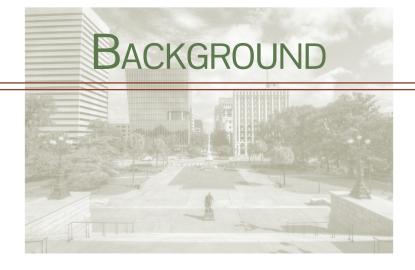
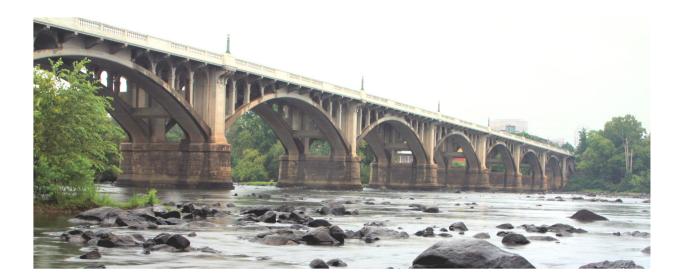
INVESTMENT MANAGER PROFILE: CCM INVESTMENT ADVISERS



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CCM Investment Advisers is a privately owned investment counseling firm located in Columbia, South Carolina. CCM provides asset management services for individuals, corporations, municipalities and institutions. Assets under management total \$1 billion.

CCM's only business is the active management of investment portfolios. Clients include endowments, foundations, pension and profit sharing plans, insurance companies, trusts and individuals.

CCM was founded on the philosophy that quality investment advice requires individual attention to the investment objectives of each client. The organizational structure is designed to attract and retain both experienced investment managers and talented business school graduates.

Through shared ownership in the profitability of the firm, CCM Investment Advisers' investment professionals have a clear vested interest in the long-term success of our clients. CCM's portfolio managers understand each client's investment objectives. This permits the portfolio manager to integrate our disciplined, conservative approach with an appreciation of each client's individual circumstances.

Robert F. Key, CFA

President



Mr. Key began his career at the South Carolina National Bank as a Corporate Banker and later moved to First Union Bank where he created and managed the Private Banking Group. He subsequently served as Treasurer of The Seibels Bruce Group, a property and casualty insurance company. Mr. Key joined CCM Investment Advisers in 1998 and his responsibilities include strategic organization oversight of the firm, management of client portfolios, marketing and fundamental research in the finance and REIT sectors. Mr. Key was graduated from Furman University and received his MBA from the University of South Carolina in 1982. He is a CFA Charterholder, a former Certified Cash Manager, has served as an adjunct professor of finance at

the University of South Carolina and has provided expert consultation on legal matters involving lending and securities. Mr. Key is a past President of the CFA Society of S.C.

Chris W. Antley

Senior Vice President



Mr. Antley joined CCM after graduating from the Honors College of the University of South Carolina in 1988 and then receiving his Master of Business Administration Degree from the University of South Carolina in 1990. While at CCM, Mr. Antley has worked in all areas of investment management including corporate accounting, portfolio accounting, quantitative modeling, asset allocation, macro-economic research, equity and fixed income fundamental research, and portfolio management. Mr. Antley serves as the firm's Chief Investment Officer, where he maintains the firm's Asset Allocation Model. His individual areas of fundamental research include the healthcare, information technology and communications sectors.

Michael A. Burkett, CFA

Senior Vice President



Mr. Burkett joined CCM in 1998 after receiving his Bachelor of Science degree, Magna Cum Laude, from the University of South Carolina. Mr. Burkett is the Equity Strategist for CCM and is responsible for development of the CCM Equity Model. He is also the firm's Director of Trading His other responsibilities at CCM include portfolio management, information systems, performance composite, research on fixed income products as well as the consumer discretionary and consumer staples equity sectors. Prior to his college studies, Mr. Burkett served as a linguist in the United States Army 82nd Airborne Division. Mr. Burkett is a CFA Charterholder and a past President of the CFA Society of South Carolina. Mr. Burkett is a guest lecturer at the University of

South Carolina's Moore School of Business.

