As of 12/31/2023



# Navigator MultiStrategy 25-75

## Tactically Navigate the Markets with an Active Approach

The U.S. equity and fixed income markets offer a variety of growth opportunities, but they also present a number of unique challenges and risks. Clark Capital believes investors may benefit from a disciplined, quantitatively managed asset allocation that actively pursues opportunities while guarding against undue risk.

# Participate in U.S. Equity Trends

Allocate to areas of the U.S. equity markets that are outperforming their peers on a relative basis.

The strategy is grounded in a quantitatively based relative strength research process. It seeks to identify and participate in the leading U.S. equity styles (growth & value), factors (such as momentum, volatility, and quality), and market capitalizations (large, medium and small).

maintaining liquidity and flexibility.

### **Utilize a Flexible Bond Approach**

Pursue opportunities in the high yield and investment grade sectors while having the ability to allocate to safer fixed income sectors when indicated.

The strategy uses an asset allocation policy that seeks to rotate among:

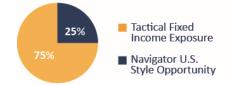
- 1) High yield and investment grade
- 2) U.S. Treasuries
- 3) Cash equivalents

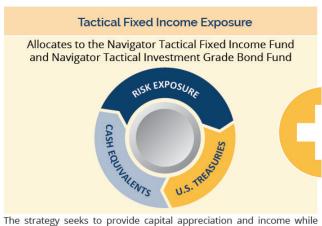
### Maintain the Investor's Appropriate Risk Allocation

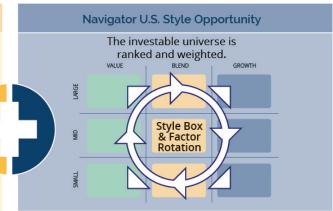
Multiple asset allocation portfolios designed to meet the goals and objectives of the individual investor.

The strategy is available in three equity/fixed income allocations: 75/25, 50/50, 25/75. While the underlying equity and fixed income holdings are actively managed, the overall asset allocation will be rebalanced as needed to maintain the proper risk profile.

Navigator® MultiStrategy combines a U.S. equity style rotation strategy with our tactical fixed income strategies. The strategy utilizes Clark Capital's quantitative research process across both equity and fixed income.







This strategy invests in an opportunistic allocation of U.S. style box and equity factor exchange traded funds. The strategy seeks capital appreciation and is designed to adapt to changing market themes in order to pursue investment opportunity.

### **Investment Process**

#### Equity Portion of the Portfolio

The equity portion of the portfolio is an allocation to the Navigator U.S. Style Opportunity strategy. This strategy strategically rotates among U.S. equity styles, market capitalizations and factors. The investment universe is nine Morningstar U.S. style boxes (large-cap value, large-cap blend, large-cap growth, mid-cap value, mid-cap blend, mid-cap growth, small-cap value, small-cap blend, and small-cap growth) and various factors associated with those style boxes. The strategy employs a "top-down" quantitative relative strength research process to rank the investment universe based on strong relative performance or momentum. The strategy invests in the three top-ranked asset classes in the investment universe. Portfolios are implemented using exchange traded funds (ETFs). They are continuously monitored by Clark Capital's portfolio management team and adjusted in response to changes in the quantitative relative strength research rankings.

#### Fixed Income Portion of the Portfolio

The fixed income allocation of the investment strategy consists of the Navigator Tactical Fixed Income Fund (NTBIX) and the Navigator Tactical Investment Grade Bond Fund (NTIIX). The investment process for both Funds are designed to identify opportunities across the fixed income spectrum and allocate to the leading sector(s) in each Fund's respective investment universe. The investment universe for NTBIX is comprised of three fixed income sectors; high yield bonds, Treasuries and short-term Treasuries/cash equivalents. The investment universe for NTIIX is comprised of investment grade corporate bonds, Treasuries and short-term Treasuries/cash equivalents. Each Fund employs a "top-down" quantitative relative strength research process to rank the investment universe based on strong relative performance or momentum. Based upon Clark Capital's research, portfolio managers allocate to the top fixed income sector in each respective Fund's investment universe. The portfolio is continuously monitored by Clark Capital's portfolio team and adjusted in response to changes in the quantitative relative strength research rankings.

