

Professional Portfolio Management Simplified

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StormGuard™ Defensive Snapshot

Overview

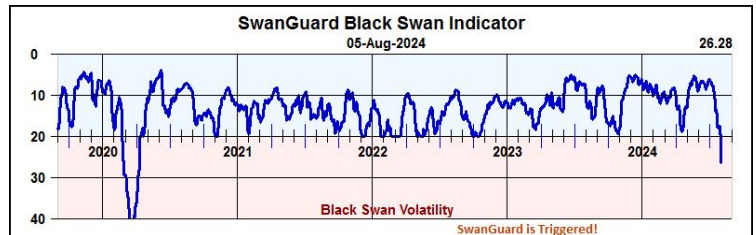
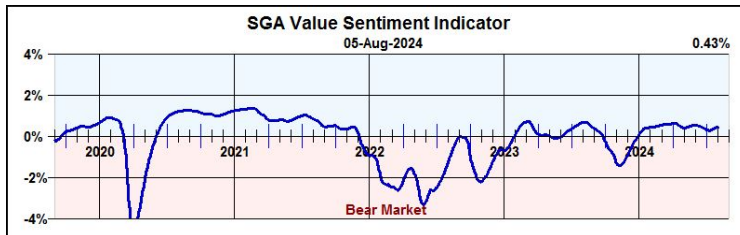
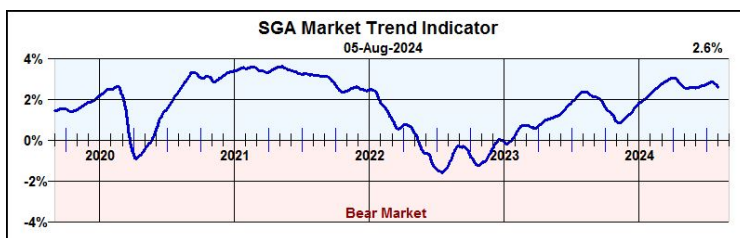


StormGuard incorporates three primary views of the market: Market Trend, Institutional Momentum and Value Sentiment. Twelve separate measures of these three views are logically combined to produce the StormGuard-Armor composite value. Four additional measures of volatility and oversold conditions help hasten exits for Black Swan market crash events and help hasten re-entry following strong rebound events.



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StormGuard considers numerous indicators.



Automated Narrative: "SwanGuard has been triggered, indicating extreme volatility, a sharp market decline, and a corresponding rise in treasuries. Defensive treasury funds will be immediately employed. Slower-responding StormGuard-Armor will eventually take control of the defensive Bear Market Strategy. NOTE: StormGuard-Armor, like a smoke alarm, is not perfectly clairvoyant but helps improve your long-term batting average."

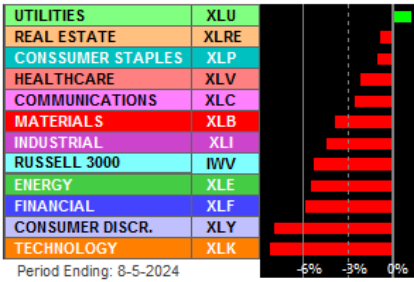
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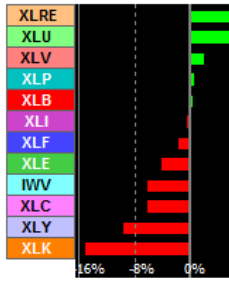
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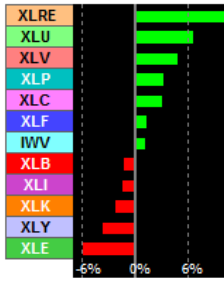
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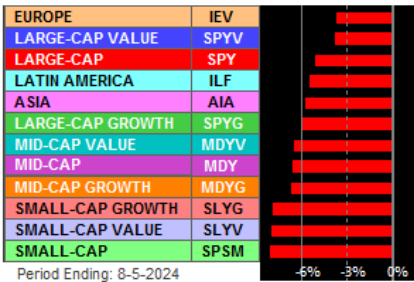
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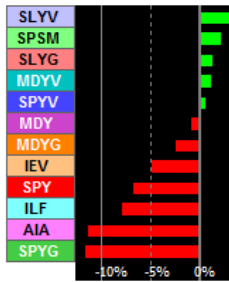
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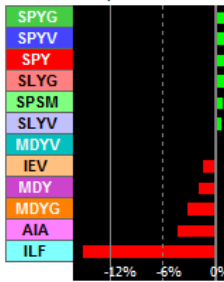
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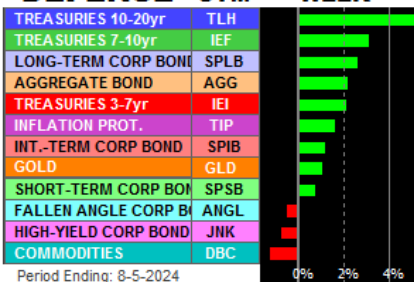
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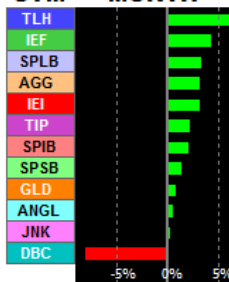
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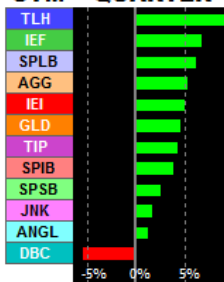
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SYM MONTH



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Which Trend Is My Friend?



Why These Aren't Trade Signals

Thematic Dual Defense™ Portfolios				Blended Dual Defense™ Portfolios			
	CAGR	Risk No	MaxDD		CAGR	Risk No	MaxDD
Alpha Bonds	8.6%	25	10.0%	Alpha 20:80 Dual Defense	10.4%	24	9.0%
SNUG Tact. Risk Mitigation	14.5%	29	12.0%	Alpha 40:60 Dual Defense	12.8%	22	9.0%
Alpha Stylebox Dual Defense	16.9%	38	25.0%	Alpha 60:40 Core Dual Defense	13.5%	27	10.0%
Alpha Sectors Dual Defense	23.6%	30	21.0%	Alpha 60:40 Sectors Dual Defense	16.8%	22	12.0%
Alpha Global Dual Defense	19.8%	35	16.0%	Alpha 60:40 Global Dual Defense	12.9%	26	10.0%
Alpha Green Dual Defense	16.2%	45	16.0%	Alpha 60:40 Green Dual Defense	13.2%	26	10.0%
Alpha Innovation Dual Defense	22.4%	50	26.0%	Alpha 60:40 Stocks Dual Defense	26.3%	23	18.0%
Alpha Stocks Dual Defense	35.6%	28	24.0%	Alpha 80:20 Dual Defense	17.9%	25	11.0%

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[Benchmark Construction Page](#)

CAGR-Compound Annual Growth Rate:



Alpha Bonds

Fixed Income Portfolio

August 06, 2024

Model Rebalanced: Aug-06-2024

Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	50.0 iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF
2	TLH	50.0 iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF

Alpha Bonds Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 05-07-2011 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** BMS-B,Y Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** BND U.S. Aggregate Bond Index.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	25.0	8.6%	10%
Benchmark	30.0	3.2%	18%

Statistics measured from 6/1/2004 by AlphaDroid.

