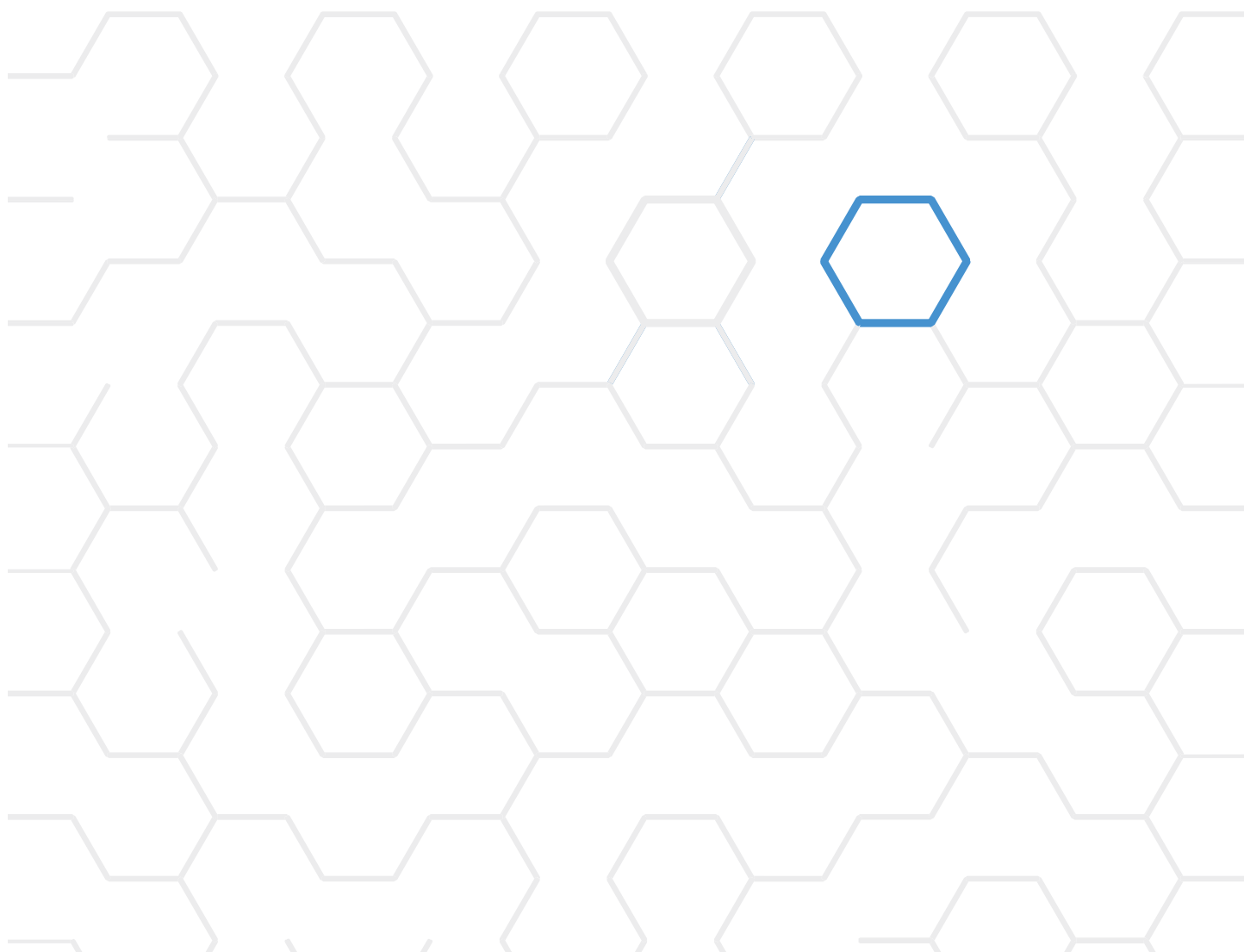


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# CCG SmartMix Wide Moat Riskalyze Stats Overview Report

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PREPARED ON APRIL 1, 2024



# Portfolio Characteristics

RISK 82 CCG SmartMix Wide Moat \$10,000

RISK 74 Benchmark SPDR® S&P 500 ETF

The portfolio characteristics presented below are meant to provide a high-level overview of your selected portfolio, including an aggregate view of risk and return metrics along with additional supporting figures. These are based on a comprehensive historical analysis of this portfolio's underlying holdings.

