

## Essex Small Growth

Product Base Currency of US Dollar (USD)

Track Record: USA - SA - Composite - Essex Small Growth - Gross of Fees

Risk Index: Russell 2000 Growth

Risk-Free Index: FTSE 3-Month T-Bill

Frequency: Monthly

## General Information

Asset Class: United States - Equity  
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## Key Facts

Primary Capitalization: Small Cap  
 Primary Style Emphasis: Growth  
 Preferred Benchmark: Russell 2000 Growth  
 Total Product Assets: \$158.8  
 Total Product Accounts: 8  
 Product Offered As: PF,SA  
 Investment Focus: Long Only  
 Status: Active

## Asset &amp; Account Information

Current Totals	Assets (M)	Accounts
Product	\$158.8	8
Taxable	\$1.3	1
Tax-Exempt	\$157.5	7
Institutional	\$157.5	7

Gained	Accounts	Assets (M)	% Product Assets
MRQ	0	\$0.0	0.0%
YTD	0	\$0.0	0.0%
2020	0	\$0.0	0.0%
2019	0	\$0.0	0.0%

Assets by Vehicle Type	Assets (M)
Separate / Segregated	\$158.8
Pooled / Commingled	\$0.0
Mutual Fund / Institutional	\$0.0
Mutual Fund / Retail	\$0.0

Lost	Accounts	Assets (M)	% Product Assets
MRQ	1	\$20.0	13.5%
YTD	1	\$20.0	13.5%
2020	0	\$0.0	0.0%
2019	1	\$20.1	17.2%

## Portfolio Characteristics

## Strategy Snapshot

Primary Capitalization: Small Cap  
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 Secondary Style Emphasis: Not Applicable  
 Current Number Of Holdings: 100  
 Foreign Securities Utilized: ---  
 Approach Towards Currency Hedging: ---  
 % Hedged Back to Local Currency: ---  
 % Max Allowed in Emerging Markets: ---  
 Derivatives Utilized: No

## Fundamental Characteristics

Current Cash Position: 2.1%  
 Annual Turnover (LTM): 69%  
 Current P / E (12-mo Trailing): 31.51x  
 Current P / B (12-mo Trailing): 3.67x  
 Current P / S (12-mo Trailing): 1.46x  
 Earnings Growth (Past 5 Yrs): ---  
 Weighted Avg. Mkt Cap (M): \$1,876  
 Median Market Cap (M): \$696

## Market Capitalization Breakdown

> \$50 Billion: 0.00%  
 \$15-50 Billion: 0.00%  
 \$7.5-15 Billion: 6.03%  
 \$1.5-7.5 Billion: 30.80%  
 \$750 Million-1.5 Billion: 16.57%  
 \$400 Million-750 Million: 22.94%  
 < \$400 Million: 23.65%

## Performance Information

USD

Trailing Periods	Returns			Std Dev	Alpha	Beta	Trk Error	Info Ratio	Sharpe Ratio
	Product	Benchmark	Excess						
1 Year	141.93	90.20	51.73	23.75	34.22	0.94	11.99	4.32	5.97
2 Year	31.57	24.44	7.13	32.30	3.47	1.16	11.29	0.63	0.94
3 Year	23.64	17.16	6.47	30.09	4.52	1.12	9.60	0.67	0.74
4 Year	23.11	17.53	5.58	26.43	3.46	1.13	8.57	0.65	0.82
5 Year	23.15	18.61	4.55	24.25	2.55	1.11	8.07	0.56	0.91
6 Year	15.80	12.89	2.91	23.65	2.05	1.09	7.66	0.38	0.63
7 Year	14.37	12.77	1.60	22.67	1.05	1.07	7.49	0.21	0.60
8 Year	18.18	14.48	3.71	21.72	2.82	1.06	7.38	0.50	0.80
9 Year	18.12	14.48	3.64	21.11	2.69	1.07	7.11	0.51	0.83
10 Year	15.41	13.02	2.39	21.30	1.91	1.05	6.91	0.35	0.70
Since Inception (10/2000)	13.37	7.37	6.00	22.69	6.05	0.98	7.89	0.76	0.52

Returns	MRQ	YTD	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Product	24.22	24.22	27.76	27.42	-4.88	25.88	9.99	-5.03	5.31
Benchmark	4.88	4.88	34.63	28.48	-9.31	22.17	11.32	-1.38	5.60
Excess	19.35	19.35	-6.87	-1.07	4.42	3.71	-1.33	-3.65	-0.29

