

The PRISM Master Strategy (MIS) and all PRISM profiles have continued to deliver excellent investment returns thus far in 2025 with year to date performance set out in the table below:

Profile	H1	H1+	H2	H2+	H3	H3+	H4	H5	H6	H8	H10	EG
GBP	2.6%	2.9%	3.3%	3.8%	4.2%	4.7%	5.2%	5.6%	6.1%	6.7%	7.5%	8.1%
USD	2.8%	3.5%	4.4%	5.3%	6.2%	7.3%	8.4%	9.6%	10.9%	12.4%	15.2%	17.7%
EUR	1.7%	1.9%	2.3%	2.5%	2.9%	3.1%	3.4%	3.5%	3.7%	3.9%	3.9%	3.4%

US Dollar strategies have posted particularly impressive performance helped by a combination of a weaker dollar and strong equity markets. Performance of both the Euro and Sterling strategies have been tempered a little by the dollar's weakness as strong US equity market performance has been offset by a falling US dollar. Nevertheless, performance has been robust across all strategies and it has been pleasing to see our UK equity strategy being one of the top contributors.

Interest rate environment

Since our last PRISM update in February 2025, central bank interest rates have continued to fall with the European Central Bank cutting rates by 0.6% to 2.15% and the Bank of England reducing base rates by 0.5% to 4.0% currently. Despite increasing pressure to cut from the Trump administration, the US Federal Reserve has thus far remained cautious and has kept US interest rates at 4.5%; however, it is widely expected that further US rate cuts will begin in September with the Treasury Secretary, Scott Bessent, calling for cuts of 1.5% over the coming months.

We remain positive on the outlook for financial markets in 2025, and expect the combination of falling interest rates and reduced inflation coupled with positive, albeit modest, economic growth and resilient earnings to be supportive. However, equity valuations have expanded again to high levels, so there is room for potential disappointments to generate volatility; whether from tariff shocks, geopolitical uncertainty or earnings.

Changes to expected returns on PRISM profiles

PRISM is designed to be able to respond to the changing interest rate and economic environment by updating the PRISM expected return and risk profiles to suit the conditions. PRISM expected return and risk profiles were last updated in February 2025.

Reflecting the lower interest rate environment, we have adjusted the expected return profiles for the lower risk strategies across all three currencies and these are detailed on the following page. For more cautious investors the lower risk profiles remain highly compelling compared to money market returns, particularly as falling interest rates start to reduce fixed deposit rates.

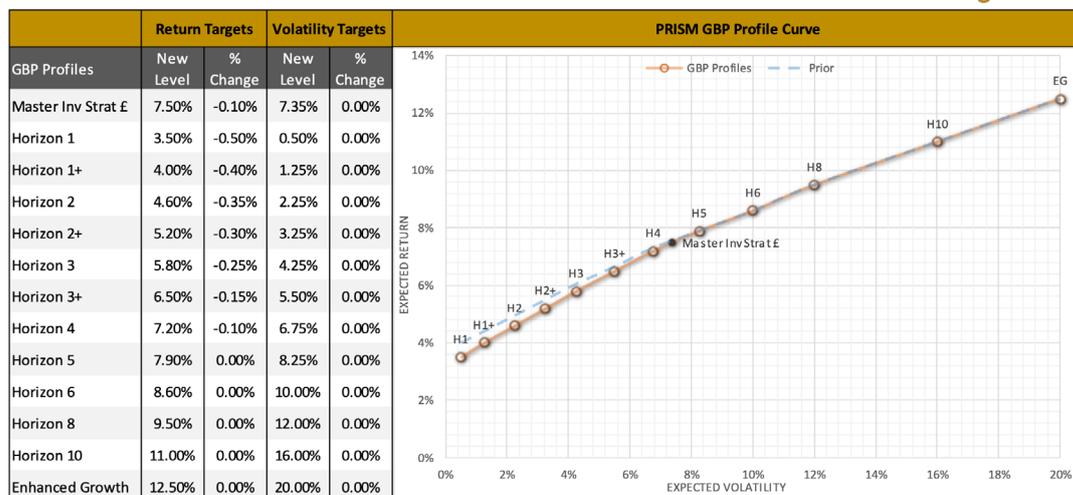
These changes will come into effect from the **Tuesday 26th August 2025** pricing point and trades should be received by 12.30pm on that day.

