# **Man Event Driven Alternative**

Monthly summary report: 28 February 2025

Reporting Class:

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# **Investment Policy**

#### **Investment Objective**

The Fund seeks to provide investors with absolute returns over a rolling three year period by pursuing a 'long-short strategy' whereby, it will focus on mergers or catalyst driven events, including litigation, regulatory changes or restructures.

#### Type of Assets

The Fund will take positions in listed shares and bonds of companies, in addition it may use financial derivative instruments extensively and to take 'short' positions. It may also invest in currencies, debt securities and other Strategies, and may increase its holdings of cash and other liquid assets in times of market turbulence. It is expected that impacts of mergers will be the primary strategy to be employed.

#### **Benchmark Degree of Freedom**

The Fund is actively managed; no benchmark is used as a universe for selection or for performance comparison purposes.

#### Monthly return<sup>1</sup>: 0.55%

#### Performance Chart (Since Inception)<sup>1</sup>

Past performance is not indicative of future performance. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations.



Please refer to the Fund's Prospectus /Offering documents for additional details regarding the Investment policy.

# **Fund Risks**

The value of your investment and the income from it may rise as well as fall and you may not get back the amount originally invested. Prior to investing in the Fund investors should carefully consider the risks associated with investing, whether the Fund suits their investment requirements and whether they have sufficient resources to bear any losses which may result from an investment in the Fund. **Investors should only invest if they understand the terms on which the Fund is offered. Investors should consider the risks detailed in the risk glossary and where appropriate seek professional advice before investing.** 

#### YTD return<sup>1</sup>: 2.00%

#### Fund Details (Key Facts)<sup>2</sup>

Incention Date	02 7.06 2010
Inception Date	02 July 2019
Fund Size	USD 552,671,790
Structure	UCITS
Domicile	Ireland
Investment Manager	GLG LLC
Portfolio Manager	Michael Zhu
	Robert Lachmayer

#### Summary Risk Indicator (SRI)

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See Glossary for an explanation of the calculation. Please refer to the KID/KIID for the relevant Risk Indicator in your jurisdiction.

## Cumulative Performance<sup>1</sup>

	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
Fund	0.55%	3.04%	0.45%	2.00%	2.48%	6.30%	22.60%	n/a	21.83%

## Discrete Performance<sup>1</sup>

Year	Feb 2024 - Feb 2025	Feb 2023 - Feb 2024			Feb 2020 - Feb 2021	Annualised Return	Annualised Volatility			Beta	Information Ratio	Tracking Error
Fund	2.48%	2.24%	1.45%	2.78%	12.22%	3.95%	4.38%	0.62	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

## **Drawdown Statistics**<sup>4</sup>

	Max Drawdown	Length of Drawdown	Length of Recovery	Duration of Max Drawdown	Number of Total Drawdowns
Fund	-5.86%	3 Months	4 Months	7 Months	9

#### Historical Performance<sup>1</sup>

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Мау	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Fund YTD
2020	-0.26%	-0.37%	-5.26%	3.03%	0.65%	1.91%	2.00%	0.79%	1.88%	2.88%	1.74%	0.47%	9.57%
2021	0.73%	1.03%	0.73%	1.45%	0.76%	-0.24%	-0.52%	1.23%	0.09%	-0.52%	-0.06%	0.21%	4.97%
2022	-0.40%	0.04%	0.37%	-0.34%	-1.14%	-0.78%	1.54%	0.18%	-0.05%	0.56%	-0.07%	0.01%	-0.11%
2023	1.03%	0.17%	-0.16%	0.39%	-1.24%	-0.09%	-0.42%	2.10%	1.09%	-1.48%	1.25%	1.01%	3.64%
2024	-0.29%	0.13%	0.70%	-1.80%	-0.39%	1.14%	1.77%	0.63%	0.54%	-2.10%	-0.96%	1.02%	0.31%
2025	1.44%	0.55%	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	2.00%

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# **Contribution Analysis**

# Top 5 Contributors<sup>5</sup>

Company Name/Sector	MTD	EOM Position
Information Technology	0.22%	Flat
Industrials	0.15%	Long
Materials	0.14%	Long
Consumer Staples	0.09%	Long
Industrials	0.08%	Long

