

Strategy details

Inception	2 June 2011
Min. initial investment	£1,000
Rebalancing strategy (min.)	Quarterly
Currency	£ GBP
Annual yield (current)	3.65%
Annualised volatility	5.38%

Annualised 3-year volatility data as at 31.03.25

Charges

Annual management charge*	0.30%
Ongoing charges figure	0.51%

*Not including platform fees.

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 stockmarket behaviour, including modest fluctuations in values.

Risk profile

The strategy is managed with a maximum target of 20% equity market exposure and is categorised as a Bordier Risk Profile 1 and Defaqto Risk Rating 2 (Very Cautious).



About the Platform Managed Portfolio Service

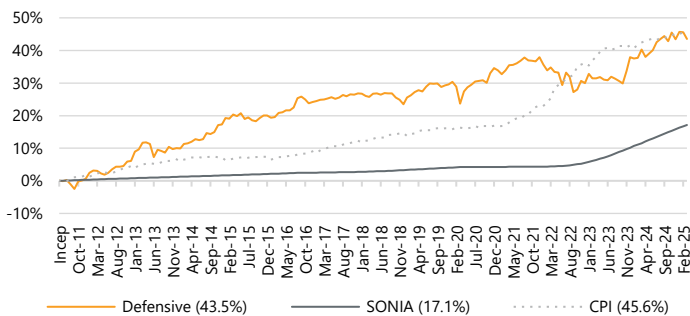
Our Platform Managed Portfolio Service ('PMPS') has been awarded the maximum Defaqto 5 stars as a solution for advisers to manage client assets on a third-party platform. The service offers five investment growth strategies ranging from Defensive to Adventurous. Each strategy has a different level of risk and potential return, with risk categorised by equity market exposure that increases in increments of 20% for each strategy.

Investment update

Continuing concerns over the impact of US tariffs on global trade and inflation heavily impacted equity markets in March. Global equities fell 5% in local currency terms, but by nearly 7% in sterling terms as the US dollar weakened quite significantly. Global bonds also fell over the month, albeit more modestly and with significant dispersion across regions. The US market was most affected by the uncertainty caused by President Trump's haphazard tariff announcements and now significantly lags other key markets so far this year. Consequent growth concerns weighed heavily on smaller companies while the giant technology stocks, which dominate the larger cap end of the US market, also remain under pressure in the face of perceived competition from China. The broader eurozone market declined in March, although it remains in positive territory so far this year as a shift in fiscal policy has driven some optimism on the economy. The UK market also fell c.2% over the month amongst the negative sentiment, however it did largely shrug off the spending cuts announcements from Chancellor Reeves. Asian and emerging markets outperformed their developed market counterparts, ending the month broadly flat in local currency terms. As would generally be expected, sovereign bond returns in each key region have offset gains or losses in equity market returns. Consequently, US treasuries have returned a positive 3% year to date. The US Federal Reserve kept rates on hold at its March meeting but did intimate that it might be more focused on supporting growth than dampening inflation, still leaving the possibility of 50 basis points of cuts before the end of the year. In contrast, the European Central Bank cut rates for the second time this year with the market now expecting a further 60 basis points of cuts over the course of 2025. Despite near-term challenges, we continue to view financial conditions generally as remaining quite supportive for businesses, consumers and investment risk-taking, and expect asset price volatility to subside once greater policy clarity materialises. The risk of being whipsawed by recent price movements is high, so our preference is to sit tight within stockmarkets, maintain the strategy at the top end of its allowable equity range, and ride out this period of uncertainty.

Performance

Inception performance



Cumulative performance

	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr
Defensive (20% eq.)	2.3%	6.5%	16.1%	19.3%
SONIA	5.0%	12.2%	12.4%	15.1%
CPI	2.3%	16.1%	25.2%	36.4%

Annualised performance

	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr
Defensive (20% eq.)	2.3%	2.1%	3.0%	1.8%
SONIA	5.0%	3.9%	2.4%	1.4%
CPI	2.3%	5.1%	4.6%	3.2%

Discrete performance

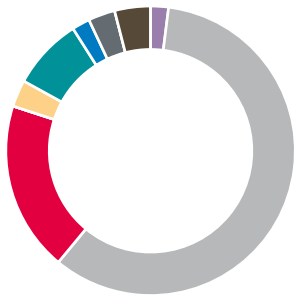
	YTD	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Defensive (20% eq.)	0.1%	3.9%	6.2%	-5.8%	2.5%	3.9%
SONIA	1.1%	5.1%	4.4%	1.1%	0.1%	0.2%
CPI	0.3%	2.6%	3.9%	10.5%	5.4%	0.7%

Source: Bordier UK & FE Analytics as at 31.03.25.

Bordier UK returns net of 0.30% AMC. VAT applied to AMC from inception (02.06.11) until 31.08.21. Latest ARC PCI data is provisional. Past performance is not a guide to future results. See full risk warning overleaf.

Asset allocation

Sector breakdown

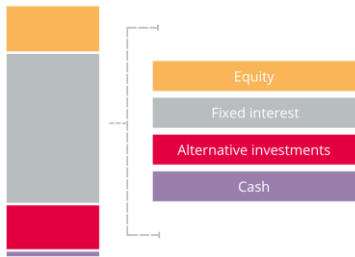


Sector	%
Cash	2
Fixed interest	59
Alternatives	19
UK equity (growth)	3
US equity	8
European equity	2
Asia-Pacific ex Japan equity	3
Thematic and global equity	4

Top 10 holdings

Fund	%
Schroder Strategic Credit	10
Vanguard Global Bond Index	10
Vanguard UK Long Duration Gilt Index	9
Fidelity Strategic Bond	8
TwentyFour Corporate Bond	8
Janus Henderson Strategic Bond	7
Premier Miton Tellworth UK Select	7
Vanguard UK Investment Grade Bond Index	7
Artemis Short-Duration Strategic Bond	6
Janus Henderson Absolute Return	6

Asset class breakdown



Note: For illustrative purposes only.

Source: FE Analytics as at 31.03.25

Third-party platform availability

We work with the following platforms:



Please enquire about the service for your chosen platform.

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