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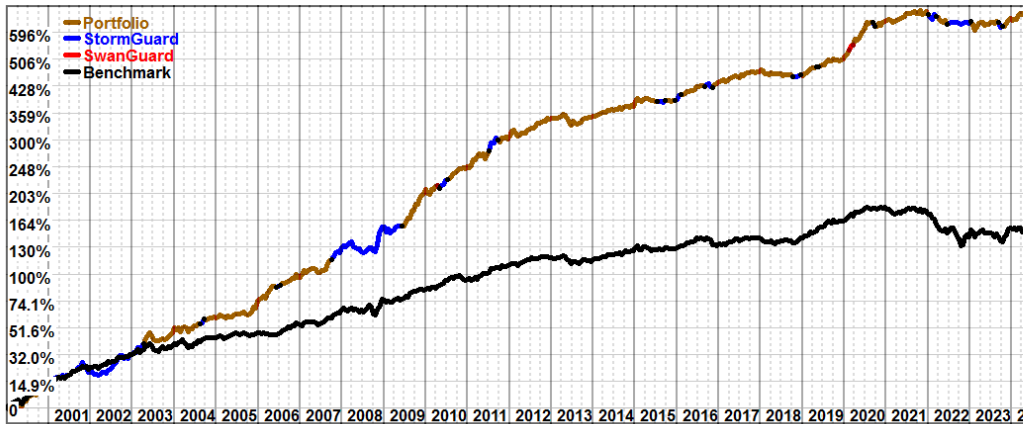
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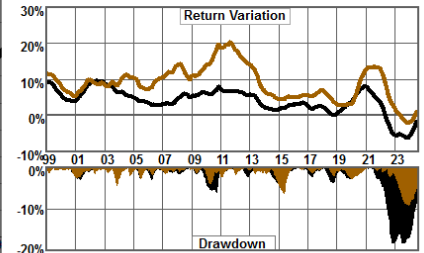


CAGR
8.6

Percent



Underlying Strategies	Weight
1. Bonds SPDR	25.0%
2. Bonds iShares	25.0%
3. Gold'n Yield	25.0%
4. Treasuries	25.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	11.5%	7.9%	6.3%	16.2%	13.7%	13.4%	18.8%	15.0%	14.6%	10.7%	1.1%	6.4%	2.4%	9.0%	6.7%	-1.9%	8.6%	22.0%	4.8%	-5.8%	2.4%
Benchmark	4.0%	4.2%	2.4%	4.3%	7.3%	6.9%	3.6%	6.2%	7.9%	3.9%	-2.1%	5.8%	0.6%	2.5%	3.6%	-0.1%	8.8%	7.7%	-1.9%	-13.0%	5.7%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	6.0%	8.6%	1.1%	6.0%	5.5%	8.6%
Benchmark	3.2%	7.4%	-2.1%	0.3%	1.7%	3.2%

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Methodology		Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
Investor Risk Profile	Scheduled	Unscheduled			
Fixed Income	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.	

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Model Rebalanced: Aug-06-2024

Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name
1 TLH	100.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF

SNUG Tact. Risk Mitigation Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 01-06-2005 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** BMS-W,-Y Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** B6040 Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	28.8	14.9%	12%
Benchmark	48.9	7.1%	37%

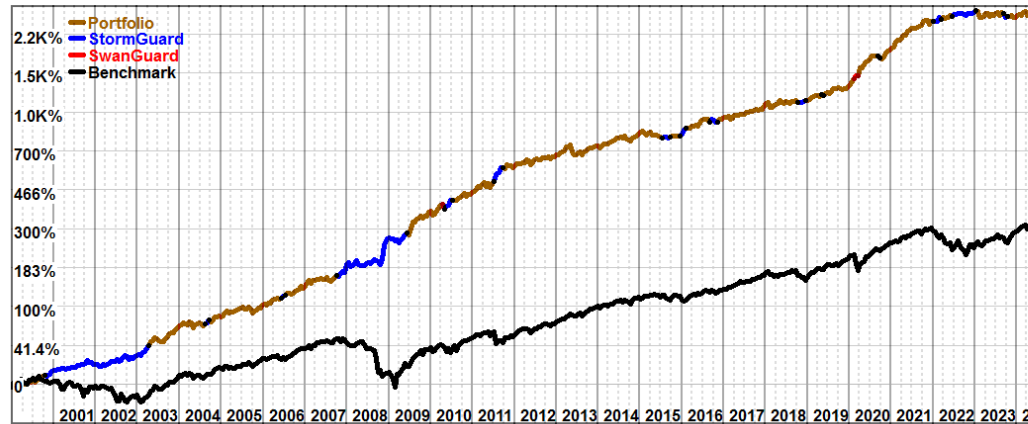
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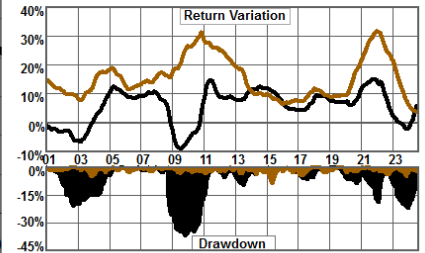
RISK
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Risk Number®



CAGR
15
Percent



Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
SNUG Defensive Alternati	20%	SNUG Bonds-Bonds-Bonc	15.0%
SNUG Comdty-Bond-Trery	20%	SNUG REIT-Bonds-Treasu	15.0%
SNUG REIT-Cmdty-Bond	15.0%	SNUG Gold-Bonds-Treas-	15.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	28.3%	10.9%	6.6%	20.8%	17.1%	32.4%	25.3%	19.4%	24.4%	10.1%	10.9%	9.9%	-1.5%	16.1%	12.2%	6.0%	12.3%	40.5%	27.8%	7.8%	-3.7%
Benchmark	20.0%	9.3%	5.7%	12.0%	7.6%	-23.4%	19.5%	11.0%	1.7%	11.6%	16.6%	7.6%	1.4%	5.7%	14.7%	-4.1%	21.4%	14.8%	13.5%	-16.1%	16.4%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	3.6%	1.0%	4.6%	15.3%	11.9%	14.9%
Benchmark	6.1%	11.8%	2.4%	8.0%	7.2%	7.1%

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Methodology		Portfolio Construction		More Charts
<p>The Merlyn.AI SNUG Tactical Risk Mitigation Index employs six underlying strategies that use a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end. The trend leader of each become a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. Candidate ETFs include equity and defensive ETFs.</p>		<p>Selections are made from a universe of over 60 ETFs that include a wide range of bond and Treasury categories, gold, and the S&P 500 index. A simple 60/40 portfolio forms the model's backbone, which is challenged for momentum leadership by the defensive ETFs. It is further defended by an integrated Bear Market Strategy, triggered by StormGuard.</p>		
Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Fixed Income	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.



