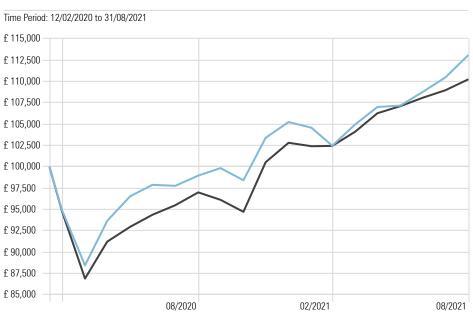


# Dynamic ESG Portfolio 4 Factsheet

### **Risk Profile Description**

This portfolio is likely to contain lower, medium and higher risk investments, including cash, government bonds, UK corporate bonds and other higher-income types of global bonds as well as UK commercial property. It will also be expected to contain some higher-risk investments such as shares, but held mainly in UK and other developed markets, and a small amount in other higher-risk investments such as shares in emerging markets.

## Cumulative D4 ESG returns of £100k invested

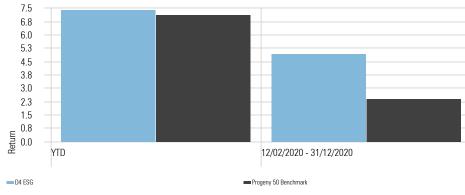


### -D4 ESG

-Progeny 50 Benchmark

## **Calendar Year Returns**

Calculation Benchmark: Progeny 50 Benchmark



D4 ESG Performance Metrics	Portfolio	Bmark
Max Drawdown	-16.46	-18.38
Best Month %	5.88	6.14
Worst Month %	-6.79	-8.30
Best Quarter	10.66	8.60
Worst Quarter %	-0.26	1.27

## D4 ESG - Portfolio Information

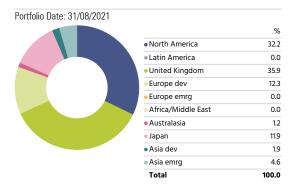
Yield	1.16%
OCF	0.51%
Transaction Charge	0.08%
Investment Management Fee	0.30% + VAT
Rebalance	Quarterly
Benchmark	Progeny 50 Benchmark*

\*Constructed from MSCI and ICE BofA indices

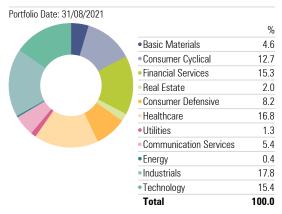
## **Asset Allocation - D4 ESG**



## Equity Regional Exposure - D4 ESG



## Equity Sectors (Morningstar) - D4 ESG



#### Portfolio Comments

August saw a continuation of the opening up of the global economy, which was strengthened by further positive economic data. This was led by the US, with strong labour numbers released for July. July jobs grew by 943,000 and saw wages advance by 0.4% month over month. The Federal Reserve Chair, Jerome Powell, also reassured investors that inflation increases will be temporary in his Jackson Hole address and that the timing for tapering of monthly bond purchases will start at the end of 2021, as the market expects. These bond purchases keep money flowing through the economy by promoting lending and spending and slowing them will be the first step in moving policy back towards normality. Focus will now turn to later this month and the next Federal Open Market Committee meeting on the 21<sup>st of</sup> September.

Returns from global growth assets were driven by the US once again, with stronger performances from Japan and Emerging Markets, in sterling terms. UK equities also made some progress, as the final COVID restrictions were lifted, although daily cases have started to rise as the economy opens further. However, hospitalization numbers have been kept under control due to the mass vaccine roll-out. It also seems more likely that we will see some form of booster jab programme later in the year, as Delta variant concerns remain.

Emerging markets remained volatile, driven by Chinese regulatory changes. In terms of investment style, growth outperformed both small-cap and value factors over the month. The MSCI ACWI SRI index performed well over the period, with our ESG portfolio range outperforming our composite benchmarks.

Turning to Defensive assets, all major developed bond markets lost ground over August, although the Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate index, increased by 0.6% in sterling terms. Given the recent 'risk-on' phase in financial markets, riskier high-yield and Emerging Market debt made positive returns over the month.

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### **D4 ESG - Holdings**

Holdings	Equity Style Box	Portfolio Weighting %
CASH		10.00
RLBF II Royal London Ethical Bond Z Inc		10.00
iShares £ Index-Lnkd Gilts ETF GBP Dist		8.00
Liontrust UK Ethical 2 Net Acc		7.00
Rathbone Ethical Bond I Inc		7.00
EdenTree Sterling Bond Cls B Inc		6.00
EdenTree UK Equity Cls B Inc		6.00
iShares MSCI USA SRI ETF USD Acc		6.00
UBS(Lux)FS MSCI USA SRI USD Adis		6.00
FP WHEB Sustainability A		5.00
iShares MSCI Europe SRI ETF EUR Acc		5.00
iShares MSCI Japan SRI ETF		5.00
Vanguard UK Gilt UCITS ETF		5.00
Sarasin Responsible Corporate Bond P Acc		4.00
Stewart Inv Asia Pac Sustnby B GBP Acc		4.00
Royal London Sustainable Leaders A Inc		3.00
UBS ETF MSCI UK IMI SRI GBP A dis		3.00

### Morningstar Style Box - D4 ESG

Portfolio Date: 3	31/08/2021			
Morningstar	· Equity S	Style Box™	Market Cap	%
Value	Blend	Growth	Market Cap Giant %	25.1
e			Market Cap Large %	38.5
Large	_		Market Cap Mid %	24.2
_			Market Cap Small %	10.7
Mid			Market Cap Micro %	1.6
Small				

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