# Multi-Asset Portfolio ESG – 60/40 (GBP)





#### 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 60/40 portfolio targets a 60% long term allocation to equities and 40% in all other asset classes – the actual portfolio allocation at any point in time will fluctuate to reflect prevailing investment opportunities.

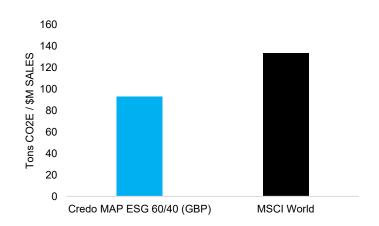
#### **ESG** Approach

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)<sup>1</sup>

Return (%)	S. Inception	3 Months	1 Month
MAP ESG - 60/40	-0.3	-0.1	-0.5
CPI + 2.0% <sup>3</sup>	9.4	4.2	0.8
Relative	-9.7	-4.3	-1.3

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



#### Market Commentary

After April's sell-off, markets were broadly flat at the end of May which provided some much-needed relief for investors. Volatility remained high with negative sentiment persisting due to the ongoing Russia-Ukraine conflict, tightening monetary policy by central banks, and coronavirus restrictions continuing in China. The S&P 500, Euro STOXX 50 and FTSE 100 all finished the month up by 0.2%, 1.3% and 1.1% respectively. In the UK, the Bank of England raised the base rate to 1.0% as an attempt to tackle spiralling inflation which has been made worse by Russia's war in Ukraine. Brent crude oil finished the month up by 8.3% as prices surged after EU leaders reached an agreement to ban 90% of Russian oil by the end of the year. The yields on both UK and German 10-year bonds increased by 20 and 18 basis points respectively, whereas the US 10-year bond decreased by 9 basis points. The pound was up by 0.2% against the US dollar and down by 1.6% against the euro.

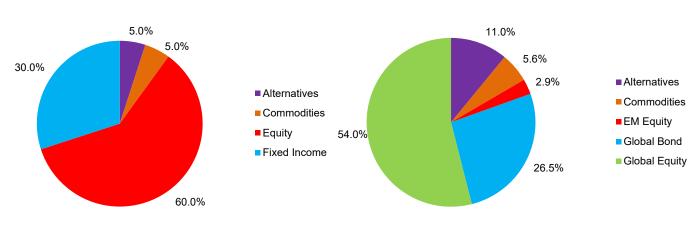


#### Sample Holdings

	TER (%)	Weight (%)
TOBAM MDP World Equity	0.81	4.9
Dimensional Global Sustainability Core Equity	0.34	6.7
Vaneck Sustainable World Equal Weight	0.30	10.0
Vanguard ESG Global Corporate Bond	0.15	3.5
Dimensional Global Sustainability Core Fixed Income	0.31	8.7
Total		33.9

#### Strategic Asset Allocation

#### **Fund Allocation**



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<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 - 60/40 (USD)





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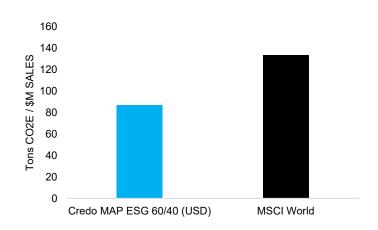
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### Portfolio Performance (USD)<sup>1</sup>

Return (%)	S. Inception	3 Months	1 Month
MAP ESG - 60/40	-5.1	-3.4	-0.3
CPI + 2.0% <sup>2</sup>	9.6	3.5	1.3
Relative	-14.7	-6.9	-1.6

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