**RISK 82** CCG SmartMix Wide Moat  
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Annual Range Midpoint	6.80%
Annual Dividend	0.95%
Expense Ratio	0.00%



## Asset Classification

Equity 99.91% | Bonds 0.00% | Cash 0.09% | Other 0.00%

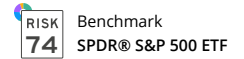
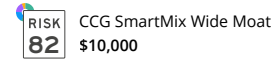
### Equity 99.91%

Benchmark Equity 99.88%

Basic Materials	3.33%	Consumer Cyclical	3.33%	Financial Services	9.99%
-	2.30%	—	10.93%	—	10.39%
Real Estate	0.00%	Consumer Defensive	13.32%	Healthcare	13.33%
-	2.12%	—	5.64%	—	12.51%
Utilities	0.00%	Comm. Services	3.33%	Energy	6.66%
-	2.13%	—	8.89%	—	3.71%
Industrials	3.33%	Technology	43.29%	Unknown	0.00%
—	8.29%	—	32.78%	-	0.19%

Bond Duration and Maturity calculations are based on a weighted average of the same figures for individual bonds, along with the bond portion of ETFs and mutual funds, held in the portfolio.

# Performance Analysis



Modeled Performance surfaces a deep historical and statistical analysis of your portfolio, with a benchmark provided for context. The chart itself illustrates the performance of your portfolio's current holdings during the selected timeframe. In the table below you'll find a number of aggregated statistics for the portfolio and benchmark, specific to the charted timeframe, and duplicated for up to 2 additional timeframes

## Trailing Returns

1. CCG SmartMix Wide ...					2. SPDR® S&P 500 ETF				
As of Mar 28, 2024					As of Mar 28, 2024				
26.35%	47.87%	16.88%	21.25%	20.21%	22.94%	34.15%	11.23%	15.02%	12.90%
6M	1Y	3Y	5Y	10Y	6M	1Y	3Y	5Y	10Y

## Modeled Performance

Mar 29, 2023 - Mar 28, 2024



Performance illustrations are based on current allocations, rebalanced at a calendar-quarter interval during the specified time period. Actual results may differ from those shown. For more information on this methodology, refer to the disclosures section included at the end of this document.

## Portfolio Stats

Mar 29, 2023 - Mar 28, 2024

	CCG SmartMix Wide Moat	SPDR® S&P 500 ETF
Beta	1.02	—
R <sup>2</sup>	86.17%	—
Batting Average	.579	—
Sharpe Ratio	3.50	2.89
Std. Deviation	12.65%	11.54%
Draw Down	8.84%	9.97%
Total Return	45.09%	34.15%

The portfolio-level performance and statistical calculations shown are hypothetical and for illustrative purposes only. Actual returns and stats will differ from those shown above.

