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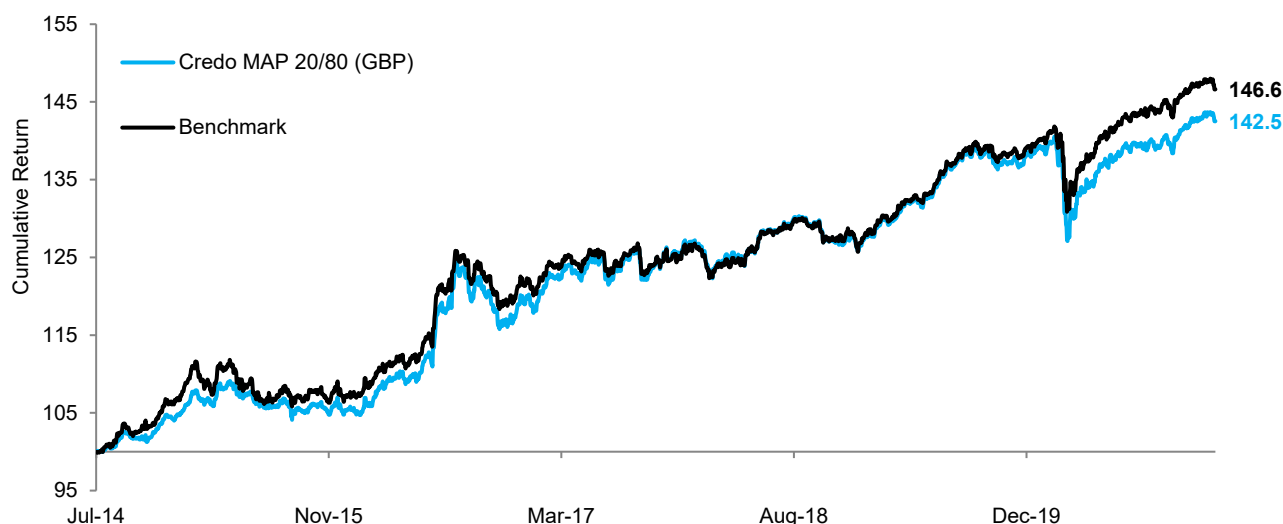
Portfolio Performance (GBP)¹

Return (%)	Annualised						
	S. Inception	5 Years	3 Years	1 Year	3 Month	1 Month	YTD
Multi Asset - 20/80	5.5	5.9	4.5	3.1	3.0	-0.2	-0.2
Benchmark²	6.0	6.0	5.6	5.0	2.5	-0.5	-0.5
Relative	-0.5	-0.1	-1.1	-1.9	0.5	0.3	0.3

Market Commentary

After a bright start to the year, most US and European equity markets performed poorly in January, with the S&P 500, FTSE 100 and Euro STOXX 50 down 1.0%, 0.8% and 1.8% respectively. Optimism relating to the vaccine rollout waned as new coronavirus strains were discovered and concerns over the ongoing economic impact of continued restrictions took hold. In the US, the Democrats won control of the Senate, giving them control over both houses of Congress. President Biden's new administration announced their plans for a new USD 1.9 trillion stimulus package, the 'American Rescue Plan'. Brent Crude oil was up 6.3% over the month, as Saudi Arabia agreed to cut its oil production as the coronavirus forced economies back into further lockdowns. The yields on UK, US and German 10-year bonds increased by 13, 15, 5 basis points respectively. The pound was up 0.3% against the US dollar and 0.9% against the euro.

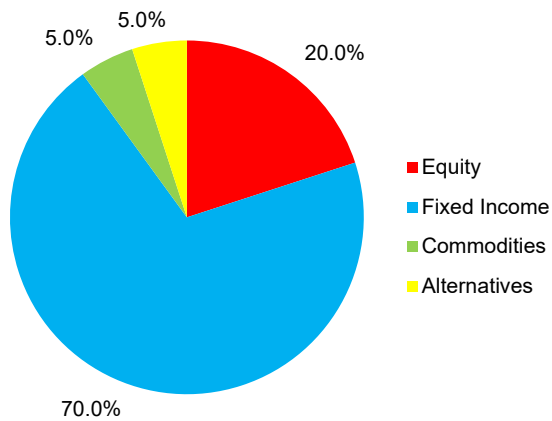
Performance Since Inception (01/07/2014)³



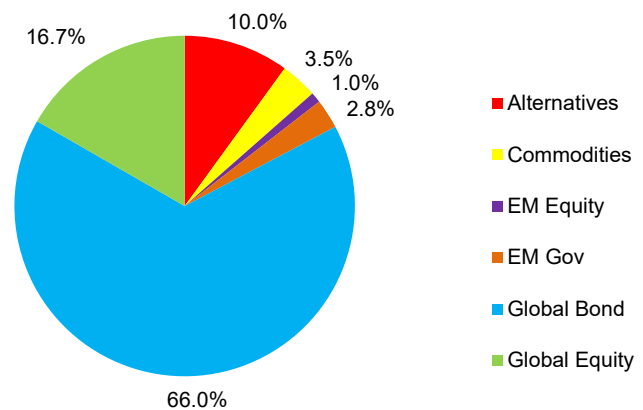
Sample Holdings

	TER (%)	Weight (%)
TOBAM MDP World equity	0.80	1.7
Dimensional Global Targeted Value	0.56	2.2
L&G Longer Dated Commodities	0.30	3.5
VanEck Global Equal Weight	0.20	3.4
iShares Global Agg Bond GBP hedged	0.10	35.9
Total		46.7