#### Bottom 5 Contributors⁵

Company Name/Sector	MTD	EOM Position
Materials	-0.14%	Flat
Consumer Staples	-0.12%	Long
Financials	-0.06%	Long
Health Care	-0.02%	Long
Information Technology	-0.02%	Long

### Exposure and Risk Analysis<sup>6</sup>

## Headline Equity Exposure

	Close	Change	Average	Positions	Change
Gross	105.91%	-28.66%	113.27%	78	-1
Net	76.63%	-1.26%	81.51%	78	-1
Long	91.27%	-14.96%	97.39%	62	1
Short	14.64%	-13.70%	15.88%	16	-2

#### **Breakdown by Asset Class<sup>8</sup>**

	Market Value	Gross Exposure
Commodity	0.00%	0.00%
Convertibles	0.00%	0.00%
Equities	56.60%	105.91%
Fixed Income	22.49%	22.49%
Currency	20.91%	0.94%
Money Markets	0.00%	0.00%
Other	0.00%	0.41%
Total	100.00%	129.75%

#### Gross Equity Exposure by Security Type<sup>7</sup>



# Equity Exposure By Market Cap<sup>9</sup>

	Long	Short	Net	Gross	
1. Small Cap (< \$3 billion)	15.73%	0.22%	15.52%	15.95%	Top 10
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2. Mid Cap (\$3 billion < x < \$10 billion)	46.65%	1.06%	45.59%	47.71%	Тор 30
3. Large Cap (\$10 billion < x < \$30 billion)	17.56%	3.71%	13.85%	21.27%	
4. Mega Cap (> \$30 billion)	2.35%	9.66%	-7.30%	12.01%	
5. No market cap (CVR)	8.97%	0.00%	8.97%	8.97%	

#### Equity Exposure by Sector<sup>9</sup>

	Long	Short	Net	Gross
Communication Services	9.25%	4.23%	5.03%	13.48%
Consumer Discretionary	8.77%	0.05%	8.72%	8.82%
Consumer Staples	7.73%	0.00%	7.73%	7.73%
Energy	1.29%	1.33%	-0.04%	2.62%
Financials	7.20%	2.26%	4.94%	9.45%
Health Care	6.50%	0.00%	6.50%	6.50%
Industrials	17.64%	3.95%	13.69%	21.59%
Information Technology	14.49%	0.00%	14.49%	14.49%
Materials	17.13%	2.83%	14.30%	19.97%
Real Estate	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Utilities	1.26%	0.00%	1.26%	1.26%

# Gross Position Concentration as % of total portfolio

		Current Month %
5	Тор 10	54.99%
	Тор 20	81.33%
	Тор 30	94.65%

#### Top 10 Equity Exposure by Country<sup>9</sup>

	Long	Short	Net	Gross
United States	53.31%	13.08%	40.22%	66.39%
United Kingdom	13.91%	0.13%	13.79%	14.04%
Germany	8.49%	0.00%	8.49%	8.49%
Argentina	6.55%	0.00%	6.55%	6.55%
Japan	5.38%	0.00%	5.38%	5.38%
Australia	0.89%	0.93%	-0.04%	1.82%
Canada	1.30%	0.00%	1.30%	1.30%
Netherlands	0.55%	0.00%	0.55%	0.55%
Italy	0.46%	0.01%	0.44%	0.47%
Norway	0.16%	0.17%	-0.00%	0.33%

# Top 10 Long Equity Positions<sup>9</sup>

Company Name/Sector	Net exposure
Materials	8.49%
Consumer Staples	7.24%
Health Care	5.90%
Industrials	5.26%
Information Technology	4.89%
Industrials	4.75%
Information Technology	4.71%
Communication Services	4.69%
Materials	4.59%
Financials	4.47%

### Top 10 Short Equity Positions<sup>9</sup>

е	Company Name/Sector	Net exposure		
%	Communication Services	-3.29%		
%	Industrials	-2.37%		
%	Financials	-1.64%		
%	Materials	-1.49%		
%	Energy	-1.33%		
%	Communication Services	-0.94%		
%	Materials	-0.93%		
%	Industrials	-0.83%		
%	Industrials	-0.74%		
%	Financials	-0.32%		

# VaR

# Option Greeks (Equity Only)

	VaR
1 Day VaR (99%)	1.26% V
- Commodity	0.00% T
- Equity	1.26% G
- FX	0.01% G
- Inflation	0.00%
- Interest Rate	0.01%
- Spread	0.00%
- Volatility	0.00%
Expected Shortfall	1.44%

