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BALANCED STRATEGY

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MANAGER COMMENTARY

Up versus down is not always the direction of choice as became evident this year. In Q1 inflation and interest rates worldwide have spiked upwards and are widely believed to be heading higher for the duration of 2022. Asset valuations headed lower in relative terms and will continue to be challenged until one or both of those factors level off. In the meantime, as rates head higher PE multiples head lower. Stagflation may have arrived in U.S. as Q1 GDP appears to have fallen by 1.4% as inflation climbs.

Equities turned neutral to down while bonds became radioactive during Q1. And near the end of the guarter commodities caught fire on the upside but may not be sustainable in the coming periods of declining growth rates leading to lower demand.

Headline CPI in Canada surged 1.4% in March to hit 6.7% year-over-year. In the US the surge in gasoline prices left total inflation in March at 8.5%. This may represent the peak in inflation but any easing in the next few months will likely be gradual due to continued supply disruptions emanating from the war in Ukraine and lockdown measures in China.

For Q1 2022 (all measured in CAD unless specified otherwise) the Total Returns including reinvested dividends for the major indexes were: S&P/TSX Composite +3.84%; S&P 500 Index -5.66%; S&P 500 Index USD -4.60%; MSCI WORLD INDEX -6.32%; MSCI WORLD INDEX USD -5.04%. The FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond Index -6.97%. The CAD dollar rose +1.13%. The S&P/TSX Composite Energy Index (CAD) +28.72% and S&P/TSX Composite Materials Index (CAD) +20.09% were the strongest sectors. The S&P/TSX Composite Information Technology Index (CAD) -35.45% and the S&P/TSX Composite Health Care Index CAD -8.51%) were the weakest.

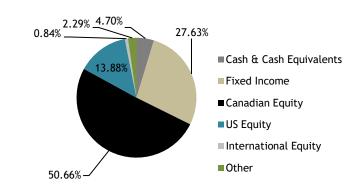
The top 3 performers in the portfolio were: Canadian Natural Resources (+44.83%), Whitecap Resources (+38.05%) and Enbridge (+16.47%). The bottom 3 performers were: Anavex Life Sciences (-29.82%), GM Co (-26.25%) and Lightspeed Communications (-25.35%).

During Q1, Four equity positions were added: Enerflex Ltd (-2.91%), CDA Goose Holdings Inc (-24.47%), Victoria Gold Corp (+14.39%) and ATS Automation Tooling Systems (-12.89%). One Fixed Income position was liquidated: iShares 1-5 YR Laddered Corp (-4.60%). One equity position was liquidated: iShares S&P/TSX Global Gold Index (-4.00%).

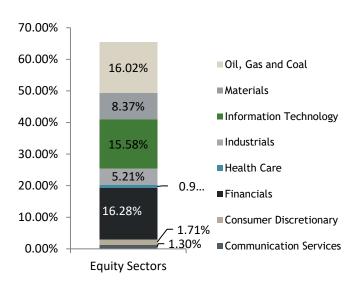
PERFORMANCE RETURNS

Performance (%)	3 Mo	YTD	1Yr	3Yr	5Yr	10Yr	SI inception
Composite	-0.57%	-0.57%	13.42%	10.49%	7.56%	8.12%	8.75%
Benchmark	-2.19%	-2.19%	8.11%	8.61%	7.22%	7.48%	7.51%
Diff +/-	1.62%	1.62%	5.31%	1.88%	0.34%	0.64%	1.24%

ASSET MIX



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TOP TEN HOLDINGS

% Held

TOTAL TOP TEN	43.99%
Canadian Cash	3.36%
RBC	3.36%
TD	4.09%
WSP GLBL INC COM	4.11%
WHITECAP RSRC INC	4.17%
ISHR CDN REAL RTN BOND IDX	4.46%
HORIZONS ACTIVE ULTRA SHORT TERM INVEST GRADE BOND CL E UTS	4.47%
CDN NATURAL RSRC LTD	4.75%
ISHR 0-5 YR TIPS BD IDX (CAD-HEDGED) UT	5.03%
MICROSOFT CORP	6.19%

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