# Regional Exposure

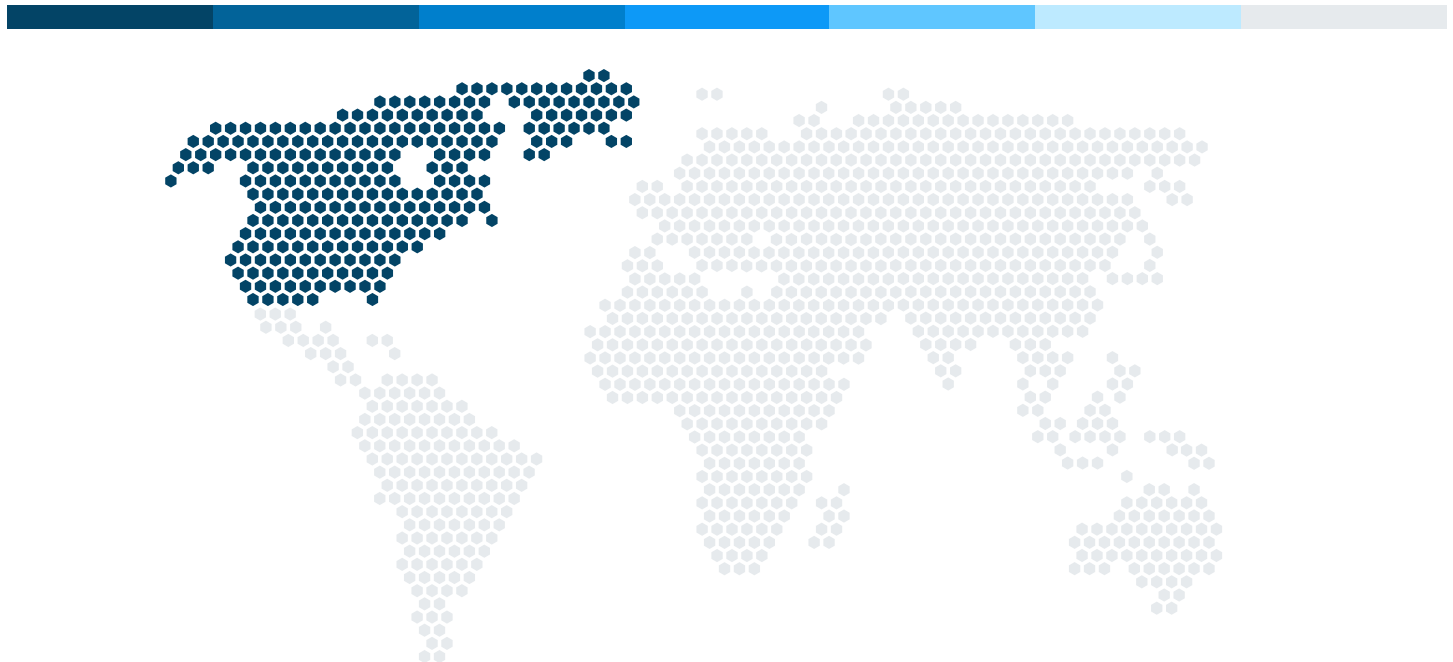
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RISK 74 Benchmark SPDR® S&P 500 ETF

Regional exposure for this portfolio is broken down into the following seven geographic regions: North America, Latin America, Europe, Asia, Middle East, Africa, and Oceania. This chart and the corresponding table also displays regional exposure data for the selected benchmark.

MOST CONCENTRATED

LEAST CONCENTRATED



	CCG SmartMix ...	SPDR® S&P 50...		CCG SmartMix ...	SPDR® S&P 50...
<b>North America</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>97.01%</b>	<b>Europe</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>2.89%</b>
Canada	0.00%	0.13%	Europe Emerging	0.00%	0.00%
United States	100.00%	96.88%	Eurozone	0.00%	1.80%
<b>Asia</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Ex Euro Zone	0.00%	0.39%
Asia Developed	0.00%	0.00%	United Kingdom	0.00%	0.70%
Asia Emerging	0.00%	0.00%	<b>Latin America</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>0.11%</b>
Japan	0.00%	0.00%	<b>Middle East</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>
<b>Africa</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>Oceania</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	<b>0.00%</b>

*International investing involves additional risks, including but not limited to changes in currency exchange rates, differences in accounting and taxation policies, and political or economic instabilities that can increase or decrease returns.*

# Diversification

The historical relationship between particular investments is an important consideration when constructing your portfolio. Correlation is a statistical measure that can be used to illustrate how two investments move in relation to each other, with +1 representing a perfect positive correlation, and -1 representing a perfect negative correlation. Below, you'll find listed the strongest and weakest relationships for each of the largest 15 allocations in your portfolio.

