CORE AGGREGATE COMPOSITE OVERVIEW

As of December 31, 2024

KEY CHARACTERISTICS

Total Strategy AUM:*	\$4,331.5 MM
Strategy Inception:*	7/1/1996
Yield:	5.10%
Duration:	6.10 Years
Average Quality:	AA

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

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Industry: 2007 Merganser: 2013 Andrew M. Smock, CFA

Industry: 1999 Merganser: 2003

STRATEGY OVERVIEW

Investment Objective

- To exceed the returns of the Bloomberg Aggregate Index over a market cycle
- Provide an attractive source of income while acting as a stabilizer during periods of market volatility

Investment Strategy

- Leverage our boutique size by investing in underappreciated areas of the market
- Employ extensive fundamental research and relative value analysis, with a goal of achieving attractive risk-adjusted returns while preserving liquidity
- Keep duration neutral to the benchmark; generate alpha through sector rotation and security selection decisions

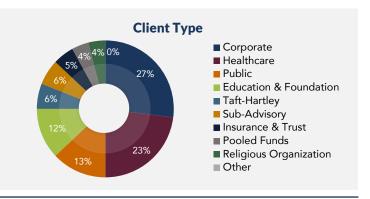
COMPOSITE CHARACTERISTICS VS. BENCHMARK

Treasuries & Cash** Agencies Credit RMBS	26% 0% 20% 28%	44% 1% 27% 25%
Credit	20%	27%
	28%	
RMBS		25%
CMBS	11%	2%
ABS	15%	0%
QUALITY	ORE AGGREGATE COMPOSITE	BLOOMBERG AGGREGATE INDEX
Gov't Gtd	58%	71%
AAA	13%	3%
AA	7%	2%
A	13%	11%
BBB	9%	12%
Below BBB	0%	0%
DURATION (YRS)	ORE AGGREGATE COMPOSITE	BLOOMBERG AGGREGATE INDEX
0-2	16%	14%
2-4	12%	24%
4-6	19%	21%
6-8	37%	21%
8-10	4%	4%
10+	13%	16%

FIRM OVERVIEW

About Merganser

- Formed in 1985, Merganser has been managing institutional fixed income portfolios for over 35 years
- Our strategies are long only, US dollar-denominated and do not utilize complex derivatives
- The investment team is highly collaborative and portfolios are managed on a team basis
- As a boutique manager, we embrace portfolio customization and solving unique issues for our clients



Past performance is no guarantee of future results; investments can and may lose money. Investing in the bond market is subject to certain risks which impact performance including Interest-rate Risk, Market Risk, Inflation Risk, Reinvestment Risk, Business Risk, Liquidity Risk, Credit Risk, Extension & Prepayment Risk, Counterparty Risk and Regulatory Risk. Composite benchmarks are selected based on comparable duration and credit quality of US Dollar fixed income securities. Portfolios in the composites will invest in out of index securities which may result in positive or negative performance compared to the benchmark. All client accounts that met the composite criteria during the reporting period are included in the composite performance calculations. A description of composite eligibility is available upon request. Securities and characteristics can and will vary based on market conditions including liquidity, yield curve and ratings changes.

Tables may not foot due to rounding.

^{*}Characteristic includes accounts that are not in the Composite. All other characteristics are derived only from accounts that are in the Composite.

^{**}Includes cash, receivables and payables.