Christian J. Leveque

Senior Vice President



Mr. Leveque joined CCM in 2023 as a Portfolio Manager and CCM's Fixed Income Strategist. He is responsible for quantitative and fundamental research, asset allocation, security selection, and contributes to the overall implementation of CCM's fixed income investment strategies. Prior to joining CCM, Mr. Leveque worked at Payden & Rygel in Los Angeles, where he was responsible for overseeing \$4 billion in municipal bonds as the lead Trader and Portfolio Manager for the firm's tax -advantaged strategies. He was responsible for portfolio management across the firm's SMA accounts, ranging in size from \$1 million to \$1 billion. Additionally, he was a Portfolio Manager on the Payden California Municipal Social Impact Fund (PYCRX), which in 2022 received a Refinitiv

Lipper Fund Award for Best California Intermediate Debt Fund over 3 Years. Mr. Leveque earned his Master of Finance degree, Magna Cum Laude, from the Freeman School of Business at Tulane University in 2008 and graduated from Rhodes College in 2006 with a BA in Political Science.

Austin S. Fulmer Vice President



Mr. Fulmer joined CCM Investment Advisers in 2011 after graduating from the University of South Carolina, Moore School of Business with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration with an emphasis in Finance. Mr. Fulmer serves as CCM's Chief Compliance Officer, overseeing the implementation and application of securities regulations to CCM's daily processes. Mr. Fulmer is also the firm's Director of Trading and MIS Director. His other responsibilities at CCM include portfolio management, equity research and analysis, and fundamental research on the energy, materials and utilities sectors.

Rebecca F. Rhodes Vice President



Ms. Rhodes was graduated from the University of South Carolina in 1995 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration Marketing and Management. She began her career as Staffing Director for Priority One Staffing Services. Prior to joining CCM in 2001, she served as Training Coordinator for IJL/Wachovia's Investment Consulting Services division. Ms. Rhodes serves as the firm's Marketing Director. Her responsibilities at CCM are marketing products and services to clients in the Southeastern region.

Anthony F. Carimi, CFP®





Mr. Carimi, a CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™ professional, graduated from the University of South Carolina, Moore School of Business in 2009 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration. He began his career as a Personal Banker with Wachovia Bank, a Wells Fargo Company. Prior to joining CCM in 2022, Mr. Carimi worked as Private Wealth Advisor with Synovus Bank. His responsibilities at CCM include management of client portfolios, creating and implementing financial plans, and designing and presenting appropriate investment portfolios to current and prospective clients.



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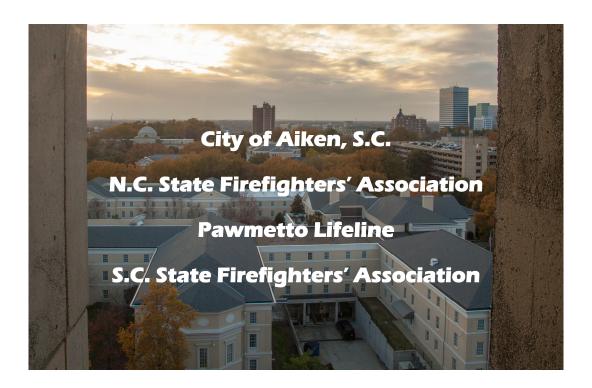
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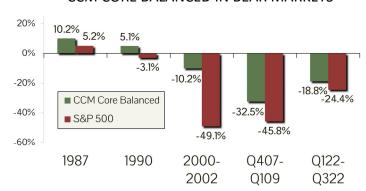
BALANCED PORTFOLIO

At CCM Investment Advisers, we believe a disciplined total portfolio management system that identifies relative value among asset classes, as well as individual securities, will provide consistently superior investment performance. Our philosophy dictates that we manage risk first. Through the management of risk we ascertain value, which ultimately drives performance. Our investment philosophy is based on the active management of the three basic decisions of portfolio management: asset allocation, security selection and timing. Traditionally, other portfolio managers actively manage only the second two parts of the investment process: selection and timing. However, at CCM, we believe in order to minimize risk and maximize the total return of a portfolio consistent with each client's investment objectives, it is necessary to actively manage all three aspects of the investment process.

