

Pactive\* Approach to Investing

#### Portfolio Highlights

#### Objective:

Seeks risk-adjusted long-term growth for an aggressive risk tolerance by employing a top-down style to construct a global tactical asset allocation portfolio

## **Strategy Inception:**

June 30, 2016

#### Benchmark:

80% MSCI ACWI Index, 15% Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index and 5% Bloomberg 1-3 month T-Bill Index.

## **Number of Holdings:**

5 - 30 US Listed ETFs

#### **Allocation Guidelines:**

The strategy's allocation is based on a long-term neutral policy of 80% equity, 15% fixed-income and 5% cash. But it has the flexibility to go +/- 10%:

**Equity:** 70% to 90% **Fixed Income:** 5% to 25% **Cash:** 0% to 15%

#### Top 10 Holdings<sup>1</sup> (%)

iShares MSCI Intl Quality Factor ETF	actor ETF 17.8				
Vanguard Value ETF	12.0				
Fidelity MSCI Information Technology Index ETF	10.6				
Janus Henderson Mortgage-Backed Securities ETF	6.3				
SPDR S&P Dividend ETF	6.0				
iShares MSCI Emerging Markets ex China ETF	5.9				
Financial Select Sector SPDR Fund	5.3				
iShares Global Healthcare ETF	5.2				
iShares MSCI USA Quality Factor ETF	5.1				
iShares Global Industrials ETF	3.9				

# Global Aggressive ETF Strategy

## **Top-Down Macro**

"Top-down" research, timetested over 30 years, conducted utilizing an extensive array of macro indicators to assess corporate profits, liquidity, and investor sentiment.

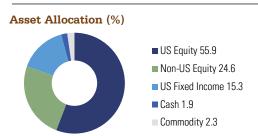
# **Pactive® Investing**

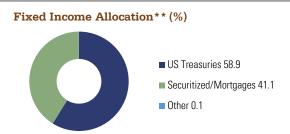
Active management of passive investments. RBA "X-rays" ETFs by analyzing the underlying holdings of each ETF, as though the portfolio holds thousands of individual securities.

## **Risk Mitigation**

Aims to maximize riskadjusted returns through all market conditions. Managing within risk parameters is a focus of the approach.

# Portfolio Allocations and Positioning





#### **Equity Positioning**

Overweight

 $Health\ Care,\ Utilities,\ Industrials,\ Financials,\ Consumer\ Staples,\ US,\ Europe\ ex-UK$ 

Underweight

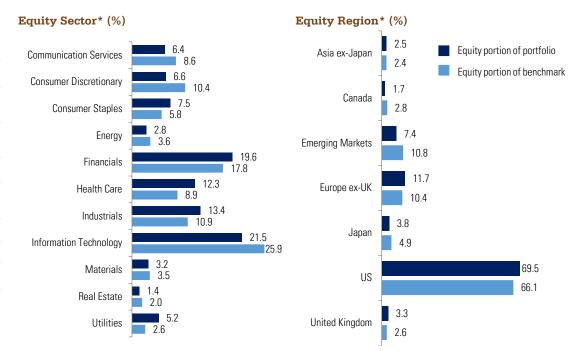
Communication Services, Consumer Discretionary, Information Technology, Japan, Canada, China

# **Fixed Income Positioning**

Overweight Underweight

Long & Short-Term Nominal Treasuries, Securitized/Mortgages

Medium-Term Nominal Treasuries, Investment Grade Corporates



<sup>\*</sup>Weightings are calculated on an equity-only basis. \*\*Weightings are calculated on a fixed income-only basis.

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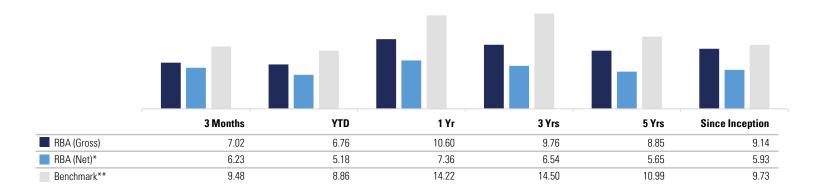
¹ While the material reflects the recommended securities in the Strategy as of the dates indicated, the specific securities purchased, sold or selected for a particular client's account may differ from those identified and described above, including in light of such client's individual circumstances. The reader should not assume that an investment in the securities identified was or will be profitable.

Source: Richard Bernstein Advisors LLC, Bloomberg. Weightings are calculated on an equity-only basis. Allocations are subject to change due to active management. Percentages may not total 100% due to rounding.

Sector references are in accordance with the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS\*\*) www.msci.com/gics

# Portfolio Performance and Risk Statistics

# Annualized Performance<sup>1</sup> (%)



## **Historical Returns (%)**

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
RBA (Gross)	9.49	9.23	-11.04	14.48	14.84	22.76	-10.44	20.43	11.12
RBA (Net)*	6.28	6.02	-13.70	11.13	11.48	19.19	-13.11	16.92	9.50
Benchmark**	14.38	18.78	-16.43	14.43	14.82	22.55	-7.39	19.47	4.84

## 5 Year Risk Measures (%)

	Standard Deviation	Tracking Error	Alpha	Beta	R2	Information Ratio	Sharpe Ratio	Sortino Ratio
RBA (Gross)	12.58	3.07	-1.57	0.95	94.33	-0.69	0.50	0.78
RBA (Net)*	12.58	3.07	-4.57	0.95	94.33	-1.74	0.26	0.39
Benchmark**	12.93						0.65	1.02

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Based on monthly data. Source: Richard Bernstein Advisors LLC, Morningstar. Inception June 30, 2016. For investment minimums, please contact your financial advisor. 

¹Returns greater than 1 year are annualized.

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<sup>\*</sup>Net performance reflects the deduction of an assumed 3.00% annual fee. See disclosure at the end of the factsheet for further information.

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The Strategy has an inception date of June 30, 2016. The Strategy seeks risk-adjusted long-term growth for an aggressive risk tolerance by employing a top-down style to construct a global tactical asset allocation portfolio. Accounts in this Strategy obtain desired exposure via ETF vehicles.

The benchmark is composed as follows: 80% MSCI ACWI USD Net, 15% Bloomberg US Aggregate Index Unhedged USD, and 5% Bloomberg US Treasury Bills: 1-3 Months Index Unhedged. The benchmark is rebalanced daily.

Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Performance is shown in USD and includes reinvestment of dividends and other earnings. Results are shown on a "gross" and "net" basis. Gross-of-fee returns are reduced by actual trading costs incurred and platform fees but are before deduction of any advisory or other fees. Net performance reflects the deduction of an assumed 3.00% annual fee rate which is intended to equal or exceed the combined maximum advisory program fees and maximum investment management fees charged to advisory platform clients. Returns are calculated by applying the assumed annual fee rate to the gross monthly returns. This combined fee will normally include all charges for trading costs, portfolio management fees, custody and other administrative fees. Actual fees may vary depending on the individual sponsor's fee. Investment management fees are negotiated directly with advisory program sponsors. Fees are negotiable where circumstances warrant. Taxes have not been deducted.

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