Alpha Stylebox

Dual Defense Portfolio

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Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name
1 TLH	100.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF

Alpha Stylebox DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 05-25-2006 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** BMS-W,Y,J Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** S&P500 The S&P500 U.S. stock market index.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	38.5	17.2%	25%
Benchmark	71.1	10.3%	55%

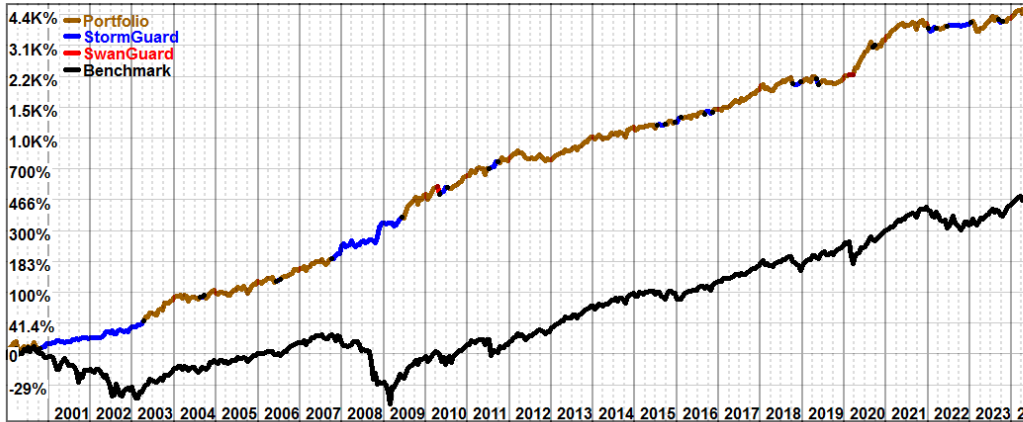
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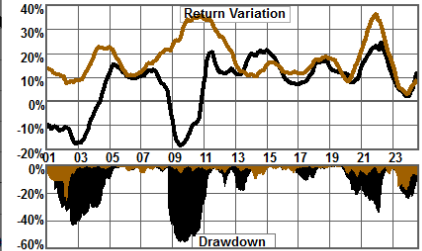
RISK
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CAGR
17
Percent



Underlying Strategies	Weight
1. Stylebox SPDR DD	25.0%
2. Stylebox iShares DD	25.0%
3. Stylebox Vanguard DD	25.0%
4. Stylebox Russell DD	25.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	37.6%	9.8%	5.5%	18.5%	23.9%	38.5%	33.7%	25.2%	20.4%	0.1%	29.6%	9.5%	6.8%	14.1%	27.2%	9.4%	4.1%	54.4%	19.4%	-1.1%	8.7%
Benchmark	28.7%	10.9%	4.9%	15.8%	5.5%	-37.0%	26.5%	15.1%	2.1%	16.0%	32.4%	13.7%	1.4%	12.0%	21.8%	-4.4%	31.5%	18.4%	28.7%	-18.1%	26.3%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	1.2%	3.8%	3.1%	17.0%	14.4%	17.2%
Benchmark	9.6%	17.5%	7.1%	14.6%	12.5%	10.3%

Methodology

Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the four underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.

Portfolio Construction

[More Charts](#)

The ETF selection is made from a field of 44 classic Stylebox ETFs divided among SPDR, iShares, Vanguard and Russell. The underlying strategies employ a momentum backstop having defensive funds that compete for momentum leadership with the 44 Stylebox ETFs. The Strategy includes a defensive integrated Bear Market Strategy, triggered by StormGuard.

Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Conservative	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.

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Alpha Sectors

Dual Defense Portfolio

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Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name
1 TLH	100.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF

Alpha Sectors DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 06-06-2007 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** BMS-W,J,O,Y Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** S&P500 The S&P500 U.S. stock market index.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	29.9	25.4%	21%
Benchmark	71.1	10.3%	55%

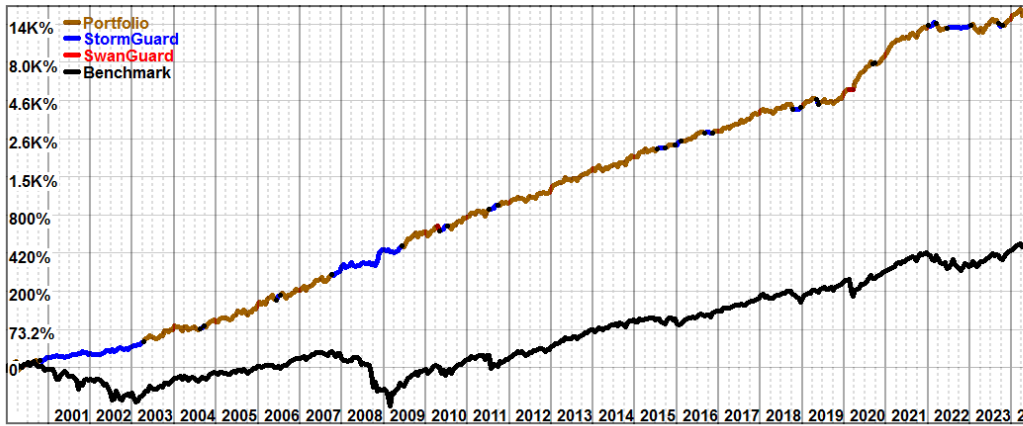
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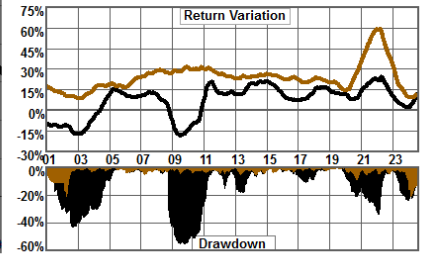
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CAGR
25
Percent



Underlying Strategies	Weight
1. Sectors SPDR-9 DD	25.0%
2. Sectors SPDR Gold DD	25.0%
3. Sectors iShares DD	25.0%
4. Sectors Aggressive DD	25.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	29.5%	11.5%	17.2%	32.5%	33.0%	34.9%	28.8%	22.3%	22.2%	19.6%	35.1%	21.1%	18.6%	20.7%	30.2%	9.7%	20.3%	74.3%	49.3%	1.9%	12.9%
Benchmark	28.7%	10.9%	4.9%	15.8%	5.5%	-37.0%	26.5%	15.1%	2.1%	16.0%	32.4%	13.7%	1.4%	12.0%	21.8%	-4.4%	31.5%	18.4%	28.7%	-18.1%	26.3%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	5.4%	9.6%	10.7%	29.7%	24.5%	25.4%
Benchmark	9.6%	17.5%	7.1%	14.6%	12.5%	10.3%

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Methodology		Portfolio Construction		More Charts	
Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the four underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.		The Sector ETF selections are made from a field of 44 sector and sub-sector ETFs from multiple asset managers. The underlying strategies employ a momentum backstop having defensive funds that compete for momentum leadership with the 44 Sector ETFs. The Strategy includes a defensive integrated Bear Market Strategy, triggered by StormGuard.			
Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations	
	Scheduled	Unscheduled			
Moderate	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.	

