

GLOBAL SUSTAINABLE TOTAL RETURN BOND STRATEGY REVIEW (GBP)

AS OF MARCH 31, 2025

The Brown Advisory Global Sustainable Total Return Bond strategy seeks to take a global, sustainable, and dynamic approach to fixed income. We believe that dynamic asset allocation informed by comprehensive top-down macro analysis, combined with rigorous, bottom-up security selection and a differentiated sustainable investment approach, can deliver an attractive stream of income and risk-adjusted returns through the economic cycle while producing positive environmental and social impact. The strategy's approach is untethered to a fixed income benchmark which enables it to adapt to changing fixed income environments and allows for flexibility in asset allocation.

Economic Review

The main sentiment driver going into 2025 was volatility stemming from U.S. policy uncertainty. As part of our year-ahead macro assessment process we modelled a range of 2025 scenarios, with increased probabilities around bear-scenario tail risks. We added a stagflationary environment, where U.S. tariffs lead to higher inflation alongside a shift lower in growth. While we have not changed our base case probabilities, these already high tail risks look to have increased. In the U.S., the Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) kept rates unchanged during their January and March meetings, highlighting a stable labour market yet maintaining a cautious stance on the overall economic outlook. Economic data was mixed during the quarter as the labour market remained resilient, but inflation was higher than anticipated. New tariff policy coupled with government layoffs under the Department of Government Efficiency (DOGE) are expected to contribute to a deterioration in labour markets in the coming months and quarters with a negative impact on growth. This could lead the Fed to cut rates further – as of 31 March the market was expecting 76 basis points (bps) by year end, and well above 2024 year-end expectations.

Europe's economy continued to face downside risk to growth, primarily driven by its largest member economies, Germany and France. Europe's position as an important trading partner for the U.S. also means that it has seen ongoing tariff risk going into 2025. The European Central Bank was the first developed market central bank in 2025 to continue cutting rates with a 25-bps cut in January, followed by another quarter percentage point cut in March. Two more rate cuts are priced in for 2025. In an announcement that put an end to an established 15-year policy, Germany proposed a historic change to its fiscal regime which includes changes to the debt brake and increased defence and infrastructure spending which could reach close to €1 trillion of spending over the next decade.

	3-MONTH RETURN (%)	1-YEAR RETURN (%)	3-YEAR RETURN (%)	ITD ANNUALIZED RETURN (01/31/2022)
Global Sustainable Total Return Bond (GBP) Composite (Gross of fees)	2.0	5.8	1.8	1.4
Global Sustainable Total Return Bond (GBP) Composite (Net of fees)	1.8	5.2	1.3	0.9
UK Sterling Overnight Interbank Average (SONIA)	1.1	4.9	4.0	3.8
Bloomberg Global Aggregate (GBP Hedged)	1.2	4.4	0.8	-0.4
Bloomberg Global Aggregate 1-10 Yr Total Return Index Hedged Index	1.5	5.3	2.1	1.1

These events significantly increased long-term borrowing costs across the entire European rate complex, especially in Germany.

The UK continues to experience lacklustre economic performance with fourth quarter GDP growth at 0.1% quarter on quarter (QoQ). Consumer price index (CPI) inflation in January and February ticked up slightly from the end of 2024 while the labour market softened further. The unemployment rate remained at 4.4% in January but statistical challenges at the ONS have created a wedge between official statistics and more real-time indicators. The Bank of England further reduced its bank rate by 25 bps in February with another two cuts priced in for the year. UK gilts, driven by the broader global rate curve environment, experienced a significant selloff in the first half of January. During that time 30-year gilt yields reached the highest level since 1998 before normalising towards month end, increasing focus on the potential unsustainability of the government budget released in October 2024.

Japan remains the exception in developed market economies as the Bank of Japan (BOJ) continues to raise interest rates to slow upward pressure in wages and inflation. The BOJ raised rates by 25 bps on 24th January and communicated its confidence in inflation returning to target.

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Japanese economic data was strong, with the latest QoQ GDP increasing to 2.2% (from a previous 1.2%) and national inflation 10 bps above the 2024 year-end data of 3.6%.

