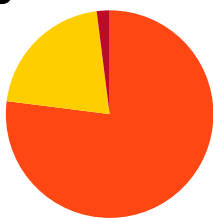


LPL Financial works with BlackRock to offer separately managed accounts which invest in diversified portfolios of mutual funds and Exchange-Traded Funds (ETFs). These investment strategies provide the potential benefits of asset allocation, risk management and diversification in one account and are available in a range of “risk profiles” from aggressive to conservative. Based on your investment objectives, risk tolerance and time horizon, your LPL Financial Advisor can help you choose the strategy most appropriate for you.

Target Allocation ESG Portfolios are global, diversified strategies composed of ETFs, expressing longer-term views. The management team sets asset allocations based on long term market views and adjusts them to take advantage of medium to longer-term opportunities.

The investment minimum for a Target Allocation ESG Portfolio is \$25,000.

Equity Target Allocation ESG Model



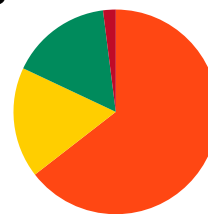
| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Equity | | 77.5% |
| International Equity | | 20.5% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Equity | | |
| BlackRock US Carbon Transition Rdns ETF | | 29.50% |
| iShares MSCI KLD 400 Social ETF | | 19.00% |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI USA ETF | | 17.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI USA ETF | | 11.50% |
| International Equity | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EAFE ETF | | 10.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF | | 5.00% |
| BlackRock World ex U.S. Carbon Transition Readiness ETF | | 5.00% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 19.19 | 19.19 | 2.64 | 9.17 | - | 6.84 |
| Composite (Gross) | 22.88 | 22.88 | 5.82 | 12.55 | - | 10.15 |
| Benchmark¹ | 23.11 | 23.11 | 6.64 | 12.77 | - | 10.18 |

¹The Equity Target Allocation ESG benchmark is a blended benchmark 68.6% MSCI ACWI Index, 29.4% MSCI USA Index, 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. Prior to 06/30/2021 the benchmark was 70% MSCI All Country World Net Total Return Index, 30% MSCI Developed US Net Total Return Index. The benchmark is rebalanced quarterly.
²Inception is 4/30/2017

80/20 Target Allocation ESG Model



| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Equity | | 65.0% |
| International Equity | | 17.0% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | 16.0% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Equity | | |
| BlackRock US Carbon Transition Rdns ETF | | 24.50% |
| iShares MSCI KLD 400 Social ETF | | 16.50% |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI USA ETF | | 14.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI USA ETF | | 9.50% |
| International Equity | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EAFE ETF | | 8.50% |
| BlackRock World ex U.S. Carbon Transition Readiness ETF | | 4.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF | | 4.00% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | |
| iShares ESG Aware USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 11.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF | | 5.00% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

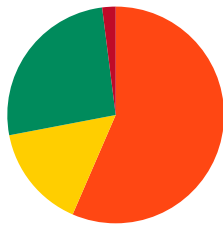
| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 16.10 | 16.10 | 1.00 | 7.23 | - | 5.38 |
| Composite (Gross) | 19.69 | 19.69 | 4.12 | 10.54 | - | 8.64 |
| Benchmark¹ | 19.88 | 19.88 | 4.88 | 10.77 | - | 8.66 |

¹The 80/20 Target Allocation ESG is a blended benchmark 56% MSCI ACWI Index, 24% MSCI USA Index, 18% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Universal Index, 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. Prior to 06/30/2021 the benchmark was 56% MSCI All Country World Net Total Return Index, 20% BBG Barclays US Universal Index, 24% MSCI Developed US Net Total Return Index. The benchmark is rebalanced quarterly.
²Inception is 4/30/2017

TARGET ALLOCATION ESG PORTFOLIOS

FOURTH QUARTER 2023

70/30 Target Allocation ESG Model



| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Equity | | 57.0% |
| International Equity | | 15.0% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | 26.0% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

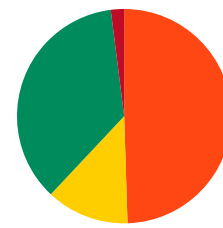
| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Equity | | |
| BlackRock US Carbon Transition Rdnss ETF | | 22.00% |
| iShares MSCI KLD 400 Social ETF | | 15.50% |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI USA ETF | | 13.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI USA ETF | | 6.50% |
| International Equity | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EAFE ETF | | 7.50% |
| BlackRock World ex U.S. Carbon Transition Readiness ETF | | 4.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF | | 3.50% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | |
| iShares ESG Aware USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 13.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF | | 11.50% |
| iShares ESG Advanced Total USD Bond Market ETF | | 1.50% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 14.35 | 14.35 | - | - | - | -4.48 |
| Composite (Gross) | 17.89 | 17.89 | - | - | - | -1.53 |
| Benchmark¹ | 18.11 | 18.11 | - | - | - | -0.75 |

¹The 70/30 Target Allocation ESG benchmark is 49% MSCI ACWI Index, 21% MSCI USA Index, 28% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Universal Index, 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. The benchmark is rebalanced quarterly.

