Short Term Bond Portfolio

Quarterly Report: Q2 2025



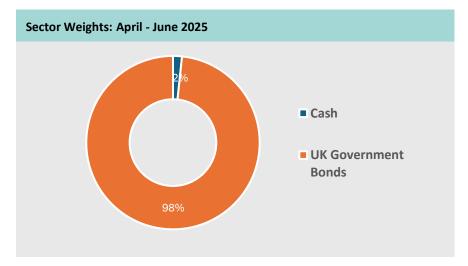
Investment Objective

This is a portfolio that will be invested purely in either UK Government Bonds or cash. Bonds are like IOU's. The borrower, in this case the Government, issues an IOU to you, the saver, in return for your money. The IOU promises to pay your money back at the end of a certain period while paying you a level of interest in the meantime. This strategy only invests in bonds that will be paid back within 3 years. This tends to be a very low-risk investment, where the chance of absolute loss is minimal.

Quarterly Commentary

The Short-Term Bond Portfolio continued its steady capital appreciation over the second quarter of 2025. We saw the Bank of England cut interest rates as expected over the quarter, with further rates cuts expected before the end of the year likely to boost short term returns a little.

Our Short-dated government Bonds continued to yield just under 4% after fees and the strategy continues to perform as expected.



Top Holdings	
UK Government 0.125% 2028	72.25%
UK Government 0.125% 2026	19.39%
UK Government 0.375% 2026	6.62%

WARNING: The value of your investments and income from them may go down as well as up.

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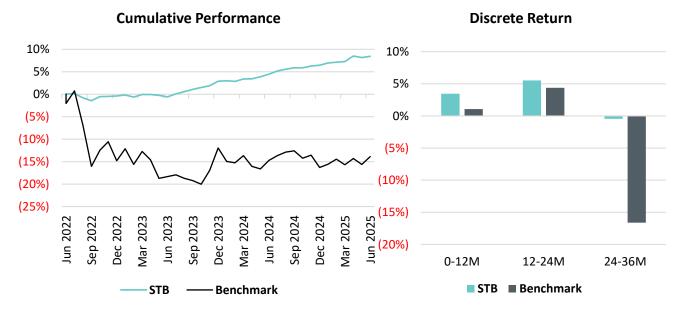
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Performance

Cumulative Performance								
	1M	3M	6M	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Since Inception	
STB	0.26%	1.11%	1.89%	3.83%	8.61%	N/A	8.47%	
Benchmark	1.56%	2.46%	2.40%	1.07%	-12.01%	-30.76%	-13.82%	

Discrete Performance									
	0-12M	12-24M	24-36M	36-48M	48-60M				
STB	3.83%	5.09%	-0.46%	N/A	N/A				
Benchmark	1.07%	4.39%	-16.61%	-15.59%	-6.77%				



Performance is a composite made from grouping together each individual client Short Term Bond Portfolio. Performance will vary depending on when money is invested into the portfolio. Occasionally, the portfolios may hold some cash when we are between investments. Our benchmark is the Vanguard FTSE UK Government Bond Index Fund. Performance figures are net of all fees.

WARNING: Past Performance is not a guide to future performance.

Benefits

- Experienced, successful team
- Consistent, repeatable strategy
- · No leverage and no derivatives

Risks

- · Focussed portfolio
- Money invested in equities
- No hedging of currency

Fees

- No entry or exit fees
- Fees of 0.3% including VAT
- Dealing fees of 0.1%

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