Asset Management Monthly report January 2020



Profile

DoubleDividend Management B.V. (DoubleDividend) is an independent responsible investment specialist. Where asset management is concerned we put together a portfolio tailored to your needs, whilst taking into account the desired risk profile, the investment horizon and the desired sustainability profile of the portfolio. Primary use is made of funds managed by DoubleDividend. Clients include wealthy individuals, associations and foundations. DoubleDividend operates under the full supervision of the AFM and DNB.

Investment philosophy:

- ✓ Sustainability makes a positive contribution to the risk-return profile of an investment portfolio.
- ✓ Investment is a long-term practice.
- ✓ We invest with conviction and only in quality in order to achieve a resilient portfolio.
- ✓ We aim to achieve a realistic return, taking risks into account
- ✓ Risk refers to the permanent loss of capital in the long term and not short-term volatility.
- ✓ We engage with the client and also invest in the funds managed by DoubleDividend.

Performance

The financial markets had a great start to the new year despite the uncertainties surrounding the corona virus. Both the DD Equity Fund and the DD Income Fund managed to close the month positively with a return of 0.7% and 1.9% respectively. The DD Property Fund started the year with a loss of 1.6% due to declining share prices of some retail investors.

The returns for the different risk profiles in January were between 1.6% for the most defensive profile and 0.3% for the most offensive risk profile. The neutral risk profile achieved a return of 0.9% in January.

Market data*		
Equities	Jan	2020
MSCI World	0.7%	0.7%
S&P 500	1.3%	1.3%
Euro Stoxx 600	-1.2%	-1.2%
Bonds		9.00
World**	2.0%	2.0%
Real Estate EPRA Index	1.7%	1.7%
Interest rates		
10-yr Germany	-0.44%	
10-yr US	1.51%	
Currencies EUR/USD	-1.1%	-1.1%
Other (in USD)		
Gold	4.7%	4.7%
Oil (Brent)	-11.9%	-11.9%

^{*}Total returns in euros, the price changes of gold and oil are calculated in US dollars.

** Barclays Global Aggregate Index



Table: net returns for the various risk profiles*

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020 Av until Jan	erage per year*	Total
Defensive	8.8%	1.3%	7.4%	-1.3%	4.7%	2.8%	-4.4%	17.7%	1.6%	4.6%	43.9%
Moderately defensive	10.1%	3.2%	10.0%	1.5%	5.4%	3.6%	-3.7%	20.6%	1.2%	6.2%	62.8%
Neutral	12.2%	5.7%	11.1%	4.9%	6.4%	4.6%	-2.7%	22.7%	0.9%	7.9%	85.4%
Offensive	13.9%	8.3%	14.8%	7.9%	7.3%	5.8%	-1.7%	26.1%	0.7%	10.0%	116.5%
Very offensive	15.4%	9.6%	16.7%	10.1%	8.5%	6.4%	-1.1%	29.3%	0.3%	11.5%	140.6%

^{*} The returns are based on the tactical asset allocation, after all costs, and with invested capital up to EUR 1 million.

Tactical asset allocation

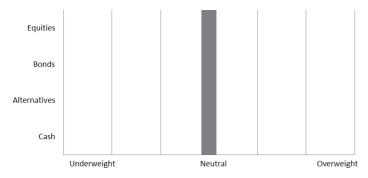
Each investment profile has a strategic allocation with bandwidths to equities, bonds and alternatives. The table below gives an overview of the five different standard investment profiles (without bandwidths). The classifications of risk profiles are motivated by the AFM (the Dutch Authority for the Financial Markets) and mainly based on historical risks and returns.

RISK PROFILES	defensive	moderate	neutral	offensive	very
		defensive			offensive
Equities	10%	25%	40%	60%	80%
Bonds	85%	65%	45%	25%	10%
Alternatives	5%	10%	15%	15%	10%
Cash	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Source: DoubleDividend Management B.V.

We respond to the current market conditions by putting weights (within the bandwidths) to the various asset classes: equities, bonds and alternatives. We call this the tactical asset allocation. We were overweight equities at the start of 2019, but we reduced this overweight position in two small steps. At the moment we do not have an overweight position in equities anymore and are the strategic and tactical asset allocation identical. Equities have the best long-term outlook, but given the recent sharp rise in share prices and the increased risks of, for example, an economic downturn or an escalation of the corona virus, we are slightly more cautious. For bonds, the outlook is less than average due to low interest rates, but the risk is also lower.

Tactical asset allocation



Team DoubleDividend

The value of your investments can fluctuate. Past performance is no guarantee for the future.