²Inception is 13/31/2021

60/40 Target Allocation ESG Model



| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Equity | | 49.5% |
| International Equity | | 12.5% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | 36.0% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

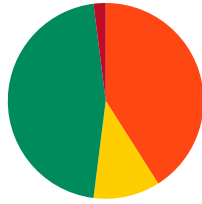
| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Equity | | |
| BlackRock US Carbon Transition Rdnss ETF | | 19.00% |
| iShares MSCI KLD 400 Social ETF | | 14.00% |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI USA ETF | | 10.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI USA ETF | | 6.00% |
| International Equity | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EAFE ETF | | 6.00% |
| BlackRock World ex U.S. Carbon Transition Readiness ETF | | 3.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF | | 3.00% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | |
| iShares ESG Aware U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF | | 15.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 13.00% |
| iShares ESG Advanced Total USD Bond Market ETF | | 7.50% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 12.67 | 12.67 | -0.85 | 5.00 | - | 3.69 |
| Composite (Gross) | 16.15 | 16.15 | 2.22 | 8.25 | - | 6.89 |
| Benchmark¹ | 16.36 | 16.36 | 2.98 | 8.59 | - | 6.99 |

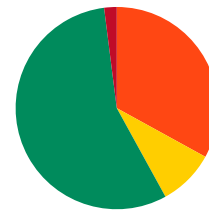
¹The 60/40 Target Allocation ESG benchmark is a blended benchmark 42% MSCI ACWI Index, 18% MSCI USA Index, 38% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Universal Index, 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. Prior to 06/30/2021 the benchmark was 42% MSCI All Count World Index Total Return, 40% BBG Barclays US Universal Index and 18% MSCI Developed US Net Total Return Index. The benchmark is rebalanced quarterly.

²Inception is 4/30/2017

50/50 Target Allocation ESG Model



40/60 Target Allocation ESG Model



| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Equity | | 41.5% |
| International Equity | | 10.5% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | 46.0% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Equity | | 33.5% |
| International Equity | | 8.5% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | 56.0% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Equity | | |
| BlackRock US Carbon Transition Rdnss ETF | | 16.00% |
| iShares MSCI KLD 400 Social ETF | | 11.50% |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI USA ETF | | 9.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI USA ETF | | 4.50% |
| International Equity | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EAFE ETF | | 4.50% |
| BlackRock World ex U.S. Carbon Transition Readiness ETF | | 3.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF | | 2.50% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | |
| iShares ESG Aware USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 15.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF | | 15.50% |
| iShares ESG Advanced Total USD Bond Market ETF | | 15.00% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Equity | | |
| BlackRock US Carbon Transition Rdnss ETF | | 13.50% |
| iShares MSCI KLD 400 Social ETF | | 9.00% |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI USA ETF | | 7.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI USA ETF | | 3.50% |
| International Equity | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EAFE ETF | | 3.50% |
| BlackRock World ex U.S. Carbon Transition Readiness ETF | | 3.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF | | 2.00% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | |
| iShares ESG Aware USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 20.50% |
| iShares ESG Advanced Total USD Bond Market ETF | | 18.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF | | 16.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware 1-5 Year USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 1.50% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 10.93 | 10.93 | - | - | - | -5.17 |
| Composite (Gross) | 14.36 | 14.36 | - | - | - | -2.24 |
| Benchmark¹ | 14.62 | 14.62 | - | - | - | -1.53 |

| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 9.42 | 9.42 | -2.51 | 3.02 | - | 1.96 |
| Composite (Gross) | 12.81 | 12.81 | 0.50 | 6.20 | - | 5.11 |
| Benchmark¹ | 12.90 | 12.90 | 1.06 | 6.32 | - | 5.20 |

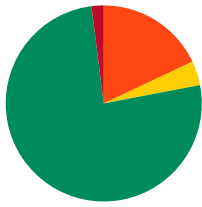
¹The 50/50 Target Allocation ESG is 35% MSCI ACWI Index, 15% MSCI USA Index, 48% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Universal Index, 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. The benchmark is rebalanced quarterly.

²Inception is 12/31/2021

¹The 40/60 Target Allocation benchmark is 28% MSCI ACWI Index, 12% MSCI USA Index, 58% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Universal Index, 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. Prior to 06/30/2021 the benchmark was 28% MSCI All Count World Index Total Return, 60% BBG Barclays US Universal Index and 12% MSCI Developed US Net Total Return Index.

