

Inflation — Not the End of the World

Stocks Have Done Reasonably Well During Inflationary Periods

	Stocks	Bonds	Cash	Inflation
1930s	-0.9%	4.0%	1.0%	-2.1%
1940s	8.5%	2.5%	0.5%	5.5%
1950s	19.5%	0.8%	2.0%	2.0%
1960s	7.7%	2.4%	4.0%	2.3%
1970s	5.9%	5.4%	6.3%	7.1%
1980s	17.3%	12.0%	8.8%	5.5%
1990s	18.0%	7.4%	4.8%	3.0%
2000s	-1.0%	6.3%	2.7%	2.6%
2010s	13.4%	4.1%	0.5%	1.8%