Canada continues to face a much weaker economic environment than the US. Growth is below trend with the most recently reported GDP number (January) at 2.2% year-on-year (albeit a 70-bps increase from the January report). The unemployment rate remains high at 6.6% for February. As a major US trading partner, Canada is significantly exposed to tariff risk and could have devastating consequences on economic output. The market is expecting two more rate cuts in 2025.

Within the Antipodean countries, we continue to believe that there is a clear indication of further downside risk for growth. The Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) cut 25 bps, and the Reserve Bank of New Zealand (RBNZ) cut 50 bps in February, with some mixed economic data seen across the two countries. While inflation in Australia had been more elevated, the economy reported better-than-expected inflation numbers in February with both CPI and producer price index (PPI) moving closer to target, which should allow the RBA to ease monetary policy. New Zealand also reported positive inflation data in the quarter and showed broad-based disinflationary momentum across the CPI basket.

Market Review & Portfolio Performance

Over the quarter, the Strategy returned 1.83%, outperforming SONIA and the Bloomberg Global Aggregate 1-10 Year (GBP Hedged), which returned 1.10% and 1.50%, respectively. The Bloomberg Global Aggregate Total Return Index returned 1.22% over the reporting period. Relative outperformance against the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Total Return Index for the first quarter came from our underweight rate positioning in Japan, and curve positioning in international rates markets across the U.K., Europe, and Canada which benefitted from steepening pressure. U.S. rate curves also sharply steepened in the first quarter. Not having exposure to Chinese rates, which comprise an increasing share of the index, was in our favour as Chinese rates sold off. Security selection in corporate credit added 8.7 bps to performance while our active currency positions detracted slightly, in particular our long position in the Japanese yen.

One important objective of the strategy is its role as a counterbalance against equity risk in clients' portfolios. The strategy has exhibited low correlation to equity markets since inception on 31 January 2022; over the first quarter of 2025 the correlation was 0.05 against the S&P 500 Index and 0.095 against the MSCI All Country World Index – Net Return.

Companies have been releasing their earnings during the quarter, which have generally met lowered expectations, while policy uncertainty in the U.S. has been a big driver of increased variability in companies' outlooks for the year. We maintain our view of a deterioration of fundamentals, driven by weaker revenue and higher cost of capital. While any further tariffs might drive companies to increase prices, we are sceptical that pricing power can increase meaningfully from here and that could suggest more potential pressure on margins and volume.

The outperformance of U.S. spreads has started to revert, and we have seen a widening of both U.S. investment grade and high yield during the quarter, which has led to a tightening of the discount for European credit. This change in valuation has impacted the attractiveness of U.S. credit overall. Our total exposure to corporate credit was stable throughout the quarter at approximately 18%, with an overall positive contribution from security selection within credit.

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Outlook

Going into 2025, we maintain the core view that yield curves should continue to steepen in both a growth slowdown and fiscally expansionary environment. We expect the Fed will continue to ease as the growth outlook deteriorates and that term-premium further out the yield curve is mispriced. Tariffs will also play a material role in further driving relative growth divergence between economies. We expect Germany, China, Canada, and Mexico to exhibit greater tariff sensitivity than the United Kingdom and Australia.

At the aggregate level, our view is that additional tariff policies will increase the odds of our bear scenarios playing out. We think it's likely that investment decisions and consumption, particularly those related to cross-border trade, would slow down further, putting incremental downward pressure on near-term growth and potentially upward pressure on near-term inflation. We will assess this more granularly in the weeks ahead.

Our assessment of a cyclical slowdown underpins the strategy's positioning and our expected forward performance. Portfolio positioning should benefit on an absolute basis in a slowdown or recessionary scenario and on a relative basis in

a soft-landing scenario, given the likelihood of long-term yields rising more than short-term yields ("bear steepening"). Ultimately, both potential scenarios would reflect a normalising of yield curves where long-term yields are higher than short-term yields. The strategy holds curve steepening positions in the U.S., Euro Area, Canada, and U.K. via exposure to front-end rates (2 years out to 5 years) with minimal exposure to longer-dated maturities.

In this phase of the cycle, we expect most returns to be driven by rates positioning while we await better opportunities to increase exposure to riskier assets such as corporate credit. We believe that 2025 will provide compelling levels to add to countries and regions where rate cuts continue to be likely and necessary.

