

October 2023

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Risk Targeted Managed Service

Bordier UK Risk Targeted 3 (RT3)

Key information

Strategy details

Inception	1 March 2016
Minimum initial investment (direct)	£20,000
Minimum initial investment (platform)	£1,000
Rebalancing strategy (minimum)	Quarterly
Currency	£ GBP
Annual management charge (direct)	0.75%
Annual management charge (platform)	0.30%*
Annual yield (current)	2.99%
Ongoing charges figure ('OCF')	0.59%

*Not including platform fees

Investment update - October

October was a weak month for both equities and bonds as the market's 'higher-for-longer' expectation around interest rates rolled over from September. While the tragic events in the Middle East have not materially affected markets to date, the added level of geopolitical uncertainty did serve to further dampen market sentiment. Stronger-than-expected economic data, particularly in the US, led to the view that a reversal in rate policy might be further away than hoped. The economic outlook in the UK continues to look challenging with inflationary pressures remaining more acute than in most other regions. Markets continue to look for more clarity in the outlook for interest rates and the global economy. While data remains mixed, we are positioned for our central view that inflation in developed regions will revert to close to central bank target levels by the end of next year and that we will see global growth of between 2-3% per annum over the next three years, a supportive level for risk assets, accompanied by a recovery in corporate earnings. This thesis leads us to continue to favour equities as an asset class with the strategy remaining at the upper end of its Dynamic Planner risk profile. With inflationary pressures easing and the likelihood that interest rates have peaked, we also see attractive investment opportunities in fixed income. As such we are increasing investment grade credit exposure, funded from a slight reduction in our more defensive alternative funds. We are, however, retaining some exposure to alternatives – the challenging environment for both equities and bonds recently has again showed the value of holding these funds.

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Risk Targeted Managed Service

Our Risk Targeted ('RT') Managed Service is available directly through our Bordier UK platform or via the Abrdn, Transact and Wealthtime platforms. There are five actively managed investment strategies available, each with different levels of risk and expected return, that are rigorously mapped within a specific Dynamic Planner risk profile tolerance. Each can be held within general investment accounts, ISAs, SIPPs and other wrappers (platform dependent).

Investment objective

To preserve capital in real (inflation-adjusted) terms over the medium to longer term. Investors should expect low levels of reward and a low correlation to stock market behaviour, including modest fluctuations in values.

Risk profile

The strategy is managed in accordance with DP risk profile 3 and is part of their Risk Target Managed ('RTM') offering. The strategy's expected volatility is targeted to stay within the assigned DP risk profile's boundaries.



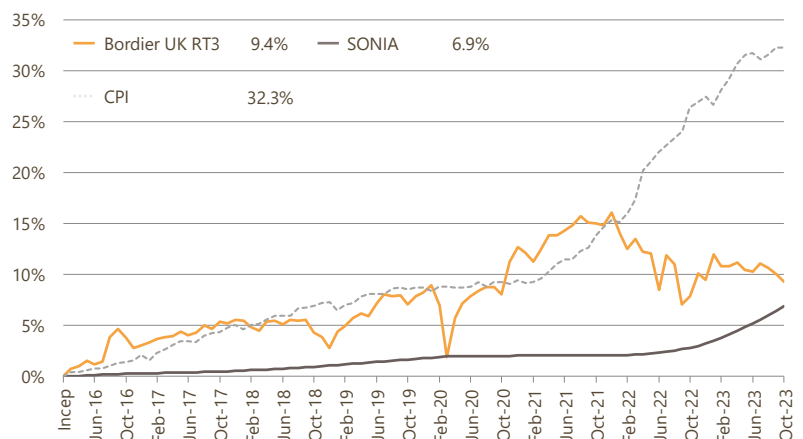
Discrete performance

	YTD	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Bordier UK RT3	-0.1%	-5.7%	3.0%	4.2%	5.3%	-2.6%
SONIA	3.6%	1.1%	0.1%	0.2%	0.7%	0.6%
CPI	3.8%	10.5%	5.4%	0.7%	1.3%	2.1%

Cumulative performance

	1yr	3yr	5yr
Bordier UK RT3	1.4%	1.2%	4.8%

Inception performance



Source: FE Analytics as at 31.10.23.
Bordier UK figures net of 0.30% AMC. VAT applied to AMC from inception (01.03.16) until 31.08.21.
Past performance is not a guide to future results. See full risk warning overleaf.