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Sym	%	Fund Name
1 TLH	100.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF

Alpha Global DD Portfolio

Portfolio Inception Date: 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
Forward Walk Starting: 12-24-2006 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
Bear Market Strategy: BMS-W,Y Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
Benchmark Index: S&P500 The S&P500 U.S. stock market index.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	34.7	20.8%	16%
Benchmark	71.1	10.3%	55%

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RISK
35

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CAGR
21

Percent

Underlying Strategies	Weight
1. Global Regions iSh DD	25.0%
2. Global Countries DD	25.0%
3. Global Regions SPDR DD	25.0%
4. Global Sectors DD	25.0%

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	30.9%	22.2%	26.1%	38.2%	41.9%	36.8%	36.9%	15.1%	12.1%	9.7%	28.3%	5.0%	6.7%	13.0%	26.3%	1.6%	14.8%	56.8%	21.2%	1.5%	17.0%
Benchmark	28.7%	10.9%	4.9%	15.8%	5.5%	-37.0%	26.5%	15.1%	2.1%	16.0%	32.4%	13.7%	1.4%	12.0%	21.8%	-4.4%	31.5%	18.4%	28.7%	-18.1%	26.3%

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Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity	Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
Moderate	<div style="width: 45%;"> <p>Scheduled</p> <p>Month-End</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>Unscheduled</p> <p>Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.</p> </div>	<p>StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.</p>	<p>Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.</p>

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Status: **BEAR Market**

[ALT PICKS](#)

Sym	%	Fund Name
1 TLH	100.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF

Alpha Green DD Portfolio

Portfolio Inception Date: 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
Forward Walk Starting: 11-12-2015 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
Bear Market Strategy: BMS-W,0,Z Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
Benchmark Index: S&P500 The S&P500 U.S. stock market index.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	45.2	16.1%	16%
Benchmark	75.3	9.9%	55%

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RISK
45
Risk Number®

CAGR
16
Percent

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Underlying Strategies	Weight
1. Sustainable Future DD	25.0%
2. Clean Water DD	25.0%
3. Clean Energy DD	25.0%
4. Electric Vehicles DD	25.0%

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023			
Portfolio	-	-	-	14.8%	32.6%	31.0%	17.9%	17.2%	19.0%	3.1%	22.1%	-0.4%	-5.0%	19.9%	31.0%	-6.2%	15.2%	102.6%	26.1%	-2.1%	-1.8%
Benchmark	-	-	-	15.8%	5.5%	-37.0%	26.5%	15.1%	2.1%	16.0%	32.4%	13.7%	1.4%	12.0%	21.8%	-4.4%	31.5%	18.4%	28.7%	-18.1%	26.3%

Methodology		Portfolio Construction		
<p>Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the four underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.</p>		<p>The Green ETF selections are made from a field of 32 sustainable, clean water, clean energy, and electric vehicle ETFs. The underlying strategies employ a momentum backstop having defensive funds that compete for momentum leadership with the 32 Green ETFs. The Strategy includes a defensive integrated Bear Market Strategy, triggered by StormGuard.</p>		
Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Moderate	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.



Alpha Innovation

Dual Defense Portfolio

August 06, 2024

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Sym	%	Fund Name
1 TLH	100.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF

Alpha Innovation DD Portfolio

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	50.2	22.8%	26%
Benchmark	71.1	10.3%	55%

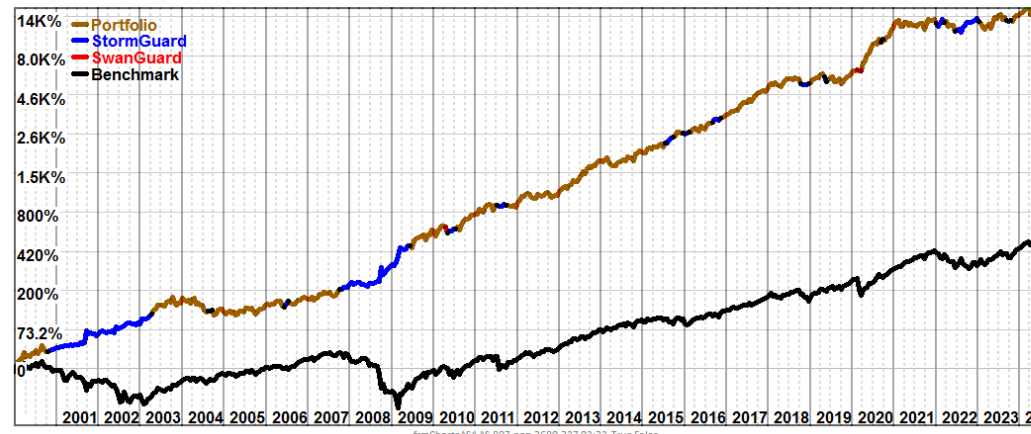
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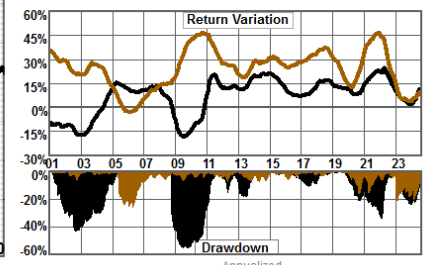
RISK
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CAGR
23
Percent



Underlying Strategies	Weight
1. Innov. ARK DD	25.0%
2. Innov. Internet DD	25.0%
3. Innov. Robo-AI DD	25.0%
4. Innov. Bio-Genome DD	25.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	35.1%	-10.9%	1.5%	14.1%	18.6%	34.1%	63.0%	24.8%	13.1%	17.2%	62.4%	11.9%	30.9%	24.1%	47.7%	10.3%	15.3%	88.7%	11.5%	2.9%	5.7%
Benchmark	28.7%	10.9%	4.9%	15.8%	5.5%	-37.0%	26.5%	15.1%	2.1%	16.0%	32.4%	13.7%	1.4%	12.0%	21.8%	-4.4%	31.5%	18.4%	28.7%	-18.1%	26.3%

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Methodology		Portfolio Construction		More Charts	
<p>Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the four underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.</p>		<p>The Innovation ETF selections are made from a field of 33 ARK, internet, robotics, AI, and bio-genome ETFs. The underlying strategies employ a momentum backstop having defensive funds that compete for momentum leadership with the 33 green ETFs. The Strategy includes a defensive integrated Bear Market Strategy, triggered by StormGuard.</p>			
Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations	
	Scheduled	Unscheduled			
Growth	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.	

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	TLH	72.7	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TYD	27.3	Direxion Daily 7-10 Yr Trsry Bull 3X ET		

Alpha Stocks DD Portfolio

Portfolio Inception Date: 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
Forward Walk Starting: 07-20-2003 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
Bear Market Strategy: -G,W,X Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
Benchmark Index: S&P500 The S&P500 U.S. stock market index.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	27.8	35.3%	24%
Benchmark	71.1	10.3%	55%

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RISK

28

Risk Number®

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CAGR

35

Percent

Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Stocks: Healthcare	9.1%	Stocks: Cons. Staples	9.1%
Stocks: Cons. Discretionary	9.1%	Stocks: Finance	9.1%
Stocks: Industrial	9.1%	Stocks: Energy	9.1%
Stocks: Communications	9.1%	Stocks: Real Estate	9.1%
Stocks: Technology	9.1%	Stocks: Utilities	9.1%
Stocks: Materials	9.1%		

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	90.0%	36.8%	44.1%	38.2%	60.8%	39.2%	77.1%	28.9%	30.8%	23.8%	42.1%	20.3%	28.8%	37.8%	22.6%	13.6%	16.7%	90.0%	61.1%	-1.5%	18.6%
Benchmark	28.7%	10.9%	4.9%	15.8%	5.5%	-37.0%	26.5%	15.1%	2.1%	16.0%	32.4%	13.7%	1.4%	12.0%	21.8%	-4.4%	31.5%	18.4%	28.7%	-18.1%	26.3%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	12.9%	22.0%	16.7%	35.1%	28.0%	35.2%
Benchmark	9.6%	17.5%	7.1%	14.6%	12.5%	10.3%