PRISM profiles will be updated to reflect future interest rate changes to ensure they remain compelling. Do not hesitate to contact us if you require further information; our Business Development team can be contacted by email businessdevelopment@capital-iom.com or by telephone on **+44 (0) 1624 654200**.

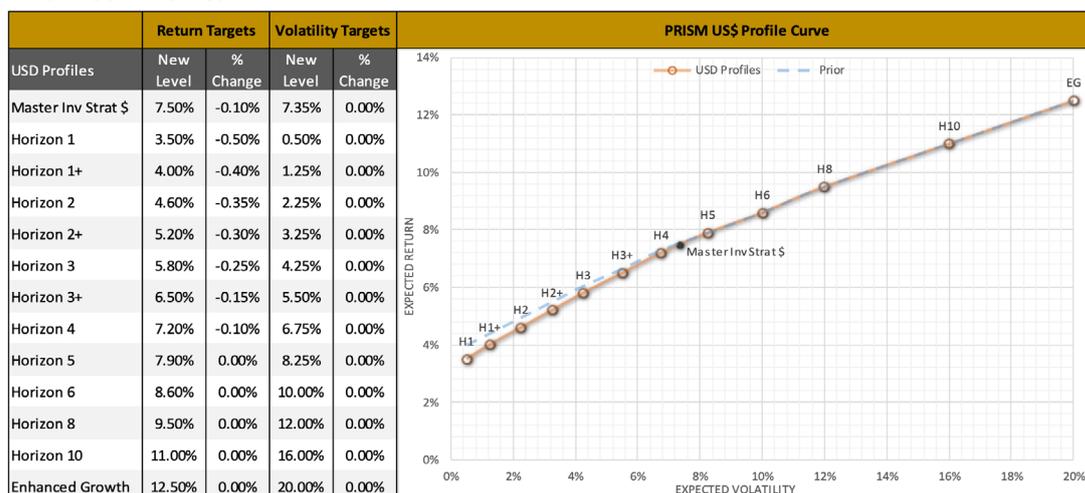
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PRISM GBP Profiles:

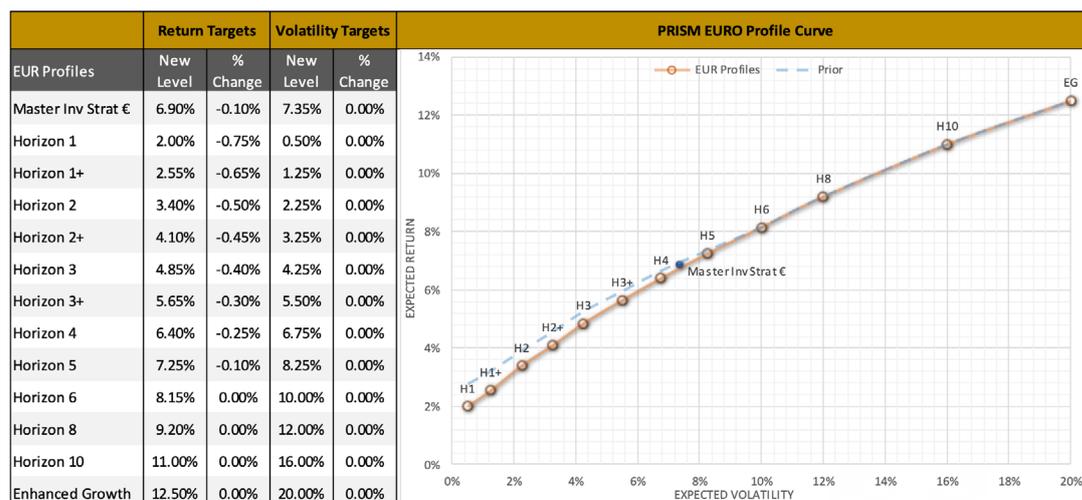
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PRISM USD Profiles:



PRISM EURO Profiles:



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