#### **Holdings**

NAVIGATOR TACTICAL FIXED INCOME I	48.50%
NAVIGATOR TACTICAL INV GRADE FI I	25.33%
SPDR SERIES TRUST DJWS LGCAP VAL	5.25%
ISHARES TR SANDP SMLCP VALU	5.19%
ISHARES TR RUS200 GRW IDX	4.22%

Top five holdings (by portfolio weight) only shown above. This is not a recommendation to buy or sell a particular security. Please see attached disclosures. A complete list of holdings is available upon request.

Past performance not indicative of future results. Please see attached disclosures.

Per	formance (as of 12/31/2023)	(Gross)*	(Net of 3.0%)**	Benchmark <sup>1</sup>	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>
	MTD	3.77	3.52	4.15	4.24
	3 Months	7.07	6.29	8.45	8.26
	YTD	13.86	10.53	16.57	10.64
	1 Year	13.86	10.53	16.57	10.64
	3 Year	3.45	0.39	3.75	-0.17
	5 Year	6.41	3.28	7.91	4.74
	7 Year	5.60	2.49	6.72	4.30
	10 Year	5.97	2.85	6.39	4.33
	Since Inception (As of 12/1/2006)	7.70	4.54	7.21	4.94
	Cumulative Return	255.30	113.34	228.27	127.79

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#### **Risk Measures**

Standard Deviation	7.16	7.16	10.76	5.66
Beta	0.59	0.59	1.00	0.42
Alpha	2.80	-0.23	0.00	1.11
Sharpe Ratio	0.91	0.49	0.60	0.68
R Squared	77.91	77.91	100.00	65.20

Calendar Years	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Portfolio (Gross)*	13.86	-10.61	8.76	10.83	11.20	-0.67	8.02	18.26	-0.13	3.32	11.54	11.16	4.58	17.15	32.81	-6.14
Portfolio (Net of 3.0%)**	* 10.53	-13.28	5.57	7.58	7.94	-3.61	4.85	14.81	-3.09	0.27	8.27	7.90	1.50	13.73	28.96	-8.93
Benchmark <sup>1</sup>	16.57	-13.19	10.37	10.56	18.49	-2.87	10.91	16.03	-3.23	4.98	13.97	15.96	3.99	15.57	50.74	-28.94
Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	10.64	-14.56	5.26	10.85	14.29	-1.30	7.94	5.17	0.53	7.61	6.87	7.26	6.14	9.14	11.53	-5.40

<sup>\*</sup>Gross returns do not include the deduction of transaction costs, and are shown as supplemental information.

<sup>\*\*</sup>The net 3.00% performance is shown because 3.00% is the generally assumed highest model wrap fee.

 $<sup>^1</sup>$ The benchmark is 25% Russell 3000 & 75% Bloomberg US Corporate High Yield. The risk statistics are calculated against it.

 $<sup>^2\</sup>text{The}$  supplemental benchmark is 25% Russell 3000 & 75% Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond.

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### GIPS® Composite Report (as of 12/31/2022)

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#### **Navigator MultiStrategy 25-75 Composite**

Composite Inception and Creation Date: 12/1/2006

	<u>Note A:</u> Pure Gross Total Return	Net of 3.0%	Benchmark <sup>1</sup>	Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	Internal Dispersion	Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets (in Millions)	Wrap Fee	Total Firm Assets (in Millions)
1/1/2022 to 12/31/2022	-10.61%	-13.28%	-13.19%	-14.56%	0.18%	146	\$13.185	100%	\$21,935.0
1/1/2021 to 12/31/2021	8.76%	5.57%	10.37%	5.26%	0.30%	138	\$14.580	100%	\$22,847.4
1/1/2020 to 12/31/2020	10.83%	7.58%	10.56%	10.85%	0.22%	119	\$12.869	100%	\$17,305.2
1/1/2019 to 12/31/2019	11.20%	7.94%	18.49%	14.29%	0.06%	107	\$11.106	100%	\$14,519.0
1/1/2018 to 12/31/2018	-0.67%	-3.61%	-2.87%	-1.30%	0.04%	94	\$10.245	100%	\$10,563.7
1/1/2017 to 12/31/2017	8.02%	4.85%	10.91%	7.94%	0.05%	95	\$10.580	100%	\$7,088.8
1/1/2016 to 12/31/2016	18.26%	14.81%	16.03%	5.17%	0.04%	48	\$5.400	100%	\$4,159.8
1/1/2015 to 12/31/2015	-0.13%	-3.09%	-3.23%	0.53%	0.08%	36	\$3.559	100%	\$2,308.7
1/1/2014 to 12/31/2014	3.32%	0.27%	4.98%	7.61%	*	4	\$0.576	100%	\$2,082.3
1/1/2013 to 12/31/2013	11.54%	8.27%	13.97%	6.87%	*	1	\$0.267	100%	\$1,966.6
Annualized Since Incention	7 33%	<i>4</i> 17%	6 65%	4 59%	*Internal disper	rsion is not nrese	ented for perio	ds of less th	an a full year or

