

Strategy details

Inception2 June 2011Min. initial investment£1,000Rebalancing strategy (min.)QuarterlyCurrency£ GBPAnnual yield (current)3.37%Annualised volatility4.74%

Annualised 3-year volatility data as at 31.08.25

Charges

Annual management charge* 0.30% Ongoing charges figure 0.52%

*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

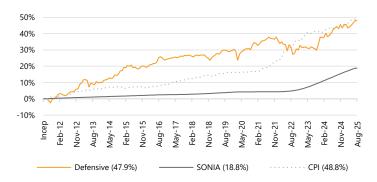
Our Platform Managed Portfolio Service ('PMPS') has been awarded the maximum Defaqto 5 stars as a solution for advisers to manage client assets on a third-party platform. The service offers five investment growth strategies ranging from Defensive to Adventurous. Each strategy has a different level of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

Investment update

Equity markets rose further in August with the MSCI World Index rising just over 2% in local currency terms. The Bank of England cut interest rates by 25bps, despite the July inflation number coming in higher than expected. Large cap UK equities rose, however mid and smaller companies fell as expectations of further rate cuts were tempered by cautious guidance coming out of the Monetary Policy Committee meeting. The Japanese market performed strongest, buoyed by the recently agreed trade deal with the US and by some encouraging economic data. European markets crept up further despite the political chaos in France and the rising concerns over the country's debt levels and budget deficit. The most notable data release was the US non-farm payrolls, which pointed to a slowdown in the labour market. This prompted the US Federal Reserve chair to allude to potential further policy loosening and the bond market is now pricing in a close to 90% chance of a 25bp rate cut this month. Corporate newsflow remains broadly supportive globally. Returns across fixed income markets were mixed, reflecting the heightened disparities in regions and countries currently. UK gilt yields rose on the back of higher inflation data and some concerns about the fiscal position of the UK. In contrast, US Treasury bond yields fell on expectations of policy loosening this month. Investment grade credit spreads tightened further in the US and Europe reflecting the generally positive corporate news flow. We are maintaining our equity exposure as we believe that the outlook for risk assets remains supportive. Therefore, the strategy remains at the top end of its allowable equity range. We expect the global economy to grow close to 3% per annum for the next couple of years, which is below the longterm average but still reasonable relative to more recent periods, and we expect inflationary pressures to remain at relatively comfortable levels for central banks. The most recent sets of company results across developed markets have also been broadly encouraging and earnings growth forecasts looking ahead into next year remain healthy. Fixed income assets offer a combination of attractive yields and diversification benefits to portfolios while our alternatives funds continue to produce absolute returns with very low volatility.

Performance

Inception performance



Cumulative performance

	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr
Defensive (20% eq.)	3.0%	12.1%	13.2%	24.7%
SONIA	4.2%	13.4%	14.0%	16.5%
CPI	3.5%	12.9%	28.0%	38.6%

Annualised performance

	1yr	3yr	5yr	10yr
Defensive (20% eq.)	3.0%	3.9%	2.5%	2.2%
SONIA	4.2%	4.3%	2.7%	1.5%
CPI	3.5%	4.1%	5.1%	3.3%

Discrete performance

	YTD	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Defensive (20% eq.)	3.1%	3.9%	6.2%	-5.8%	2.5%	3.9%
SONIA	2.6%	5.1%	4.4%	1.1%	0.1%	0.2%
CPI	2.5%	2.6%	3.9%	10.5%	5.4%	0.7%

Source: Bordier UK & FE Analytics as at 31.08.25.

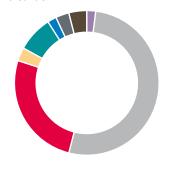
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Platform Managed Portfolio Service Defensive

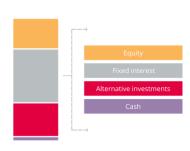
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Asset allocation

Sector breakdown







Note: For illustrative purposes only.

Top 10 holdings

%

2

52

26

2

8

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
Artemis Short-Duration Strategic Bond	7
Premier Miton Tellworth UK Select	7
Vanguard UK Investment Grade Bond Index	7
Janus Henderson Absolute Return	6
Jupiter Merian Global Equity Absolute Return	6

Source: FE Analytics as at 31.08.25

Third-party platform availability

We work with the following platforms:























Sector

Cash

Fixed interest

Alternatives

US equity

UK equity (growth)

European equity

Asia-Pacific ex Japan equity

Thematic and global equity











Please enquire about the service for your chosen platform.

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