In a dynamic and disciplined portfolio management system, the decision making process is a sequence of events that begins with the asset allocation decision (asset mix). For most asset managers the decision making process ends with selection and timing. If considered at all, asset allocation is performed in a static and absolute context where a typical growth portfolio maintains a constant 60% stock / 40% bond asset mix. In summary, our portfolio management system constantly compares the relative value of stocks, bonds and money market alternatives. Our system disciplines the portfolio manager to shift funds from overvalued assets to undervalued assets within a timely, logical and unbiased framework.

The fallacy of the "traditional" approach of maintaining a fixed asset mix has been that regardless of the selection skills of managers and how well they managed a particular class of assets, they were all at the mercy of the performance of that particular market alternative. Therefore, with a significant fixed percentage of portfolio assets invested in a performing asset poorly class. portfolio performance suffered greatly. The market "crash" of 1987 dramatically illustrated this point.

CCM CORE BALANCED IN BEAR MARKETS

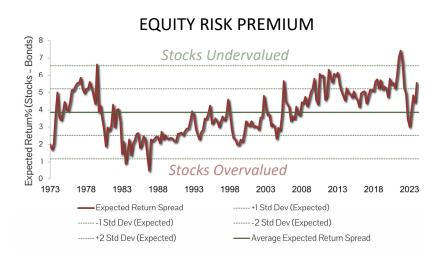


Returns are not GIPS-compliant and are provided as supplemental information in conjunction with the CCM Investment Manager Profile

The performance we have achieved using our portfolio management system has convinced us that the "traditional" approach to asset management is outdated and far less than optimal in volatile and unpredictable financial markets. The asset management alternative we offer is a system of proven value with the capability and flexibility to position portfolio assets among stocks, bonds and money market investments in a disciplined and timely manner. Designed to optimize portfolio return consistent with each client's risk tolerance, CCM's investment management system is a balanced approach to the maximization of a client's wealth.

CCM's asset allocation system is driven by the expected returns for the stock and bond markets. As the high-risk asset class, investors demand higher returns for stocks, and as such, their expected return generally exceeds that of bonds. The difference between the two returns is known as the expected return spread. Since 1973, the actual return spread has averaged 3.6%. Over the course of the economic cycle, however, inefficient behavior on the behalf of investors creates opportunities to take advantage of relative mispricing between the two asset classes. Accordingly, CCM makes gradual shifts in our clients' asset allocations based on our ongoing assessment of prevailing market conditions.

The chart (right) presents historical expected returns from our asset allocation system. The model is very effective at directing the manager towards undervalued asset classes during periods of significant divergence from the norm (plus/minus one standard deviation). From an historical perspective, note the signals provided by the model prior to the market "crash" in 1987, the tech bubble in 1999, and the buying opportunity in 2002.



14% - 12% - 9.6% 10% - 8.2% 8.2% 9.6%

■ T+1Year

RETURN SPREAD: STOCKS MINUS BONDS

Since 1973 there have been thirty-eight quarters where the expected return spread has diverged from the average by greater than one standard deviation. These periods of "high confidence" were typically validated by the corresponding actual return spread from the stock and bond markets. As can be seen in the chart (left), stocks outperformed bonds by an average of 8.0% in the year following a period of stock undervaluation. In addition, stocks outperformed bonds by an average of 10.2% over the following two years.

CCM's proprietary asset allocation system is a time-tested, proven framework for deriving the proper asset mix consistent with each client's tolerance for risk. CCM investment managers are disciplined in the asset allocation decision process, and clients are protected from the dysfunctional and costly "market timing" approach of many managers.

■ T + 2 Years

BALANCED ACCOUNT STYLES

CCM Investment Advisers manages every client account as a separate portfolio based on that client's investment objectives. Most clients' objectives place them into one of the three broadly defined balanced portfolio categories. However, we also manage equity, fixed income and money market portfolios. Since each portfolio is tailored to the client's specific objectives, some portfolios may be a combination of approaches.

