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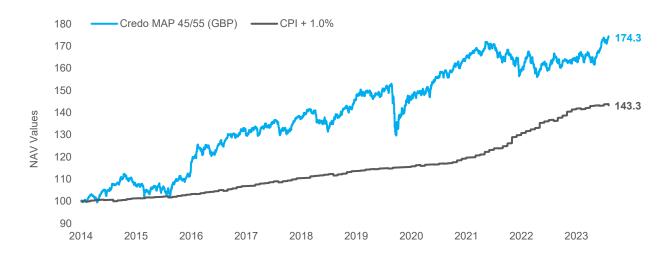
# PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE (GBP)1

		Annualised					
Return (%)	S. Inception	5 Years	3 Years	1 Year	3 Months	1 Month	YTD
Multi Asset - 45/55	6.0	5.0	3.8	6.2	7.5	0.5	0.5
CPI + 1.0% <sup>3</sup>	3.8	5.1	7.0	5.2	0.1	-0.3	-0.3
Relative	2.1	-0.1	-3.2	1.0	7.4	0.8	0.8

### **MARKET COMMENTARY**

Following a strong end to 2023 global markets delivered mixed performances for January. Over the month, the DJIA, S&P 500, NASDAQ and Euro STOXX 50 all experienced positive returns of 1.3%, 1.7%, 1.0% and 3.0%, respectively and measured in their local currencies. The S&P 500 reached all-time highs as positive economic data and receding inflation supported investor optimism. In contrast, the FTSE 100 posted a negative return of -1.3% due to weaker economic data. In fixed income markets, yields on US, UK and German 10-year bonds rose by 3.3, 25.7, and 14.2 basis points, respectively, and mainly driven by central banks striking a less dovish tone in respect of rate cuts expected in 2024. Brent Crude oil was up 5.4% over the month as the ongoing conflict in the Middle East caused disruptions in the Suez Canal. The pound fell by 0.1% against the US dollar and rose by 1.6% against the euro.

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



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# Multi-Asset Portfolio Core – 45/55 (GBP)

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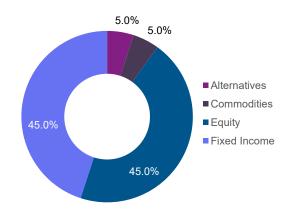


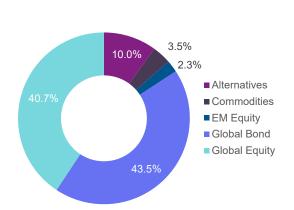
### **SAMPLE HOLDINGS**

	TER (%)	Weight (%)
iShares Edge MSCI World Size	0.30	9.6
Dimensional Global Targeted Value	0.44	5.1
L&G Multi-Strategy Enhanced Commodities	0.30	3.5
SPDR MSCI World	0.12	14.6
iShares Global Agg Bond Hedged	0.10	22.5
Total		55.2

### STRATEGIC ASSET ALLOCATION

## **FUND ALLOCATION**





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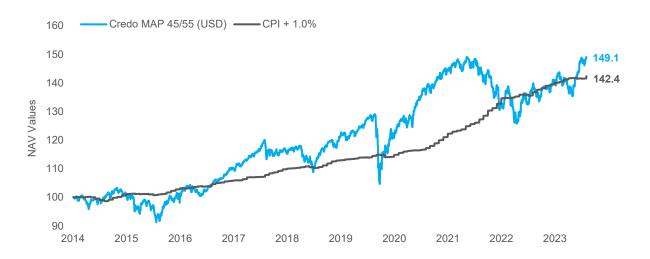
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Return (%)	S. Inception	5 Years	3 Years	1 Year	3 Months	1 Month	YTD
Multi Asset - 45/55	4.2	5.3	3.1	7.9	9.8	0.3	0.3
CPI + 1.0% <sup>3</sup>	3.8	5.2	6.7	4.1	0.5	0.6	0.6
Relative	0.5	0.1	-3.6	3.8	9.3	-0.3	-0.3

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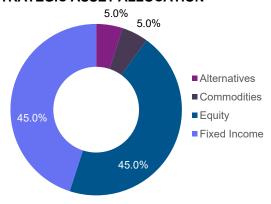
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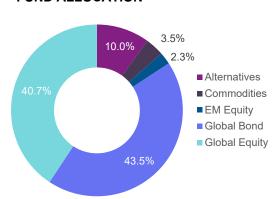
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