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U.S. LARGE CAP VALUE LEADERS

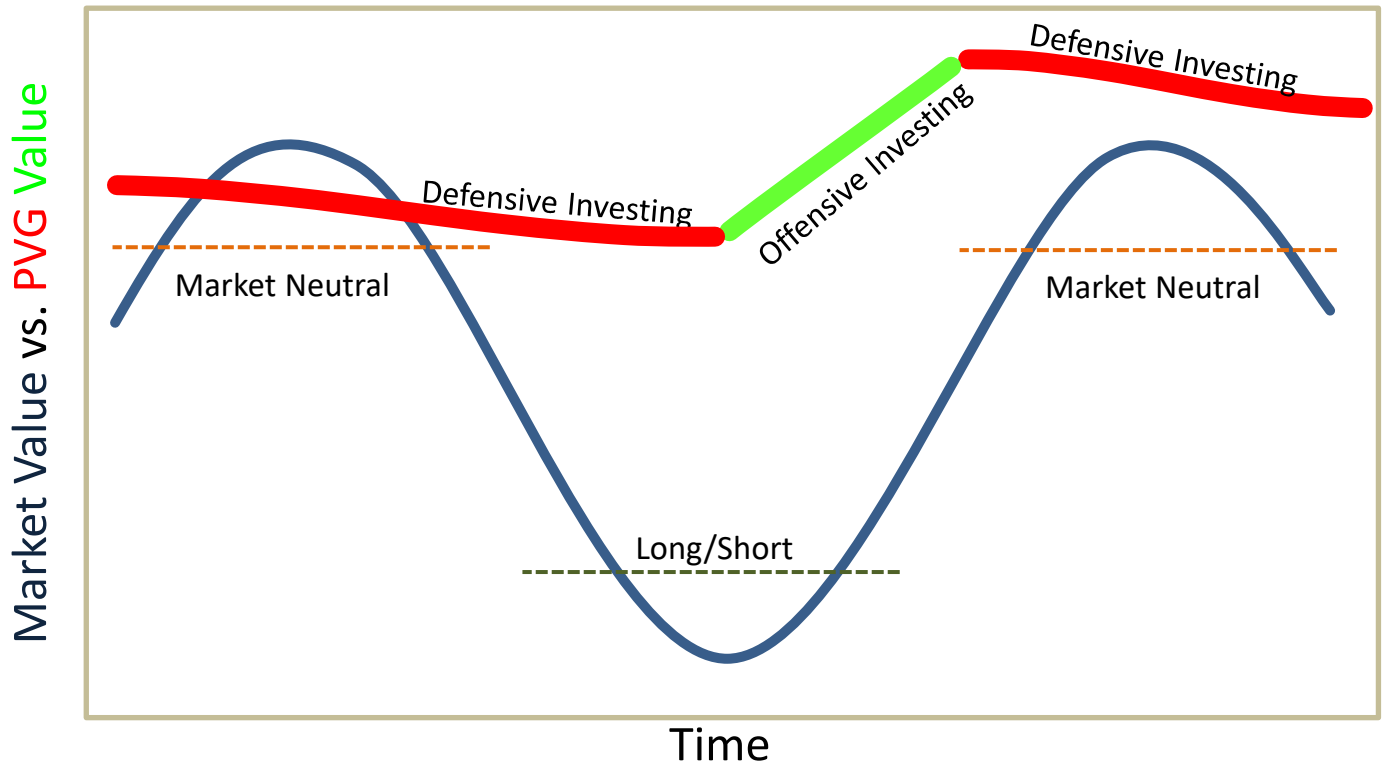
MARKET CYCLE OVERVIEW

PVG has coined the phrase, “**Loss Averse Investing**” to best describe the approach of preserving capital during negative markets. Our belief is that by capturing the least amount of downside helps apply an investment stance that operates with far less overall risk, yet captures greater returns over the long term market cycle.

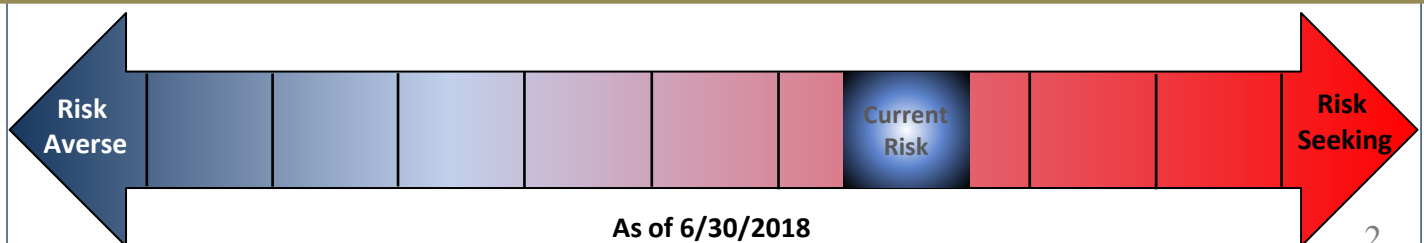
The major risk to portfolios is the systemic risk or market risk, and there are times that the systematic risk of owning either stocks or bonds or both must be taken out of the portfolio.

