

# Balanced Income Portfolio

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INTELLIGENT INTUITIVE INVESTING

## Investment Objective

The Rivers Balanced Income Portfolio targets an income of 4.0% by diversifying across a broad range of assets. The portfolio is expected to maintain real value, net of income, after inflation while minimising the possibility of the investment falling in value. The typical investor seeks consistent income from their investment but is able to accept a moderate level of risk for the potential of higher income. They recognise that their capital is at risk and that its value may fluctuate.

## Market Comment

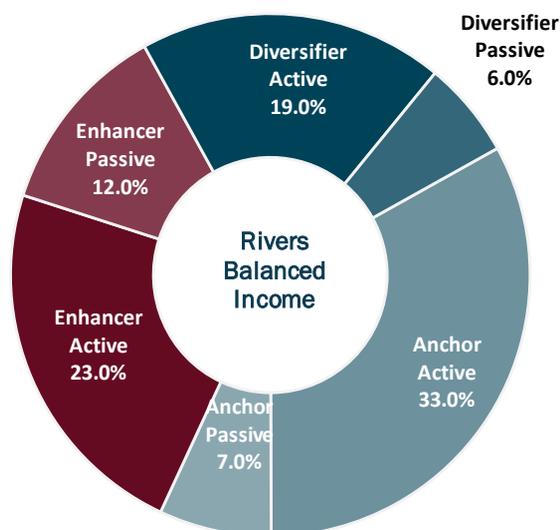
October proved to be the most challenging month for investors since the market lows in March. The widespread return of the coronavirus in Europe, and the US, has raised fears of a difficult winter ahead. While Emerging market equities added value all the main developed equity indices fell sharply impacting Enhancer returns. The defensive risk level of the portfolio reduced losses although Anchor and Diversifier assets did not add much value. The primary risk remains the coronavirus although Brexit, the chances of no trade agreement being reached with the EU, and the US election increases uncertainty. We expect there will be increased opportunity to add risk to the portfolio in the coming weeks.

Model Characteristics	Target	Current
Annualised Return <sup>1</sup>	5.0-6.0%	3.6%
Portfolio Volatility <sup>2</sup>	<7.0%	7.6%
Maximum Loss <sup>3</sup>	<10.0%	-14.2%
Ongoing charge of underlying <sup>4</sup>	>0.75%	0.60%
Number of holdings	<25	19
Last rebalance date	-	Apr-20
Current expected portfolio yield <sup>5</sup>	-	4.40%
Classified 'Passive' investments <sup>6</sup>	40%	25.0%
Since Inception Total Return	-	16.75%

Allocation	Strategic	Current	Tactical
Cash	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Anchors	27.0%	40.0%	13.0%
Enhancers	55.0%	35.0%	-20.0%
Diversifiers	18.0%	25.0%	7.0%

Performance (%) <sup>1</sup>	1m	3m	YTD	1yr	3yr
Rivers Balanced Income	-0.70	-0.22	-4.76	-3.00	3.05
IA Mixed 20%-60% Shares	-1.16	-0.33	-3.98	-1.64	2.78

Quarterly	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
2016	-	-	5.81%	1.36%	7.25%
2017	3.44%	0.79%	0.45%	1.43%	6.21%
2018	-2.68%	3.54%	0.17%	-4.19%	-3.29%
2019	4.65%	3.13%	1.64%	1.45%	11.28%
2020	-14.19%	10.74%	0.83%	-	-4.18%



## Rivers Asset Classification System:

**"Anchors":** investments selected for low market correlation, low risk and capital preservation core characteristics. Significant allocation in low risk portfolios.

**"Enhancers":** selected to increase portfolio long term return but exposed to equity risk. Allocation likely to increase with risk tolerance as returns become more volatile.

**"Diversifiers":** selected for low correlation to traditional market equity and fixed income risk. Diversifiers are essential for efficiency in all but the lowest and highest risk portfolios.

For a more detailed explanation please contact Rivers Capital Management

## Top 10 Holdings

Aviva Inv - Multi Strategy Target Income 2	Anchor Active	8.0%
VT - Gravis Clean Energy Income C Inc GBP	Diversifier Active	7.0%
Jupiter - Monthly Income I Inc	Diversifier Active	6.0%
VT - RM Alternative Income F Inc GBP	Diversifier Active	6.0%
Schroder - Mixed Distribution Z Inc	Enhancer Active	6.0%
iShares - Global Property Sec Eq D Inc	Diversifier Passive	6.0%
Legg Mason - Wstrn Glb Multi Strat Bond X Inc	Anchor Active	5.0%
Templeton - Global Total Return Bond W Inc	Anchor Active	5.0%
Janus Henderson - Strategic Bond I Inc	Anchor Active	5.0%
EdenTree - Amity Sterling Bond B	Anchor Active	5.0%

## Notes:

- The performance data shown is indicative only. Rivers Capital Management attempts to replicate accurately the performance of the underlying portfolio using Financial Express data but performances will likely differ from individual accounts due to inflows and timing issues. The performance is net of a 0.25%+VAT Rivers Capital Management fee and annualised since inception (June 30<sup>th</sup> 2016)
- Volatility is calculated as the annualised average weekly standard deviation of return since inception (June 30<sup>th</sup> 2016)
- The maximum loss is calculated as the total loss from the highest previous month end portfolio value. Intra month or daily data may exceed this.
- The ongoing charge is based on the current portfolio weightings using the latest available OCF data of each fund.
- The yield is the average yield as published by each fund and not guaranteed
- Rivers investment committee determines a Passive allocation target (20-60%) dependant on the perceived market opportunity
- Relative risk level determined between 1 and 7 within the tactical constraints of all models with a level 4 considered tactically neutral



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