US GROWTH EQUITY

FACTOR-BASED MODEL PORTFOLIO STRATEGY



STRATEGY

In seeking to pursue its investment objective, the portfolio is designed to provide exposure to high quality US Growth companies that consistently generate shareholder wealth, while trading at attractive price. This strategy is based on a proprietary multi-factor quantitative model.

OBJECTIVES

- 1. Target long term capital appreciation among US Growth Equities.
- 2. Consistently deliver performance over the S&P 500 Total Return Index.
- 3. Maximize tax efficiency by having a low portfolio turnover ratio.

RISK RATING



REASONS TO INVEST

- Historically outperformed benchmark.
- Risk-adjusted return performance.
- Consistent investment process.

INVESTMENT PROCESS



AS OF JANUARY 31ST, 2021



PERFORMANCE [see disclaimer]

	Annualized (%)	1M	3M	1Y	5Y	SI
	Strategy	2.0	19.0	33.3	24.5	16.5
	S&P 500 TR	-1.0	14.0	17.2	16.1	6.5
	Difference	3.0	5.0	16.1	8.4	10.0
	Yearly (%)	17	18	19	20	21
	Strategy	34.1	0.9	42.8	28.6	2.0
	S&P 500 TR	21.8	-4.4	31.5	18.4	-1.0
	Difference	12.2	5.2	11.3	10.2	3.0
	Monthly (%)	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan
	Strategy	-5.3	-3.1	13.3	3.0	2.0
	S&P 500 TR	-3.8	-2.7	10.9	3.8	-1.0
	Difference	-1.5	-0.4	2.3	-0.9	3.0

TOP HOLDINGS

Ticker	Companies	Weight (%)
AMAT	Applied Materials	8.7
KLAC	KLA	8.5
AAPL	Apple	8.5
QCOM	QUALCOMM	6.9
COST	Costco Wholesale	6.7
EA	Electronic Arts	6.0
AMZN	Amazon.com	5.6
ZBRA	Zebra Technologies	5.4
FB	Facebook	5.2
TSCO	Tractor Supply	4.9

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RISK STATISTICS

Since Inception	Strategy	S&P 500 TR
Ann. Return (%)	16.5	6.5
Standard Dev. (%)	18.6	15.1
Max Drawdown (%)	-48.0	-55.2
Portfolio Turnover	53.5	4.2
Sharpe Ratio	0.8	0.4
Sortino Ratio	1.1	0.5
Index Correlation	0.9	1.0
R-Squared	0.7	1.0
Beta	1.1	1.0
Alpha (%)	10.0	0.0

SECTOR ALLOCATION

Weight (%)	Strategy	S&P 500 TR	Deviations
Info Tech	60.1	27.8	32.3
Staples	20.6	6.2	14.4
Energy	0.0	2.4	-2.4
Materials	0.0	2.6	-2.6
Utilities	0.0	2.8	-2.8
Discretionary	9.3	12.9	-3.5
Health Care	9.6	13.8	-4.2
Industrials	0.0	8.1	-8.1
Telecom	0.0	10.7	-10.7
Financials	0.0	12.8	-12.8

CHARACTERISTICS

Median Value	Strategy	S&P 500 TR
Market Cap (\$B)	431.2	20.5
Price / Earnings	20.1	26.8
Price / Book	8.6	8.4
Price / Sales	6.3	7.6
Price / Cash Flow	24.8	26.1
Return on Equity	29.4	12.4
Dividend Yield	0.7	0.0
5Y EPS Growth	28.0	15.0
Debt / Equity	0.7	0.6
5Y Beta	0.98	1.00

PORTFOLIO FACTS

Number of Securities	20
Currency	USD
Benchmark	S&P 500 TR
Inception Date	January 1 st , 2000
Strategy Fees	Contact Us
Rebalancing Frequency	Quarterly

PORTFOLIO MANAGER

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