

# SARASIN EQUITY MODEL

Factsheet | As at 30 April 2022

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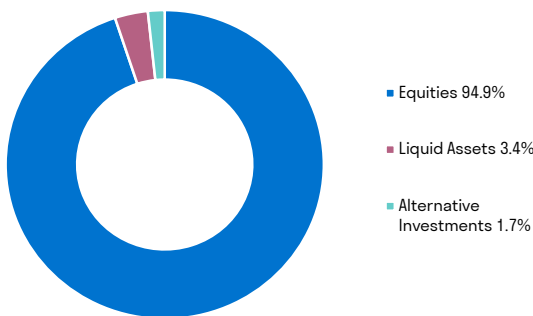
## PORTFOLIO OBJECTIVE

Focus on capturing returns available from global equity markets

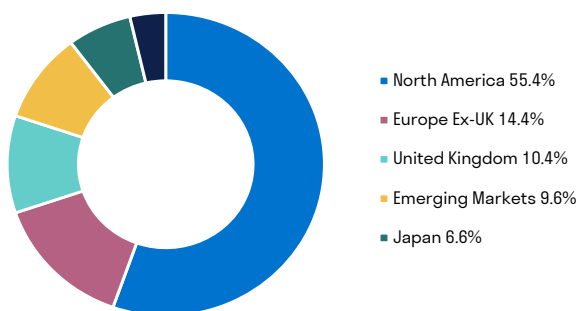
## PORTFOLIO INFORMATION

Portfolio Benchmark	<b>UK CPI+5%<sup>1</sup></b>
DFM Fee	<b>0.25%<sup>2</sup></b>
Estimated Annual Yield	<b>&lt;1.15%</b>
Weighted Cost of Underlying Positions	<b>0.49%</b>
OCF (Inclusive of DFM Fee)	<b>0.74%</b>
Transaction Costs	<b>0.05%</b>
Incidental Costs	<b>0.00%</b>

## ASSET ALLOCATION



## GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN



## RATINGS

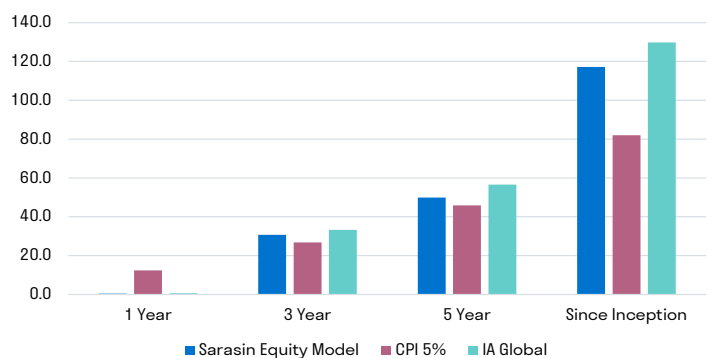


## TOP 10 HOLDINGS

Company	Asset Type	%
Fidelity Index Us-Pa	US Equities	28.0
Sarasin Thematic Global Equity Class P (Gbp Hedged) Acc	Global Equities (£ Hedged)	24.9
Sarasin Global Higher Dividend - P Acc	Global Equities	6.6
Legal & General Euro Ind-I Acc	European Equities Ex UK	6.5
Liontrust Special Situat-lin	UK Equities	6.1
Brown Adv Us Mid Cap Fd-Cua	US Equities	5.8
Legal & General Japan Id-lacc	Japanese Equities	5.2
Fidelity Index Em Mkt-Pi	European Equities Ex UK	4.1
Vf-Mtx Sust Em Mk Ldr-N	Global Equities	4.0
Baring Europe Select Inc-Inst	European Equities Ex UK	2.9

## CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE GBP (%)

	1m	3m	YTD	1y	3y	5y	Since Launch
<b>Portfolio</b>	<b>-3.3</b>	<b>-1.3</b>	<b>-7.7</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>30.8</b>	<b>49.9</b>	<b>117.1</b>
Benchmark	1.5	3.0	3.9	12.4	26.8	45.9	82.0
IA Global	-3.2	-0.9	-8.0	0.6	33.3	56.6	129.8



## YEARLY DISCRETE RETURNS (%) AS AT 31.03.2022

Portfolio	0-12m	12-24m	24-36m	26-48m	48-60m
<b>Portfolio</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>39.1</b>	<b>-5.9</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>0.8</b>
Benchmark	11.5	5.5	6.8	6.9	7.9
IA Global	8.4	40.6	-6.0	9.0	2.7

Inception of model: 11.09.13. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. Performance is net of DFM fee & net of the cost of the underlying positions. The effect of commissions, fees and charges will impact the portfolio's performance. IA sector performance is shown net of fees.

<sup>1</sup>Prior to 31.12.2018 the portfolio benchmark was a composite benchmark. Full details of the previous benchmarks can be found at <http://www.sarasinandpartners.com/docs/global/MPSbenchmarkhistory>

<sup>2</sup>Higher fees may apply if using Parmenion.

## MANAGER COMMENTS

Russia's invasion of Ukraine, and resultant sanctions, dominated markets in the first quarter. Equity markets sold off in early January. Inflation drove government bond yields higher – and prices dropped – as markets anticipated imminent interest rate increases.

Positive contributors included the model's exposure to infrastructure, which we increased in the most recent rebalancing. The portfolio also benefitted from the NB Uncorrelated Strategy, which acts as a portfolio stabiliser.

The Bank of England increased interest rates again to 0.75% as inflation continued to rise. This caused UK government bond yields to move higher and prices to drop, resulting in a negative return for our holding in the Vanguard UK Government Bond Fund, which detracted from performance.

We lowered the model's exposure to UK government bonds in the most recent rebalancing. Our holding in the Sarasin Responsible Corporate Bond Fund also detracted from performance. The fund tends to focus on high-quality corporate bonds. These bonds trailed their high yield peers over the quarter.

During the quarter, we increased exposure to emerging market and UK stocks, taking advantage of lower valuations in these areas. We also opened a position in inflation-linked bonds, which are well suited to the current environment.

## AN OVERVIEW

### The Sarasin Model Portfolios

- Offer a choice of 5 Risk Rated, Multi Manager, Multi Asset Portfolios
- Available on most retail platforms
- Independently Risk Rated by Distribution Technology & Defaqto
- Active Asset Allocation and Fund Selection using a blend of Passive and truly Active Funds

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