MOST CORRELATED

LEAST CORRELATED

SECURITY		STRONGEST RELATIONSHIP	WEAKEST RELATIONSHIP
WMT · Wal-Mart Stores Inc.	3.0%	JNJ · Johnson & Jo... 0.44	NOW · ServiceN... 0.08
MSFT · Microsoft Corporation	3.0%	ADBE · Adobe Sys... 0.66	FTNT · Fortinet, ... 0.29
AAPL · Apple Inc.	3.0%	ADBE · Adobe Sys... 0.58	LLY · Eli Lilly and... 0.19
VEEV · Veeva Systems	3.0%	NOW · ServiceNo... 0.53	XOM · Exxon M... 0.06
LLY · Eli Lilly and Company	3.0%	JNJ · Johnson & Jo... 0.54	META · Meta Pla... 0.09
NVDA · NVIDIA Corporation	3.0%	ADBE · Adobe Sys... 0.58	KO · The Coca-C... 0.14
ZBH · Zimmer Biomet Holdings, Inc.	3.0%	ECL · Ecolab Inc. 0.6	VEEV · Veeva Sy... 0.18
NOW · ServiceNow Inc.	3.0%	WDAY · Workday 0.71	WMT · Wal-Mart... 0.08
ADBE · Adobe Systems Incorporated	3.0%	MSFT · Microsoft ... 0.66	WMT · Wal-Mart... 0.3
JNJ · Johnson & Johnson	3.0%	KO · The Coca-Co... 0.6	NOW · ServiceN... 0.23
WDAY · Workday	3.0%	NOW · ServiceNo... 0.71	LLY · Eli Lilly and... 0.12
GD · General Dynamics Corporation	3.0%	ZBH · Zimmer Bio... 0.55	META · Meta Pla... 0.19
ECL · Ecolab Inc.	3.0%	ZBH · Zimmer Bio... 0.6	FTNT · Fortinet, ... 0.31
META · Meta Platforms Inc	3.0%	ECL · Ecolab Inc. 0.49	LLY · Eli Lilly and... 0.09
XOM · Exxon Mobil Corporation	3.0%	GD · General Dyn... 0.47	VEEV · Veeva Sy... 0.06

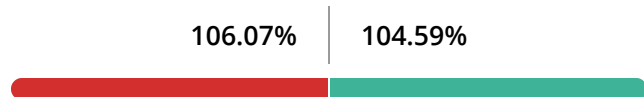
## Diversified Risk

Relationships between this portfolio's underlying investments, have reduced its Risk Number by 11 points, from 93 to 82.



## 95% Historical Capture

Using SPDR® S&P 500 ETF as a benchmark, this portfolio captures 104.59% of the benchmark's potential upside and 106.07% of its potential downside.



# Allocation Overview



























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**RISK 74** Benchmark  
SPDR® S&P 500 ETF

	% OF PORTFOLIO	% OF ACCOUNT	ANNUAL DIVIDEND	EXPENSE RATIO	95% HISTORICAL RANGE	RISKALYZE GPA
<b>RISK 92</b> ZBH · Zimmer Biomet Holdings, Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.91%	null%	-29.63%   36.55%	3.3
<b>RISK 82</b> WMT · Wal-Mart Stores Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	1.29%	null%	-19.10%   23.23%	3.2
<b>RISK 90</b> MSFT · Microsoft Corporation STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.68%	null%	-25.35%   31.37%	3.3
<b>RISK 95</b> CDNS · Cadence Design Systems Inc STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.00%	null%	-34.87%   41.14%	3.2
<b>RISK 94</b> AAPL · Apple Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.56%	null%	-33.74%   40.36%	3.2
<b>RISK 98</b> VEEV · Veeva Systems STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.00%	null%	-48.83%   54.08%	3.0
<b>RISK 90</b> LLY · Eli Lilly and Company STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.60%	null%	-25.80%   30.25%	3.1
<b>RISK 98</b> NVDA · NVIDIA Corporation STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.02%	null%	-53.83%   62.30%	3.2
<b>RISK 96</b> AZPN · Aspen Technology Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.00%	null%	-36.98%   42.59%	3.1
<b>RISK 90</b> CVX · Chevron Corporation STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	3.91%	null%	-25.79%   34.80%	3.5
<b>RISK 97</b> NOW · ServiceNow Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.00%	null%	-42.18%   48.35%	3.1
<b>RISK 94</b> ADBE · Adobe Systems Incorporated STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.00%	null%	-33.67%   40.68%	3.2
<b>RISK 85</b> BRK.B · Berkshire Hathaway Inc Cl B STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.00%	null%	-20.23%   24.50%	3.2
<b>RISK 69</b> JNJ · Johnson & Johnson STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	3.01%	null%	-14.79%   23.01%	3.9
<b>RISK 80</b> HSY · The Hershey Company STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	2.46%	null%	-18.44%   23.00%	3.2
<b>RISK 97</b> WDAY · Workday STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.00%	null%	-44.87%   52.01%	3.1
<b>RISK 90</b> GD · General Dynamics Corporation STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	1.87%	null%	-25.27%   32.48%	3.4
<b>RISK 96</b> CRM · salesforce.com inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%	0.13%	null%	-38.06%   44.89%	3.2

