

# True Potential Defensive Portfolio

## Portfolio Objective

The objective of the True Potential Defensive Portfolio is to provide investors with a way to achieve their investment goals. The Portfolio offers full exposure to different manager styles within the Defensive risk profile. We review the Portfolio monthly and, if necessary, rebalance to the allocation of styles that we believe offers the best opportunity for growth within the Defensive risk profile. The Portfolio aims to produce a higher risk-adjusted outcome at a lower average cost, compared to an equally-weighted model of Defensive funds.

## Risk Profile: Defensive

The Defensive Investor may be very sensitive to short-term losses. A Defensive Investor's potential aversion to short-term losses could compel them to sell their investment and hold a zero risk investment instead if losses occur. Defensive Investors would possibly accept lower long-term return in exchange for smaller and less frequent changes in portfolio value. Analysing the risk-return choices available, a Defensive Investor is usually willing to accept a lower return in order to assure the safety of his or her investment.

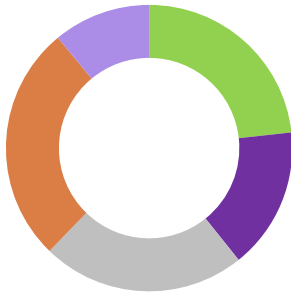
**Ongoing Charge Figure (OCF)\*:** 0.72%

There are no entry or exit charges.

**Launch Date:** 1st October 2015

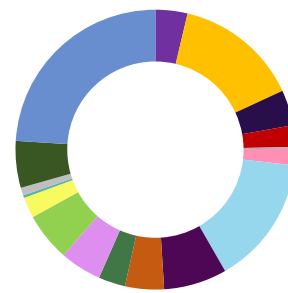
**AuA:**  
Portfolio Size: £256m

## Portfolio Diversification



## Strategy Allocation

● Manager of Managers - True Potential SEI Defensive	23.25%
● Actively Passive - True Potential 7IM Defensive	16.00%
● Adaptive Investment - True Potential UBS Defensive	23.00%
● Positive Alignment - True Potential Growth-Aligned Defensive	26.75%
● Thematic Investing - True Potential Pictet Defensive	11.00%



## Asset Allocation

● UK Stocks	3.7%
● US Stocks	14.4%
● European Stocks ex UK	4.1%
● Japanese Stocks	2.5%
● Asia Pacific Stocks ex Japan	0.2%
● Emerging Market Stocks	1.9%
● Global Treasury Bonds	14.9%
● Global Corporate Bonds	7.3%
● Global Inflation Linked Bonds	4.5%
● Emerging Market Bonds	3.1%
● Global High Yield Bonds	4.8%
● UK Government Bonds	5.6%
● UK Corporate Bonds	2.4%
● Global REITs / Property	0.3%
● Gold	0.9%
● Alternatives	5.4%
● Cash and Cash Equivalents	24.0%

Strategy and Asset Allocation are subject to change at any time without notice, are for information purposes only and should not be construed as investment recommendations.

The True Potential Growth-Aligned Fund may be subject to a Share of Growth fee.

Please refer to the Fund Prospectus and Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for more information.

\*OCF payable can fluctuate over time as the underlying investments are variable and can change.

## Investment Commentary

The True Potential Defensive Portfolio returned +0.68% for the month of May.

May provided a strong backdrop for multi-asset investment with positive returns from both equities and fixed income. Investors were comforted with US inflation reasserting its downward path and corporate earnings continuing to surpass expectations. Regionally, US equities outperformed with US technology stocks providing outsized gains, due to investor enthusiasm over the prospects for artificial intelligence. Within fixed income, US Treasury yields declined as economic activity showed further signs of normalising. The Pound strengthened against the US dollar, +2%, as UK interest rates were recalibrated after the stronger than expected UK inflation report.

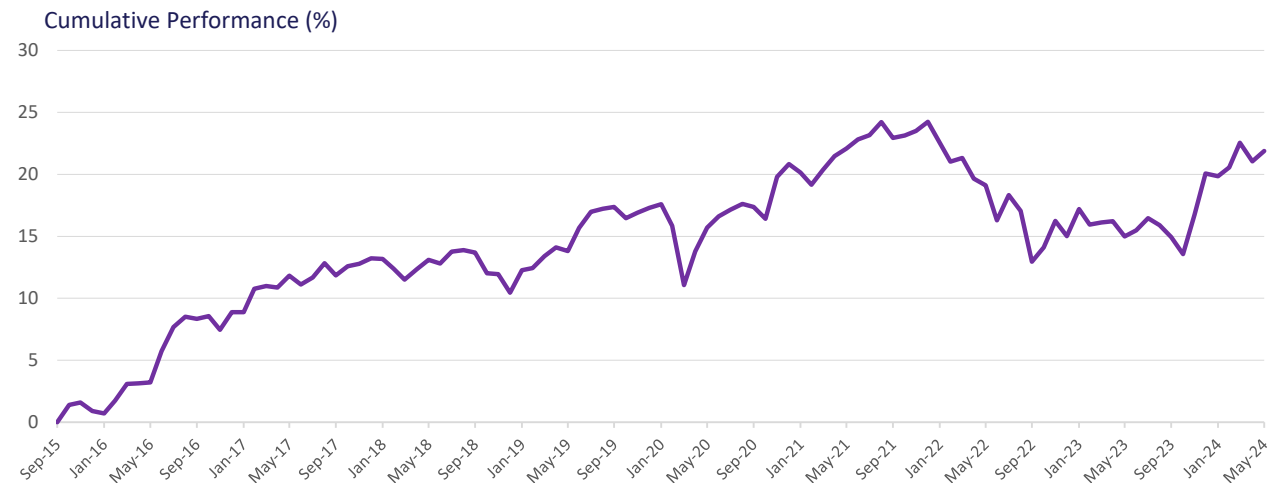
Within the Portfolio, the True Potential Growth Aligned Defensive fund provided strong returns. The fund's larger representation to equities was beneficial in a period of relatively strong equity markets.

Over the period, no changes were made to the manager allocations within the Portfolio with the team believing that the positioning is optimal. The True Potential manager cohort actively updated their positioning over the months. Some examples include a view that equity market returns will broaden regionally with additions taking place to UK equities. High yield bonds remain in focus with further additions taking place on the view that elevated yield levels and a strong global economy mean the asset class is attractive right now.

For further information, please subscribe to our Morning Markets and Weekly Round Up. This can be found on the following link <http://www.youtube.com/user/TruePotentialLLP>.

Performance (As of 31/05/2024)							
	1 Month	3 Month	6 Month	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Since Launch
True Potential Defensive Portfolio	0.7%	1.1%	4.4%	6.0%	-0.2%	7.1%	21.9%

Annual Percentage Growth							
	May 18 - May 19	May 19 - May 20	May 20 - May 21	May 21 - May 22	May 22 - May 23	May 23 - May 24	
True Potential Defensive Portfolio	0.6%	1.7%	5.5%	-2.4%	-3.5%	6.0%	



Source: True Potential Investments, based on net asset value (as of 31/05/2024).

Performance is calculated on a Total Return basis and is net of Portfolio OCF.

### Important Information

A Fund Prospectus and Key Investor Information Document (KIID) for each of the underlying investments listed above are available from [www.truepotential.co.uk/fund-administration/#fund-documents](http://www.truepotential.co.uk/fund-administration/#fund-documents) or by email to [investmentmanagement@tpllp.com](mailto:investmentmanagement@tpllp.com).

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