There are managers who control portfolios that can replace traditional asset classes or sub-categories that do not have the same systemic or market risk as traditional managers. These management firms specialize in managing stocks, bonds, or a combination of both in a tactical manner, which reduce or eliminate the systemic risk, and can also be known as, *absolute return managers*.

The hypothetical chart below shows how PVG establishes different hedging techniques depending on the current market cycle. During peaks of the market, PVG will become more cautious and take a market neutral approach to protect assets during sustained or unforeseen market pullbacks. At the bottom of the cycle PVG will become more of a long/short as we find a bottom in the market. As momentum in the market picks up, the strategy will become more like a long only strategy.



CURRENT PORTFOLIO RISK SPECTRUM



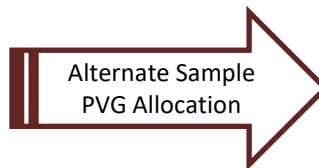
WHERE DOES VALUE INVESTING FIT?

Traditional asset class models are typically set up between stocks and bonds. A moderate investor may use a 60/40 blend - 60% stocks and 40% bonds.

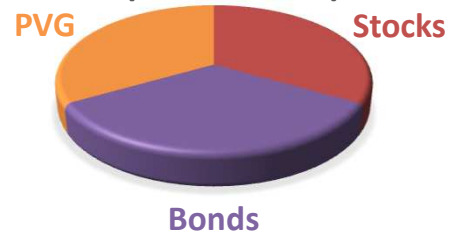
MODERN PORTFOLIO THEORY

This theory suggests that it's possible to create an optimal portfolio along the efficient frontier which will offer the maximum expected return for a given level of risk. Traditional strategies have implemented a partial stock and bond strategy in applying this theory.

MODERN PORTFOLIO THEORY
60% STOCKS/40% BONDS



PVG – ALTERNATIVE
33% STOCKS/33% BONDS/33% PVG



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This strategy could offer a substitute for the traditional Large Cap Value asset class. This strategy carries an emphasis on Capital Preservation and Growth. This strategy has the flexibility to allocate between stocks and cash. The Strategy will also buy covered calls to generate income.

Why Allocate to PVG?

