

# Marlborough Defensive Class Z Acc GBP

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## Aims

The investment objective of the Fund is to generate capital growth over the longer term (5 years +) by gaining exposure to a medium risk balanced mix of asset classes.

## Key Facts

**Investment Team**  
Multi-Asset Investment Solutions Team

**Inception Date**  
01/05/2019

**Domicile**  
Ireland

**Dealing Cut Off Time**  
17:00

**Dealing Frequency**  
Daily

**Estimated Ongoing Charge (OCF)**  
1.15%

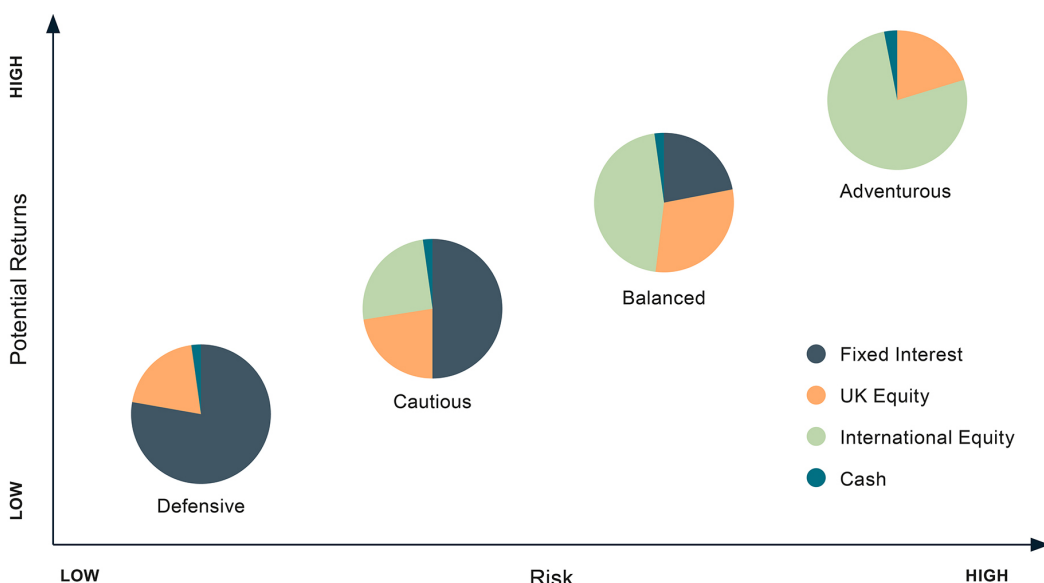
**Initial Charge**  
0.00%

**ISIN**  
IE00BHNDWH52

## Marlborough UCITS Fund of Funds

Marlborough ICAV, Marlborough's Irish-domiciled UCITS fund of funds range, consists of Marlborough Adventurous Fund, Marlborough Balanced Fund, Marlborough Cautious Fund and Marlborough Defensive Fund. The funds are risk-graded and may be blended to target additional risk and return outcomes.

## Four levels of risk Defensive to Adventurous



Source: Marlborough Group. For illustrative purposes only.

## Investment Growth

Time period: 01/01/2020 to 31/12/2024



Source: Morningstar, single-single, Income reinvested. Data as at 31/12/2024.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future performance and should not be the sole factor considered when selecting funds.

Investment Association (IA) sectors are provided for comparison and illustration purposes only. We have chosen the IA sector that most closely matches the portfolio, in limited instances the allocations of the portfolio may fall outside the boundaries of the relevant IA peer group.

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## Cumulative Performance Marlborough Defensive Class Z Acc GBP

Year to Date	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years
4.7%	4.7%	1.0%	4.6%

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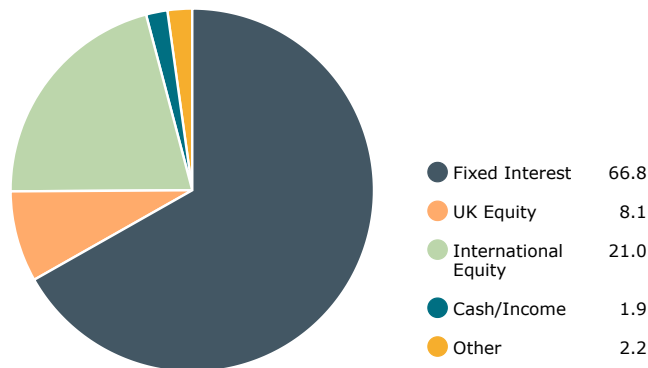
## Discrete Performance Marlborough Defensive Class Z Acc GBP

01/01/24 - 31/12/24	01/01/23 - 31/12/23	01/01/22 - 31/12/22	01/01/21 - 31/12/21	01/01/20 - 31/12/20
4.7%	5.3%	-8.3%	2.0%	1.5%

## Top Holdings

iShares Global Corporate Bond ETF	8.7%
Xtrackers II Global Governmentt Bond ETF	8.6%
Vanguard Global Credit Bond Fund	8.4%
iShares Core UK Gilts ETF	7.1%
iShares Global Corporate Bond ETF USD	6.1%
M&G Emerging Markets Bond Fund	5.0%
SPDR® S&P 500 ETF	4.9%
iShares Over 15Yrs Gilts Idx UK Fd	4.2%
Man Sterling Corp Bond Fund	3.7%
FTF Brandywine Gbl Inc Optimiser	3.2%

## Asset Allocation (%)



## Risk Warning

Capital is at risk. The value and income from investments can go down as well as up and are not guaranteed. An investor may get back significantly less than they invest.

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The Fund invests for the long term and may not be appropriate for investors who plan to take money out within five years.

Tax treatment depends on individual circumstances and may change in the future.

As the Fund invests into other Collective Investment Vehicles, the Fund will also be subject to specific risks associated with its investment into such Collective Investment Vehicles as well as specific risks incurred at the level of the Collective Investment Vehicles and their investments. If the Collective Investment Vehicles invest in a particular asset category, investment strategy or financial or economic market, the Fund will then be exposed to fluctuations in value of such investments resulting from the performance of that particular asset category, investment strategy or financial or economic market. This material is for distribution to professional advisers only and should not be distributed to or relied upon by any other persons. It's provided for general information purposes only and is not personal advice to anyone to invest in any fund or product.

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Information taken from trade and other sources is believed to be reliable, although we don't represent this as accurate or complete and it shouldn't be relied upon as such.

Calls may be recorded for training and monitoring purposes.

## Regulatory Information

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Marlborough ICAV is registered under the laws of Ireland with registered number C186352 as an Irish Collective Asset-management Vehicle which is constituted as an open-ended umbrella UCITS fund with segregated liability between sub-funds.

Directors: Raymond O'Neill (Irish), Brian Farrell (Irish), Dominic Clarke (British), Danny Knight (British) and Martin Ratcliffe (British)

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The fund is registered and approved under section 65 of CISCA

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