## Fee Information

Vehicle Type	Available	Min. Size (M)	Minimum Fee
Separate / Segregated	Open	\$3.00	\$30,000.00
Pooled / Commingled	Not Available	---	---
Institutional MFs	Open	---	---

Fees By Acct. Size	\$25M	\$50M	\$75M	\$100M
Separate / Segregated	\$240,000 96 bps	\$445,000 89 bps	\$645,000 86 bps	\$845,000 85 bps
Pooled / Commingled	---	---	---	---
Institutional MFs	\$372,500 149 bps	\$745,000 149 bps	\$1,117,500 149 bps	\$1,490,000 149 bps

## Professional Information

Team Description	No.	Avg. Yrs. Exp.	Avg. Yrs. @ Firm
Portfolio Managers	1	37	16
Research Analysts	3	22	13
Traders	2	33	30
Risk Portfolio / Monitoring	0	0	0

Professional Turnover	Portfolio Mgrs.	Analysts
Professionals Gained	MRQ	0
	2020	0
	2019	0
Professionals Lost	MRQ	0
	2020	0
	2019	0

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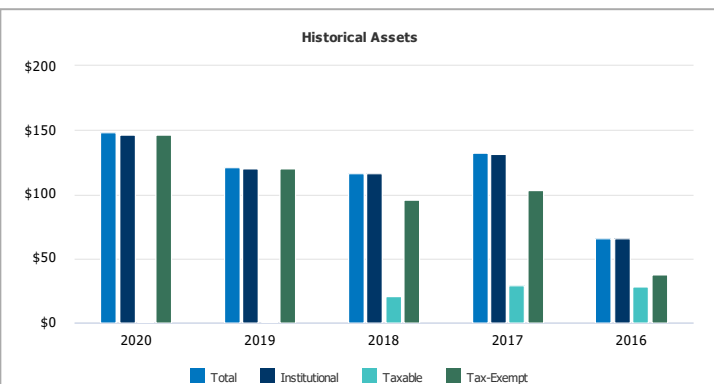
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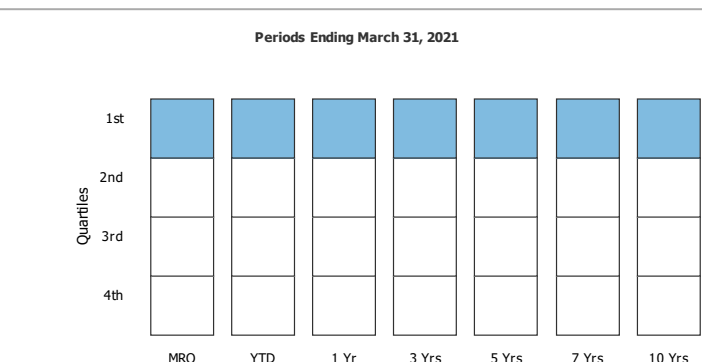
Historical Product Assets & Universe Ranking Analysis vs US Small Cap Equity

Historical Product Assets



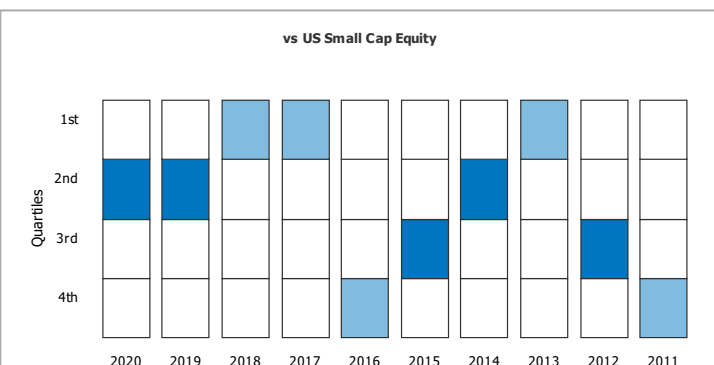
Category	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total	\$148.0	\$120.7	\$116.8	\$132.2	\$65.9
Institutional	\$146.9	\$119.9	\$116.1	\$131.5	\$65.4
Taxable	\$1.1	\$0.8	\$21.1	\$28.7	\$28.1
Tax-Exempt	\$146.9	\$119.9	\$95.7	\$103.5	\$37.9