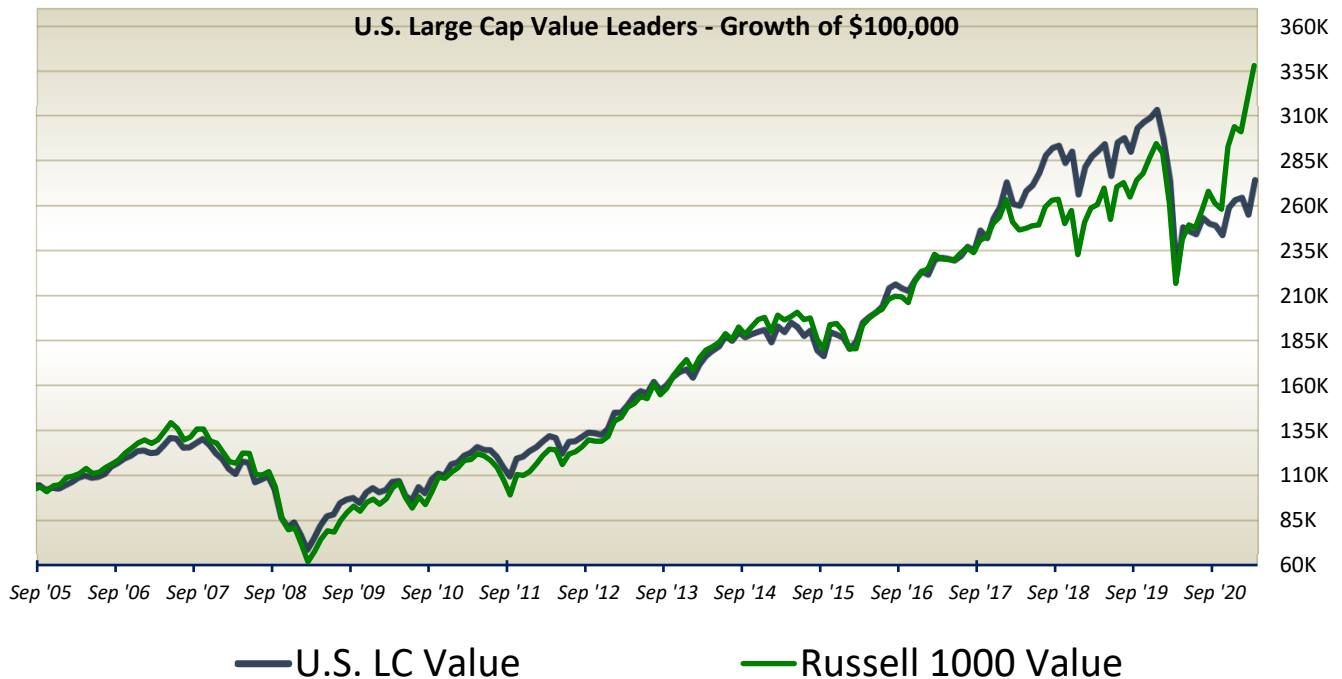
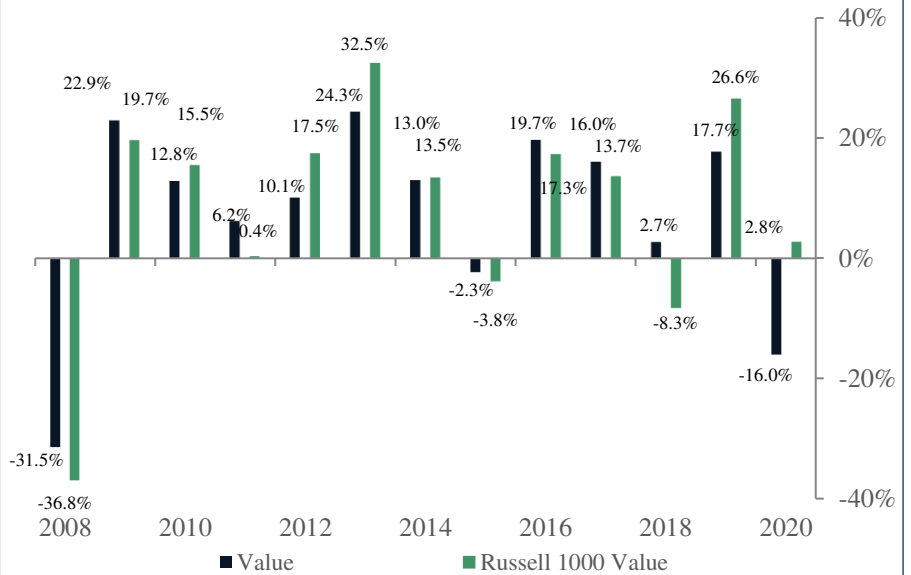
- All asset classes may fall during bear markets
- Stocks and Bonds are at all time highs and both may have systemic risk
- Investors need to be able to manage risk against the asset class in which they invest in by hedging, i.e. inverse ETFs or cash
- *Ultimately - Clients who seek to be invested in the financial markets and want to preserve their wealth without traditional market fluctuations*

PERFORMANCE

ANNUAL RETURNS (NET OF FEES) MARCH 31, 2021						STATISTICS	
	1 YEAR	3 YEAR	5 YEAR	10 YEAR	INCEPTION	VERSUS RUSSELL 1000 VALUE	
U.S. LARGE CAP VALUE	23.61%	1.81%	7.07%	8.39%	6.53%	BETA	0.84
RUSSELL 1000 VALUE	56.06%	10.97%	11.74%	10.99%	8.03%	R ²	0.89
DIVIDEND YIELD: 3.39%						UPSIDE CAPTURE	84.08
						DOWNSIDE CAPTURE	84.75
						MAX DRAWDOWN (QUARTERLY)	-29.17%
						MAX RUN UP (QUARTERLY)	18.25%

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

This strategy invests in equities with high dividends and with stock capitalizations over 7.5 billion. The strategy is concentrated in leading firms from the energy, healthcare, real estate, and consumer staple sectors. The strategy typically invests in 25-40 equities chosen primarily from the U.S. Up to 10% of the strategy can be invested in ADR securities from the major developed markets of Europe and Asia. The portfolio also generates additional income through selling covered calls.