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 RISK 87	ECL · Ecolab Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.95%	null%	-22.18%   27.98%	
 RISK 98	META · Meta Platforms Inc STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.10%	null%	-47.03%   63.01%	
 RISK 90	XOM · Exxon Mobil Corporation STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		2.38%	null%	-25.02%   31.69%	
 RISK 98	FTNT · Fortinet, Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.00%	null%	-47.34%   53.61%	
 RISK 96	AMAT · Applied Materials Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.62%	null%	-37.65%   45.66%	
 RISK 90	V · Visa Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.70%	null%	-25.84%   31.37%	
 RISK 93	GOOG · Alphabet Inc. Class C STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.00%	null%	-30.48%   36.30%	
 RISK 93	BLK · BlackRock, Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		2.41%	null%	-32.32%   42.35%	
 RISK 74	CL · Colgate-Palmolive Co. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		2.13%	null%	-16.27%   21.55%	
 RISK 96	LRCX · Lam Research Corporation STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.80%	null%	-37.98%   45.96%	
 RISK 95	AMZN · Amazon.com Inc. STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		0.00%	null%	-36.02%   42.02%	
 RISK 76	KO · The Coca-Cola Company STOCK	3.3%	3.3%		3.05%	null%	-16.86%   23.40%	
 RISK 1	Cash / Money Market MM	0.1%	0.1%		0.00%	null%	0.42%   0.42%	

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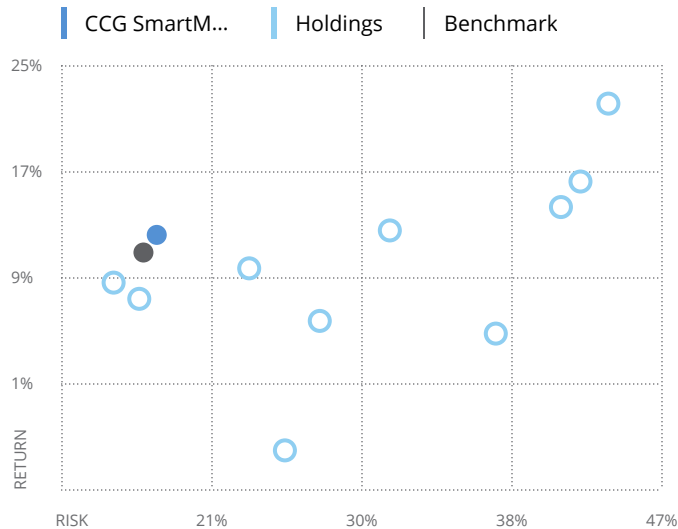
# Portfolio Attributes

