

Save & Prosper Guarantee Plus Pension Fund

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All performance data relates to the Save & Prosper Guarantee Plus Pension Fund

Investment objective

To provide investors with a guaranteed sum at their selected retirement date, with the possibility of an additional terminal bonus.

Fund statistics

Fund manager(s)	Valerio Salvati and David Chan
Fund launch date	04/78
Fund size (as at 30/09/11)	GBP 222.4m

Portfolio breakdown

(as at 30/09/11)

	%
UK Bonds	44.0
Net Equities	20.6
Bonds & Other	15.0
Property	10.3
High Yield Bonds	3.7
Hybrids	3.3
Cash	3.1

Fund review

(as at 30/09/11)

Government bonds outperformed equities in the third quarter as the eurozone debt crisis gathered pace and the outlook for global growth deteriorated. Equities suffered their largest quarterly declines since the global financial crisis and tested bear market limits. Heightened market volatility was prevalent in the quarter, as investors appeared to react to every piece of news and markets swung from week to week.

The fund performance was broadly flat in the third quarter in absolute terms, with mixed performance across underlying strategies. We made no changes to underlying fund holdings in the period. Within equities, most strategies struggled against their own benchmarks with the exception of our Japanese and European equity funds. Our income focused strategies lagged their benchmarks with the exception of the JPM Global Equity Income Fund, while the JPM Strategic Bond fund posted poor relative returns. In contrast, the JPM Global High Yield Bond and JPM Europe Strategic Dividend funds posted positive relative returns over the period.

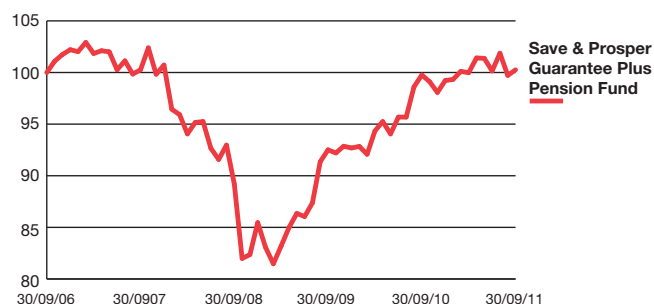
Fund outlook

(as at 30/09/11)

Monetary easing is likely to be an important theme over the next three to six months. Several central banks have announced easing measures in the past month with several more poised to ease shortly. The US economy is holding up well, although our global growth indicator series is finely poised between signalling a mid-cycle slowdown and a full-blown recession. Valuations have become extreme in certain asset classes, especially equity risk premia versus bonds and credit.

Cumulative performance

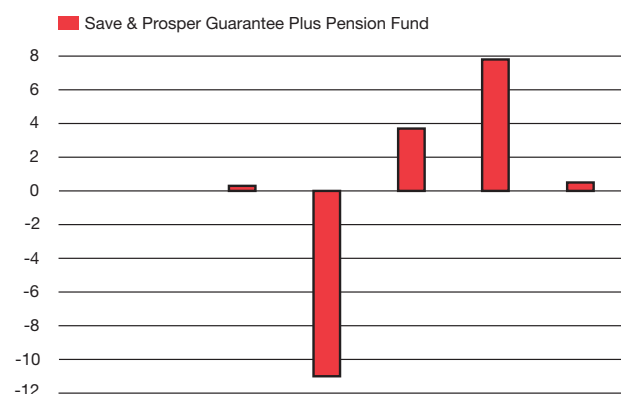
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%	3M	1 Y	3 Y	5 Y	10 Y
Save & Prosper Guarantee Plus Pension Fund	0.1	0.5	12.4	0.3	42.4

Rolling 12 month performance

(as at 30/09)



%	2007/2006	2008/2007	2009/2008	2010/2009	2011/2010
Save & Prosper Guarantee Plus Pension Fund	0.3	-11.0	3.7	7.8	0.5

Returns calculated on an offer to offer, pension fund tax basis.

Source: J.P. Morgan.

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