ASSET	MIX	RAN	IGES
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STOCKS	BONDS	CASH
20% - 80%	20% - 80%	0% - 20%
20% - 80%	20% - 80%	0% - 20%
10% - 60%	30% - 90%	0% - 30%
0% - 30%	30% - 100%	0% - 50%
	20% - 80% 20% - 80% 10% - 60%	20% - 80% 20% - 80% 20% - 80% 20% - 80% 10% - 60% 30% - 90%

Core Balanced Portfolio: This balanced approach is designed to generate returns significantly in excess of the rate of inflation over the longer term, but will conversely incur substantial short term risk to invested capital. Investment performance should be judged over a three to five year time horizon versus a typical conservative balanced (50% stocks/50% bonds) portfolio. A Core Balanced Plus option is also available which offers greater stock exposure. Investment performance should be judged versus a typical balanced (60% stocks/40% bonds) portfolio.

Moderate Risk Balanced Portfolio: This balanced approach to investing is designed to generate returns over an intermediate time period that exceed the rate of inflation, but will conversely incur some short term risk to invested capital. Investment performance should be judged over a two to three year time horizon versus a balanced portfolio of 40% stocks/40% bonds/20% money markets.

Low Risk Balanced Portfolio: This portfolio is designed to generate stabilized rates of return on an annualized basis with low risk to invested capital. Returns over a one to two year period should exceed available money market returns, and provide some offset to inflation. Time horizon is one to two years. Performance should be compared to a portfolio of 20% stocks/40% bonds/40% money markets.

A sample Core Balanced Portfolio is displayed on the following pages. The sample is an actual portfolio managed by CCM Investment Advisers. CCM Balanced portfolios employ the same equity and fixed income selection processes as our single asset class portfolios. Additionally, our time-tested asset allocation model re-computes each portfolio's optimal asset mix at least monthly.

Fowler Cary, founder of CCM, developed the proprietary asset allocation model in the late 1970's and it has been used in the management of balanced portfolios since 1981. The model is designed to maximize return and minimize risk for each client, subject to their investment objectives, risk tolerances and the expected returns and volatility of the capital markets. Preservation of principal is a major objective of our process. Our balanced portfolios can be customized to individual client parameters within our process.

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SAMPLE CORE BALANCED PORTFOLIO

