

## Core Strategy & Objective

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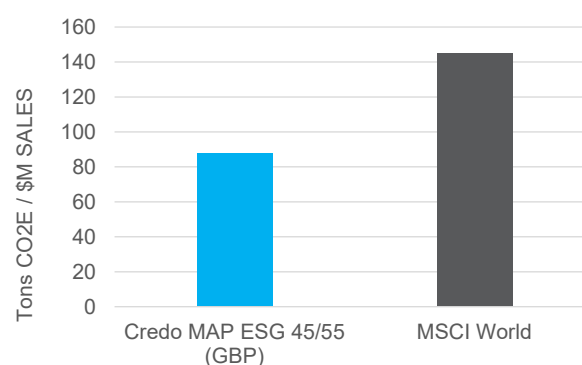
## ESG Approach

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

Return (%)	S. Inception	3 Months	1 Month
<b>MAP ESG - 45/55</b>	1.5	5.4	3.5
<b>CPI + 1.0%<sup>3</sup></b>	7.6	0.6	0.5
<b>Relative</b>	-6.1	4.8	3.0

## Weighted Average Carbon



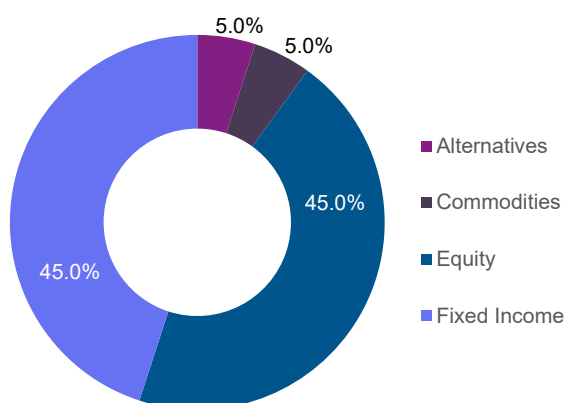
## Market Commentary

Global equity markets ended the year strongly, driven by investor optimism about easing inflation and expectations for more stable rates including potential cuts in 2024. Over the month, the DJIA, S&P 500, NASDAQ, Euro STOXX 50, and FTSE 100 all experienced positive returns of 4.9%, 4.5%, 5.6%, 3.2% and 3.9%, respectively and measured in their local currencies. In fixed income markets, yields on US, UK and German 10-year bonds fell by 45, 64, and 42 basis points, respectively mainly driven by central banks softening their language and acknowledging a remarkable fall in inflation. Brent Crude oil declined by a further 4.0% from the previous month despite the ongoing conflict in the Middle East and OPEC+ members implementing further production cuts. The pound rose by 0.9% against the US dollar and fell by 0.5% against the euro.

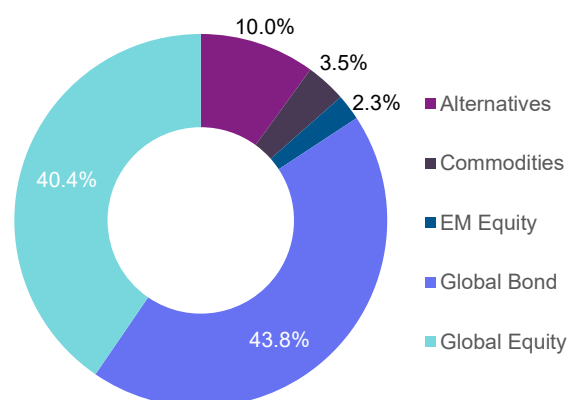
## Sample Holdings

	TER (%)	Weight (%)
TOBAM MDP World Equity	0.81	3.4
L&G Multi-Strategy Enhanced Commodities	0.34	3.3
Vanguard ESG EM All-Cap Equity	0.30	2.2
Vanguard ESG Developed World All-Cap Equity	0.15	13.4
Dimensional Global Sustainability Core Fixed Income	0.31	14.5
<b>Total</b>		<b>36.9</b>

## Strategic Asset Allocation



## Fund Allocation



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- (1) 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.
- (2) Source: Factset. Calculated on Equity portion of portfolio.
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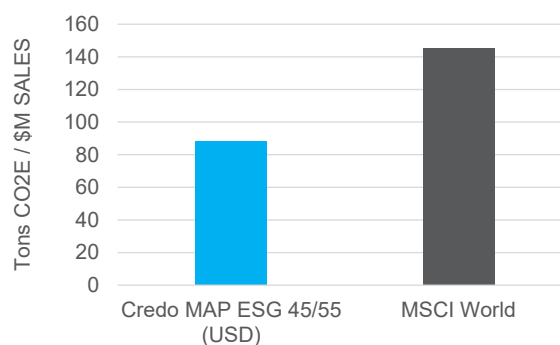
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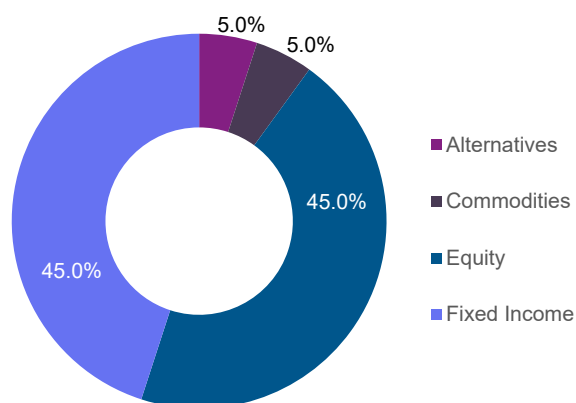
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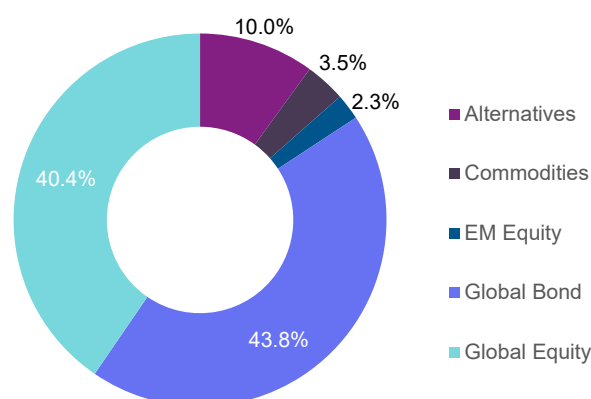
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