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Bordier & Cie (UK) PLC ('Bordier UK') is a specialist investment manager that promotes a long-standing culture of consistency and excellence, whether in the performance of our portfolios, the service given by our staff or the quality of our reporting.

Bordier UK focuses on managing the wealth of individuals, families and trustees. We manage portfolios for pensions, trusts, charities, offshore bonds, livery companies, institutions and welfare committees, as well as investments from our own staff. Working alongside professional advisers and managing investment solutions on behalf of their clients is core to the Bordier UK business.

Bordier UK was previously known as Berry Asset Management, one of the country's most widely respected private portfolio management firms. The team that led Berry Asset Management continue to run the business to this day.

Bordier UK is part of the Bordier Group. The Bordier Group is built on solid foundations, with a strong Tier 1 capital ratio of 35%. Established in Geneva in 1844, the Bordier Group operates in six countries across three continents, managing assets of circa £14.5bn for approximately 4,400 families (Source: Bordier & Cie as at 30 June 2023).



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Headline asset allocation

Summary of current Bordier UK Investment Committee positioning

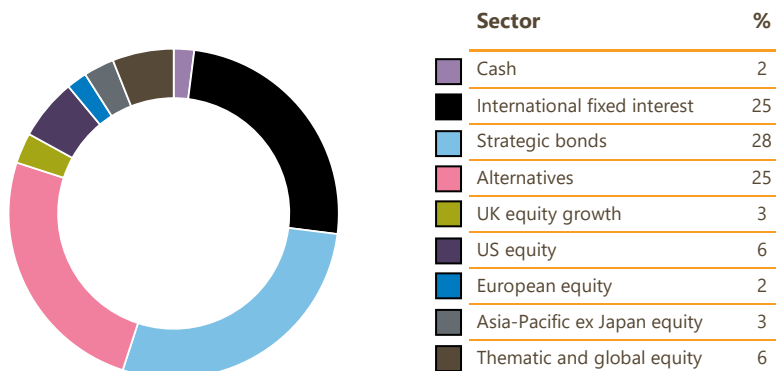
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Fixed interest				
Equities				
Property				
Alternative investments				
Cash				

As at 31.10.23

Headline positioning

- The strategies remain at the upper end of their corresponding Dynamic Planner risk profiles as we remain broadly optimistic about the economic outlook for the second half of 2024.
- We have trimmed our commitment to the US market and some thematic funds in favour of exposure to Europe and an increased allocation to Japan (excluding RT3) where opportunities have arisen.
- We continue to allocate to inflation-linked bond funds, actively managed strategic bond funds and 'market neutral' alternative investments, which continue to act as good portfolio stabilisers, diversifiers of risk and sources of return.
- Cash exposure remains low and there continues to be focus on high levels of liquidity in everything that we own.

Model asset allocation



Top 10 holdings

Holding	%	Holding	%
Vanguard Global Bond Index	10	Artemis Target Return Bond	6
Fidelity Strategic Bond	8	Janus Henderson Absolute Return	6
Schroder Strategic Credit	8	TwentyFour Absolute Return Bond	6
Janus Henderson Strategic Bond	7	ASI Global Inflation Linked Bond	5
TM Tellworth UK Select	7	BNY Mellon Global Dynamic Bond	5

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Risk warning: The value of an investment and any income from it may fall as well as rise, may be affected by exchange rate fluctuations and you may not get back the amount you originally invested. The information in this factsheet does not constitute an offer of, or an invitation to buy or sell any security. Levels and bases of tax can change. The securities detailed in this factsheet may not be suitable for all investors. The model portfolio is applied to client accounts by the platform provider but it may take some time for the client accounts to mirror the model. Please note that the calculated OCF from FE Analytics may vary from that stated by your chosen platform provider. Bordier & Cie (UK) PLC recommends that you seek the advice of your financial adviser.

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