# Prudential PruFund Growth & Income Fund



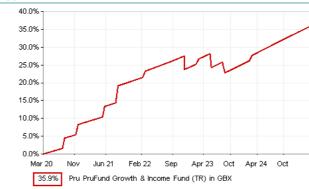
No benchmark
Unclassified

# Aims

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Objective: This fund aims to produce growth and generate income over the medium to long-term (5 to 10 years or more) while smoothing some of the ups and downs of short-term investment performance. The fund spreads investment risk by investing in a range of different asset types, which currently includes UK and international equities, property, fixed interest securities, index-linked securities and other specialist investments.

#### Performance



#### Discrete performance - to last month end

	31/03/20 to	31/03/21 to	31/03/22 to	31/03/23 to	31/03/24 to
	31/03/21	31/03/22	31/03/23	31/03/24	31/03/25
Fund	9.9%	12.6%	2.9%	0.8%	5.9%

#### Annualised performance

	Annualised				
	3 Years to 31/03/25	5 Years to 31/03/25	10 Years to 31/03/25		
Fund	3.2%	6.3%	5.1%		

**Fund Managers** 



Name<sup>.</sup>

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**Identification Codes** Sedol Code B03NGN0 Mex Code VNPPGI Isin Code GB00B03NGN01 Citi Code KZ21 **Fund Overview** Bid (17/04/2025) 322.00 Offer Fund size 25/11/2004 Launch date **Fund Charges** Annual Management Charge (AMC) 1.21% 0.24% Further Costs Yearly Total 1.45%

Manager of the underlying fund for:

#### M&G Treasury & Investment Office 10 years, 4 months



Portfolio data accurate as at: 28/02/25

# Asset Allocation

Name		% Weight
UK Equities		8.10%
Asia Fixed Interest		7.90%
UK Investment Grade		7.80%
US Investment Grade		7.80%
UK Real Estate		7.30%
Private High Yield		5.30%
North American Equities		5.10%
Private Equity		4.70%
European Equities		3.50%
Asia ex. Japan Equities		3.20%
Emerging Market Debt		3.20%
Infrastructure		3.00%
UK High Yield		2.90%
Tactical Investment Opportunities		2.80%
US Treasury		2.70%
Europe Investment Grade		2.40%
Japanese Equities		2.20%
China Equities		2.20%
Cash & Equivalents		1.90%
Asia Real Estate		1.80%
Middle East and Africa Equities		1.60%
Africa Fixed Interest		1.40%
Global Emerging Markets Equities		1.30%
Europe ex UK Real Estate		1.30%
North America Real Estate		1.30%
Europe High Yield		1.30%
Convertibles		1.30%
Other Factors		1.30%
India Equities		1.10%
Lower Risk Private Credit		0.80%
US High Yield	<u> </u>	0.60%
Global High Yield	<u> </u>	0.50%
Commodities		0.40%

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#### Commentary

31 December 2024 The quarter witnessed significant equity rallies and bond sell-offs, driven by central bank manoeuvres and political developments. Global government bond prices fell 5.4% despite widespread rate cuts. US government bonds experienced significant election-induced volatility, with the benchmark 10-year Treasury ending the quarter down 5.0% as the yield rose to 4.6% from 3.8%. A 'tax and spend' budget by the new Labour government, which sparked concerns over growth and inflation, put pressure on UK gilts. European bonds were influenced by political turmoil, with Italian government bonds outperforming French and German. Corporate bonds performed better than government debt.

Equity markets experienced a significant rally following the US presidential election. The FTSE World Index advanced 6.5%, culminating in a year-end return of 20.1%. US equities reached new highs post-election with the S&P 500 rising 5.9% in November. Over the quarter, the S&P 500 advanced 2.4%, resulting in an annual return of 25% (in US dollars). In the UK, the FTSE 100 Index delivered a small decline (0.2%) but finished the year with a total increase of 9.7%. European, Asian ex Japan and emerging market equities were among the weakest regions. From a sector standpoint, financials and technology outperformed the global market.

The US dollar experienced a strong rally following Trump's win. In the commodities market, Brent crude oil ended down 3.8%. Conversely, gold prices surged 27.1% in 2024.

The M&G Treasury & Investment Office (T&IO) outlook is cautious as much uncertainty remains.

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