Quantity	Security	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Price	Market Value	Pct. Assets	Unit Income	Annual Income	Cur. Yield
CASH EQUIVA	LENTS								
	Money Market Fund		48,408		48,408	0.6	0.1	48	0.1
GOVERNMEN	T BONDS								
100,000	US Treasury	100.03	100,037	99.73	99,734	1.2	2.3	2,250	2.2
	2.250% Due 01-31-24								
250,000	US Treasury	97.98	244,972	94.56	236,406	3.0	2.0	5,000	2.1
400.000	2.000% Due 11-15-26	404.40	101 100		04.046		2.2	2.250	
100,000	US Treasury	101.42	101,429	94.04	94,046	1.2	2.3	2,250	2.3
400.000	2.250% Due 11-15-27	00.00	00.000	05.50	05 502	4.3	2.0	2.750	2.0
100,000	US Treasury	99.68	99,689	95.59	95,593	1.2	2.8	2,750	2.8
100.000	2.750% Due 02-15-28	00.25	00.350	05.71	05 710	1.2	2.0	2 075	2.0
100,000	US Treasury	98.25	98,250	95.71	95,718	1.2	2.9	2,875	3.0
250,000	2.875% Due 08-05-28 FFCB	89.12	222,800	89.57	223,936	2.9	2.3	5,625	2.5
230,000	2.250% Due 08-15-29	65.12	222,800	65.57	223,930	2.5	2.3	3,023	2.5
150,000	US Treasury	97.56	146,341	97.82	146,742	1.9	3.5	5,250	3.5
130,000	3.500% Due 04-30-30	37.30	140,541	37.02	140,742	1.5	3.3	3,230	3.3
75,000	US Treasury	95.22	71,418	100.03	75,023	0.9	3.9	2,906	3.8
75,000	3.875% Due 08-15-33	33.22	72,120	100.00	75,025	0.5	0.5	2,500	3.3
	Accrued Interest				8,086	0.1			
	reciaca interese		1,084,940		1,075,289	13.9		28,906	2.7
CORPORATE B	BONDS								
100,000	Ebay Inc	99.66	99,664	98.67	98,672	1.2	3.5	3,450	3.4
	3.450% Due 08-01-24								
100,000	United Health Group	101.07	101,070	98.27	98,278	1.2	2.4	2,375	2.4
	2.375% Due 08-15-24								
150,000	Anthem Inc	100.68	151,025	98.77	148,159	1.9	3.5	5,250	3.5
	3.500% Due 08-15-24								
100,000	Morgan Stanley	104.51	104,519	98.64	98,643	1.2	4.0	4,000	4.0
	4.000% Due 07-23-25								
150,000	Dupont De Nemours Inc	105.06	157,600	99.27	148,906	1.9	4.5	6,739	4.5
	4.493% Due 11-15-25								
200,000	Intercontinental Exchange	99.33	198,663	98.32	196,652	2.5	3.8	7,500	3.8
400.000	3.750% Due 12-01-25	100.65	100.554	07.74	07.744		2.6	2.500	2.6
100,000	Priceline Group Inc	100.65	100,651	97.71	97,714	1.2	3.6	3,600	3.6
150,000	3.600% Due 06-01-26	102.15	154 720	05.45	142 101	1.0	2.0	4.425	2.0
150,000	JP Morgan Chase	103.15	154,730	95.45	143,181	1.8	3.0	4,425	3.0
150,000	2.950% Due 10-01-26 Duke Energy Corp.	98.69	148,035	94.80	142,210	1.8	3.2	4,725	3.3
130,000	3.150% Due 08-15-27	90.09	140,033	J4.0U	142,210	1.0	٥.۷	4,743	٥.٥
100,000	BP Capital Markets PLC	104.05	104,053	96.02	96,028	1.2	3.3	3,279	3.4
100,000	3.279% Due 09-19-27	104.03	±0 7 ,033	30.02	30,020	1.2	5.5	3,213	J. 1
200,000	Oracle Corp.	88.84	177,687	91.20	182,414	2.3	2.3	4,600	2.5
,	2.300% Due 03-25-28		,		, ·-·			,3	

