

## CG Multi-Asset Funds

### Capital Gearing Trust, CG Absolute Return Fund, Capital Gearing Portfolio Fund

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Fund	Q1 2025 Performance	12-month Performance
Capital Gearing Trust	1.2%	4.1%
CG Absolute Return Fund	1.0%	3.6%
CG Absolute Return Fund (EUR Hedged)	0.6%	2.1%
CG Absolute Return Fund (USD Hedged)	1.0%	3.8%
CG Portfolio Fund	0.9%	3.3%

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- The asset allocation breakdown of the multi-asset portfolios was 29% in risk assets, 9% in corporate credit, 38% in index-linked bonds, 1% in gold, and the remainder in Cash & Treasury Bills (together, 23%).
- Index-linked bonds (currently 38% of the portfolio) returned +0.3% over the quarter. Within this, the two largest holdings are UK index-linked gilts (9% of the portfolio, duration 9.9 years) and US TIPS (22%, duration 8.3 years), which contributed +0.0% and +0.2% respectively.
- Corporate bonds and preference shares ((9% of the portfolio) returned +0.1% over the quarter.
- Risk assets (29% of the portfolio) returned 0.1% over the quarter. Within this, the largest detractor was Infrastructure (7% of the portfolio) which fell -0.2%.
- Positioning remains defensive with a focus on inflation protection.

## CG Bond Funds

### Real Return Fund, Dollar Fund, UK Index-Linked Bond Fund

Fund	Q1 2025 Performance	12-month Performance
Real Return Fund	1.2%	2.4%
Real Return Fund (GBP hedged)	12.0%	13.8%
Dollar Fund	0.7%	2.9%
Dollar Fund (GBP hedged)	3.7%	4.6%
Dollar Fund (EUR hedged)	3.3%	3.0%
Dollar Fund (USD Unhedged)	3.8%	5.1%
CG UK Index-Linked Bond Fund	0.5%	1.2%

#### Real Return Fund

- The fund returned 1.2% over the quarter, against +0.9% in the Global Inflation-Linked Ex-UK Index, and +2.4% over the past 12 months versus +2.0% for the index.
- The GBP hedged share class returned +12.0% over the quarter, against +2.8% for the index, and +13.8% over the past 12 months versus +5.2% for the index.
- US TIPS (75% of the portfolio) contributed 0.7% to the fund's performance. Due to a steepening of the yield curve, duration has lengthened to 8.6 over the period as we took off our barbell allocation and allocated to the belly, particularly the 7-10 year bucket where the yield curve is steepest.
- Sweden (5% of the portfolio) and Japan (5% of the portfolio) contributed 0.3% and 0.1% respectively to the fund's
- The other geographies in the fund are Germany (5% of the portfolio), Canada (3%), Australia (3%), New Zealand (1%) and Denmark (0.5%).
- The current portfolio yield is +1.4% real and duration is 7 years.

#### Dollar Fund

- The fund returned +0.7% over the quarter, against +1.1% for the US Inflation-Linked index, and +2.9% over the past 12 months versus +4.0% for the comparator index.
- The GBP hedged share class returned +3.7% over the quarter, against +4.2% in the comparator index and returned +4.6% over the past 12 months versus +6.5% in the comparator index.
- This performance differential was largely a function of the fund's long duration relative to the index which resulted in larger capital losses in longer-dated TIPS.
- Portfolio duration is 8.6 years, longer than the 7.0 years duration of the index.
- The current portfolio yield is 1.5% real.

## **CG Bond Funds**

### **Real Return Fund, Dollar Fund, UK Index-Linked Bond Fund**

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#### **CG UK Index-Linked Bond Fund**

- The fund returned +0.5% over the quarter, against –1.5% for the comparator index, and has returned +1.2% over the past 12 months versus -8.1% in the comparator index. This occurred against a backdrop of rising yields across the index-linked curve, particularly past the 3Y point.
- Portfolio duration is 6.3 years, significantly shorter than the index duration of 14.9 years.
- The current portfolio real yield is 0.7%.

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