# Rivers Adventurous Risk Portfolio



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# **Investment Objective**

The Rivers Adventurous Portfolio seeks capital growth, after fees, as its primary objective whilst maintaining a moderate constraint over overall short-term volatility. The portfolio aims to achieve its objective by diversifying across a broad range of global assets with differing return and volatility profiles. The portfolio will be exposed to global equity market cycles. Fluctuations in the value of the portfolio should be expected in order to achieve greater potential returns over the longer term.

#### **Market Comment**

Investment returns were broadly positive in May despite ongoing uncertainty around US tariffs and government deficits. Benchmark interest rates rose during the month, weighing on bond market values, though this did not detract from gains in equities and other asset classes. The Anchor allocation was positive as the modest allocation avoided duration risk. Within Diversifiers there was strong performance from all allocations including Real Estate, Infrastructure, Energy, Gold miners and especially Uranium miners, which reversed much of their losses year-to-date. The Enhancer allocation added the most value, with all regions (including Emerging Markets) contributing, continuing the positive trend that started in April. Looking ahead, market dislocations are expected to offer opportunities to adjust exposures in the future, but for now a neutral tactical allocation remains appropriate.

Performance (%) <sup>1</sup>	1m	3m	YTD	1yr	3yr	5yr
Rivers Adventurous	3.38	2.66	4.02	4.02	17.4	32.7
IA Mixed 40-85% Eatv	3.29	-1.14	0.92	5.29	14.5	32.7

Quarterly	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Total
2019	5.7%	3.9%	2.1%	0.3%	12.5%
2020	-10.1%	15.8%	2.5%	4.9%	12.0%
2021	-0.2%	4.3%	0.6%	2.1%	6.9%
2022	-2.4%	-6.9%	-0.7%	4.8%	-5.4%
2023	1.8%	-0.6%	1.5%	4.5%	7.3%
2024	4.5%	1.4%	1.2%	-1.3%	5.9%
2025	-0.1%				4.0%

### **Rivers Asset Classification System:**

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

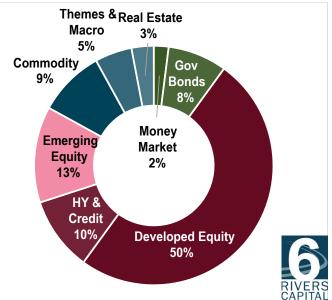
**"Enhancers"**: selected to increase portfolio long term return but exposed to equity risk. Allocation likely to increase with risk tolerance as returns become more volatile.

"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

Model Characteristics	Target	Current
Annualised Return <sup>1</sup>	6-8%	6.8%
Portfolio Volatility <sup>2</sup>	<13%	7.9%
Maximum Loss <sup>3</sup>	<15%	-10.8%
Ongoing charge of underlying <sup>4</sup>	<0.70%	0.60%
Number of holdings	<25	21
Last rebalance date		8 <sup>th</sup> April 2025
Current expected portfolio yield <sup>5</sup>		2.37%
Classified 'Passive' investments <sup>6</sup>	40.0%	32.0%
Since Inception Total Return		79.1%

Allocation	Strategic	Current	Tactical
Anchors	10.0%	10.0%	0.0%
Enhancers	73.0%	73.0%	0.0%
Diversifiers	17.0%	17.0%	0.0%



	Top 10 Holdings		
	HSBC - FTSE 100 Index C Acc	Enhancer Passive	9.0%
/	TwentyFour - Monument Bond I Net Acc	Anchor Active	8.0%
	Vanguard - Global Equity Income Acc	Enhancer Active	8.0%
	VT - De Lisle America B	Enhancer Active	7.0%
	Janus Henderson - Japan Opportunities I Acc	Enhancer Active	6.0%
	L&G - Sterling Corporate Bond Index I Acc	Enhancer Passive	6.0%
	Vermeer - Global Equity C	Enhancer Active	6.0%
	SVS Sanlam - Global Gold & Resources B Inc	Diversifier Active	5.0%
	WS - Macquarie Global Infrastructure Secs B Acc	Diversifier Active	5.0%
	Artemis - SmartGARP Global EM Equity I Acc	Enhancer Active	4.0%

#### Notes:

- 1. The performance data shown is indicative only. Rivers Capital Management attempts to replicate accurately the performance of the underlying portfolio using composite fund data but performances will likely differ from individual accounts due to inflows and timing issues. The performance is net of a 0.25% Rivers Capital Management fee and annualised since inception (30/06/2016).
- 2. Volatility is calculated as the annualised average weekly standard deviation of return since inception (30/06/2016).
- 3. 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.
- 4. The ongoing charge is based on the current portfolio weightings using the latest available OCF data of each fund.
- 5. The yield is the average yield as published by each fund and not guaranteed.
- 6. Rivers investment committee determines a Passive allocation target (20-60%) dependant on the perceived market opportunity.
- 7. 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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