



# STRINGER ASSET MANAGEMENT RISK MANAGED TACTICAL OPPORTUNITIES PORTFOLIO

Q3 2023  
100% Equity Risk Profile

## BENCHMARK ALLOCATION:



Equity: 100.0%

## PORTFOLIO ALLOCATION:



Equity: 66.0%  
Fixed Income: 12.0%  
Alternatives: 20.0%  
Cash: 2.0%

## APPROXIMATE YIELD\*:

Portfolio Yield 3.48%  
Blended Benchmark Yield ^ 2.06%

## TOP HOLDINGS\*\*:

TICKER	WEIGHT
JPMORGAN EQUITY PREMIUM	20.00%
SPDR S&P 400 MID CAP VALUE	18.50%
HEALTH CARE SELECT SPDR	17.00%
SPDR BLOOMBERG 3-12 MONTH	12.00%
TECHNOLOGY SELECT SECTOR	10.50%

## COMPOSITE (GROSS)

## COMPOSITE (NET)

## BENCH- MARK ^

## Risk/Return Characteristics Since September 2015

Return	4.89%	4.59%	8.42%
Std. Dev.	14.54%	14.53%	15.39%
Alpha	-2.49%	-2.76%	-
Beta	0.88	0.87	1.00

## Annualized Trailing Returns

1-Yr	5.28%	5.28%	20.80%
3-Yrs	4.25%	4.21%	6.89%
5-Yrs	4.19%	3.96%	6.46%
7-Yrs	5.92%	5.61%	8.60%

## Calendar Year Returns

2022	-21.71%	-21.71%	-18.36%
2021	27.24%	27.24%	18.54%
2020	20.30%	19.71%	16.25%
2019	21.67%	21.08%	26.60%
2018	-14.23%	-14.66%	-9.41%
2017	17.67%	17.09%	23.97%
2016	4.43%	4.14%	7.86%

## INVESTMENT STRATEGY:

This Portfolio is designed to provide long-term growth of capital for equity investors seeking to take advantage of nearer term opportunities by mainly investing its assets in equity ETFs.

## INVESTMENT ADVISOR:

Stringer Asset Management is dedicated to helping advisors and investors close the gap between the opportunities that the financial markets present and the returns they actually realize. Our core investment beliefs are aligned closely with current research and proven diversification methodologies. Additionally, our forward-thinking approach marries behavioral finance, modern portfolio theory, and real-world practicality as we employ a robust, three-layered risk management process.

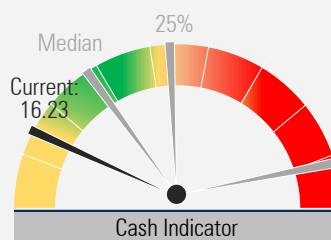
## OUR THREE LAYERS OF RISK MANAGEMENT:

Our Portfolios are anchored with our strategic allocation (~75%) that is based on our capital market expectations for the next 3-5 years.

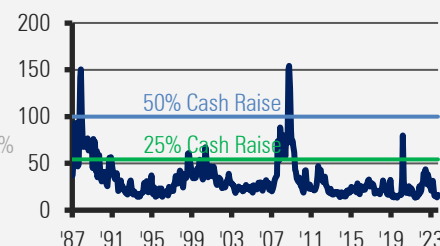
We complement our strategic allocation with a tactical allocation (~25%) that gives us the ability to manage risk in real time based on our 6 to 18 month outlook. Through a broad array of themes and asset classes including cash, we can either invest opportunistically or defensively depending on the market environment.

The Cash Indicator is an important component of our Portfolio that advises us to increase our cash reserve to either 25% or 50% in rare market environments. We use this intentionally stubborn tool as an airbag to potentially protect principal during extreme downturns and reinvest at lower valuations as the markets recover.

## THE CASH INDICATOR (JANUARY 1987 - SEPTEMBER 2023):



Long-Term Median: 25  
25% Cash Raise: 54  
50% Cash Raise: 100



While the Cash Indicator (CI) level has increased in recent weeks, it still remains low by historical standards. The move off the recent bottom reflects increased equity market volatility. Still, readings this low reflect financial markets that are overly complacent in our view. We remain defensively positioned and prepared to take advantage of opportunities as they emerge.

Data sources: Stringer Asset Management, Bloomberg and Morningstar. Performance data quoted represents past performance and is for illustrative purposes only. **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.** Returns include the reinvestment of income, dividends and other earnings. ^ **Benchmark:** The benchmark is the MSCI ACWI Index. The index represented does not bear transaction costs or management fees, and cannot be actually bought or sold. All indices are unmanaged and investors can not invest directly in an index. For index definitions and statistical definitions, see the disclosures on the following page. \*Portfolio and benchmark yields are calculated using a harmonic weighted average of the net dividends per share during the past 12 months for each holding as of the date identified at their respective target weighting. \*\*Top Holdings are shown to illustrate an example of how an individual portfolio might have been invested at that time based on the target weightings. The securities identified do not represent all of the securities purchased, sold or recommended. The reader should not assume that an investment identified was or will be profitable.



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**Index Definitions:** *MSCI ACWI (Net) Index* - This Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of developed and emerging markets. The MSCI ACWI Index consists of 23 developed and 23 emerging market country indexes. Net total return includes the reinvestment of dividends after the deduction of withholding taxes, using a tax rate applicable to non-resident institutional investors who do not benefit from double taxation treaties.

**Statistical Definitions:** *Standard Deviation* - a statistical measure of volatility that is often used as an indicator of the 'risk' associated with a return series. Standard deviation of return measures the average deviations of a return series from its mean. A large standard deviation implies that there have been large swings in the return series of the manager. *Alpha* - a measure of risk (beta)-adjusted return. Alpha measures the difference between a portfolio's actual returns and what it might be expected to deliver based on its level of risk. In an ideal sense, higher risk should equate to higher return. A positive alpha means the fund has beaten expectations. A negative alpha means that the fund has failed to match performance given its level of risk. If two managers have the same return, but one has a lower beta, that manager would have a higher alpha. *Beta* - represents the systematic risk of a portfolio and measures its sensitivity to a benchmark. A portfolio with a beta of one is considered to be as risky as the benchmark and would therefore provide expected returns equal to those of the market benchmark during both up and down periods. A portfolio with a beta of two would move approximately twice as much as the benchmark.