

# **Investment Objective**

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# Performance Summary as at 31 March 2021 (%)



01/01/2019 - 31/03/2021 Data from FE fundinfo 2021

Source: Financial Express Analytics & Ascencia Investment Management. All figures quoted are on a total return basis with income reinvested and are net of underlying fund charges and Ascencia's Investment Management fee. A platform fee will apply.

	1 Year	Since Inception
Ascencia Income 3	12.89%	10.41%
Sterling Cautious	11.54%	12.69%

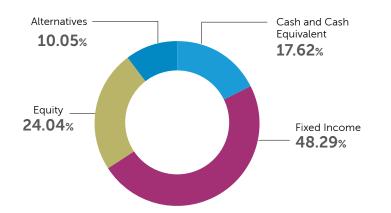
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### **Key Facts**

Inception Date	January 2019
Number of Holdings	74
Underlying fund Ongoing Charge Figure	0.74%
DFM Fee	0.50%
Total Ongoing Charge	1.24%
Estimated Yield	1.86%
Annualised Volatility	6.90%

Source: FE Analytics/Ascencia Investment Management as at 31/03/2021

# Weighted Asset Allocation



# Holdings

EF NEW HORIZON INCOME FUND	40.00%
ESG 3	20.00%
MPS LOW RISK	14.00%
SAFETY FIRST 3	12.00%
VT FREEDOM UCITS OEIC-VT FREEDOM DEFENSIVE	12.00%
CASH	2.00%





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# **Investment Platforms**

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- > Hubwise
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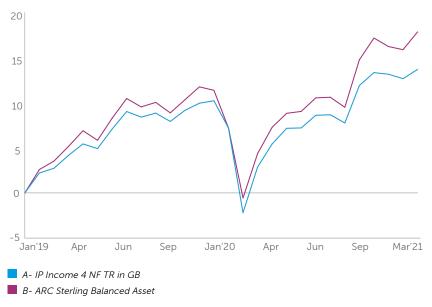
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Ascencia Income 4	16.21%	13.66%
Sterling Balanced Asset	18.50%	17.82%

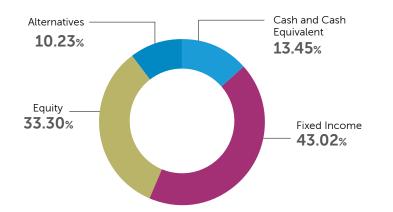
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Inception Date	January 2019
Number of Holdings	78
Underlying fund Ongoing Charge Figure	0.75%
DFM Fee	0.50%
Total Ongoing Charge	1.25%
Estimated Yield	1.75%
Annualised Volatility	8.08%

Source: FE Analytics/Ascencia Investment Management as at 31/03/2021

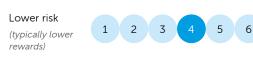




# Holdings

EF NEW HORIZON INCOME FUND	40.00%
ESG 4	20.00%
MPS LOW - MEDIUM RISK	18.00%
VT FREEDOM UCITS OEIC-VT FREEDOM CAUTIOUS	10.00%
SAFETY FIRST 4	10.00%
CASH	2.00%





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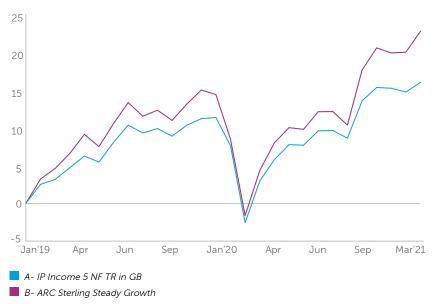
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Since<br/>1 YearSince<br/>InceptionAscencia Income 519.05%16.00%Sterling Steady Growth24.79%22.76%

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#### **Key Facts**

Holdings

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Underlying fund Ongoing Charge Figure	0.77%
DFM Fee	0.50%
Total Ongoing Charge	1.27%
Estimated Yield	1.75%
Annualised Volatility	9.24%

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Cash and Cash

Fixed Income 37.47%

Equivalent

10.47%

EF NEW HORIZON INCOME FUND	37.50%
MPS MEDIUM RISK	23.00%
ESG 5	20.00%
VT FREEDOM UCITS OEIC-VT FREEDOM CAUTIOUS	7.50%
SAFETY FIRST 5	7.50%
EF NEW HORIZON BALANCED INCOME & GROWTH FUND	2.50%
CASH	2.00%

# Weighted Asset Allocation

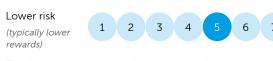
Alternatives

10.22%

Equity \_ 41.85%







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Ascencia Income 6	22.21%	18.94%
Sterling Equity Risk	31.72%	28.54%

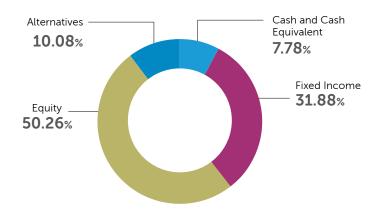
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#### **Key Facts**

Inception Date	January 2019
Number of Holdings	62
Underlying fund Ongoing Charge Figure	0.65%
DFM Fee	0.50%
Total Ongoing Charge	1.15%
Estimated Yield	1.81%
Annualised Volatility	10.42%

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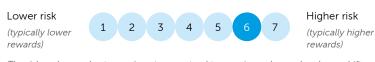
# Weighted Asset Allocation



### Holdings

EF NEW HORIZON INCOME FUND	35.00%
MPS MEDIUM TO HIGH RISK	23.00%
ESG 6	25.00%
SAFETY FIRST 6	10.00%
EF NEW HORIZON BALANCED INCOME & GROWTH FUND	5.00%
CASH	2.00%





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