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Performance update and review, 31 December 2023 Heritage Portfolios





## **Heritage Portfolios**

Heritage portfolios are a low-cost actively managed portfolio service designed for long-term capital growth through the use of investment trusts. Investment trusts highlight lower fees, increased diversification and typically significantly better investment returns over the longer term.

#### **Key Objectives:**

- Superior long-term performance and returns
- Greater diversification and range of holdings
- Global equity strategies
- Flexible investment management
- Can have lower management costs than open-ended investment companies

# Heritage Balanced Portfolio Performance Since Crossing Point Launch on 1 February 2020 to 31 December 2023 vs. the IA Mixed Investment 20-60%



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### 4th Quarter 2023 Heritage Portfolio Update

The longer duration bonds suffered this quarter as central banks continued to raise rates and express hawkish, higher-for-longer sentiment. This was offset by gains in short-term bonds, the target return bond, and the diversified asset-backed fund as well as moderated by the active bond funds. As central banks are reaching their peak interest rates, and will potentially begin to cut rates sometime in the middle or second half of 2024, we expect to start to increase our longer-duration fixed income allocations and will continue to hold active bond funds who are able to adapt quickly to changes in the fixed income environment.

During these volatile times, we feel that diversification in markets, asset types, fixed income, and duration is key. We continue to monitor performance while also considering market indicators and economic expectations.

#### Heritage Portfolio Performance to 31 December 2023

|                                     | 1 Month | 3 Months | 6 Months | 1 Year | 3 Years | Since<br>Launch |
|-------------------------------------|---------|----------|----------|--------|---------|-----------------|
| Crossing Point Heritage Adventurous | 5.59    | 7.14     | 7.60     | 6.68   | -15.92  | -6.79           |
| Crossing Point Heritage Strategic   | 4.98    | 6.65     | 7.13     | 6.63   | -13.25  | -5.33           |
| IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares   | 4.23    | 5.77     | 5.54     | 8.10   | 8.00    | 14.23           |
| Crossing Point Heritage Balanced    | 4.59    | 6.32     | 6.86     | 6.82   | -10.93  | -3.28           |
| Crossing Point Heritage Cautious    | 3.98    | 5.82     | 6.45     | 6.62   | -8.60   | -2.84           |
| IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares   | 3.82    | 5.68     | 5.56     | 6.86   | 2.61    | 6.20            |

### Heritage Portfolio Ratios to 31 December 2023

Time Period: 01/01/2021 to 31/12/2023 Calculation Benchmark: Multiple

|                                     | Std Dev | Alpha | Beta | Max<br>Drawdown | Sharpe<br>Ratio | Sortino<br>Ratio |
|-------------------------------------|---------|-------|------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Crossing Point Heritage Adventurous | 11.65   | -7.80 | 1.09 | -29.40          | -0.61           | -0.74            |
| Crossing Point Heritage Strategic   | 10.00   | -7.12 | 1.01 | -25.45          | -0.62           | -0.74            |
| IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares   | 8.31    | 0.00  | 1.00 | -12.79          | -0.16           | -0.20            |
| Crossing Point Heritage Balanced    | 8.89    | -4.59 | 0.99 | -22.31          | -0.60           | -0.73            |
| Crossing Point Heritage Cautious    | 7.19    | -4.19 | 0.91 | -18.11          | -0.61           | -0.74            |
| IA Mixed Investment 20-60% Shares   | 6.91    | 0.00  | 1.00 | -12.38          | -0.30           | -0.38            |

Due to gearing associated with investment trusts, Heritage portfolios can be more volatile than their Investment Association mixed benchmarks, but over time this can also lead to higher returns. This risk can be partially addressed through a diverse asset allocation and selecting the appropriate risk/equity level.

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#### Heritage Portfolios Asset Allocation

Our Heritage portfolios use a traditional diversified asset allocation model that is enhanced by the market intelligence gathered from out unique trend analysis and market sentiment indicators.

