

Strategy details

Inception2 June 2011Min. initial investment£1,000Rebalancing strategy (min.)QuarterlyCurrency£ GBPAnnual yield (current)3.32%Annualised volatility5.34%

Annualised 3-year volatility data as at 31.05.25

Charges

Annual management charge* 0.30% Ongoing charges figure 0.47%

*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

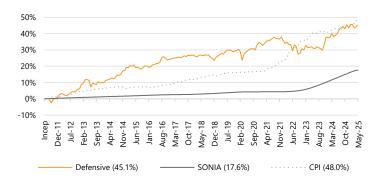
Our Platform Managed Portfolio Service ('PMPS') has been awarded the maximum Defaqto 5 stars as a solution for advisers to manage client assets on a third-party platform. The service offers five investment growth strategies ranging from Defensive to Adventurous. Each strategy has a different level of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

Investment update

May was a strong month for equity markets with the MSCI World Index rising 5% in sterling terms. The key positive driver was some easing in trade policy tensions between the US and China. Coolerthan-expected inflation data in the US was also supportive to market sentiment. The US market led the way in terms of performance with the technology, industrials and consumer discretionary sectors particularly strong. Small-cap stocks also outperformed as sentiment on the economy improved and also on the expectation of supportive tax and regulatory initiatives announced in the US House of Representatives' reconciliation bill. Corporate earnings announcements remain generally encouraging across developed markets - the Q1 earnings season in the US for example showed earnings growth of over 12%. All major equity markets performed well over the month, albeit the UK market lagged somewhat largely due to its inherent 'value' bias and the relative underperformance of sectors such as healthcare and resources. While sentiment improved markedly in May there is still much uncertainty, with President Trump threatening a 50% tariff on the EU. UK/EU discussions on the current trading framework took place with initial estimates of what might be agreed suggesting a muted economic benefit to the UK. It was a volatile month for fixed income markets. Despite the softer inflation data, sovereign bond yields rose mid-month on fiscal concerns, notably in the US where treasuries were downgraded by Moody's. Bond markets recovered toward the end of the month as a result of easing trade tensions and lessening inflation concerns, and most areas of high yield and investment grade credit posted positive returns. No changes have been made over the month and the strategy remains at the top end of its allowable equity range. Our decision to maintain equity exposure during the recent period of volatility has meant that we have captured the market rebound, notably in the US market. Several of our active managers have also significantly outperformed over the month, helped by the strength in mid and small caps. Within the defensive element of our portfolios, we have seen continued impressive risk-adjusted performance from our alternatives funds, which outperformed key bond indices and continue to provide positive returns and downside protection in periods of market volatility.

Performance

Inception performance



Cumulative performance

	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr
Defensive (20% eq.)	4.3%	8.9%	12.8%	20.2%
SONIA	4.4%	12.5%	12.8%	15.4%
CPI	3.2%	14.4%	27.4%	38.1%

Annualised performance

	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr
Defensive (20% eq.)	4.3%	2.9%	2.4%	1.9%
SONIA	4.4%	4.0%	2.4%	1.4%
CPI	3.2%	4.6%	5.0%	3.3%

Discrete performance

	YTD	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Defensive (20% eq.)	1.2%	3.9%	6.2%	-5.8%	2.5%	3.9%
SONIA	1.5%	5.1%	4.4%	1.1%	0.1%	0.2%
CPI	1.9%	2.6%	3.9%	10.5%	5.4%	0.7%

Source: Bordier UK & FE Analytics as at 31.05.25.

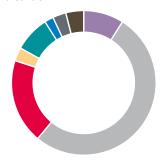
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Platform Managed Portfolio Service Defensive

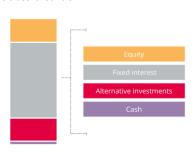
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Asset allocation

Sector breakdown



Asset class breakdown



Sector % Cash 9 Fixed interest 52 Alternatives 19 UK equity (growth) 2 **US** equity 8 European equity Asia-Pacific ex Japan equity Thematic and global equity

Top 10 holdings

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

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Note: For illustrative purposes only.

Third-party platform availability

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