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Methodology		Portfolio Construction		
<p>Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 11 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate stocks at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.</p>		<p>The Stocks selections are made from a field of 121 of the largest cap stocks in each of the 11 economic sectors. The underlying strategies employ a momentum backstop having defensive funds that compete for momentum leadership with the 121 Stocks. The Strategy includes a defensive integrated Bear Market Strategy, triggered by StormGuard.</p>		
Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Growth	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	37.5	iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TLH	57.5	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
3	UST	5.0	ProShares Ultra 7-10 Year Treasury ETF		

Alpha 20:80 DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date: 12-25-2022** When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting: 05-07-2011** Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy: -B,Y,W,A,0,J** Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index: B2080** Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	24.2	10.2%	9%
Benchmark	25.5	4.2%	14%

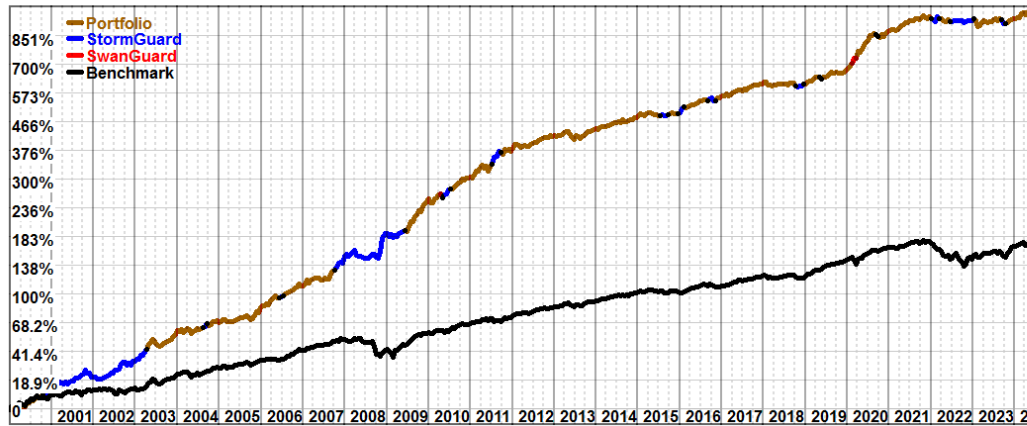
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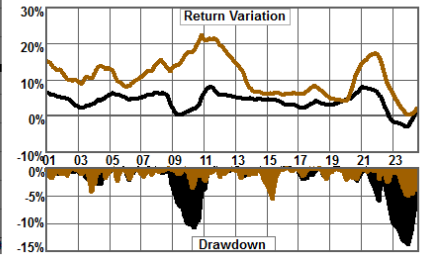
RISK
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CAGR
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Percent



Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Bonds SPDR	20%	Gold'n Yield	20%
Bonds iShares	17.5%	Treasuries	17.5%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-1	5.0%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-2	5.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-3	2.5%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-4	2.5%
Stylebox SPDR DD	2.5%	Stylebox iShares DD	2.5%
Stylebox Vanguard DD	2.5%	Stylebox Russell DD	2.5%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	16.7%	8.3%	5.8%	16.9%	15.9%	18.4%	20.3%	16.7%	16.4%	9.2%	4.5%	7.2%	2.5%	9.9%	9.3%	-0.5%	8.4%	26.9%	9.2%	-2.3%	1.7%
Benchmark	8.4%	5.2%	3.7%	7.0%	6.8%	-5.6%	9.3%	6.5%	4.0%	5.6%	4.3%	5.0%	0.7%	3.1%	6.4%	-0.9%	11.2%	8.6%	3.6%	-10.8%	9.1%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	5.5%	6.8%	2.3%	8.5%	7.2%	10.2%
Benchmark	4.1%	8.4%	0.7%	3.3%	3.5%	4.2%

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Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.

The 20:80 Portfolio is a blended allocation weighted combination of the following portfolios: 75% Alpha Bonds, 15% Alpha Risk Mitigation, and 10% Alpha Stylebox. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 20% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 20%.

Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Fixed Income	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	25.0	iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TLH	68.8	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
3	UST	6.3	ProShares Ultra 7-10 Year Treasury ETF		

Alpha 40:60 DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date: 12-25-2022** When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting: 05-07-2011** Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy: -B,Y,W,A,O,J** Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index: B4060** Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	22.4	12.8%	9%
Benchmark	36.3	5.7%	25%

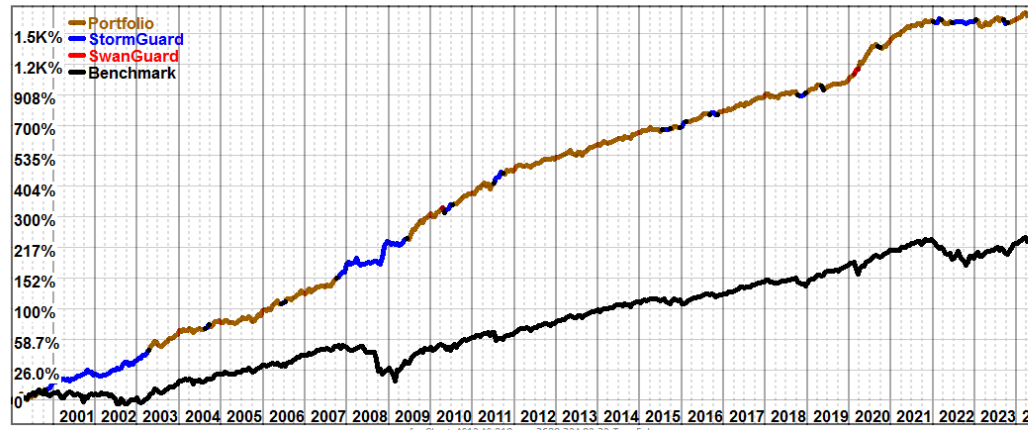
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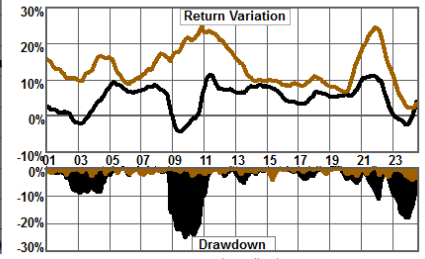
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CAGR 13
Percent



Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Bonds SPDR	12.5%	Gold'n Yield	12.5%
Bonds iShares	12.5%	Treasuries	12.5%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-1	6.3%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-2	6.3%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-3	6.3%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-4	6.3%
Stylebox SPDR DD	6.3%	Stylebox iShares DD	6.3%
Sectors SPDR-9 DD	6.3%	Sectors SPDR Gold DD	6.3%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	21.7%	9.8%	4.4%	18.2%	18.9%	23.8%	21.3%	18.8%	18.0%	9.7%	11.0%	9.5%	4.3%	12.2%	12.5%	3.0%	10.2%	33.8%	16.7%	-0.6%	2.2%
Benchmark	14.0%	7.2%	4.7%	9.5%	7.2%	-14.8%	14.5%	8.8%	2.9%	8.6%	10.3%	6.3%	1.1%	4.4%	10.5%	-2.5%	16.3%	11.9%	8.5%	-13.4%	12.7%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	5.3%	5.8%	3.5%	12.2%	10.2%	12.7%
Benchmark	5.1%	10.2%	1.6%	5.7%	5.4%	5.7%

Methodology	Portfolio Construction More Charts
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Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.

