Multi-Asset Portfolio ESG - 70/30 (GBP)

September 2023



Core Strategy & Objective

The Credo Multi-Asset Portfolios provide investors with diversified exposure to global assets through mutual funds and ETFs. The portfolios apply an evidence-based investment philosophy across asset classes with the aim of providing long term exposure to both traditional and alternative assets. The 70/30 portfolio targets a 70% long term allocation to equities and 30% in all other asset classes – the actual portfolio allocation at any point in time will fluctuate to reflect prevailing investment opportunities.

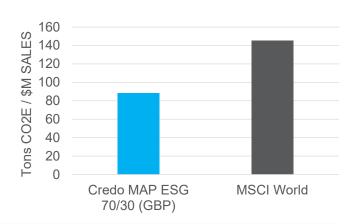
ESG Approach

The ESG range will prioritise consistency with the Credo MAP philosophy. ESG aware strategies that are deemed to be a suitable substitute for the unconstrained exposures in core MAP are included in MAP ESG. The wide-ranging and subjective nature of ESG investing leads to significant variation in ESG assessment - in line with MAP's focus on diversification, MAP ESG looks to diversify idiosyncratic risks between ESG assessors where appropriate.

Portfolio Performance (GBP)¹

Return (%)	S. Inception	3 Months	1 Month
MAP ESG - 70/30	1.5	0.3	-0.6
CPI + 2.5% ³	9.8	1.2	0.7
Relative	-8.4	-0.9	-1.3

Weighted Average Carbon



Market Commentary

Global equity markets continued to fall throughout September reversing some of the recent gains. The S&P 500, NASDAQ, and Euro STOXX 50 posted negative returns of -4.8%, -5.8% and -2.8% respectively, measured in their local currencies. The FTSE 100 finished the month up 2.4% mainly due to its large exposure towards the energy sector, which benefited from a sharp rise in oil prices. Central banks remained hawkish. The European Central Bank increased rates by a further 25 basis points, while the Federal Reserve Bank and the Bank of England paused rate hikes and signalled a "higher for longer" stance. Yields on US, UK and German 10-year bonds rose by 46, 8, and 37 basis points respectively. Among commodities, Brent Crude oil rose by 6.2%, driven by Saudi Arabia and Russia announcing an extension to voluntary oil output cuts to year end. The pound fell by -3.7% against the US dollar and by -1.2% against the euro.



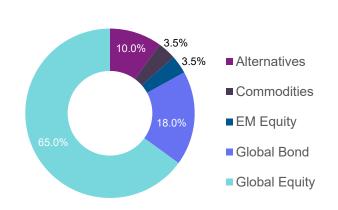
Sample Holdings

	TER (%)	Weight (%)
TOBAM MDP World Equity	0.81	5.7
L&G Multi-Strategy Enhanced Commodities	0.34	3.7
Vanguard ESG EM All-Cap Equity	0.3	3.5
Vanguard ESG Developed World All-Cap Equity	0.15	21.2
Dimensional Global Sustainability Core Fixed Income	0.31	5.8
Total		39.9

Strategic Asset Allocation

5.0% 5.0% Alternatives Commodities Equity 70.0% Fixed Income

Fund Allocation



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Portfolio Performance (USD)¹

Return (%)	S. Inception	3 Months	1 Month
MAP ESG - 70/30	-1.7	-2.3	-3.0
CPI + 2.5% ³	8.3	1.5	0.5
Relative	-10.1	-3.8	-3.4

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