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## Risk and Reward

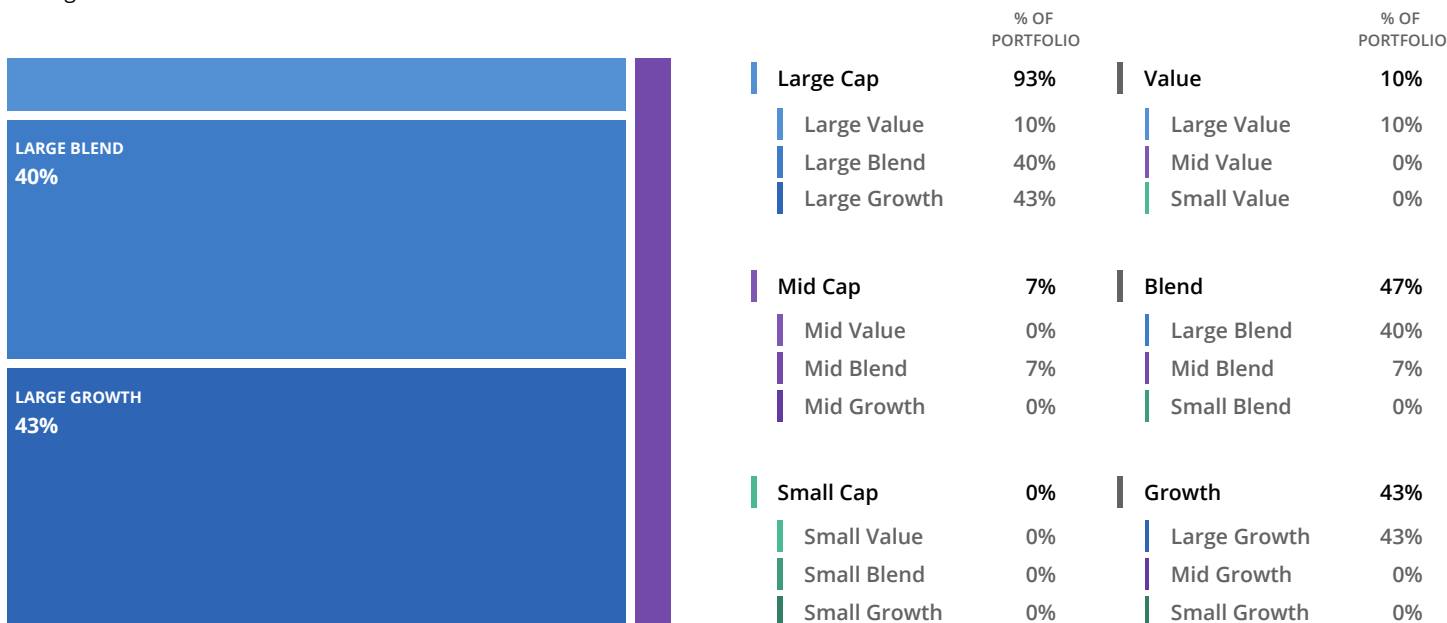
This chart plots the average annual return and annualized standard deviation for the current portfolio and selected benchmark. For your selected portfolio, you'll also be able to view where that portfolio's top 10 holdings (by allocation percentage) fall on the very same graph.



	% OF PORTFOLIO	RISK	REWARD
SPDR® S&P 500 ETF		17%	11%
<b>CCG SmartMix Wide Moat</b>		<b>18%</b>	<b>12%</b>
ZBH · Zimmer Biomet Holdings, Inc.	3.34%	25%	-5%
KO · The Coca-Cola Company	3.33%	16%	8%
AMZN · Amazon.Com Inc.	3.33%	37%	5%
LRCX · Lam Research Corporation	3.33%	42%	16%
CL · Colgate-Palmolive Co.	3.33%	17%	7%
BLK · BlackRock, Inc.	3.33%	27%	5%
GOOG · Alphabet Inc. Class C	3.33%	31%	13%
V · Visa Inc.	3.33%	23%	10%
AMAT · Applied Materials Inc.	3.33%	41%	14%
FTNT · Fortinet, Inc.	3.33%	44%	22%

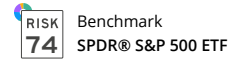
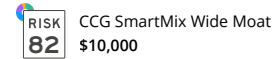
## Size and Style

The equity portion of the portfolio is further explored here, where we've categorized the "market cap class" of the portfolio's equity exposure into Small, Mid, and Large Cap, and the "investment style class" of the portfolio's equity exposure into Value, Blend, and Growth. Evaluation of investment style is based on a number of factors including revenue growth rate, earnings growth, EPS, price-to-earnings ratio, and price-to-book, among others.





# Disclosures



## Risk Number and 95% Historical Range

Nitrogen uses actual historical data to calculate the statistical probabilities shown. For securities calculated using Average Annual Return, the Average Return will be calculated using actual price history from June 2004-present or inception. We calculate the annualized return number as  $(\text{final price} / \text{initial price})^{(1 / \text{number of years})} - 1$ . Nitrogen does not provide investment analysis on investments with less than 6 months of historical performance. In instances where an investment's inception is more recent than January 1, 2008 and greater than 6 months Nitrogen will use correlation statistics from the investments actual trading history to extrapolate missing volatility data. In most cases the extrapolation calculation increases the risk presented in the investment analysis as a means of protecting the investor. Investments with an inception more recent than January 1, 2008 are highlighted with an information icon. The calculations incorporate correlation and volatility data from 2008 to present.