Universe Ranking Analysis: Annualized Returns



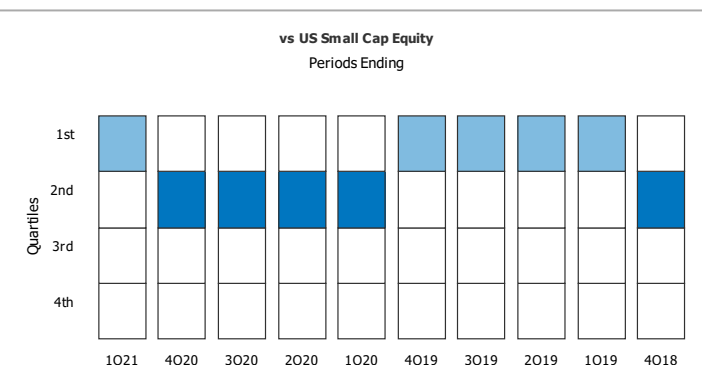
Percentile	MRQ	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	7 Yrs	10 Yrs
5th	25.33	25.33	135.10	28.33	28.14	18.49	17.66
25th	19.21	19.21	105.60	19.10	19.64	13.96	14.39
Median	14.09	14.09	91.94	14.30	15.59	11.29	12.48
75th	8.71	8.71	81.97	11.01	12.96	9.32	11.00
95th	1.38	1.38	66.48	7.82	10.20	7.14	9.00
Product	24.22	24.22	141.93	23.64	23.15	14.37	15.41
Rank	7	7	4	14	13	22	16

Universe Ranking Analysis: Calendar Year Returns



	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Median	15.59	25.63	-10.76	14.83	20.62
Product	27.76	27.42	-4.88	25.88	9.99
Rank	31	37	22	14	86
	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011
Median	-2.84	5.09	41.27	16.63	-1.86
Product	-5.03	5.31	66.32	14.15	-9.66
Rank	68	47	1	71	90

Universe Ranking Analysis: Rolling 3-Year Returns



	1Q21	4Q20	3Q20	2Q20	1Q20	4Q19	3Q19	2Q19	1Q19	4Q18
Median	14.30	8.96	1.46	1.79	-4.70					
Product	23.64	15.69	6.50	5.74	-1.72					
Rank	14	28	30	32	35					
	4Q19	3Q19	2Q19	1Q19	4Q18					
Median	8.63	8.95	11.94	12.03	7.57					
Product	15.12	12.06	18.26	17.84	9.61					
Rank	18	24	15	16	28					

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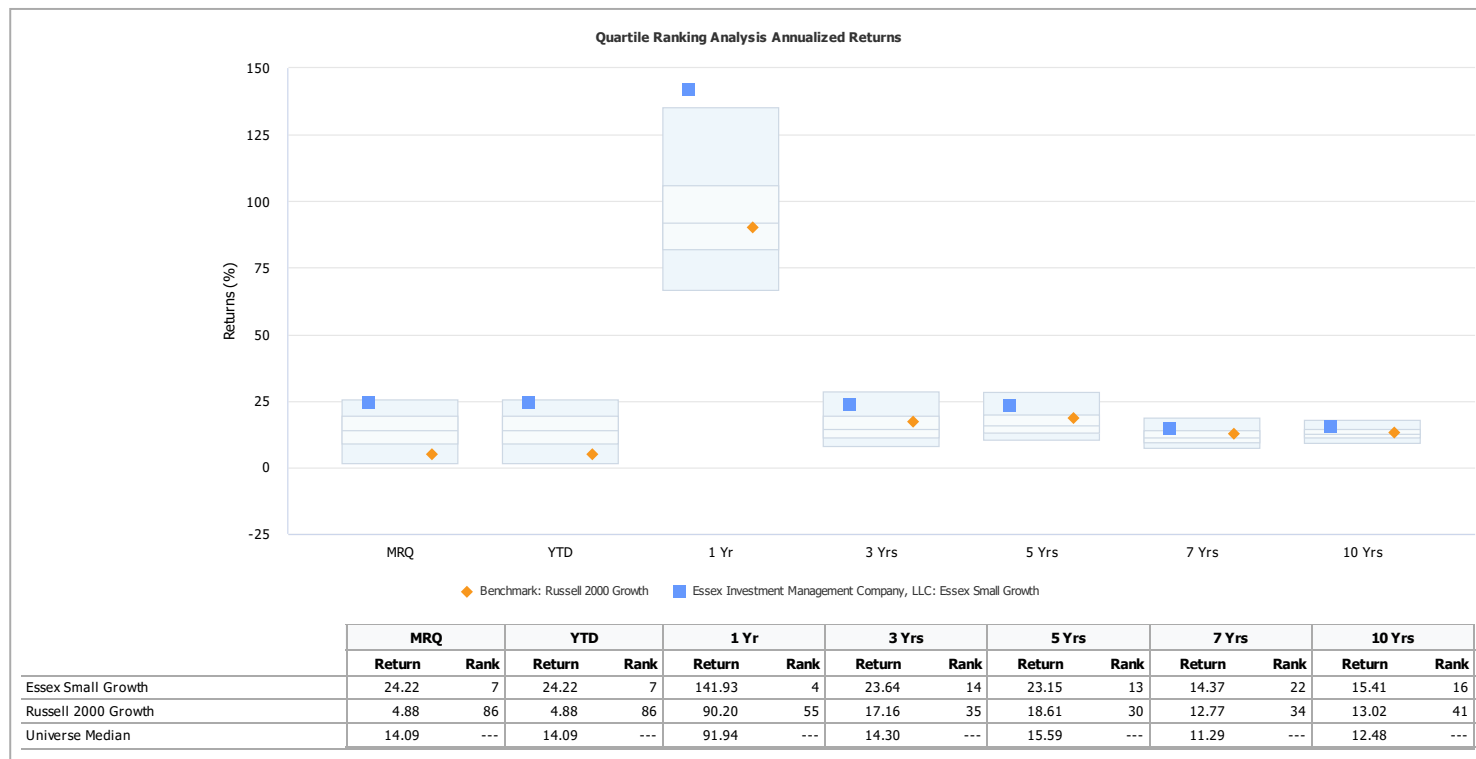
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**Peer Group Statistics & Ranking vs US Small Cap Equity**