SAMPLE CORE BALANCED PORTFOLIO

		Unit	Total		Market	Pct.	Unit	Annual	Cur.
Quantity	Security	Cost	Cost	Price	Value	Assets	Income	Income	Yield
100,000	John Deere Capital Corp.	100.09	100,099	102.81	102,819	1.3	4.9	4,850	4.7
	4.850% Due 10-11-29								
150,000	Omnicom Group Inc	82.79	124,194	85.87	128,808	1.6	2.6	3,900	3.0
	2.600% Due 08-01-31								
125,000	Berkshire Hathaway Financial	88.03	110,039	90.11	112,643	1.4	2.9	3,593	3.1
	2.875% Due 03-15-32				46.667	0.2			
	Accrued Interest		1,832,036		16,667	23.5		62.207	3.4
COMMON STO	оск		1,032,030		1,811,801	23.3		62,287	5.4
CONSUMER D	SCRETIONARY:								
750	Amazon.Com Inc.	69.58	52,188	151.94	113,955	1.4	0.0	0	0.0
45	Booking Holdings Inc.	1,713.18	77,093	3,547.22	159,624	2.0	0.0	0	0.0
300	Home Depot Inc.	70.87	21,261	346.55	103,965	1.3	7.6	2,280	2.1
800	Nike Inc. Cl B	87.09	69,677	108.57	86,856	1.1	1.2	976	1.1
300	Tesla Inc.	224.01	67,203	248.48	74,544	0.9	0.0	0	0.0
			287,425		538,944	7.0		3,256	0.6
CONSUMER ST	TAPLES:								
250	Constellation Brands Inc-A	222.06	55,516	241.75	60,437	0.7	3.0	760	1.2
325	Pepsico Inc.	112.66	36,614	169.84	55,198	0.7	4.6	1,495	2.7
325	Procter & Gamble	84.78	27,556	146.54	47,625	0.6	3.7	1,187	2.4
700 450	Tyson Foods, Inc. Wal Mart Stores	37.20 115.12	26,044 51,804	53.75 157.65	37,625 70,942	0.4 0.9	1.8 2.2	1,288 1,008	3.4 1.4
430	war Mart Stores		197,537	137.03	271,828	3.5	2.2	5,738	2.1
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ENERGY: 325	Chevron Corp.	103.68	33,697	149.16	48,477	0.6	5.7	1,846	3.8
550	Marathon Pete Corp.	77.32	42,526	148.36	81,598	1.0	2.3	1,276	1.5
600	Phillips 66	86.59	51,954	133.14	79,884	1.0	3.9	2,328	2.9
	·		128,178		209,959	2.7		5,450	2.5
FINANCIALS:									
1,950	Bank Of America Corp.	30.29	59,079	33.67	65,656	0.8	0.9	1,716	2.6
200	Berkshire Hathaway Inc. Cl B	298.29	59,659	356.66	71,332	0.9	0.0	0	0.0
675	Capital One Financial	99.44	67,128	131.12	88,506	1.1	2.4	1,620	1.8
350	Chubb Limited	155.99	54,598	226.00	79,100	1.0	3.3	1,162	1.4
500	Evercore Inc.	78.52	39,263	171.05	85,525	1.1	2.9	1,440	1.6
500	Fiserv Inc.	49.61	24,809	132.84	66,420	0.8	0.0	0	0.0
500	J. P. Morgan	77.58	38,791	170.10	85,050	1.1	4.0	2,000	2.3
375	Visa Inc.	20.47	7,677	260.35	97,631	1.2	1.5	562 8 E00	0.5
			351,008		639,220	8.3		8,500	1.3
HEALTH CARE:		404.75	52.420	45407	04 250	4.0	5.6	2.064	2.6
525	Abbott Laboratories	101.75	53,420	154.97 110.07	81,359	1.0	5.6	2,961	3.6 1.7
900 875	Abbott Laboratories CVS Health Corp.	104.79 70.90	94,316 62,045	110.07 78.96	99,063 69,090	1.2 0.8	1.9 2.2	1,692 1,925	1.7 2.7
1,000	Gilead Sciences Inc.	68.14	68,142	78.96 81.01	81,010	1.0	2.2	2,920	3.6
800	Merck & Co.	62.17	49,743	109.02	87,216	1.1	2.8	2,320	2.5
175	Thermo Fisher Scientific	337.93	59,139	530.79	92,888	1.2	1.2	210	0.2
200	UnitedHealth Group Inc.	142.74	28,548	526.47	105,294	1.3	6.6	1,320	1.2
			415,356		615,920	8.0		13,236	2.1