The Six Month 95% Historical Range is calculated from the standard deviation of the portfolio (via covariance matrix), and represents a hypothetical statistical probability, but there is no guarantee any investments would perform within the range. There is a 5% probability of greater losses. Nitrogen does not use any Monte Carlo or any other type of simulations. **The underlying data is updated as of the previous day's market close price, and the results may vary with each use and over time.** The investments considered were determined by the financial representative.

The Risk Number represents an investor's general ability to withstand risk inherent in investing. There is no guarantee that your Risk Number will accurately reflect your tolerance to risk. In addition, although the financial professional may have directly or indirectly used the results of this report to determine a suggested asset allocation, there is no guarantee that the asset mix appropriately reflects your ability to withstand investment risk.

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## Benchmark

Benchmark returns may or may not be adjusted to reflect ongoing expenses such as sales charges. Investment portfolios may differ significantly from the securities in the benchmark. Returns for custom benchmarks are aggregated by applying user-supplied weightings to each benchmark's daily returns. Trailing returns are calculated by geometrically linking these weighted-average daily returns. In instances where a custom benchmark consists of multiple underlying components, returns assume a calendar-quarter rebalance to the user defined benchmark allocations.

This portfolio's selected benchmark: SPDR® S&P 500 ETF

## Riskalyze GPA™

The Riskalyze GPA is a quantitative expression of the efficiency of an investment, strategy or portfolio with respect to how much potential return is realized or expected per unit of potential risk. This figure ranges from a 1.0 minimum value to a maximum value of 4.3. This demonstrates the relationship between expected potential performance and expected potential downside risk over the next 6 months for the indicated portfolio or investment. The primary drivers of the Riskalyze GPA include potential returns and downside standard deviation, but dividends and expense ratios are also taken into consideration.

## Annual Dividend

The distribution rate is derived by summing the trailing 12-months' distributions (dividends, distributions from borrowing, return of capital, etc) and dividing the sum by the last month's ending NAV. It does not include capital gains distributed over the same period.

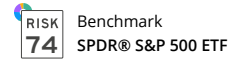
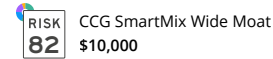
This report also includes an annual dividend expressed at the portfolio level. This represents the weighted average, or aggregate, of the calculated annual dividend (as defined above) for all of a portfolio's underlying holdings.

## Expense Ratio

Fund expense ratios are defined as the percentage of a fund's assets used to pay for operating expenses and management fees, including 12b-1 fees, administrative fees, and all other asset-based costs incurred annually, excluding brokerage costs.

This report also includes an expense ratio expressed at the portfolio level. This represents a weighted average, or aggregate, of the expense ratios for all of a portfolio's underlying funds.

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## Asset Classification

The equity portion of the selected portfolio(s) and benchmark are sorted into the following categories: Basic Materials, Consumer Defensive, Consumer Cyclical, Financial Services, Real Estate, Technology, Health Care, Utilities, Communication Services, Energy, Industrial, and Other.

Bonds (individual bonds as well as the bond portion of mutual funds and ETFs) are sorted into either Government, Municipal, Corporate, or Other.

Non-Traded REITs/DPPs, Variable Annuities, SMAs, and any other custom allocation or any security unrecognized by Nitrogen will display as "Other."

Cash, Money Market funds and cash allocations as part of Mutual Fund/ETF allocations will display as cash.

## Modeled Performance

The Modeled Performance section includes a historical and statistical analysis of the selected portfolio(s) in this report. This is representative of current holdings, and does not account for reallocation events or securities no longer held in existing accounts. The modeled performance chart assumes a calendar-quarter rebalance to the current asset allocation. Modeled performance return data does have certain inherent limitations, particularly that it is not representative of actual trading activity and may not reflect the impact that material economic and market factors might have had on an asset manager's decision-making if the asset manager were actually managing the accounts defined herein. Performance results for client investments pursuant to this proposal will vary due to market conditions and other factors, including cash flows, fund allocations, frequency and precision of rebalancing, cash balances, varying custodial fees, and the timing of fee deductions. As a result, actual performance for client accounts may differ materially from, and may be lower than, those illustrated during the specified timeframe in Modeled Performance.