	Fund
Vega	-0.00%
Theta (1 month)	0.00%
Gamma -1%	-0.01%
Gamma +1%	-0.01%

### Historical Replays \*\*

Brexit (23rd June 2016 - 7 July 2016)	th Covid Shock (6th March 2020 ( – 16th March 2020)	ovid Shock (6th March 2020 Covid unwind (22nd May 2020		(21st Feb 22 – 2nd March		Banking Crisis (6th November 2008 - 20th November 2008)
-3.73%	-18.60%	0.00%	0.00%	-12.04%		

#### NAV<sup>11</sup>

Class	NAV	ISIN	Minimum Initial	Minimum Additional		Performance Fee <sup>13</sup>	Management Fee <sup>14</sup>
DN H EUR	121.83	IE00BJBLGL74	1,000	n/a	2.14%	20%	1.75%
DN H CHF	102.61	IE00BNXH7D05	1,000	n/a	2.14%	20%	1.75%
DN USD	130.51	IE00BJBLGM81	1,000	n/a	2.15%	20%	1.75%
DNFY H EUR	125.59	IE00BKDV7869	1,000	n/a	1.89%	20%	1.50%
DNFY USD	134.89	IE00BKDV7752	1,000	n/a	1.89%	20%	1.50%
DNRW H EUR	104.47	IE000KXR1S52	1,000	n/a	2.42%	20%	2.50%
IN H CHF	104.82	IE00BNXH7C97	1,000,000	n/a	1.40%	20%	1.00%
IN H EUR	128.69	IE00BJJNH014	1,000,000	n/a	1.39%	20%	1.00%
IN H GBP	134.86	IE00BJJNGX70	1,000,000	n/a	1.39%	20%	1.00%
IN H SEK	130.20	IE00BJJNGY87	5,000,000	n/a	1.38%	20%	1.00%
IN USD	138.75	IE00BJJNGV56	1,000,000	n/a	1.39%	20%	1.00%
INF H EUR	131.16	IE00BJBLGJ52	1,000,000	n/a	0.88%	20%	0.50%
INF USD	140.55	IE00BJBLGK67	1,000,000	n/a	0.88%	20%	0.50%
INU H EUR	123.44	IE00BK80LR53	1,000,000	n/a	1.14%	20%	1.00%
INXX H EUR	11,497.16	IE00BMW96F54	150,000,000	n/a	1.39%	20%	1.00%
IXN H EUR	102.31	IE00012SINA3	100,000,000	n/a	1.02%	20%	1.00%
IXNU H EUR	100.49	IE0005L5YNF2	100,000,000	n/a	0.45%	20%	1.00%

Please note, shareclass specific performance can be found at; https://www.man.com/products/64261

#### **Dealing Terms**

Valuation Frequency	Daily
Dealing Frequency	Daily
Subscription	Before 13:00 (Dublin) on dealing day
Redemption	Before 13:00 (Dublin) on dealing day
Management Company	Man Asset Management (Ireland) Limited

<sup>1</sup> Please note all performance statistics and charts are based on the lead reporting shareclass. Performance data is shown net of fees with income reinvested, and does not take into account sales and redemption charges where such costs are applicable. Returns are calculated net of management fees and any applicable performance fees. Other share classes may charge higher fees.

<sup>2</sup> Fund Size represents the combined AUM of all share-classes noted in the NAV table.

<sup>3</sup> Sharpe ratio is calculated using a risk-free rate in the appropriate currency over the period analysed. Where an investment has underperformed the risk-free rate, the Sharpe ratio will be negative. Because the Sharpe ratio is an absolute measure of risk-adjusted return, negative Sharpe ratios are not shown as they can be misleading.

<sup>4</sup> Please note, if any of the statistics below show N/A then the fund/benchmark is either yet to witness a drawdown or it's max drawdown is ongoing and statistics can not yet be calculated.

<sup>5</sup> Please note, Index positions have been excluded from the top 5 & bottom 5 contributors

<sup>6</sup> The organisations and/or financial instruments mentioned are for reference purposes only. The content of this material should not be construed as a recommendation for their purchase or sale.

<sup>7</sup> As a percentage of gross exposure.

