

# PASSIVE GROWTH PORTFOLIO SERVICE

## Progeny Asset Management - Passive Growth Portfolio 6

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### Risk Profile Description

An investment portfolio appropriate for this risk profile may contain, for example, mainly higher-risk investments such as UK and Overseas shares, with some lower and medium risk investments such as cash, cash-type assets, bonds and UK commercial property. 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. While a portfolio like this should rise and fall in value less than a higher-risk portfolio, the value of investments can always go down as well as up.

## Market Commentary

Ongoing events have taken a toll on global markets. Overall the FTSE 100 has been range bound since February trading between 7000 to 7600. The S&P 500 was up 3.46% for the quarter, as investors appear to be brushing aside the trade war.

Turning to the defensive element, there was also notable news in the Fixed Interest sector. We experienced a rare event in the bond market during quarter three, which was the inversion of the US and UK yield curve. 10-year Treasury Bonds and Gilts had a lower yield than those of the 2-year rates. This is unusual as naturally one would require a greater expected return from a longer duration bond, to account for the increased levels of risk being taken (such as inflationary risk). The inversion of the yield curve tells us investors expect slower inflation and more tepid economic growth in the future and is sometimes seen as an early indicator for a future recession. In recent weeks, we have seen yields return to 'normality' with 10-year Gilts currently yielding 0.52% and 2-year Gilts yielding 0.45%.

Whilst it was doom and gloom on a macro-economic front, we have seen impressive earnings reports and performances from many companies. These have been epitomized by takeover bids, for numerous UK listed companies from foreign buyers, using the low exchange rate to pick up businesses at a discount.

Turning to the portfolio, there have been no fund or asset allocation changes. However, we are monitoring three funds closely, one of which is performance related.

### \*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 fees. Deduction of this charge will have the result of reducing the illustrated performance.

## Portfolio Information

Portfolio Benchmark	ARC Steady Growth
Investment Management fee (p.a)	0.30% + VAT
Fund Underlying OCF*	0.13%
Transaction Costs	0.02%
Yield	2.65%
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	-1.39	-2.22	2.82	9.12	20.26	50.63
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Benchmark	-1.30	-2.19	1.60	7.00	15.84	33.24



31/10/2014 - 31/10/2019 Data from FE fundinfo 2019

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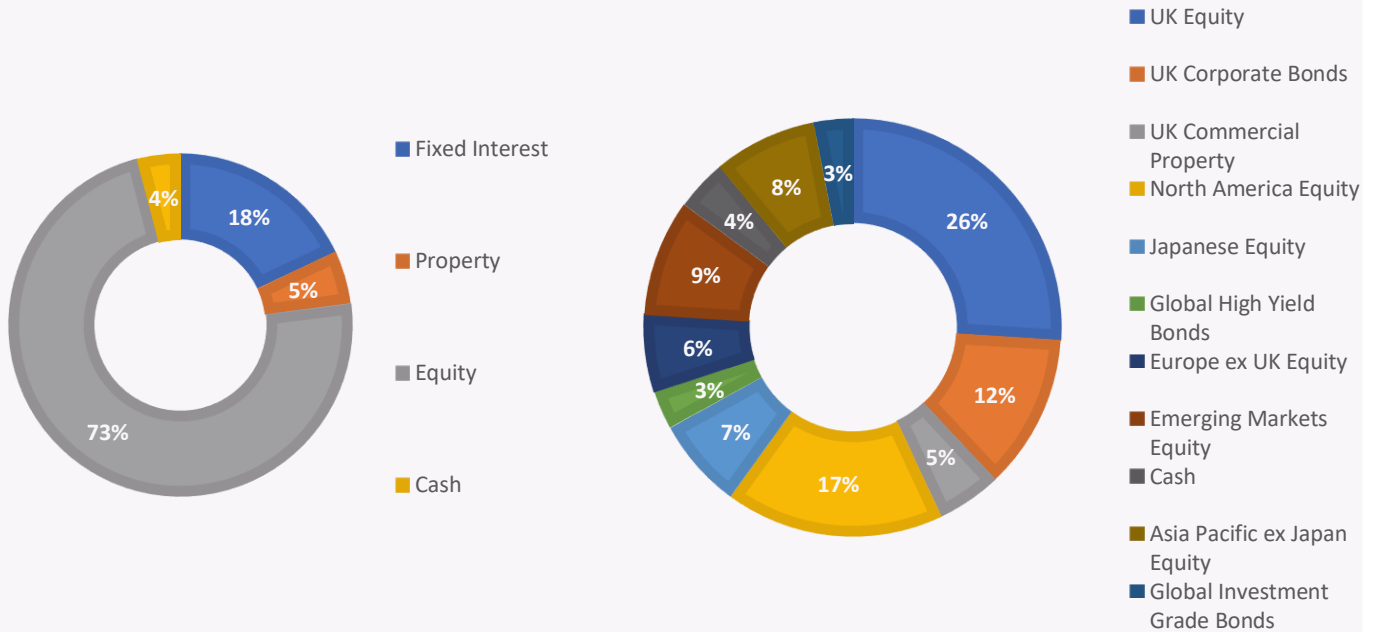
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## Asset Allocation



## Portfolio Holdings

L&G Sterling Corporate Bond	12 %
Vanguard Global Bond	3 %
Vanguard FTSE UK All Share Index	26 %
HSBC European Index	6 %
HSBC American Index	17 %
Fidelity Index Japan	7 %
iShares Pacific ex Japan Equity Index (UK)	8 %
Fidelity Index Emerging Markets	9 %
iShares Global Property	5 %
Royal London Sterling Extra High Yield Bond	3 %
Cash or Cash Equivalent Fund	4 %

## 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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