges, driven by robust pricing power and cost control.

## Strategy at a Glance

- Strategy Inception: October 1991
- Investment Team Size of 10
- Value-oriented strategy
- Detailed, long-term fundamental analysis
- Consistent application of income-oriented valuation approach
- History of outperformance versus the benchmark, with lower volatility
- Portfolio contains 40 - 60 developed market issuers
- Annual turnover is generally 10 - 20%

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## Performance Summary

	Composite (Gross)	Composite (Net)	Benchmark
Quarter 4, 2025	7.5%	7.3%	4.9%
1 Year	36.9%	36.0%	31.2%
3 Years (Annualized)	20.7%	19.9%	17.2%
5 Years (Annualized)	12.1%	11.4%	8.9%
10 Years (Annualized)	8.7%	8.0%	8.2%
Since Inception (Annualized) October 1, 1991	8.5%	7.8%	6.0%

## Attribution

Market and Currency	Stock Selection	Total
0.0%	2.4%	2.5%
Sector	Stock Selection	Total
-0.1%	2.6%	2.5%

All returns in: USD

Composite: International Equity Value Opportunities

Benchmark: MSCI EAFE Index

Source: MSCI and Mondrian

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## Country Allocation

Country	Portfolio Weight	Relative Weight
Japan	23.1%	+1.0%
United Kingdom	19.2%	+4.3%
France	15.5%	+4.8%
Germany	10.0%	+0.3%
Italy	6.7%	+3.4%
Hong Kong	6.1%	+4.1%
Switzerland	5.0%	-4.7%
Spain	3.6%	-0.3%
Singapore	2.9%	+1.2%
Finland	2.0%	+0.8%
Netherlands	1.7%	-3.3%
Australia	1.5%	-4.9%
Austria	1.4%	+1.1%
Other Asia Pacific	0.0%	-0.2%
Other EMEA	0.0%	-9.1%

## Sector Allocation

Sector	Portfolio Weight	Relative Weight
Industrials	22.3%	+3.1%
Financials	16.7%	-8.6%
Consumer Staples	12.5%	+5.1%
Health Care	11.8%	+0.4%
Utilities	8.9%	+5.3%
Cons. Discretionary	7.0%	-2.8%
Info. Technology	6.8%	-1.6%
Comm. Services	4.5%	+0.2%
Materials	4.1%	-1.5%
Energy	3.9%	+0.8%
Real Estate	0.0%	-1.8%
Cash	1.4%	-

## Strategy Characteristics

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Weighted Average P/E (trailing 12 months)	14.4x	17.5x
Weighted Average P/B	1.5x	2.2x
Weighted Average Dividend Yield	3.6%	2.7%
Number of Holdings	49	693
Weighted Average Market Cap (USD, billion)	74.1	105.9
Median Market Cap (USD, billion)	40.4	19.2

## Our Organization

- Founded in 1990, with over 35 years of stable, consistent leadership
- Over USD 50 billion under management and advisement
- Mondrian is employee-owned; approximately half of employees are partners today
- Consistent, income-oriented value discipline has been applied to all products since the firm's inception
- Highly experienced team of 52 investment professionals in London

All returns in: USD

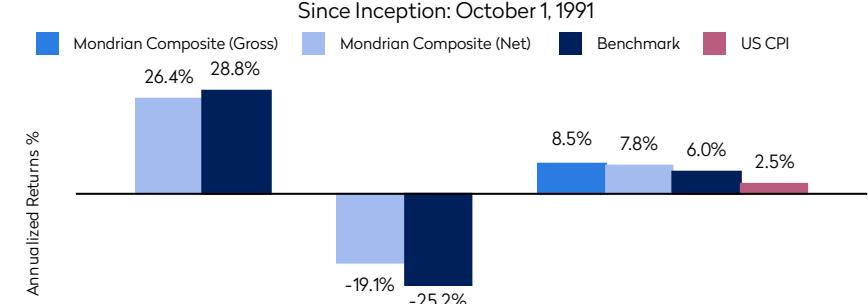
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## Defensive Characteristics



	Bull Market	Bear Market	Total
No. of Quarters	88	49	137

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