 Annualized Since Inception
 7.33%
 4.17%
 6.65%
 4.59%

 Cumulative Since Inception
 212.05%
 93.02%
 181.60%
 105.89%

**Note A:** Pure gross-of-fees performance returns are presented as supplemental information and do not reflect the deduction of any trading costs, fees, or expenses. Therefore, returns will be reduced by advisory and other expenses.

#### Benchmarks:

 $^125\%$  Russell 3000 & 75% Bloomberg US Corporate High Yield  $^225\%$  Russell 3000 & 75% Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond

\*Internal dispersion is not presented for periods of less than a full year, or for annual periods that include less than 5 accounts for the full year.

Internal dispersion is calculated using the equal-weighted standard deviation of annual pure gross account returns for those accounts included in the composite for the entire year. Prior to 2020, dispersion was calculated using the equal-weighted average deviation of annual pure gross account returns for those accounts included in the composite for the entire year.

### GIPS® Composite Report (as of 12/31/2022)

#### 3-Year Annualized Ex-post Standard Deviation

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Year	Composite	Benchmark						
2022	9.13	13.27						
2021	7.71	10.89						
2020	8.01	11.47						
2019	4.53	5.93						
2018	4.56	5.77						
2017	4.35	6.23						
2016	5.22	6.72						
2015	5.13	6.29						
2014	5.40	5.33						
2013	6.12	7.66						

The 3-year annualized ex-post standard deviation measures the variability of the composite's pure gross returns and benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period.

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Composite Description: The Navigator MultiStrategy 25-75 composite consists of portfolios with a 25% allocation to equity and 75% allocation to fixed income. The equity allocation provides exposure to the U.S equity market using strategic rotation among U.S. equity styles (Growth & Value) and capitalizations (Large, Medium and Small). The strategy is passively managed using a strategic allocation of broad based market indices, rebalanced annually. The fixed income allocation is designed to maximize total return by rotational management of a fixed income portfolio invested in Low Quality Bonds (high-yield), High Quality Corporate and Government Bonds, and Short-term Treasuries. The segments of the portfolio have an unconstrained asset allocation policy and seek to take advantage of the performance differentials between segments of both the equity market and segments of the bond market under different market conditions. The goal of the composite is to preserve capital while outperforming an unmanaged buy and hold investment.

It was recently discovered that in the benchmark return for 2007, there was a typo. The benchmark showed -6.51 versus 6.51. There was no impact to any annualized returns or any other returns.

Fee Schedule: The maximum total wrap fee is 3.00%. The total wrap fee includes all charges for trading costs, portfolio management, custody, and other administrative fees. Actual fees may differ from the fees used in this presentation depending upon account size, investments, and agreement with the client.

Custom Benchmark Description: The MultiStrategy 25-75 primary benchmark consists of a 25% allocation to the Russell 3000 and a 75% allocation to the Bloomberg US Corporate High Yield. Effective January 1, 2022, a secondary benchmark was added which consists of 25% allocation to the Russell 3000 and a 75% allocation to the Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond. The Russell 3000 Index measures the performance of the 3000 largest U.S. companies based on total market capitalization, which represents approximately 98% of the investable U.S. equity market. The Bloomberg U.S. Corporate High-Yield Index covers the U.S. dollar-denominated, noninvestment grade, fixed-rate, taxable corporate bond market. Securities are classified as high-yield if the middle rating of Moody's, Fitch, and S&P is Ba1/BB+/BB+ or below. The Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index covers the U.S. investment-grade fixed-rate bond market, including government and credit securities, agency mortgage pass-through securities, asset-backed securities and commercial mortgage based securities. To qualify for inclusion, a bond or security must have at least one year to final maturity, and be rated investment grade Baa3 or better, dollar denominated, non-convertible, fixed rate and publicly issued.