<sup>8</sup> Market value may be different to gross exposure due to the use of derivatives in the fund. Only fully funded positions in the fund would have the same market value as exposure. Fixed Income exposure for an equity fund may include exposures to short maturity government bills for cash management purposes

<sup>9</sup> Index positions are decomposed.

<sup>10</sup> Historical simulated replay taking current positioning, the periods selected are exceptional and results do not reflect typical performance.

" The share class in blue in the table is the reporting share class for the Fund and may be closed to new subscriptions.

<sup>12</sup> Ongoing Charges Figure ('OCF'): A variable charge payable over a year, normally based on expenses to the Fund as of the previous accounting year. It excludes Performance Fees (if applicable) but includes the Management Fee.

<sup>13</sup> Performance Fee (up to): The payment made to an Investment Manager if certain performance levels are achieved (often over and above any levels set out in the investment objective) within a set time period.

<sup>14</sup> Representative of the maximum management fee that may apply. For full details regarding the management fee, please refer to the fund's prospectus.

# **Risk Glossary**

Prior to investing in the Fund investors should carefully consider the risks associated with investing, whether the Fund suits their investment requirements and whether they have sufficient resources to bear any losses which may result from an investment in the Fund. Investors should only invest if they understand the terms on which the Fund is offered. Investors should consider the following risks and where appropriate seek professional advice before investing:

Investment Objective Risk - There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective.

Market Risk - The Fund is subject to normal market fluctuations and the risks associated with investing in international securities markets. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it may rise as well as fall and you may not get back the amount originally invested. **Counterparty Risk** - The Fund will be exposed to credit risk on counterparties with which it trades in relation to on-exchange traded instruments such as futures and options and where applicable, 'over-the-counter' ("OTC", "non-exchange") transactions. OTC instruments may also be less liquid and are not afforded the same protections that may apply to participants trading instruments on an organised exchange.

**Currency Risk** - The value of investments designated in another currency may rise and fall due to exchange rate fluctuations. Adverse movements in currency exchange rates may result in a decrease in return and a loss of capital. It may not be possible or practicable to successfully hedge against the currency risk exposure in all circumstances.

Liquidity Risk - The Fund may make investments or hold trading positions in markets that are volatile and which may become illiquid. Timely and cost efficient sale of trading positions can be impaired by decreased trading volume and/or increased price volatility.

**Financial Derivatives Instruments** - The Fund will invest financial derivative instruments ("FDI") (instruments whose prices are dependent on one or more underlying asset) to achieve its investment objective. The use of FDI involves additional risks such as high sensitivity to price movements of the asset on which it is based. The extensive use of FDI may significantly multiply the gains or losses.

Leverage Risk - The Fund's use of FDI may result in increased leverage which may lead to significant losses.

**Total Return** - Whilst the Fund aims to provide capital growth over the medium to long term a positive return is not guaranteed over any time period and capital is in fact at risk.

**Emerging Markets** - The Fund may invest a significant proportion of its assets in securities with exposure to emerging markets which involve additional risks relating to matters such as the illiquidity of securities and the potentially volatile nature of markets not typically associated with investing in other more established economies or markets.

**Non-Investment Grade Securities** - The Fund may invest a significant proportion of its assets in non-investment grade securities (such as "high yield" securities) are considered higher risk investments that may cause income and principal losses for the Fund. They are instruments which credit agencies have given a rating which indicates a higher risk of default. The market values for high yield bonds and other instruments tend to be volatile and they are less liquid than investment grade securities.

**Distressed Securities** - The Fund invests a significant proportion of its assets in securities issued by distressed companies that are either in default or in high risk of default, such investments involve significant risk.

A complete description of risks is set out in the Fund's prospectus.

# Glossary

Alpha - The excess returns relative to the market for a given amount of expected risk taken by the scheme.

Annualised Return - An annualised total return is an average amount of money earned by an investment each year over a given time period. It is calculated to show what an investor would earn over a period of time if the annual return was compounded.

**Annualised Volatility** - Volatility is the rate and extent at which the price of a portfolio, security or index, moves up and down. If the price swing s up and down with large movements, it has high volatility. If the price moves more slowly and to a lesser extent, it has lower volatility. It is used as a measure of the riskiness of an investment. Annualised volatility is an average annual amount of volatility over a given time period.

