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# Sustainable Model Portfolio Service

October 2024

#### **Asset allocation**



#### **Portfolio information**

Launch date	1 November 2018
Minimum cash holding	2%
Annual management charge	0.25%
Ongoing charge figure	0.50%
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There will be an additional 0.25%pa charge (no VAT) if LGT Wealth Management are asked to act as custodian and a third party platform is not used.

#### Portfolio description

This portfolio looks to achieve capital growth in excess of inflation, whilst supporting inclusive economic development by investing in more environmentally and socially sustainable business practices. The portfolio will look to do this by investing in a diversified range of funds, which allocate capital to sustainable themes, such as healthcare and social housing, financial inclusion and education, the circular economy and renewable energy. The portfolio is diversified across a range of asset classes with a medium allocation to funds investing in equites (expected to be no greater than 55%) and other risk assets. Target volatility: 4% - 7%

#### **United Nations Sustainable Development Goals**























#### Portfolio pillar mapping

As part of the LGT Wealth Management Sustainable Model Portfolio Service, we have developed four sustainable investment pillars. These pillars encompass investment themes and the related the United Nation's Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDG), which they aim to support. Two of the pillars target social themes and two target environmental themes. This allows the translation of a framework based on a global, widereaching social and environmental change into an investable universe of ideas.

## Our sustainable investment pillars



In order to better understand the thematic exposure of the portfolios, we have aligned the underlying funds to our sustainable pillars.



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Healthcare and societal wellbeing	66%
Financial inclusion and education	3%
Circular economy and resources	9%
Climate and Enviromental action	22%

#### Monthly investment update

September saw the Federal Reserve finally cut rates by 50 basis points to support the economy, justified by easing inflation and softer economic data. Despite a softer jobs report, the US labour market remains stable, with wage growth aligning with inflation targets and many analysts now expect a soft landing for the US economy. In Europe, further rate cuts could support growth, and the pound hit its highest level against the dollar since March 2022.

China's recent economic stimulus has sparked a surge in both Asian and global markets. The People's Bank of China surprised investors by implementing bold measures aimed at reviving economic growth. Following these actions, Hong Kong and Chinese stock indices rallied significantly, reflecting renewed optimism.

Overall, moderating inflation and central bank rate cuts are paving the way for a smoother economic transition, though investors remain focused on interest rate policy and the upcoming US election. Finally, the ripple effects of China's stimulus are being felt globally, with rising demand in sectors like commodities, construction, and luxury goods.

### Investment growth



	As at last month end
1 month	0.69%
3 month	2.50%
6 month	3.28%
1 year	11.49%
3 year	2.55%
5 year	18.52%
Since Inception	29.22%

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Volatility	4 to 7%
Return	4.5 to 6%
Potential drawdown	-9.1%
	Yield
Assumed yield	2.00%
Dividend	49%
Savings	51%

Target

Where targets are given, these are for indication purposes only; the actual figures achieved could be more or less than the ranges given. Source: Morningstar. Net of underlying fund costs, gross of all other charges. \*Source: Figaro. Fixed income considered saving income, all other asset classes (bar cash) considered dividend income.

Source: Morningstar

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