Within credit, our view of a deterioration in credit fundamentals remains unchanged, and our overall exposure to credit ended the quarter at 21%. We hold high-quality credit and continue to optimise positioning as idiosyncratic opportunities become available. Our focus has been on optimising our existing positions for yield as well as building out a ready-to-buy list in corporate credit in anticipation of having better entry points for both investment grade and high yield bonds when valuations more closely align with our fundamental views.

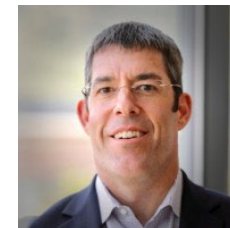
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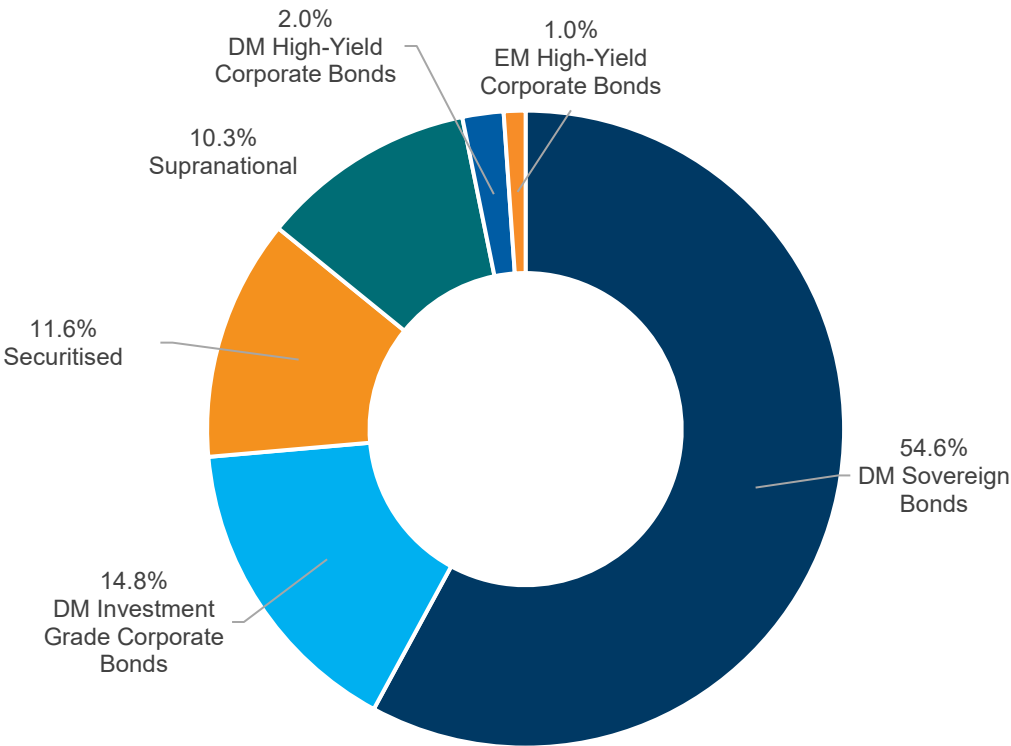
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PORTFOLIO ATTRIBUTES

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Asset Class Breakdown (% of portfolio)