	MRQ		YTD		1 Yr		3 Yrs		5 Yrs		7 Yrs		10 Yrs	
	Return	Rank	Return	Rank	Return	Rank	Return	Rank	Return	Rank	Return	Rank	Return	Rank
Essex Small Growth	24.22	7	24.22	7	141.93	4	23.64	14	23.15	13	14.37	22	15.41	16
Russell 2000 Growth	4.88	86	4.88	86	90.20	55	17.16	35	18.61	30	12.77	34	13.02	41
Universe Median	14.09	---	14.09	---	91.94	---	14.30	---	15.59	---	11.29	---	12.48	---

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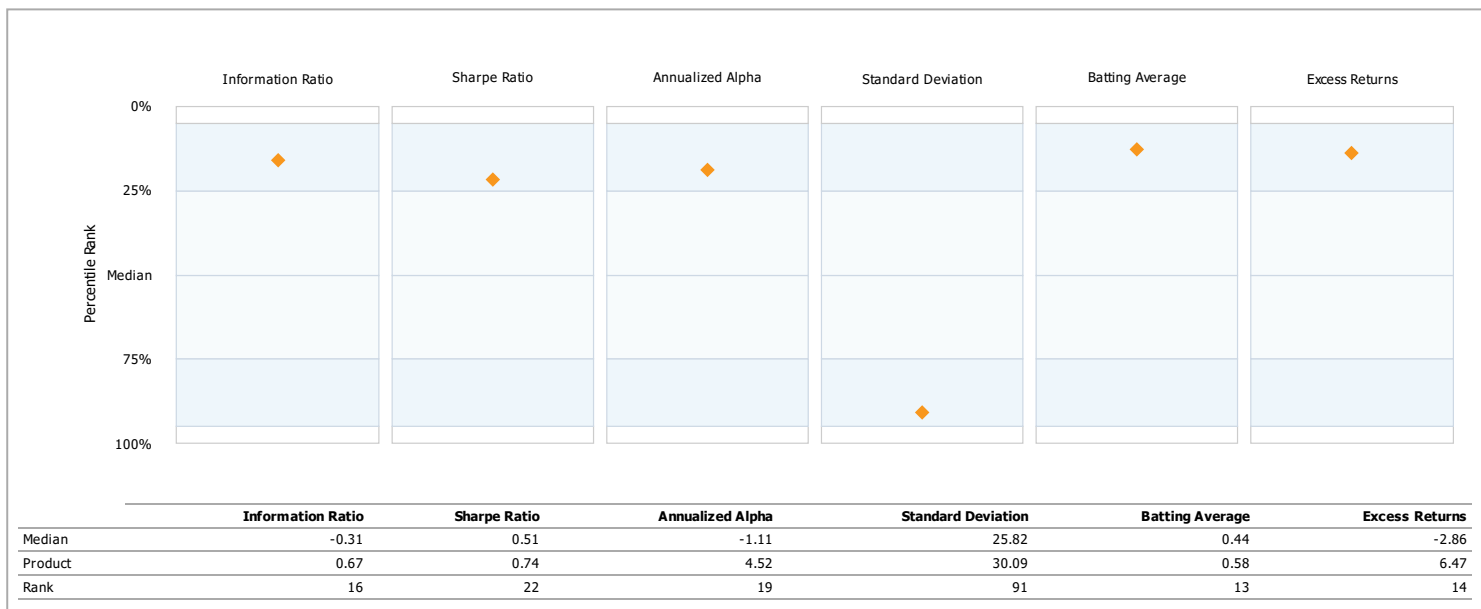
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Three Year Statistics vs US Small Cap Equity vs Russell 2000 Growth



