# Multi-Asset Portfolio ESG – 45/55 (GBP)





### Core Strategy & Objective

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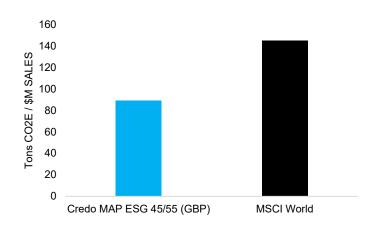
### **ESG** Approach

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## Portfolio Performance (GBP)<sup>1</sup>

Return (%)	S. Inception	3 Months	1 Month
MAP ESG - 45/55	-2.2	-0.1	0.4
CPI + 1.0% <sup>3</sup>	17.3	3.1	1.3
Relative	-19.5	-3.2	-0.9

# Weighted Average Carbon Intensity<sup>2</sup>



### Market Commentary

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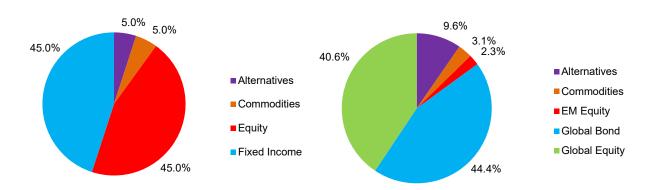


### Sample Holdings

	TER (%)	Weight (%)
TOBAM MDP World Equity	0.81	3.6
L&G Multi-Strategy Enhanced Commodities	0.34	3.1
Vaneck Sustainable World Equal Weight	0.30	7.9
Vanguard ESG Global Corporate Bond	0.15	6.0
Dimensional Global Sustainability Core Fixed Income	0.31	15.0
Total		35.6

### Strategic Asset Allocation

### **Fund Allocation**



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<sup>(1)</sup> Performance figures are based on a notional portfolio, denominated in pound sterling, designed to track the holdings of the Credo Multi-Asset ESG 45/55 Portfolio. Portfolio incorporates all additions and removals. Portfolio may not be fully invested at a point in time and therefore can hold a portion of assets in cash. Performance is calculated before any Credo fees (which can vary depending on the level of service) but after all underlying fund costs. Inception date: 30/06/2021.

<sup>(2)</sup> Source: Factset. Calculated on Equity portion of portfolio.

<sup>(3)</sup> CPI measured by CPI including owner occupiers' housing costs, not seasonally adjusted (CPIH).

# Multi-Asset Portfolio ESG - 45/55 (USD)





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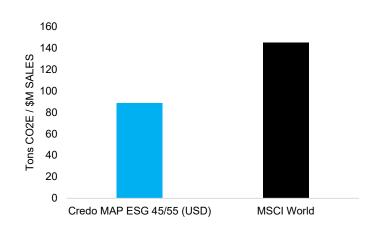
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## Portfolio Performance (USD)<sup>1</sup>

Return (%)	S. Inception	3 Months	1 Month
MAP ESG - 45/5	<b>5</b> -5.2	0.8	1.1
CPI + 1.0% <sup>2</sup>	13.7	1.6	0.6
Relative	-18.9	-0.8	0.5

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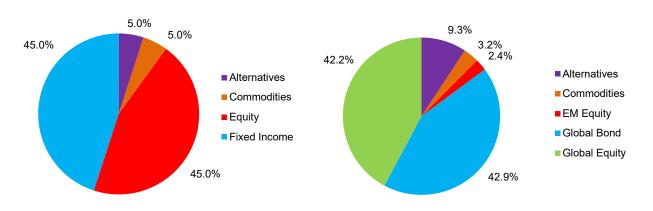


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