As of 03/31/2025



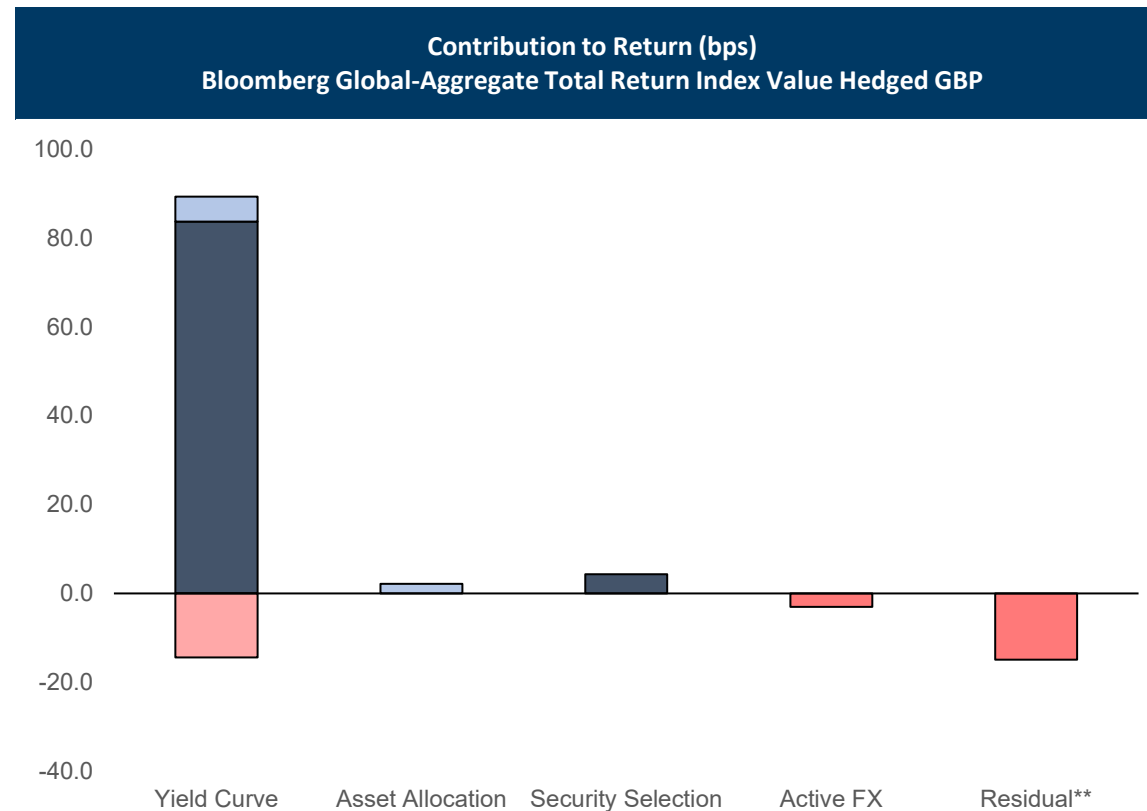
PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Interest Rate Duration	6.4 years
Spread Duration	2.2 years
Average Rating	AA-
Portfolio Yield	4.96%

Source: FactSet®. The portfolio information is based on a representative Global Sustainable Total Return Bond (GBP) Income account as of 03/31/2025 and is provided as Supplemental Information. Sector breakdown includes cash and equivalents, cash was 5.7% as of 03/31/2025. Portfolio characteristics include cash and equivalents. The information provided in this material is not intended to be and should not be considered to be a recommendation or suggestion to engage in or refrain from a particular course of action or to make or hold a particular investment or pursue a particular investment strategy, including whether or not to buy, sell, or hold any of the securities mentioned. It should not be assumed that investments in such securities have been or will be profitable. Numbers may not total 100% due to rounding. Please see disclosure statements at the end of this presentation for additional information and for a complete list of terms and definitions.

QUARTER-TO-DATE PERFORMANCE ATTRIBUTION

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- Relative outperformance against the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Total Return Index for the first quarter from our rates positioning in Japan, and long-duration position in international rates markets across the U.K., Europe, Canada and New Zealand which benefitted from steeper rates curves.
- U.S. rate curves sharply steepened in the first quarter.
- Not having exposure to China rates, which comprise a significant portion of the index, was in our favour as Chinese rates flattened.
- Security selection in corporate credit added 8.7 bps to performance while our active currency positions across, especially our long position in Japanese Yen contributed negatively against the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Total Return Index .

