

Dividend All-Cap Value II ex-MLP

A TOTAL RETURN STRATEGY | QUARTERLY UPDATE AS OF MARCH 31, 2021



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Investment Objectives

- Long-term total return > Russell 3000 Value index plus 200 to 400 bps
- Target yield \geq 150% of the Russell 3000 Value index
- Target volatility < Russell 3000 Value

Strategy Summary

River Road's Dividend All-Cap Value II ex-MLP (DAV II ex-MLP) Strategy utilizes a fundamentally driven research process to identify attractive purchase candidates from an all cap universe of high yielding equity securities. The Strategy seeks to invest in well-managed, financially strong companies with high and growing dividends, targeting companies that are also trading at meaningful discounts to our assessed valuations. Typical investment criteria include:

- Minimum market capitalization of \$1 B at the time of purchase
- Indicated dividend yield of at least 2%

The stock selection process is complemented by a risk averse approach that employs balanced diversification and a structured sell discipline.

Portfolio Managers



Henry W. Sanders III, CFA
32 years of experience;
managed Portfolio since inception

Bellarmine University, BA
Boston College, MBA



Thomas S. Forsha, CFA
23 years of experience;
managed Portfolio since inception

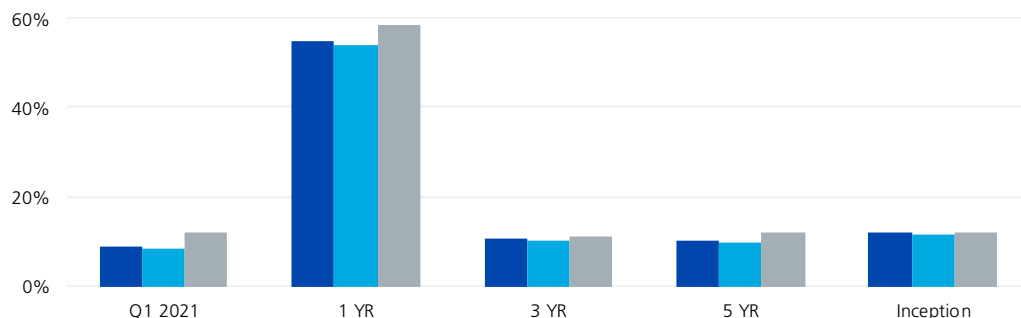
The Ohio State University, BS
University of Chicago, MBA



Andrew R. McIntosh, CFA
17 years of experience;
managed Portfolio since 2018

University of Iowa, BBA

Trailing Returns



	Q1 2021	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	Inception
DAV II ex-MLP Composite - Gross	8.63%	54.71%	10.42%	10.17%	11.86%
DAV II ex-MLP Composite - Net	8.53%	54.10%	9.98%	9.75%	11.40%
Russell 3000 Value	11.89%	58.38%	10.99%	11.87%	12.03%
Out / Underperformance	-3.26%	-3.67%	-0.57%	-1.70%	-0.17%

Composite Dividend Yield: 3.08%¹

Calendar Year Returns

	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
DAV II ex-MLP Composite - Gross	1.88%	24.07%	-5.06%	11.28%	20.47%	-3.76%	11.11%	34.80%
DAV II ex-MLP Composite - Net	1.45%	23.61%	-5.44%	10.87%	20.03%	-4.17%	10.69%	34.09%
Russell 3000 Value	2.87%	26.26%	-8.58%	13.19%	18.40%	-4.13%	12.70%	32.69%
Out / Underperformance	-0.99%	-2.19%	+3.52%	-1.91%	+2.07%	+0.37%	-1.59%	+2.11%

Past performance is no guarantee of future results. There is a risk that invested capital may be lost. Performance is shown gross and net of fees. Inception date: January 1, 2013. Out/underperformance compares the gross Composite and index. ¹Gross of fees; indicated portfolio yield does not anticipate special dividends. Yield based on a representative portfolio within the Strategy. Index data source: London Stock Exchange Group PLC and its group undertakings (collectively, the "LSE Group"), © LSE Group. Please see reverse side for important disclosure information.

Market Highlights

- As vaccinations roll out and massive stimulus arrives, 2021 kicks off with a 'roar.'
- Small cap stocks continued to lead; value posted its best quarter in more than two decades.** The relative valuation gaps between the median growth stock and median value stock remained near historic highs.
- In Q1, **market beta** was the best performing of the factors we track closely. Driven by lower quality, higher yielding stocks, the **dividend yield** factor also outperformed, as quality-related factors, including **ROE**, were generally negative.