The benchmarks for this composite are based upon the approximate allocation of equities and fixed income in the MultiStrategy composite. The Russell 3000 is generally representative of broad based equities. The Bloomberg US Corporate High Yield and the Bloomberg US. Aggregate Bond Indices are generally representative of broad based U.S. fixed income. Index returns are rebalanced annually and reflect the reinvestment of income and other earnings, are provided to represent the investment environment during the time period shown and are not covered by the report of independent verifiers.

### **Statistic Descriptions**

Standard Deviation: A statistical measure of dispersion about an average which depicts how widely the returns varied over a certain period of time.

3-Year Standard Deviation: The 3-year annualized standard deviation measures the variability of the composite and the benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period.

Beta: A measure of systematic risk with respect to a benchmark. Systematic risk is the tendency of the value of the composite and the value of the benchmark to move together. Beta measures the sensitivity of the composite's excess return (total return minus the risk-free return) with respect to the benchmark's excess return that results from their systematic co-movement. It is the ratio of what the excess return of the composite would be to the excess return of the benchmark if there were no composite-specific sources of return. If beta is greater than one, movements in value of the composite that are associated with movements in the value of the benchmark tend to be amplified. If beta is one, they tend to be the same, and if beta is less than one, they tend to be dampened. If such movements tend to be in opposite directions, beta is negative. Beta is measured as the slope of the regression of the excess return on the composite as the dependent variable and the excess return on the benchmark as the independent variable.

The beta of the market is 1.00 by definition. Morningstar calculates beta by comparing a portfolio's excess return over T-bills to the benchmark's excess return over T-bills, so a beta of 1.10 shows that the portfolio has performed 10% better than its benchmark in up markets and 10% worse in down markets, assuming all other factors remain constant. Conversely, a beta of 0.85 indicates that the portfolio's excess return is expected to perform 15% worse than the benchmark's excess return during up markets and 15% better during down markets.

Alpha: A measure of the difference between a portfolio's actual returns and its expected performance, given its level of risk as measured by beta. A positive alpha figure indicates the portfolio has performed better than its beta would predict. In contrast, a negative alpha indicates the portfolio has underperformed, given the expectations established by beta. Alpha is calculated by taking the excess average monthly return of the investment over the risk free rate and subtracting beta times the excess average monthly return of the benchmark over the risk free rate.

Sharpe Ratio: A risk-adjusted measure developed by Nobel Laureate William Sharpe. It is calculated by using standard deviation and excess return to determine reward per unit of risk. The higher the Sharpe Ratio, the better the composite's historical risk-adjusted performance. The Sharpe ratio is calculated for the past 36-month period by dividing a composite's annualized excess returns by the standard deviation of a composite's annualized excess returns. Since this ratio uses standard deviation as its risk measure, it is most appropriately applied when analyzing a composite that is an investor's sole holding. The Sharpe Ratio can be used to compare two composites directly as to how much risk a composite had to bear to earn excess return over the risk-free rate.

R-Squared: Reflects the percentage of a portfolio's movements that can be explained by movements in its benchmark.

Downside Capture Ratio: Measures a manager's performance in down-markets. A down-market is defined as those periods (months or quarters) in which market return is less than 0. In essence, it tells you what percentage of the down-market was captured by the manager. For example, if the ratio is 110%, the manager has captured 110% of the down-market and therefore underperformed the market on the downside.

Upside Capture Ratio: Measures a manager's performance in up markets relative to the market (benchmark) itself. It is calculated by taking the security's upside capture return and dividing it by the benchmark's upside capture return.

Bull Beta: A measure of the sensitivity of a composite's return to positive changes in its benchmark's return.

Bear Beta: A measure of the sensitivity of a composite's return to negative changes in its benchmark's return.

Best Month: The highest monthly return of the investment since its inception or for as long as data is available.

Worst Month: The lowest monthly return of the investment since its inception or for as long as data is available.

Maximum Gain: The peak to trough incline during a specific record period of an investment or composite. It is usually quoted as the percentage between the peak to the trough.

Maximum Drawdown: The peak to trough decline during a specific record period of an investment or composite. It is usually quoted as the percentage between the peak to the trough.