**Residual accounts for Spot FX (cash held in portfolio) and passive hedging

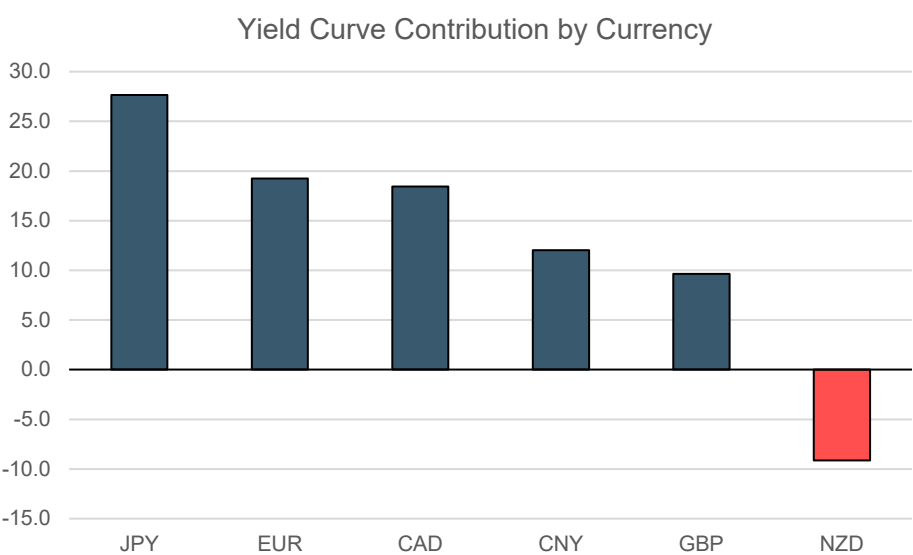
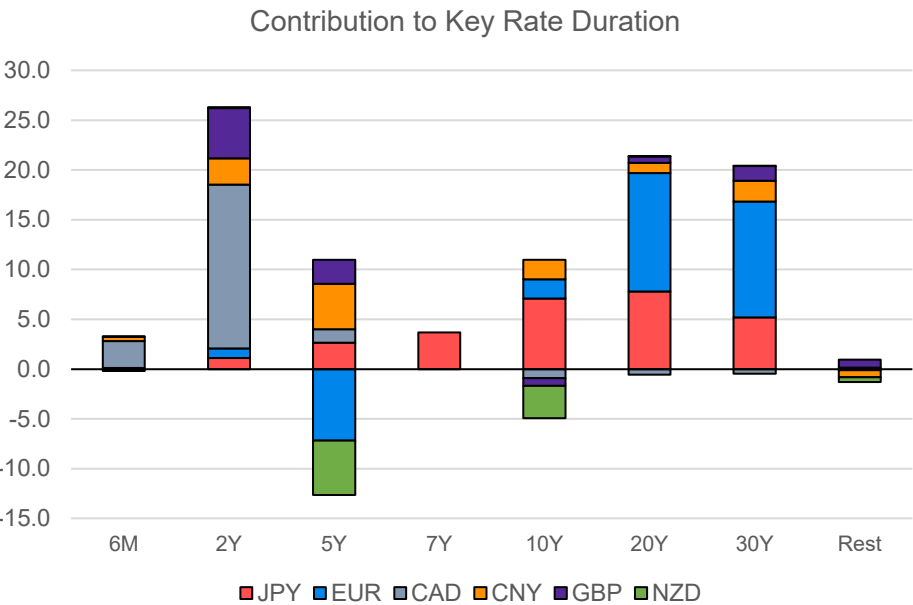
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QUARTER-TO-DATE YIELD CURVE CONTRIBUTION

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Top 6 Yield Curve Movers									
Government Curve	6M	2Y	5Y	7Y	10Y	20Y	30Y	Rest	Total YC Change
JPY	0.1	1.1	2.7	3.7	7.1	7.8	5.2	0.1	27.7
EUR	-0.1	1.0	-7.2		1.9	11.9	11.6	0.1	19.3
CAD	2.7	16.4	1.3		-0.9	-0.5	-0.5	-0.1	18.4
CNY	0.4	2.7	4.5		2.0	1.0	2.1	-0.7	12.0
GBP	0.1	5.0	2.4		-0.8	0.6	1.5	0.8	9.6
NZD	0.0	0.1	-5.5		-3.2	0.0	0.0	-0.5	-9.1