²Inception is 4/30/2018

20/80 Target Allocation ESG Model



| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Equity | | 18.0% |
| International Equity | | 4.0% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | 76.0% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

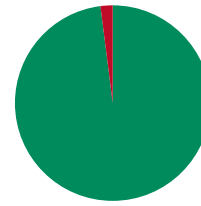
| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Equity | | |
| BlackRock US Carbon Transition Rdnss ETF | | 7.50% |
| iShares MSCI KLD 400 Social ETF | | 6.00% |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI USA ETF | | 3.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI USA ETF | | 1.00% |
| International Equity | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced MSCI EAFE ETF | | 3.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware MSCI EM ETF | | 1.00% |
| U.S. Fixed Income | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced Total USD Bond Market ETF | | 33.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 20.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF | | 20.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware 1-5 Year USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 2.00% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 6.09 | 6.09 | - | - | - | -6.01 |
| Composite (Gross) | 9.37 | 9.37 | - | - | - | -3.10 |
| Benchmark¹ | 9.50 | 9.50 | - | - | - | -2.81 |

¹The 20/80 Target Allocation ESG benchmark is 14% MSCI ACWI Index, 6% MSCI USA Index, 78% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Universal Index, 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. The benchmark is rebalanced quarterly.

²Inception is 12/31/2021

Fixed Income Target Allocation ESG Model



| Allocations - As of 1/25/2024 | | % |
|-------------------------------|--|-------|
| U.S. Fixed Income | | 98.0% |
| Cash | | 2.0% |

| Holdings - As of 1/25/2024 | | Portfolio Weight (%) |
|---|--|----------------------|
| U.S. Fixed Income | | |
| iShares ESG Advanced Total USD Bond Market ETF | | 47.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 24.50% |
| iShares ESG Aware U.S. Aggregate Bond ETF | | 20.00% |
| iShares ESG Aware 1-5 Year USD Corporate Bond ETF | | 6.00% |
| Cash | | |
| United States Dollar | | 2.00% |

| Composite Performance (% Returns) | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------------------------|
| | YTD | 1 Yr. | 3 Yr. | 5 Yr. | 10 Yr. | Since Inc. ² |
| Composite (Net) | 2.95 | 2.95 | - | - | - | -6.56 |
| Composite (Gross) | 6.13 | 6.13 | - | - | - | -3.67 |
| Benchmark¹ | 6.16 | 6.16 | - | - | - | -3.74 |

¹The Fixed Income Target Allocation benchmark is 98% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Universal Index 2% ICE BofAML US T-Bill 0-3 Month. The benchmark is rebalanced quarterly.

²Inception 12/31/2021

Important Notes

Risk Profiles

Equity Target Allocation ESG Model: This model seeks total return through exposure to a diversified portfolio of equity asset classes. For 80/20 Target Allocation ESG Model, 60/40 Target Allocation ESG Model, 40/60 Target Allocation ESG Model, 20/80 Target Allocation Model these models seek total return through exposure to a diversified portfolio of equity, fixed income asset classes with a target allocation as listed. Target allocations can vary +/-5%. All models invest exclusively in iShares Exchange Traded Funds which may pay fees and expenses to BlackRock that are in addition to the fees payable to BlackRock for managing the account. Selection of these models indicate a willingness to assume some risk of principal loss.

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In order to provide greater consistency among benchmarks displayed in the factsheet for Model Wealth Portfolios they now include the returns of the LPL Financial investment objective blended benchmarks. The illustrated indexes are unmanaged and can't be invested into directly. The Russell 3000 Index measures the performance of the 3,000 largest U.S. companies based on total market capitalization, which represents approximately 98% of the investable U.S. equity market. The Barclays US Aggregate Bond Index is representative of the entire universe of taxable fixed-income investments. It includes issues of the U.S. Government and any agency thereof, corporate issues of investment grade quality (Baa/BBB or better), and mortgage-backed securities. The FTSE 3-Month Treasury Bill Index represents monthly return equivalents of yield averages of the last 3 month Treasury Bill issues.

In addition to the LPL Financial investment objective blended benchmarks, BlackRock benchmarks utilize separate indexes. The MSCI ACWI Index is a free float-adjusted equal weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of developed and emerging markets. The MSCI U.S. Index is designed to measure the performance of the large and mid cap segments of the US market. With 627 constituents, the index covers approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in the US. The Barclays U.S. Universal Bond Index represents the union of the US Aggregate, US Corporate High Yield, Investment Grade 144A Index, Eurodollar Index, US Emerging Markets Index, and the non-ERISA eligible portion of the CMBS Index. The US Universal Index was created on December 31, 1998 and inceptioned January 1, 1990.

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