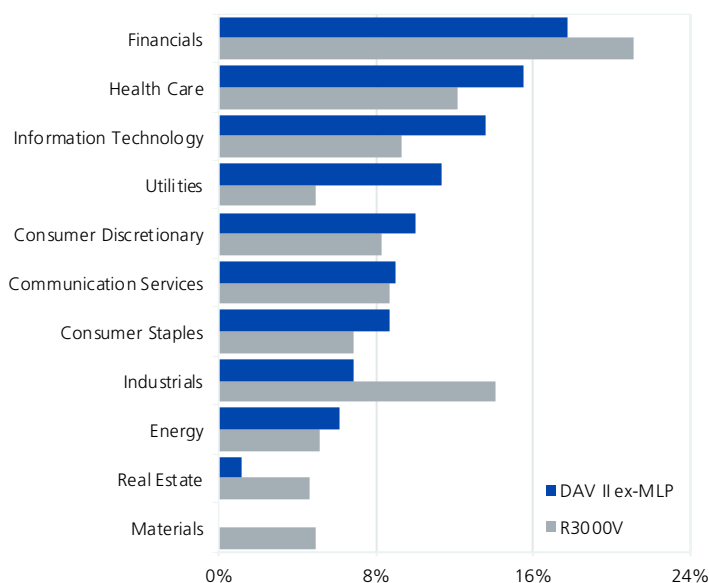
Portfolio Highlights

- The Dividend All-Cap Value II ex-MLP (DAV II ex-MLP) Composite returned **+8.63%** (+8.53% net) for Q1 versus **+11.89%** for the Russell 3000 Value.
- At the end of Q1, the dividend yield of the Portfolio was **3.08%**, which is **158% of the 1.95% yield of the Russell 3000 Value** and **more than double the 1.46% yield of the S&P 500**.
- Real Estate (+52 bps)** and **Consumer Discretionary (+5 bps)** were the sectors with the highest contribution to relative return.
- The holdings with the highest contribution to Portfolio return were **Corning Inc. (GLW)**, **Truist Financial Corp. (TFC)**, and **AES Corp. (AES)**.
- Financials (-99 bps)** and **Industrials (-80 bps)** were the sectors with the lowest contribution to relative return.
- The holdings with the lowest contribution to Portfolio return were **Qualcomm Inc. (QCOM)**, **Vistra Corp. (VST)**, and **Unilever PLC Sponsored ADR (UL)**.

Outlook

- Prevailing valuations already reflect a robust recovery in 2021, but the **potential corporate tax rate increases could put downward pressure on both cash flows and multiples**. As we move out of the early phase of the post-lockdown recovery, **the attractive return expectations for higher quality, dividend-paying stocks should continue supporting a positive relative return environment for the Strategy**.

Sector Weights



Characteristics & Risk Statistics

	DAV II ex-MLP	R3000V
Number of Holdings	45	2,367
Dividend Yield ¹	3.08	1.95
Price / Cash Flow	15.9	17.8
ROE (5 YR Avg)	19.1	14.1
EPS Growth (5 YR)	1.7	7.6
Div / Share Growth (TTM)	5.8	5.4
Cash	1.0%	
Annualized Standard Deviation ²	15.55	16.28
Jensen Alpha ²	-1.04	
Beta ²	0.94	
Dollar Turnover (3 YR Avg) ³	44.5%	

Portfolio Contribution

Top Contributors	Yield ¹	Avg Wgt	Contrib
GLW Corning Inc.	2.21%	4.40%	+0.88%
TFC Truist Financial Corp.	3.09%	3.52%	+0.75%
AES AES Corp.	2.25%	4.29%	+0.64%
KMI Kinder Morgan Inc. (CI P)	6.31%	2.52%	+0.55%
IRM Iron Mountain Inc.	6.68%	1.42%	+0.53%

Bottom Contributors	Yield ¹	Avg Wgt	Contrib
QCOM Qualcomm Inc.	1.96%	2.19%	-0.31%
VST Vistra Corp.	3.39%	0.99%	-0.26%
UL Unilever PLC Sponsored ADR	3.28%	3.00%	-0.24%
PEP PepsiCo Inc.	2.89%	2.02%	-0.10%
MRK Merck & Co. Inc.	3.37%	1.57%	-0.10%

Market Cap Breakdown

	DAV II ex-MLP	R3000V
Wtd Median Market Cap	\$78.41 B	\$63.73 B
Wtd Avg Market Cap	\$95.65 B	\$136.83 B
Large/Mega Cap: > \$25 B	71.9%	71.2%
Mid Cap: \$5 B - \$25 B	18.7%	21.1%
Micro/Small Cap: < \$5 B	9.3%	7.7%

Top 10 Portfolio Holdings

Symbol	Company	% Port	Yield ¹
GLW	Corning Inc.	4.82%	2.21%
TGT	Target Corp.	4.14%	1.37%
AES	AES Corp.	4.12%	2.25%
UPS	United Parcel Service Inc. (CI B)	4.10%	2.40%
CMCSA	Comcast Corp. (CI A)	3.87%	1.85%
TFC	Truist Financial Corp.	3.65%	3.09%
VZ	Verizon Communications Inc.	3.27%	4.32%
BMJ	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.	3.11%	3.10%
CSCO	Cisco Systems Inc.	3.09%	2.86%
USB	U.S. Bancorp	2.97%	3.04%

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