

### STRATEGY & OBJECTIVE

The Credo Multi - Asset Portfolios provide investors with diversified exposure to global assets through mutual funds. 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 50/50 portfolio targets a 50 percent long term allocation to equities and 50 percent in all other asset classes – the actual portfolio allocation at any point in time will fluctuate to reflect prevailing investment opportunities.

### PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE (USD)1,2

		Annualised					
Return (%)	S. Inception	5 Years	3 Years	1 Year	3 Months	1 Month	YTD
Multi Asset – 50/50	8.7	8.4	12.9	13.6	5.4	1.3	12.2
CPI + 1.3%	5.8	5.9	4.2	4.2	0.9	0.1	4.0
Relative	2.9	2.5	8.7	9.4	4.5	1.2	8.2

<sup>\*</sup>Due to government shutdown, US inflation for October has not been released

#### **MARKET COMMENTARY**

Global markets delivered steady gains in October, supported by resilient macroeconomic data, easing bond yields, and stronger corporate earnings. Investor sentiment improved toward month-end following progress in trade talks between the US and China, as both sides agreed to pause planned tariff escalations and ease China's export controls on rare minerals, a key input for AI technology, helping to alleviate supply chain concerns. In equities, US benchmarks improved, with the S&P 500 and Nasdaq up by 2.3% and 4.7%, respectively. European markets also posted positive returns, with the Euro STOXX 50 and FTSE 100 rising by 2.5% and 4.1%, respectively. In fixed income, the Federal Reserve Bank (Fed) cut rates by 25 basis points early in the month, reinforcing risk appetite. The US 10-year bond yield fell by 7 basis points reflecting confidence in the Fed's stance. UK Gilts rallied more sharply, with yields falling by 29 basis points supported by softer-than-expected inflation prints in recent months, raising expectations that the Bank of England may accelerate rate cuts next year. In commodities, gold rose by 3.5% as momentum continued with all-time highs, and copper gained 5.1% on industrial optimism, while Brent crude oil slipped 1% amid stable supply. Sterling weakened broadly, falling by 2.2% and 0.5% against the US dollar and euro, respectively.

## PERFORMANCE SINCE INCEPTION<sup>3</sup>





#### **SAMPLE HOLDINGS**

	TER (%)	Weight (%)
Dimensional Global Targeted Value	0.49	5.5
Fidelity Index World	0.12	11.4
L&G Emerging Market Gov Bond Index	0.29	0.0
Vanguard Global Stock Index	0.18	14.5
Total		31.4

# **ASSET ALLOCATION (%)**



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- (2) CPI measured by US CPI Urban Consumers, not seasonally adjusted.
- (3) Source: Bloomberg pricing as of 31/10/2025 close. All portfolio performance is calculated using Bloomberg PORT.