*Note: The Modeled Performance chart illustrates performance for the portfolio's current allocations, excluding allocations to securities with an inception date that falls after the charted time frame's start date.*

Modeled Performance also includes calculated statistics for the charted portfolio(s) and selected benchmark. These statistics are shown for up to three (3) selected time frames, including the charted time frame. These statistics include:

- **Beta:** A comparative statistic expressing the ratio of a portfolio's volatility to that of the indicated benchmark.
- **R-Squared:** Quantifies the percentage of a portfolio's movement (both positive and negative) that can be attributed to movement in the indicated benchmark.
- **Sharpe Ratio:** This "bang-for-your-buck" metric assesses a portfolio's risk efficiency, by illustrating its return relative to its risk exposure. This can help to facilitate a comparison of portfolios with drastically different Risk Numbers.
- **Batting Average:** A portfolio's batting average is simply the percentage of months during the time period, that it outperformed the indicated benchmark.
- **Drawdown:** The maximum percent loss, from peak-to-trough, for a portfolio before a new peak is established during the specified time period.
- **Standard Deviation:** Volatility metric expressing an annualized standard deviation of monthly returns for the portfolio during the time period specified.
- **Total Return:** Percentage gained or lost during the specified time period.

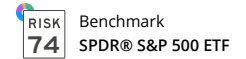
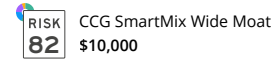
## Regional Exposure

A portfolio's regional exposure is broken down in the following seven geographic regions: North America, Latin America, Europe, Asia, Middle East, Africa, and Oceania, with sub-regions listed for North America, Europe, and Asia.

## Diversification

The correlation coefficients listed for the selected portfolio allocations are based on historical performance from 2008 to present, with a value of (-1.00) representing a strong inverse relationship and a value of (1.00) representing a strong positive correlation between the two allocations.

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## 95% Historical Capture

The portfolio's 95% Historical Capture compares its 6-month 95% Historical Range to that of the selected benchmark. In the calculation of both percentages, the portfolio's 6-month potential upside and downside are divided by the benchmark's 6-month potential upside and downside, in order to compare the portfolio's range of potential outcomes - to that of the benchmark.

## Risk and Reward

The Risk and Reward scatterplot allows for visualization of the portfolio's risk-return efficiency during the timeframe specified. Both "Risk" and "Reward" are illustrated for the portfolio, benchmark, and (up to) the portfolio's top-ten holdings. Those figures are calculated as follows:

- Risk: Annualized standard deviation is calculated by multiplying the standard deviation of daily returns for the specified timeframe by the square root of the number of trading days in an "average year" during the specified timeframe. In this case, the number of trading days in an average year is determined by averaging the number of trading days in each year during the specified timeframe.
- Reward: The compound annual growth rate is calculated using the actual price history of the portfolio's underlying holdings during the specified timeframe. At the holding-level, this is calculated as  $(\text{final price} / \text{initial price})^{(1 / \text{number of years})} - 1$ .

## Size and Style

Size and Style further describes the equity portion of the indicated portfolio. Size classes are defined based on market capitalization, and include Large, Mid, and Small Cap. Style classes include Value, Blend, and Growth. Evaluation of investment style is based on a number of factors including revenue growth rate, earnings growth, EPS, price-to-earnings ratio, and price-to-book, among others. All investments contain risk and there is no assurance the money you invest will appreciate over time and may be worth less than the original cost. Diversification does not guarantee a profit or guarantee protection against losses.

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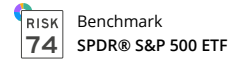
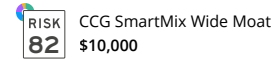
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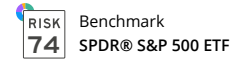
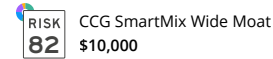
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