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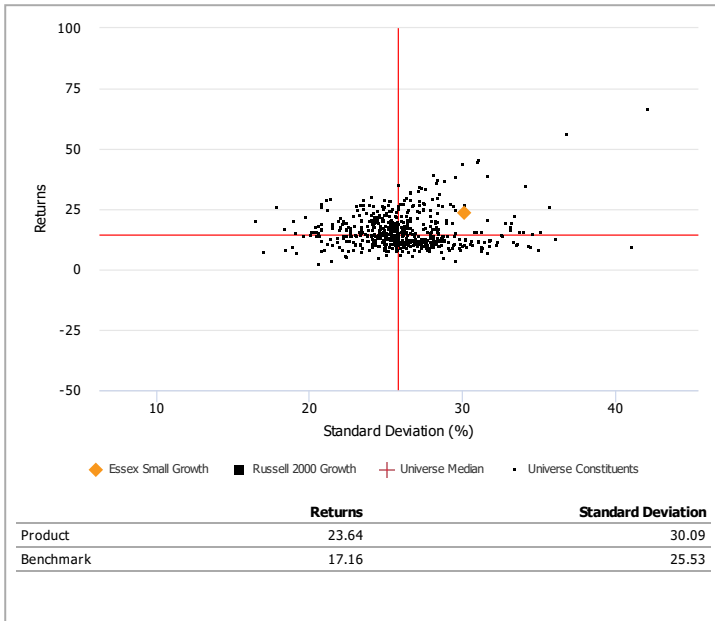
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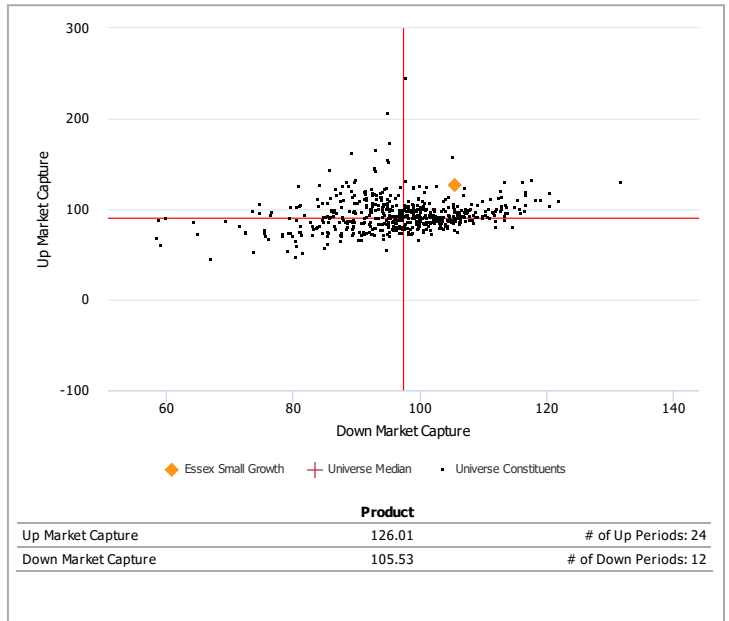
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Risk vs Reward & Market Capture Analysis: 3 Years vs US Small Cap Equity

