

# PASSIVE GROWTH PORTFOLIO SERVICE

## Progeny Asset Management - Passive Growth Portfolio 3

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### Risk Profile Description

This portfolio is likely to contain mainly lower risk and some medium risk investments, including cash, government bonds, UK corporate bonds, global bonds as well as UK commercial property. It will also be expected to contain some higher-risk investments such as shares, held mainly in the UK but with smaller amounts in other developed markets as well as other higher-risk investments. Exposure to these investment types is via passive tracker funds, which seek to replicate the performance of various market indices and enable access to the many securities included in a market index at a lower cost.

### Market Commentary

The first quarter of 2020 has been the worst quarter for global stock markets since 2008, with all major stock market indices down. The FTSE 100 was down 24.8% and the S&P 500 was down 20%.

The fall in markets has been down to the Coronavirus outbreak, which has caused most countries to put their citizens in lockdown. This has meant a large number of business have closed down, which will cause a knock-on effect to the global economy as well as global employment levels. This has prompted large stimulus packages from central banks and governments. We have also seen unprecedented levels of volatility with the VIX (nick named "the Fear Index") at record highs amid single day market movements not seen since 1987.

Even though all leading equity markets have fallen, some have fared worse than others. One of the worst hit markets has been the FTSE 100, which has been due to its large weighting in Oil, Mining and Banking.

At the start of this fall, bonds behaved as we would have expected, with government bonds increasing in value as investors flocked to safe-haven assets. This was then helped further as central banks cut interest rates, which meant bonds that had longer duration increased in price.

#### \*Performance calculation:

Performance is calculated by reference to historic Dynamic Planner asset allocations and back tested using the current methodology using data from FE.

All income reinvested. Performance is shown inclusive of underlying fund charges but gross of Progeny Asset Management investment management

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### Portfolio Information

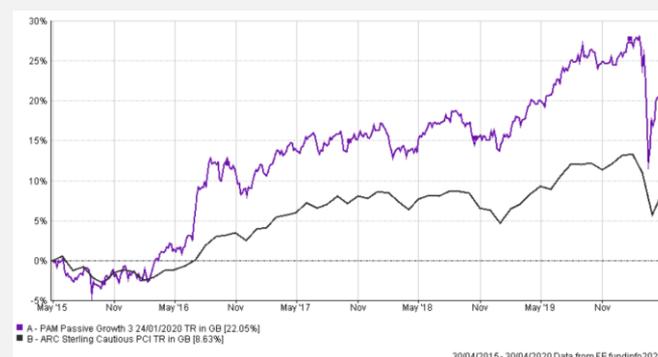
Portfolio Benchmark	ARC Sterling Cautious
Investment Management fee (p.a)	0.30% + VAT
Fund Underlying OCF*	0.12%
Transaction Costs	0.01%
Yield	1.85%
Rebalance	Quarterly
Inception date	25 <sup>th</sup> October 2018

\*The OCF is not required to include transactional costs. Please refer to separate Costs and Charges Disclosure for full details

Based on the model portfolio and provided for illustrative purposes only and should not be viewed as the performance of a specific client account.

### \*Performance

%	1m	3m	6m	1y	3y	5y
*Passive Growth Portfolio 3	3.67	-4.05	-2.03	1.65	7.31	22.05
Benchmark	2.70	-4.19	-2.43	-0.59	2.51	8.63

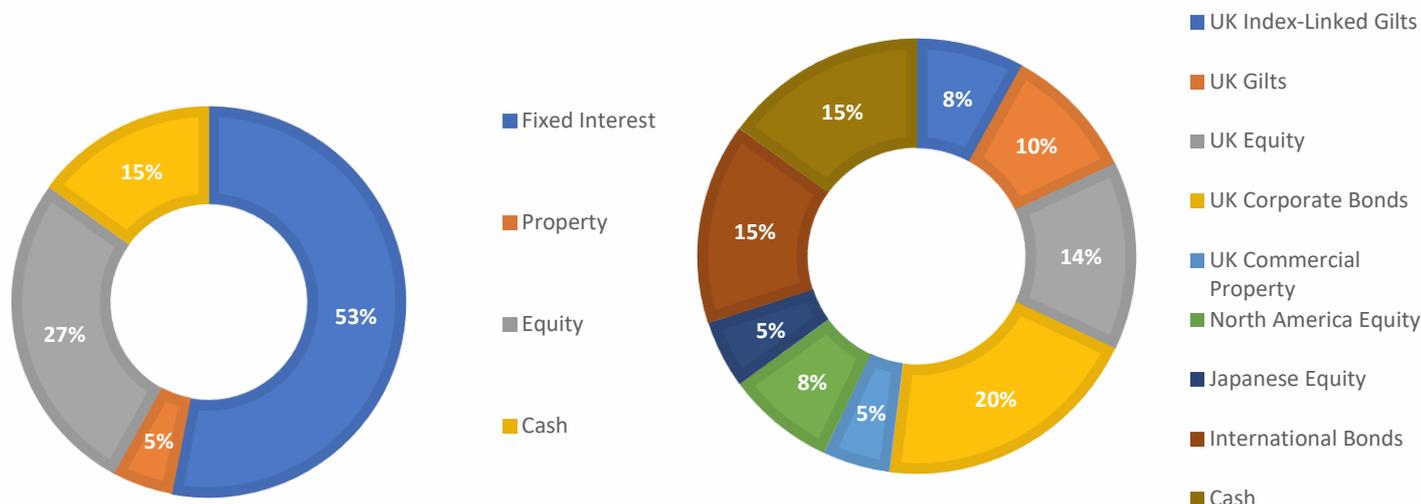


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Asset Allocation



Portfolio Holdings

L&G All Stocks Gilt	10 %
Vanguard UK Inflation-Linked Gilt	8 %
L&G Sterling Corporate Bond	20 %
Vanguard Global Bond	15 %
Vanguard FTSE UK All Share Index	14 %
HSBC American Index	8 %
Fidelity Index Japan	5 %
iShares Global Property	5 %
Cash or Cash Equivalent Fund	15 %

Process

The management of the portfolio is achieved through the utilisation of Progeny Asset Management’s investment process. This process has been agreed by the internal Investment Committee, and it is this Committee which agrees the fund universe to be used in this solution, monitoring and reviewing fund choice on a regular basis.

Quantitative filters looking at financial strength, performance, tracking deviation and cost are overlaid with fundamental analysis. Asset allocation is determined by Dynamic Planner and a quarterly rebalance will ensure clients stay within their desired degree of risk.

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