U.S. LARGE CAP VALUE LEADERS COMPOSITE RETURNS

	QTR 1		QTR 2		QTR 3		QTR4		ANNUAL		RUSSELL 1000 VALUE
	GROSS	NET	GROSS	NET	GROSS	NET	GROSS	NET	GROSS	NET	
2021	4.41	4.21							4.41	4.21	11.24
2020	-29.05	-29.17	10.26	10.02	2.15	1.98	5.92	5.72	-15.35	-15.99	2.79
2019	9.30	9.09	1.79	1.60	2.89	2.74	3.49	3.35	18.47	17.68	26.56
2018	0.40	0.30	7.34	7.10	5.54	5.37	-9.05	-9.23	3.44	2.74	-8.26
2017	3.66	3.50	0.51	0.34	6.43	6.13	5.44	5.27	16.92	16.03	13.66
2016	4.67	4.48	4.82	4.65	5.06	4.90	4.53	4.35	20.49	19.68	17.34
2015	-0.54	-0.69	-0.96	-1.09	-5.89	-6.06	6.08	5.89	-1.67	-2.29	-3.82
2014	4.56	4.39	6.51	6.34	-0.24	-0.39	2.37	2.21	13.73	13.02	13.45
2013	9.89	9.66	4.56	4.34	3.29	3.12	5.57	5.38	25.29	24.34	32.52
2012	7.08	6.80	-2.14	-2.37	4.14	3.92	1.82	1.61	11.11	10.10	17.50
2011	5.67	5.44	1.37	1.16	-11.59	-11.80	13.15	12.87	7.16	6.18	0.39
2010	3.51	3.29	-9.63	-9.84	12.63	12.39	8.07	7.80	13.86	12.84	15.50
2009	-10.72	-10.91	18.50	18.25	10.60	10.37	5.92	5.71	23.94	22.92	19.69
2008	-9.09	-9.39	-3.83	-4.15	-3.35	-3.68	-17.79	-18.05	-30.54	-31.45	-36.84
2007	-0.22	-0.52	6.49	6.16	-1.52	-1.81	-4.20	-4.51	0.25	-0.98	-0.17
2006	6.21	5.84	0.66	0.48	7.48	7.11	5.90	5.58	21.70	20.27	22.24
2005	-	-	1.86	1.52	3.83	3.44	-1.71	-1.89	3.95	3.02	6.95

*Performance disclosures for the Value Leaders Long/Short can be found on page 8.

U.S. LARGE CAP VALUE LEADERS HOLDINGS

PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS

AS OF QUARTER END – MARCH 31, 2021*

U.S. Common Stock Holdings

Position	%
Gilead Sciences (gild)	6.34%
Ameren Corp. (aee)	6.11%
Consolidated Edison (ed)	5.50%
Abbvie Inc. (abbv)	5.34%
Dominiion Res Inc. (d)	5.15%
Walgreens Boots Alliance Inc. (wba)	4.32%
CVS Health Corp. (cvs)	4.30%
American Electric Power (aep)	3.73%
Pfizer Inc. (pfe)	3.54%
American Campus Cmnty (acc)	3.30%
Merck & Co. (mrk)	3.23%
Chevron Corp. (cvs)	2.76%
Digital Realty Trust, Inc. (dlr)	2.53%
Duke Energy (duk)	2.50%
Kraft Heinz (khc)	2.27%
Pepsico Inc. (pep)	2.17%
Intel Corp. (intc)	1.95%
Sabra Health Care Inc. (sbra)	0.77%
Viatrix Inc. (vtrs)	0.17%
Total	65.98%

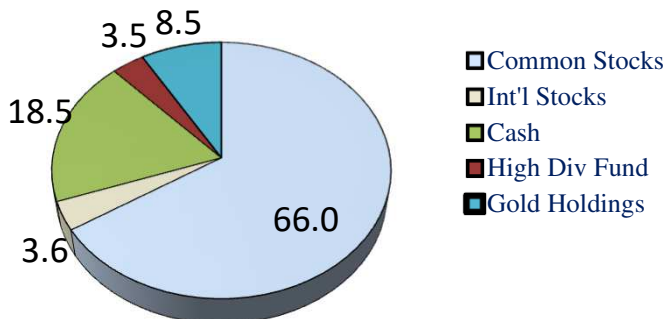
International ADR Stock Holdings

Position	%
Novartis AG ADR (nvs)	3.64%
Total	3.64%

ETF & Cash

Cash	18.50%
Vanguard Whitehall High Div Yield ETF (ewu)	3.45%
SPDR Gold Trust (gld)	4.85%
Credit Suisse Gold Shares (gldi)	2.14%
Vaneck Vectors Gold Miners ETF (gdx)	1.49%

Portfolio Allocation



Portfolio Allocation	Weight
Vanguard Whitehall High Div Yield ETF (ewu) LONG	3.45%
Gold Holdings	8.48%
Total Equity Holdings (Common & International Stock) LONG	69.62%
Cash	18.50%
Net Long	100%

*Portfolio Holdings may not reflect the current holdings of the U.S. Value strategy.



Investing with an emphasis on Capital Preservation



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