Strategic Asset Allocation



Fund Allocation



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- (2) Benchmark comprised of 20% Morningstar Developed Markets NTR, 70% Bloomberg Barclays Global-Aggregate GBP Hedged, 5% Bloomberg Commodities TR, 5% GBP Cash.
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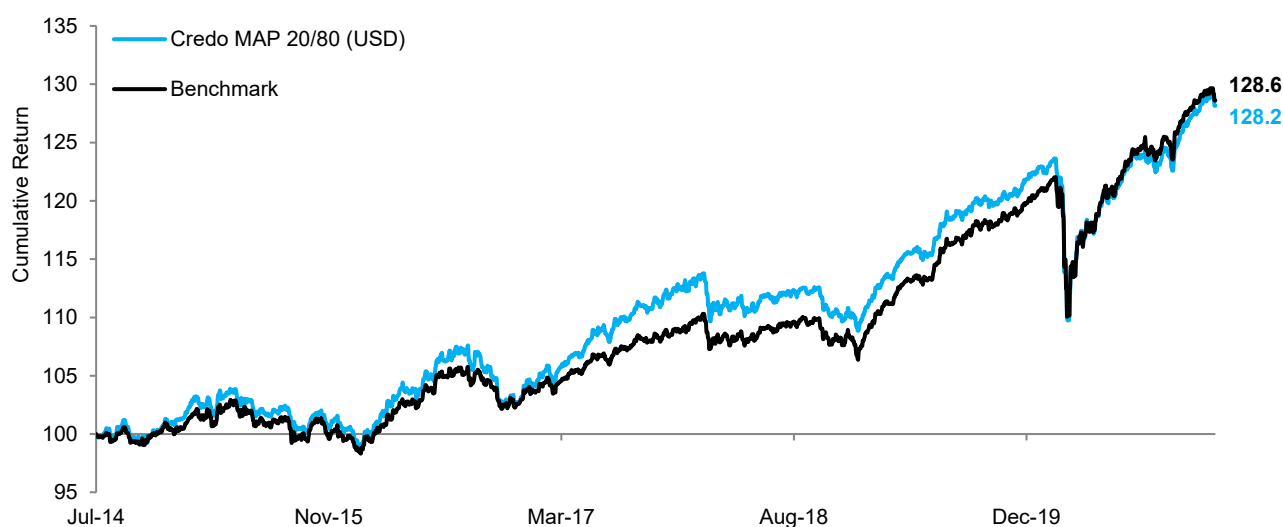
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Benchmark²	3.9	5.2	5.4	6.4	4.1	-0.4	-0.4
Relative	-0.1	-0.2	-1.1	-1.7	0.4	0.3	0.3

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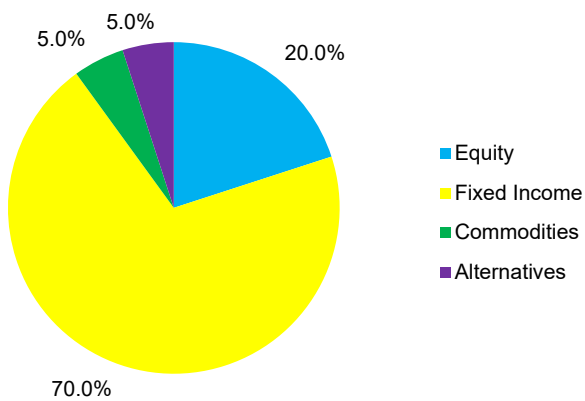
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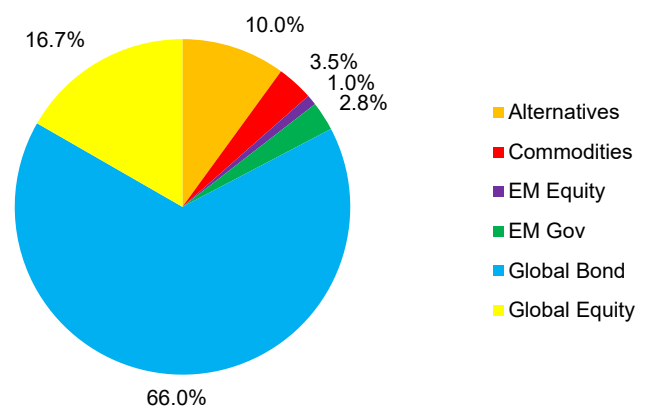
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