The 40:60 Portfolio is a blended set of portfolios including: 50% Alpha Bonds, 25% Alpha Risk Mitigation, 12.5% Alpha Stylebox, and 12.5% Alpha Sectors. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 40% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 40%.

Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Conservative	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.



Alpha 60:40 Core

Dual Defense Portfolio

August 06, 2024

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	16.0	iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TLH	80.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
3	UST	4.0	ProShares Ultra 7-10 Year Treasury ETF		

Alpha 60:40 Core DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 05-07-2011 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** -B,Y,W,A,O,J Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** B6040 Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	26.9	13.7%	10%
Benchmark	48.9	7.1%	37%

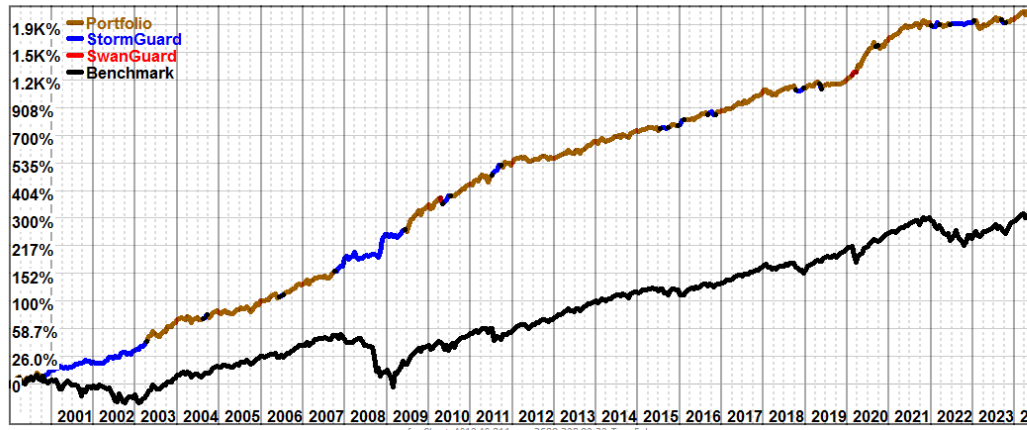
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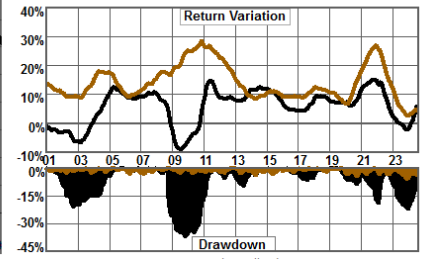
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CAGR 14
Percent



Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Bonds SPDR	8.0%	Gold'n Yield	8.0%
Bonds iShares	8.0%	Treasuries	8.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-1	4.0%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-2	4.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-3	6.0%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-4	6.0%
Stylebox SPDR DD	12.0%	Stylebox iShares DD	12.0%
Stylebox Vanguard DD	12.0%	Stylebox Russell DD	12.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	26.4%	9.4%	5.1%	17.9%	19.4%	28.4%	25.1%	20.4%	18.5%	5.0%	15.5%	8.8%	4.6%	12.2%	16.9%	4.3%	7.0%	40.0%	15.7%	-0.1%	3.6%
Benchmark	20.0%	9.3%	5.7%	12.0%	7.6%	-23.4%	19.5%	11.0%	1.7%	11.6%	16.6%	7.6%	1.4%	5.7%	14.7%	-4.1%	21.4%	14.8%	13.5%	-16.1%	16.4%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	4.0%	5.0%	3.3%	13.2%	11.0%	13.6%
Benchmark	6.1%	11.8%	2.4%	8.0%	7.2%	7.1%

Methodology [More Charts](#)

Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.

The 60:40 Core Portfolio is a blended combination of other portfolios including: 32% Alpha Bonds, 20% Alpha Risk Mitigation, and 48% Alpha Stylebox. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 60% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 60%.

Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Conservative	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.

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Alpha 60:40 Sectors

Dual Defense Portfolio

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	16.0	iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TLH	80.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
3	UST	4.0	ProShares Ultra 7-10 Year Treasury ETF		

Alpha 60:40 Sectors DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 05-07-2011 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** -B,Y,W,A,O,J Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** B6040 Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	22.5	17.5%	12%
Benchmark	48.9	7.1%	37%

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RISK

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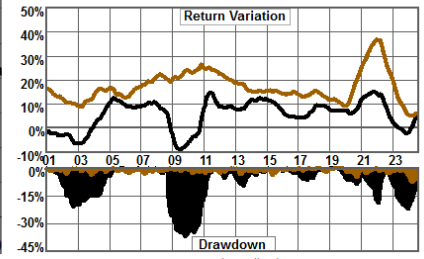
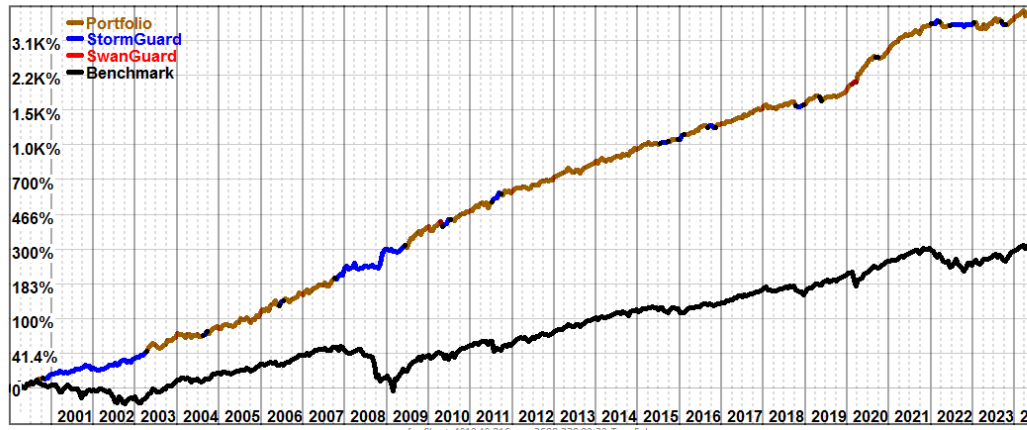
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CAGR

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Percent

Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Bonds SPDR	8.0%	Gold'n Yield	8.0%
Bonds iShares	8.0%	Treasuries	8.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-1	4.0%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-2	4.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-3	6.0%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-4	6.0%
Sectors SPDR-9 DD	12.0%	Sectors SPDR Gold DD	12.0%
Sectors iShares DD	12.0%	Sectors Aggressive DD	12.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	23.4%	10.3%	11.0%	25.1%	23.7%	26.8%	22.9%	19.1%	19.3%	14.4%	17.9%	14.2%	10.1%	15.3%	18.2%	4.4%	14.7%	48.4%	28.8%	1.3%	5.6%
Benchmark	20.0%	9.3%	5.7%	12.0%	7.6%	-23.4%	19.5%	11.0%	1.7%	11.6%	16.6%	7.6%	1.4%	5.7%	14.7%	-4.1%	21.4%	14.8%	13.5%	-16.1%	16.4%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	6.1%	7.9%	6.9%	18.9%	15.6%	17.5%
Benchmark	6.1%	11.8%	2.4%	8.0%	7.2%	7.1%

Methodology		Portfolio Construction		
<p>Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.</p>		<p>The 60:40 Sectors Portfolio is a blended combination of other portfolios including: 32% Alpha Bonds, 20% Alpha Risk Mitigation, and 48% Alpha Sectors. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 60% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 60%.</p>		
Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Moderate	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.

