# **Shares** by BlackRock

# **ASSET ALLOCATION** SOLUTIONS

Build a diversified portfolio with one fund

# **Key benefits:**

- 1. Simply build a diversified portfolio based on risk considerations, using one fund.
- 2. Harness the experience of BlackRock and the efficiency of iShares ETFs to get a broad mix of bonds and global stocks.
- 3. Use to establish a long-term, balanced portfolio that aligns with an investor's specific goals and risk considerations.

# iShares provides two simple solutions - Core and Sustainable

Each iShares Asset Allocation fund offers exposure to US stocks, global stocks and bonds that rebalance back to fixed weights.

#### **iShares Core Allocation Funds**

Each fund holds an underlying portfolio of iShares Core Funds (Figure 2). iShares Core ETFs are broad stock and bond exposures that seek to track quality, established indexes.



**iShares Core Conservative Allocation ETF** Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.15%

Index: S&P Target Risk Conservative Index



**iShares Core Moderate Allocation ETF** Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.15%

Index: S&P Target Risk Moderate Index



**iShares Core Growth Allocation ETF** Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.15% Index: S&P Target Risk Growth Index



**iShares Core Aggressive Allocation ETF** Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.15% Index: S&P Target Risk Aggressive Index

## **iShares ESG Aware Allocation Funds**

Each fund holds an underlying portfolio of iShares ESG Aware funds (Figure 3). iShares ESG Aware ETFs balance seeking similar risk and return to the relevant broad market while tilting towards companies with favorable ESG ratings.



iShares ESG Aware Conservative Allocation ETF Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.18%

Index: BlackRock ESG Aware Conservative Allocation Index

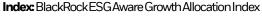


**iShares ESG Aware Moderate Allocation ETF** Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.18%

Index: BlackRock ESG Aware Moderate Allocation Index



**iShares ESG Aware Growth Allocation ETF** Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.18%





iShares ESG Aware Aggressive Allocation ETF Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>: 0.18%

Index: BlackRock ESG Aware Aggressive Allocation Index

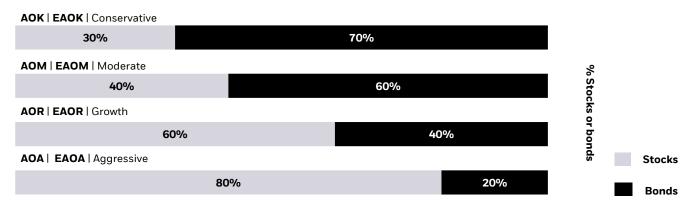
<sup>1</sup> Net expense ratios shown. See page 3 for gross expense ratios.

# iShares Asset Allocation ETFs' indexes: How they're built

The indexes that the iShares Asset Allocation ETFs seek to track are constructed using a thoughtful, straightforward process based on S&P or BlackRock index methodology:

- Stock and bond weights are fixed for each risk profile (Figure 1).
- Each fund holds iShares funds as underlying investments (Figure 2 and 3).
- Weight of each underlying iShares fund based on parent index market capitalization review. Funds rebalance semi-annually.

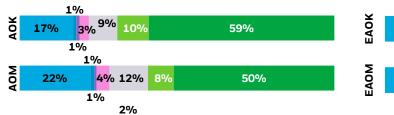
Figure 1: Each index has a target fixed allocation to stocks and bonds

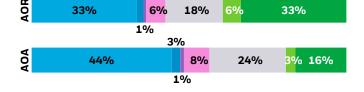


Source: BlackRock, S&P.

#### Figure 2: A look inside the Core Allocation funds<sup>2</sup>

The Core Allocation funds are built using seven iShares Core ETFs, but the weighting of these exposures within each of the Core Allocation funds depends on risk considerations.







iShares Core MSCI
Emerging Markets ETF (IEMG)

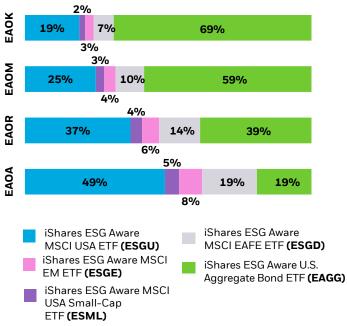
Developed Markets (IDEV)
iShares Core International
Aggregate Bond ETF (IAGG)

iShares Core International

iShares Core Total USD Bond Market ETF (IUSB)

## Figure 3: A look inside the ESG Aware Allocation ETFs<sup>3</sup>

The ESG Aware Allocation funds are built using five iShares ESG Aware ETFs, but the weighting of these exposures within each of the ESG Aware Allocation funds depends on risk considerations.



2 BlackRock, as of 12/29/23. Holdings are subject to change.

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#### Standardized performance

Ticker	Fund inception date	30-Day SEC Yield (with / without waiver)	Gross expense ratio	Contractual fee waiver expiration	1-year returns		5-year returns		10-year returns		Since inception	
					NAV	Mkt Price	NAV	Mkt Price	NAV	Mkt Price	NAV	Mkt Price
AOK	11/4/08	2.73 % / 2.67 %	0.21%	11/30/2026	10.84%	10.85%	4.44%	4.43%	3.63%	3.63%	4.70%	4.70%
АОМ	11/4/08	2.58 % / 2.53 %	0.20%	11/30/2026	12.29%	12.40%	5.48%	5.48%	4.34%	4.34%	5.61%	5.61%
AOR	11/4/08	2.29 % / 2.24 %	0.20%	11/30/2026	15.24%	15.75%	7.57%	7.58%	5.82%	5.82%	7.39%	7.39%
AOA	11/4/08	2.00 % / 1.95 %	0.19%	11/30/2026	18.28%	18.27%	9.61%	9.59%	7.06%	7.06%	9.21%	9.21%
EAOK	6/12/20	2.69 % / 2.58 %	0.30%	11/30/2025	10.22%	10.11%					1.77%	1.78%
EAOM	6/12/20	2.56 % / 2.43 %	0.31%	11/30/2025	11.82%	11.85%					3.22%	3.25%
EAOR	6/12/20	2.30 % / 2.16 %	0.32%	11/30/2025	15.06%	14.95%					6.10%	6.10%
EAOA	6/12/20	2.04 % / 1.88 %	0.34%	11/30/2025	18.36%	18.25%					8.97%	8.97%

Source: BlackRock, performance as of 12/29/2023 and fees as of current prospectus.

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