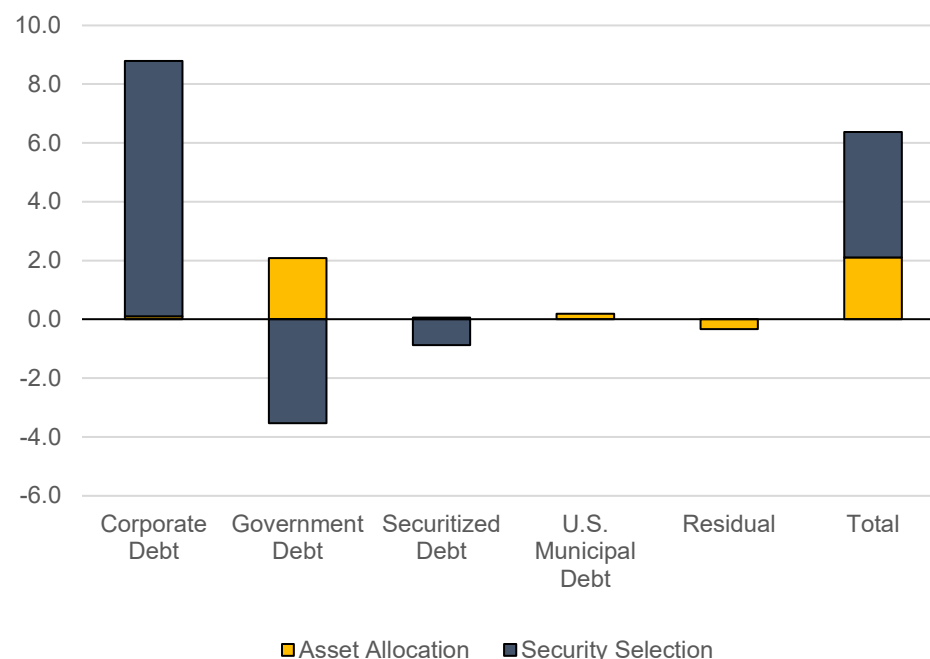


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QUARTER-TO-DATE ASSET ALLOCATION & SECURITY SELECTION PERFORMANCE

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Performance	Asset Allocation	Security Selection
Corporate Debt	0.1	8.7
Government Debt	2.1	-3.5
Securitized Debt	0.1	-0.9
U.S. Municipal Debt	0.2	0.0
Residual	-0.3	--
Total	2.1	4.3

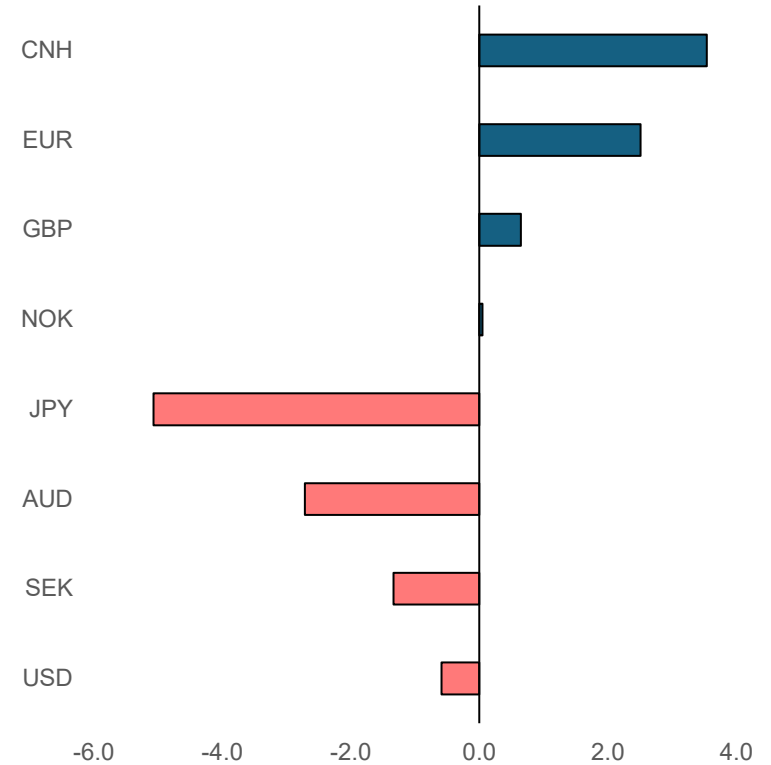


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QUARTER-TO-DATE BEST/WORST ACTIVE FX