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Alpha 60:40 Global

Dual Defense Portfolio

August 06, 2024

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Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	15.0	iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TLH	72.5	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
3	UST	12.5	ProShares Ultra 7-10 Year Treasury ETF		

Alpha 60:40 Global DD Portfolio

Portfolio Inception Date: 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
Forward Walk Starting: 10-01-2007 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
Bear Market Strategy: -B,W,A,J,Y Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
Benchmark Index: B6040 Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	25.7	13.0%	10%
Benchmark	48.9	7.1%	37%

Statistics measured from 6/1/2004 by AlphaDroid.

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RISK
26
 Risk Number®

CAGR
13
 Percent

Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Bonds iShares	15.0%	Treasuries	15.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-1	12.5%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-2	12.5%
Stylebox SPDR DD	7.5%	Stylebox iShares DD	7.5%
Stylebox Vanguard DD	7.5%	Stylebox Russell DD	7.5%
Global Regions iSh DD	2.5%	Global Countries DD	2.5%
Global Regions SPDR DD	5.0%	Global Sectors DD	5.0%

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	20.4%	9.8%	7.5%	15.1%	21.2%	26.6%	21.3%	15.9%	17.1%	4.2%	13.3%	8.5%	2.8%	9.4%	16.3%	3.3%	9.4%	37.0%	17.0%	3.2%	4.2%
Benchmark	20.0%	9.3%	5.7%	12.0%	7.6%	-23.4%	19.5%	11.0%	1.7%	11.6%	16.6%	7.6%	1.4%	5.7%	14.7%	-4.1%	21.4%	14.8%	13.5%	-16.1%	16.4%

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Methodology	Portfolio Construction		
Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.	The 60:40 Global Portfolio is a blended combination of other portfolios including: 32% Alpha Bonds, 20% Alpha Risk Mitigation, and 48% Alpha Global. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 60% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 60%.		
More Charts			
Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity	Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	<div style="width: 45%;"> Scheduled </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> Unscheduled </div>		
Moderate	Month-End	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.

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Alpha 60:40 Green

Dual Defense Portfolio

August 06, 2024

Model Rebalanced: Aug-06-2024

Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	15.0	iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TLH	72.5	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
3	UST	12.5	ProShares Ultra 7-10 Year Treasury ETF		

Alpha 60:40 Green DD Portfolio

Portfolio Inception Date: 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
Forward Walk Starting: 10-01-2007 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
Bear Market Strategy: -B,W,A,J,O,Z Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
Benchmark Index: B6040 Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	25.9	13.4%	10%
Benchmark	48.9	7.1%	37%

Statistics measured from 6/1/2004 by AlphaDroid.

Aug 05, 2024

RISK
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 Percent

Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Bonds iShares	15.0%	Treasuries	15.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-1	12.5%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-2	12.5%
Stylebox SPDR DD	7.5%	Stylebox iShares DD	7.5%
Sectors SPDR-9 DD	7.5%	Sectors iShares DD	7.5%
Sustainable Future DD	2.5%	Clean Water DD	2.5%
Clean Energy DD	5.0%	Electric Vehicles DD	5.0%

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	18.2%	11.3%	5.6%	12.3%	21.2%	25.5%	16.8%	15.4%	18.6%	5.5%	13.2%	9.2%	3.8%	11.4%	17.6%	2.6%	12.5%	46.5%	21.4%	4.2%	-0.1%
Benchmark	20.0%	9.3%	5.7%	12.0%	7.6%	-23.4%	19.5%	11.0%	1.7%	11.6%	16.6%	7.6%	1.4%	5.7%	14.7%	-4.1%	21.4%	14.8%	13.5%	-16.1%	16.4%

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Methodology	Portfolio Construction		
<p>Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.</p>	<p>The 60:40 Green Portfolio is a blended combination of other portfolios including: 32% Alpha Bonds, 20% Alpha Risk Mitigation, and 48% Alpha Green. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 60% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 60%.</p>		
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Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity	Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	<div style="width: 45%;"> <p>Scheduled</p> </div> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p>Unscheduled</p> </div>		
Moderate	Month-End	<p>StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.</p>	<p>Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.</p>

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Alpha 60:40 Stocks

Dual Defense Portfolio

August 06, 2024

Model Rebalanced: Aug-06-2024

Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	TLH	80.0	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TYD	20.0	Direxion Daily 7-10 Yr Trsry Bull 3X ET		

Alpha 60:40 Stocks DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 04-16-2006 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** -Y,G,W,X Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** B6040 Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

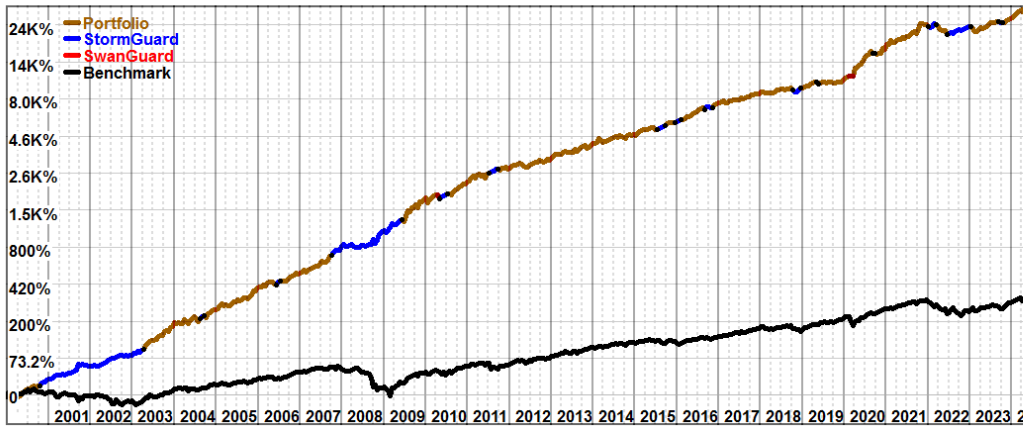
	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	22.9	25.9%	18%
Benchmark	48.9	7.1%	37%

Statistics measured from 6/1/2004 by AlphaDroid.