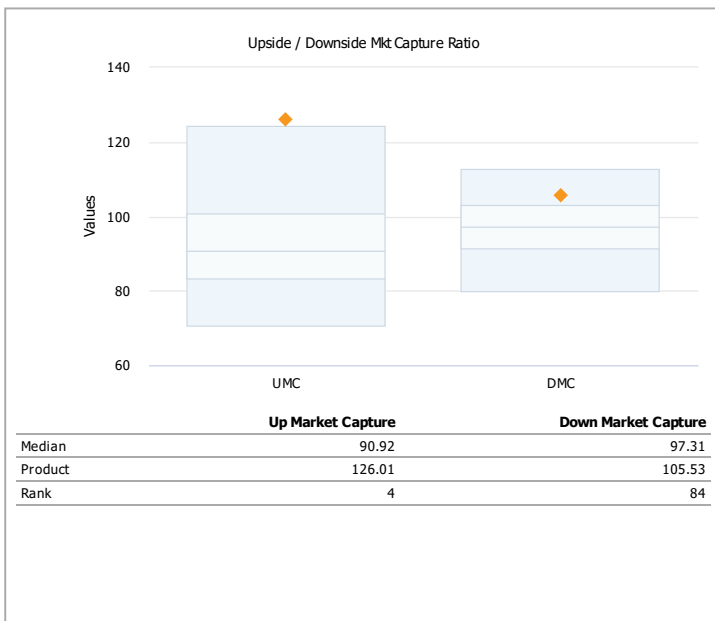
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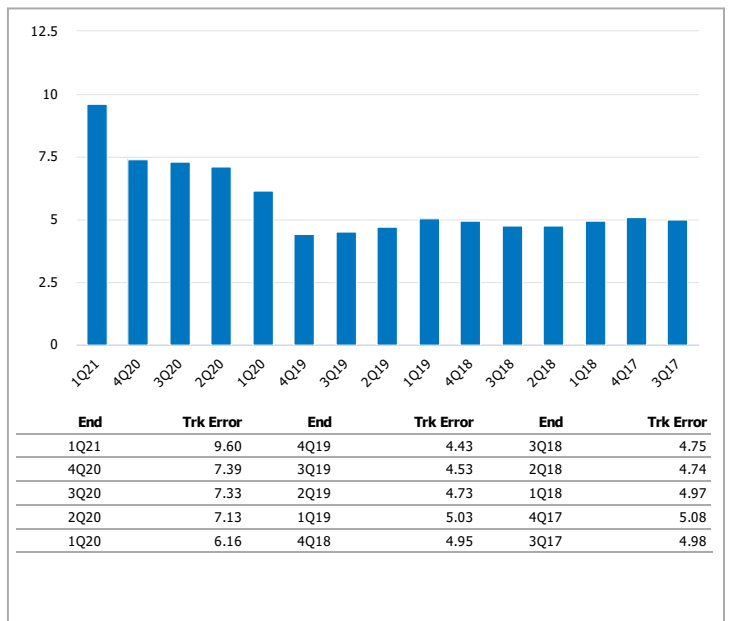
Up vs Down Market Capture



Market Capture Analysis: 3 Years



Tracking Error: Rolling 3-Year Periods



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Period	Gross Return	Net Return	Benchmark Return	Number of Portfolios	Total Composite Assets (USD millions)	Total Firm Assets (USD millions)	Composite Assets as a % of Total Firm Assets	Dispersion	Composite 3-year Standard Deviation	Benchmark 3-year Standard Deviation
2010	29.3 %	27.7 %	29.1 %	13	\$620	\$1,470	42.2 %	0.3	29.7 %	27.7 %
2011	-9.7 %	-10.8 %	-2.9 %	10	\$383	\$1,058	36.2 %	0.1	24.0 %	24.3 %
2012	14.2 %	12.8 %	14.6 %	≤ 5	\$96	\$612	15.7 %	-	21.4 %	20.7 %
2013	66.4 %	64.7 %	43.3 %	≤ 5	\$104	\$740	14.1 %	-	17.8 %	17.3 %
2014	5.3 %	4.3 %	5.6 %	≤ 5	\$80	\$683	11.7 %	-	14.7 %	13.8 %
2015	-5.0 %	-6.0 %	-1.4 %	≤ 5	\$75	\$677	11.1 %	-	15.4 %	15.0 %
2016	10.0 %	8.9 %	11.3 %	≤ 5	\$66	\$606	10.9 %	-	16.0 %	16.7 %
2017	25.9 %	24.6 %	22.2 %	10	\$132	\$765	17.3 %	-	14.7 %	14.6 %
2018	-4.9 %	-5.8 %	-9.3 %	10	\$117	\$622	18.8 %	0.3	17.0 %	16.5 %
2019	27.4 %	26.2 %	28.5 %	9	\$121	\$713	16.9 %	0.2	17.0 %	16.4 %

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