Heritage Current Allocation: 31/12/2023

|                         | Adventurous | Strategic | Balanced | Cautious |
|-------------------------|-------------|-----------|----------|----------|
| International           | 18.00       | 15.50     | 14.00    | 9.75     |
| US                      | 13.00       | 11.00     | 9.00     | 6.00     |
| UK                      | 14.50       | 12.00     | 10.00    | 7.00     |
| Europe                  | 6.00        | 4.50      | 4.00     | 3.00     |
| Japan                   | 4.50        | 4.00      | 3.25     | 2.25     |
| Pacific                 | 5.50        | 5.00      | 4.25     | 3.00     |
| Emerging Markets        | 5.00        | 4.00      | 2.75     | 2.50     |
| Property                | 5.00        | 3.75      | 3.50     | 3.25     |
| Sustainable Energy      | 4.50        | 3.25      | 3.00     | 2.75     |
| Infrastructure          | 0.00        | 0.00      | 0.00     | 0.00     |
| Tech                    | 4.00        | 3.00      | 2.75     | 2.50     |
| Insurance               | 3.00        | 2.50      | 2.00     | 2.00     |
| Mining                  | 2.00        | 1.50      | 1.50     | 1.00     |
| Natural Resources       | 0.00        | 0.00      | 0.00     | 0.00     |
| Equity Total            | 85.00       | 70.00     | 60.00    | 45.00    |
| Fixed Income            | 12.00       | 27.00     | 37.00    | 52.00    |
| Short Term Money Market | 0.00        | 0.00      | 0.00     | 0.00     |
| Cash                    | 3.00        | 3.00      | 3.00     | 3.00     |
| Total                   | 100.00      | 100.00    | 100.00   | 100.00   |

#### Heritage Portfolios Costs, 31st December 2023

#### **Current Costs**

|                      | DFM<br>Charge | Fund Cost | Transaction<br>Costs | Incidental<br>Costs | Total |
|----------------------|---------------|-----------|----------------------|---------------------|-------|
| Heritage Adventurous | 0.30%         | 0.83%     | 0.18%                | 0.02%               | 1.33% |
| Heritage Strategic   | 0.30%         | 0.74%     | 0.18%                | 0.01%               | 1.23% |
| Heritage Balanced    | 0.30%         | 0.67%     | 0.19%                | 0.01%               | 1.17% |
| Heritage Cautious    | 0.30%         | 0.57%     | 0.20%                | 0.01%               | 1.08% |

Charges are applicable to the FE Fundinfo platform as of 31/12/2023. Platform charges are not included and may vary across the platforms on which the portfolios are available. The impact of different transaction, platform, and incidental costs may mean illustrations from platforms show different total costs.

### Platform Availability - On request













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#### Heritage Portfolio Morningstar and FE Risk Scores

The Morningstar Portfolio Risk Score (MPRS) measures the overall risk of porfolios, including client porfolios, model porfolios, and fund porfolios. MPRS uses Morningstar Risk Model's holdings-based analysis to derive a risk estimate and score for each portfolio, and Morningstar's multi-asset Target Allocation Indexes to define the following risk ranges: Conservative: 0-24, Moderate: 25-49, Aggressive: 50-81, Very Aggressive: 82-100, Extreme: 100+.

FE Fundinfo Risk Scores defines risk as a measure of volatility relative to an index of the 100 largest UK companies (the FE Risk Score benchmark) which has a risk rating of 100 and is rebased to sterling. Instruments more volatile than this benchmark have a score above 100 and vice versa giving a reliable indication of risk.

| Morningstar Risk Score Levels |                      | FE Risk Score Levels        |                         |                       |  |  |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
|                               |                      |                             | Short (3-7 Year)        | Medium (8-15 Year)    |  |  |
| Conservative                  | 0 - 24               | Cautious                    | 5 - 30                  | 40 - 55               |  |  |
| Moderate                      | 25 - 49              | Cautious to moderate        | 30 - 40                 | 55 - 65               |  |  |
| Aggressive                    | 50 - 81              | Moderate                    | 40 - 55                 | 65 - 75               |  |  |
| Very Aggressive               | 82 - 100             | Moderate to Adventurous     | 55 - 80                 | 75 - 85               |  |  |
| Extreme                       | 100 +                | Adventurous                 | 80 - 120                | 85 - 130              |  |  |
| Morningstar Risk Scores       |                      |                             |                         |                       |  |  |
|                               | Portfolio Risk score | Risk Level                  | Portfolio Risk Score Da |                       |  |  |
| Heritage Adventurous          | 53.14                | Aggressive                  |                         | 31/12/2023            |  |  |
| Heritage Strategic            | 43.17                | Moderate                    |                         | 31/12/2023            |  |  |
| Heritage Balanced             | 37.25                | Moderate                    |                         | 31/12/2023            |  |  |
| Heritage Cautious             | 28.90                | Moderate                    |                         | 31/12/2023            |  |  |
| FE Risk Scores                |                      |                             |                         |                       |  |  |
|                               | Portfolio Risk score | Short-term Level (3-7 Year) | Medium-t                | erm Level (8-15 Year) |  |  |
| Heritage Adventurous          | 95                   | Adventurous                 | Adventuro               |                       |  |  |
| Heritage Strategic            | 81                   | Adventurous                 | Mode                    | erate to Adventurous  |  |  |
| Heritage Balanced             | 71                   | Moderate to Adventurous     | Modera                  |                       |  |  |
| Heritage Cautious             | 57                   | Moderate to Adventurous     | (                       | Cautious to Moderate  |  |  |



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