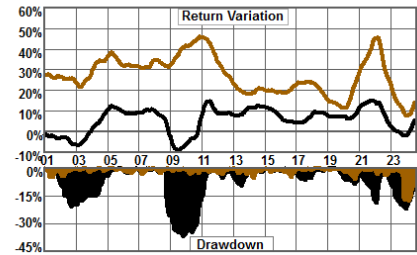
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RISK
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Risk Number®

CAGR
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Percent



Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Gold'n Yield	20%	Treasuries	20%
Stocks: Healthcare	7.5%	Stocks: Cons. Staples	5.0%
Stocks: Cons. Discretionary	7.5%	Stocks: Finance	5.0%
Stocks: Industrial	5.0%	Stocks: Energy	7.5%
Stocks: Communications	5.0%	Stocks: Real Estate	5.0%
Stocks: Technology	7.5%	Stocks: Materials	5.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	53.9%	27.5%	31.1%	29.2%	43.2%	31.3%	58.0%	27.0%	24.0%	16.1%	22.7%	16.2%	20.5%	31.5%	16.2%	8.9%	13.5%	59.5%	42.6%	-2.8%	12.5%
Benchmark	20.0%	9.3%	5.7%	12.0%	7.6%	-23.4%	19.5%	11.0%	1.7%	11.6%	16.6%	7.6%	1.4%	5.7%	14.7%	-4.1%	21.4%	14.8%	13.5%	-16.1%	16.4%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	13.2%	20.7%	13.1%	24.9%	20.8%	25.9%
Benchmark	6.1%	11.8%	2.4%	8.0%	7.2%	7.1%

Methodology

Portfolio Construction

Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate stocks or ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.

The 60:40 Stocks Portfolio is a blended combination of other portfolios including: 40% Alpha Bonds and 60% Alpha Stocks. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 60% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 60%.

Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Growth	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.

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Model Rebalanced: Aug-06-2024

Status: **BEAR Market**

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Sym	%	Fund Name	Sym	%	Fund Name
1	IEI	10.0	iShares 3-7 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
2	TLH	77.5	iShares 10-20 Year Treasury Bond ETF		
3	UST	12.5	ProShares Ultra 7-10 Year Treasury ETF		

Alpha 80:20 DD Portfolio

- ▶ **Portfolio Inception Date:** 12-25-2022 When the portfolio design was completed and available.
- ▶ **Forward Walk Starting:** 08-13-2008 Backtesting ends. Walk through out-of-sample data begins.
- ▶ **Bear Market Strategy:** -B,W,A,Y,J,O Invoked by StormGuard-Armor. Selects only defensive funds.
- ▶ **Benchmark Index:** B8020 Based on industry consensus asset allocation mix. See portfolio notes.

Hypothetical Performance

	RISK	CAGR	MaxDD
Portfolio	25.4	18.9%	11%
Benchmark	62.5	8.3%	47%

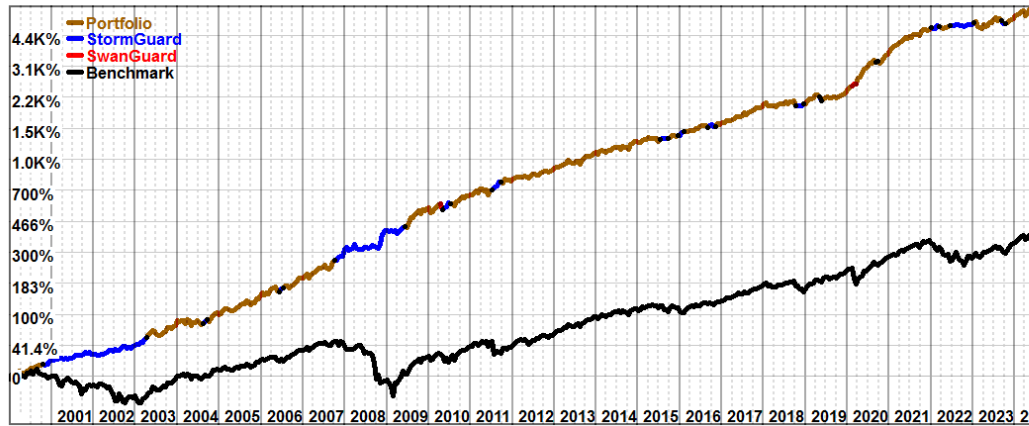
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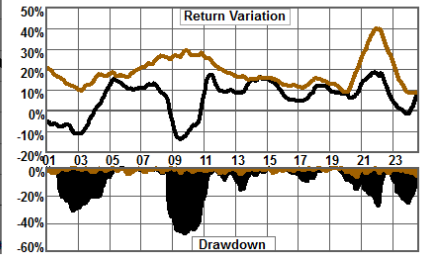
RISK
25
Risk Number®



CAGR
19
Percent



Strategy	Wt.	Strategy	Wt.
Bonds SPDR	5.0%	Bonds iShares	5.0%
Tactical Risk Mitigation-1	12.5%	Tactical Risk Mitigation-2	12.5%
Global Regions iSh DD	7.5%	Global Countries DD	7.5%
Global Regions SPDR DD	7.5%	Global Sectors DD	7.5%
Sectors SPDR-9 DD	7.5%	Sectors SPDR Gold DD	7.5%
Sectors iShares DD	10.0%	Sectors Aggressive DD	10.0%



	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Portfolio	25.8%	13.3%	16.3%	27.2%	30.3%	30.9%	26.2%	16.9%	18.0%	12.0%	21.1%	12.1%	8.0%	13.1%	21.8%	3.4%	14.8%	52.8%	30.4%	6.2%	7.9%
Benchmark	25.9%	11.2%	6.8%	14.7%	7.9%	-31.5%	24.0%	12.6%	0.1%	14.3%	23.3%	8.5%	1.6%	6.8%	18.8%	-5.7%	26.4%	17.0%	18.9%	-18.2%	20.2%

	YTD	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	20-Yr
Portfolio	4.7%	6.9%	8.5%	21.5%	16.4%	18.9%
Benchmark	7.0%	13.4%	3.4%	10.4%	8.9%	8.3%

Methodology [More Charts](#)

Tactical Momentum Strategies. Each of the 12 underlying strategies uses a rules-based tactical momentum algorithm to evaluate a set of candidate ETFs at each month-end, wherein the trend leader of each is selected to be a member of the model's Portfolio for the subsequent month. In Bear markets candidates are defensive ETFs vs equity ETFs.

The 80:20 Portfolio is a blended set of portfolios including: 10% Alpha Bonds, 25% Alpha Risk Mitigation, 30% Alpha Global, and 35% Alpha Sectors. The Portfolio will never allocate more than 80% of its assets to equities. However, both Dual Defense components employ bonds and commodities that at times reduces equities well under 80%.

Investor Risk Profile	Rebalance Activity		Dual Defense Strategy	About Momentum Trading Expectations
	Scheduled	Unscheduled		
Growth	Month-End	Exit market quickly for a for Black Swan event. Get back into equities early for a particularly sharp market rebound.	StormGuard reviews 16 market health measures to determine Bull/Bear. A momentum backstop is also directly employed.	Economic, bureaucratic, and social responses to inflation, politics, and pandemics can disrupt momentum in otherwise orderly markets that is required for profitable trading.



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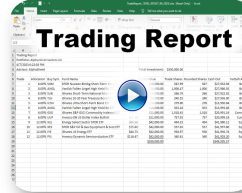
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Model Blender



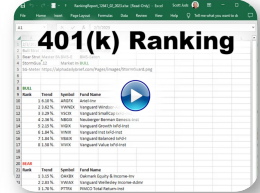
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