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ACTIVE FX P&L	GLOBAL SUSTAINABLE TOTAL RETURN (BPS) ¹
Top 4	
CNH	3.5
EUR	2.5
GBP	0.6
NOK	0.0
Bottom 4	
JPY	-5.1
AUD	-2.7
SEK	-1.3
USD	-0.6



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QUARTER-TO-DATE BEST/WORST INSTRUMENTS BY SECURITY SELECTION CONTRIBUTION

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Best					
Instrument	Issuer	Asset Class	Currency	Country of Risk	Outperformance
ISPIM 7.778 06/20/54	INTESA SANPAOLO SPA	Corporate Debt	USD	Italy	2.0
SPGB 2.7 01/31/30	BONOS Y OBLIG DEL ESTADO	Government Debt	EUR	Spain	1.5
JBIC 4 ¾ 10/05/27	JPN BANK FOR INT'L COOP	Corporate Debt	USD	Japan	1.3
COVBS 8 ¾ PERP	COVENTRY BLDG SOCIETY	Corporate Debt	GBP	United Kingdom	1.2
SOCGEN 5 ¾ PERP	SOCIETE GENERALE	Corporate Debt	USD	France	1.1
KFW 3 ¾ 02/15/28	KFW	Corporate Debt	USD	Germany	1.0
BBVASM 6.033 03/13/35	BANCO BILBAO VIZCAYA ARG	Corporate Debt	USD	Spain	0.9
SPGB 0.7 04/30/32	BONOS Y OBLIG DEL ESTADO	Government Debt	EUR	Spain	0.9
BTPS 3.35 07/01/29	BUONI POLIENNALI DEL TES	Government Debt	EUR	Italy	0.9
SPGB 0.8 07/30/29	BONOS Y OBLIG DEL ESTADO	Government Debt	EUR	Spain	0.8
Worst					
Instrument	Issuer	Asset Class	Currency	Country of Risk	Outperformance
BIO 3.7 03/15/32	BIO-RAD LABS	Corporate Debt	USD	United States	-1.3
NZGB 3 04/20/29	NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT	Government Debt	NZD	New Zealand	-1.1
NZGB 4 ½ 05/15/30	NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT	Government Debt	NZD	New Zealand	-1.0
NZGB 1 ½ 05/15/31	NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT	Government Debt	NZD	New Zealand	-0.9
UKT 0 ¾ 10/22/29	UNITED KINGDOM GILT	Government Debt	GBP	United Kingdom	-0.9
ASIA 4 ½ 08/25/28	ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK	Supranational	USD	Supranational	-0.7
FN FS4862	FANNIE MAE	Securitized	USD	United States	-0.6
S 8 ¾ 03/15/32	SPRINT CAPITAL CORP	Corporate Debt	USD	United States	-0.5
CCI 2.1 04/01/31	CROWN CASTLE INC	Corporate Debt	USD	United States	-0.5
FR QG2979	FREDDIE MAC	Securitized	USD	United States	-0.5

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Bloomberg Global Aggregate Index (1-10Y) (GBP Hedged) represents a close estimation of the performance that can be achieved by hedging the currency exposure of its parent index, the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Bond Index, to GBP. The index is 100% hedged to the GBP by selling the forwards of all the currencies in the parent index at the one-month Forward rate. The parent index is composed of government, government-related and corporate bonds, as well as asset-backed, mortgage-backed and commercial mortgage-backed securities from both developed and emerging markets issuers.

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Duration is a time measure of a bond's interest-rate sensitivity, based on the weighted average of the time periods over which a bond's cash flows accrue to the bondholder.

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As of March 31, 2025, firmwide institutional strategies had approximately \$67.3 billion in assets under management in institutionally marketed strategies. Equity strategy assets include Large-Cap Sustainable Growth, Large-Cap Growth, Large Cap Sustainable Value, Sustainable Small-Cap Core, Mid-Cap Growth, Small-Cap Growth, Equity Income, Flexible Equity, Small-Cap Fundamental Value, Global Leaders, Sustainable International Leaders, Global Focus and Custom Solutions strategies. Fixed Income strategy assets include the Core Fixed Income, Sustainable Core Fixed Income, Global Sustainable Total Return Bond, Enhanced Cash, Intermediate Income, Limited Duration, Sustainable Short Duration, Municipal Bond and Tax-Exempt Sustainable strategies. Global Leaders strategy listed assets include Global Concentrated Equity.

