

### Strategy & Objective

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# Portfolio Performance (GBP)

Long Term Returns	Credo Multi Asset - 60/40	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	Relative Return	
Since Inception	23.6%	21.0%	2.6%	
1 Year	21.0%	19.9%	1.1%	
Short Term Returns	Credo Multi Asset - 60/40	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	Relative Return	
YTD	16.7%	16.3%	0.5%	
3 Months	7.0%	5.6%	1.4%	
1 Month	0.6%	0.7%	-0.1%	
Annualised Volatility <sup>3</sup>	Credo Multi Asset - 60/40	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	Sharpe Ratio	
Since Inception	7.2%	7.0%	0.7	
1 Year	8.0%	7.4%	2.6	

#### Market Commentary

World markets were mixed during the month of September. The best performing index in the developed market universe was the UK FTSE 100, which finished up 1.7% for the month, buoyed by some stronger than expected economic data and continued weakness in the pound/dollar exchange rate. European indices were generally subdued, with European banks coming under pressure throughout the month following the massive \$14bn fine that the US Department of Justice unexpectedly imposed on Deutsche Bank. This figure was nearly three times the size expected by the markets. While Western European markets treaded water, there was similarly little action across the pond, as the major US indices finished fractionally down for the month. The Nasdaq was however the one exception, finishing up 1.8% for the month, with the likes of Amazon, Apple and Twitter enjoying some strong gains. Possibly the most relevant market movement during September was the rising oil price, as OPEC (led by Saudi Arabia and Iran) agreed to a deal on output guotas in an unscheduled OPEC meeting held in Algeria. Russia, although not a member of OPEC, was also party to the deal. This was the first time in eight years that an agreement has been struck to ease the global over-supply of oil and it sent the price of Brent crude back up to \$49 per barrel (an increase for the month amounting to 6%).

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Aug-15

Nov-15

Feb-16

May-16

Sep-16

Apr-15

### Performance Since Inception (02/07/2014)<sup>4</sup>

Jan-15

Jul-14

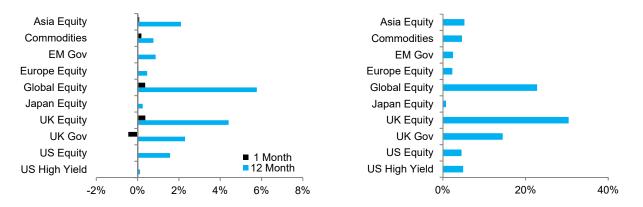
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#### Top 5 Holdings

	Weight (%)	Alternatives					
iShares MSCI World	15.2%	- Commodities					
DB X-trackers FTSE 100 Equal Weight	12.1%						
iShares FTSE 100	12.1%	Fixed Income: IG					
Vanguard UK Gov Bond	10.9%	Fixed Income: HY					
SPDR Barclays Sterling Corporates	7.5%	- Equity					
Total	57.8%			20%	40%	60%	80%

## Performance of Underlying Funds<sup>4</sup>



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- (2) Benchmark comprised of 30% MSCI UK NTR, 30% MSCI World NTR, 15% iBoxx GBP Corporates TR, 15% iBoxx GBP Gilts TR, 5% Bloomberg Commodities TR, 5% GBP Cash.
- (3) Figures represent portfolio volatility, calculated using daily return data, annualised.
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# Strategic Asset Allocation

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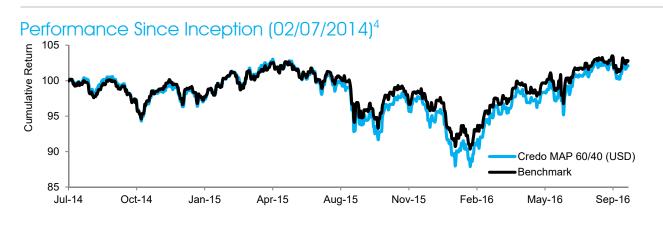
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# Portfolio Performance (USD)<sup>1</sup>

Long Term Returns	Credo Multi Asset - 60/40	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	Relative Return
Since Inception	2.1%	2.8%	-0.7%
1 Year	10.3%	8.9%	1.4%
Short Term Returns	Credo Multi Asset - 60/40	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	Relative Return
YTD	7.1%	6.1%	0.9%
3 Months	3.9%	2.9%	1.0%
1 Month	0.4%	0.4%	0.0%
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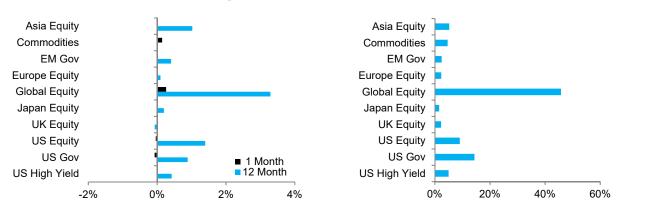




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