**Beta** - A measure of how sensitive an investment portfolio is to market movements. The sign of the beta (+/-) indicates whether, on average, the portfolio's returns move in line with (+), or in the opposite direction (-), to the market. The market has a beta of 1. If the portfolio has a beta of less (more) than 1, it means that the security is theoretically less (more) volatile than the market.

**Direct Trading Strategies** - These strategies are the same as for fund investments, the categories of investment strategy are 'Equity Long-Short' (e.g. specialist equity strategies with a low directional bias), 'Risk Seeking' (e.g. credit, convertible bonds, emerging markets and long biased strategies) and 'Diversifying' (e.g. global macro, managed futures and overlay or hedging strategies).

**Diversifying Strategies** - These strategies comprise global macro, managed futures and overlay strategies that generally have low correlation to both traditional assets and other hedge fund strategies. As such, these strategies have the potential to improve overall Sharpe ratio and provide valuable downside protection.

Entry Charge - The entry charge shown is a maximum figure and in some cases you might pay less. Please refer to your financial advisor or the distributor for the actual charges.

Equity Long/Short Strategies - These strategies are the core capital allocation of the portfolio and are typically comprised of specialist equity strategies which have a low directional bias. These strategies aim to generate uncorrelated returns that provide the portfolio with consistent capital growth for a moderate level of risk.

**Exposure -** This refers to the part of a portfolio that is subject to the price movements of a specific security, sector, market or economic variable. It is typically expressed as a percentage of the total portfolio, e.g. the portfolio has 10% exposure to the mining sector.

Futures - Derivative financial contracts that obligate parties to buy or sell an asset at a predetermined future date and price.

Hedge/hedging - A method of reducing unnecessary or unintended risk.

Leverage - When referring to a company, leverage is the level of a company's debt in relation to its assets. A company with significantly more debt than capital is considered to be leveraged. It can also refer to a fund that borrows money or uses derivatives to magnify an investment position. Long Position - A security that is bought in expectation that it will rise in value.

Market neutral - Type of investment strategy undertaken by an investor or an investment manager that seeks to profit from both increasing and decreasing prices in one or more markets while attempting to completely avoid some specific form of market risk.

**NAV** - The Net Asset Value (NAV) represents the value per share. It is calculated by dividing the total net asset value of the fund (the value of the fund's assets less its liabilities) by the number of shares outstanding.

**Ongoing Charge Figure (OCF)** - The OCF is estimated and based on expenses and may vary from year to year. It includes management fees but excludes performance fees (where applicable) and portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the Fund when buying or selling units in another sub-fund. The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the Fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

**Options** - Financial contracts that offer the right, but not the obligation, to buy or sell an asset at a given price on or before a given date in the future. **Performance Fee** - The payment made to an Investment Manager if certain performance levels are achieved (often over and above any levels set out in the investment objective) within a set time period. Please refer to the fund's offering documents for a complete description.

Redemption Fee - This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

**Risk-seeking Strategies** - These strategies include more opportunistic and directional based strategies such as emerging markets, credit and long-biased. These strategies provide the portfolio with additional return potential and the ability to capitalise on attractive sector/market opportunities. **Share Class** - Type of fund shares held by investors in a fund (share classes differ by levels of charge and/or by other features such as hedging against

currency risk). Each has a different level of charges and minimum investment. **Sharpe Ratio** - The Sharpe Ratio is a measure for calculating risk-adjusted return, and has become the industry standard for such calculations. The Sharpe Ratio is the average return earned in excess of the risk-free rate per unit of volatility or total risk. The higher the ratio the better, with a number greater than 1 usually considered good, a number greater than 2 considered very good and a ratio of 3 or higher considered excellent. As it is an absolute measure of riskadjusted return, negative Sharpe Ratios can be misleading and are therefore shown as N/A.

Short Position - Fund managers use this technique to borrow a security and then sell it with the intention of buying it back for less when the price falls. The position profits if the security falls in value. Within UCITS funds, derivatives - such as contracts for difference (CFDs) - can be used to simulate a short position.

**UCITS -** Stands for Undertakings for Collective Investments in Transferable Securities. This is the European regulatory framework for an investment vehicle that can be marketed across the European Union and is designed to enhance protections for Retail Investors. **YTD -** Year-to-date.

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The value of an investment and any income derived from it can go down as well as up and investors may not get back their original amount invested. Alternative investments can involve significant additional risks.

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