TERMS AND DEFINITIONS

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5y5y Interest Rate Swaps is the market expectation of the average level of inflation over 5 years, 5 years from now.

Alpha is a measure of performance on a risk-adjusted basis. Alpha takes the volatility (price risk) of a portfolio and compares its risk-adjusted performance to a benchmark index.

Beta primarily used in the capital asset pricing model (CAPM), is a measure of the volatility—or systematic risk—of a security or portfolio compared to the market as a whole.

Duration is a time measure of a bond's interest-rate sensitivity, based on the weighted average of the time periods over which a bond's cash flows accrue to the bondholder.

Volatility is the degree of variation of a trading price series over time, usually measured by the standard deviation of returns.

Yield Curve is a line that plots yields, or interest rates, of bonds that have equal credit quality but differing maturity dates. The slope of the yield curve can predict future interest rate changes and economic activity.

Active FX refers to buying and selling securities for quick profit based on short-term movements in price. The intention is to hold the position for only a short amount of time. There is no precise time measurement for active trading.

Residual value is the estimated value of a fixed asset at the end of its lease term or useful life.

GLOBAL SUSTAINABLE TOTAL RETURN BOND (GBP) COMPOSITE

Year	Composite Total Gross Returns (%)	Composite Total Net Returns (%)	Composite 3-Yr Annualized Standard Deviation (%)	Bank of England's SONIA Compounded Index		Bloomberg Global Aggregate 1-10 Year Total Return Index (GBP Hedged)		Portfolios in Composite at End of Year	Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite Assets (GBP Millions)*	GIPS Firm Assets (\$USD Millions)*
				Benchmark Returns (%)	Benchmark 3-Yr Annualized Standard Deviation (%)	Benchmark Returns (%)	Benchmark 3-Yr Annualized Standard Deviation (%)				
2023	4.2	3.6	N/A	4.6	N/A	5.8	N/A	Five or fewer	N/A	284	81,325
2022**	-4.6	-5.1	N/A	1.4	N/A	-7.3	N/A	Five or fewer	N/A	2	58,575

**Return is for period February 1, 2022 through December 31, 2022.

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- Composite dispersion is an equal-weighted standard deviation of portfolio gross returns calculated for the accounts in the Composite for the entire calendar year period. The composite dispersion is not applicable (N/A) for periods where there were five or fewer accounts in the Composite for the entire period.
- Gross-of-fees performance returns are presented before management fees but after all trading commissions, and gross of foreign withholding taxes (if applicable). Net-of-fees performance returns are calculated by adjusting the gross-of-fees performance return by the highest fee for the institutional strategy as outlined in Part 2A of the firm's Form ADV, applied on a monthly basis. Other expenses can reduce returns to investors. The standard management fee schedule is as follows, converted to GBP at the prevailing exchange rate: 0.50% on the first \$50 million; 0.30% on the next \$50 million; 0.25% on the next \$50 million; and 0.20% on the balance over \$150 million, with a minimum account market value of \$100 million. Further information regarding investment advisory fees is described in Part II A of the firm's Form ADV. Actual fees paid by accounts in the Composite may differ from the current fee schedule.
- Effective July 1, 2023, the firm transitioned from using actual account fees in the calculation of net performance returns to applying the highest fee for the institutional strategy as outlined in Part 2A of the firm's Form ADV. The net performance track record was revised back to Composite inception.
- The three-year annualized ex-post standard deviation measures the variability of the Composite (using gross returns) and the benchmark for the 36-month period ended on December 31. The 3 year annualized standard deviation is not presented as of December 31, 2022 and December 31, 2023 because 36 month returns for the Composite were not available (N/A).
- The use of derivatives is integral to the investment process of the strategy. The strategy may use, for investment or hedging purposes, exchange traded and OTC derivatives, including futures and options, forward foreign currency contracts, FX futures and FX spots and OTC swaps, and credit default swaps on indices, the underlying reference assets for which will be bonds in which the fund may invest directly, and interest rates and currencies.
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