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Quantity	Security	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Price	Market	Pct.	Unit Income	Annual Income	Cur. Yield
quantity	Security			11100	Value	7100010	meome	meome	11010
INDUSTRIALS:									
350	Caterpillar Inc Del	91.68	32,089	295.67	103,484	1.3	4.4	1,554	1.5
2,500	Delta Air Lines	34.26	85,658	40.23	100,575	1.3	0.0	0	0.0
550	Eaton Corp.	83.44	45,893	240.82	132,451	1.7	3.2	1,782	1.3
400	United Parcel Service	172.23	68,892	157.23	62,892	0.8	6.1	2,432	3.8
			232,534		399,402	5.1		5,768	1.4
INICODMATION	I TECHNOLOGY:								
300	Accenture LTD	269.81	80,943	350.91	105,273	1.3	4.5	1,344	1.2
175	Adobe Systems	371.30	64,978	596.60	103,275	1.3	0.1	1,344	0.0
700	Apple Inc.	32.05	22,441	192.53	134,771	1.7	0.9	644	0.4
650	Applied Materials Inc.	99.70	64,809	162.07	105,345	1.3	1.0	676	0.6
90	Broadcom Inc	464.86	41,838	1,116.25	100,462	1.3	16.4	1,476	1.4
1,750	Cisco Systems	31.16	54,538	50.52	88,410	1.1	1.5	2,660	3.0
700	Jabil Circuit, Inc.	39.56	27,694	127.40	89,180	1.1	0.3	224	0.2
400	Microsoft Corp.	106.08	42,435	376.04	150,416	1.9	2.7	1,088	0.7
200	NVIDIA Corp.	169.20	33,840	495.22	99,044	1.2	0.2	32	0.0
400	Qualcomm Inc.	187.11	74,845	144.63	57,852	0.7	3.0	1,200	2.0
500	SalesForce Inc.	149.95	74,977	263.14	131,570	1.7	0.0	0	0.0
1,000	Seagate Technology Holdings	79.81	79,813	85.37	85,370	1.1	2.8	2,800	3.2
1,000	Seagate recimology floranigs		663,156		1,252,099	16.2	2.0	12,152	0.9
MATERIALS:									
500	Nucor Corp.	122.98	61,492	174.04	87,020	1.1	2.0	1,000	1.1
175	Sherwin-Williams Co.	138.13	24,173	311.90	54,582	0.7	2.4	420	0.7
			85,666		141,602	1.8		1,420	1.0
CONANALINICAT	TION CEDVICES								
	TION SERVICES:	67.54	60.766	120.60	425 724	4.6	0.0		0.0
900	Alphabet Inc. Class A	67.51	60,766	139.69	125,721	1.6	0.0	0	0.0
250	Meta Platforms Inc. Netflix Inc	341.87	85,469	353.96 486.88	88,490	1.1	0.0	0	0.0
150		478.49	71,774	486.88 86.51	73,032 86,510	0.9	0.0		0.0
1,000 600	Omnicom Group Inc.	65.13 81.89	65,133 49,138	90.29	•	1.1 0.7	2.8 0.0	2,800 0	3.2 0.0
600	Walt Disney Co.	01.09		90.29	54,174		0.0		
			332,282		427,927	5.5		2,800	0.6
UTILITIES:									
1,900	First Energy Corp.	35.55	67,551	36.66	69,654	0.9	1.6	2,964	4.2
900	Southern Company	75.79	68,211	70.12	63,108	0.8	2.7	2,448	3.8
			135,763		132,762	1.7		5,412	4.0
REAL ESTATE:									
500	Prologis Inc	115.81	57,909	133.30	66,650	0.8	2.5	1,260	1.8
1,000	Realty Income Corp.	64.71	64,711	57.42	57,420	0.7	3.0	2,976	5.1
			122,621		124,070	1.6		4,236	3.4
	COMMON STOCK Total		2,951,529		4,753,736	61.8		67,969	1.4
TOTAL PORTFO	OLIO		5,916,914		7,689,235	100.0		159,211	2.0

FIXED INCOME PORTFOLIO



FIXED INCOME PHILOSOPHY

Our fixed income selection process is an extension of the relative value philosophy of our investment management system. Our philosophy dictates that we manage risk first. Through the management of risk we ascertain value, which ultimately drives performance. We measure the potential return (both income and change in market value) of a fixed income investment against the market and credit risks associated with this type of investment. Our objective is to produce superior returns over the long term, consistent with our philosophy of preservation of principal.

Since interest rates are a reflection of business cycle conditions and inflation expectations, fixed income selection begins with the formulation of our macro-economic forecast. The economic forecast includes our expectations for changes in interest rates and the yield curve. The portfolio's target duration (a measure of bond volatility) is then determined based on these expectations and the client's investment policy statement. Unlike most managers, however, our forecasts are updated at least monthly. This provides us the flexibility to make mid-course corrections in duration, rather than dramatic shifts in maturities or between bonds and cash.

Once target duration has been established for each fixed income approach, the maturity structure appropriate for each client's risk tolerance is determined to maximize returns within those risk parameters. Based on anticipated shifts in the yield curve, we implement active bond management strategies to appropriately weight the maturities in the portfolio. Maturity configurations can take the form of laddered, bell or barbell shaped maturity schedules.

CCM BOND SELECTION PROCESS

Economic and Sector Analysis

- · Corporate vs. Treasury allocation
- · Yield Curve Analysis
- · Interest rate expectations/duration target



CCM BOND PORTFOLIO

10-20 undervalued investment grade bonds in a laddered portfolio

Security Selection Process

- · Relative credit spread analysis
- · Screen for possible rating change
- Compare pricing



Having determined portfolio duration and maturity targets, the individual security selection process begins with relative value analysis. This involves the evaluation of current market sector spreads, quality spreads, and specific security factors. Sector and quality spreads are monitored versus long term averages after considering business cycle and specific industry conditions. Default and maturity premiums are tracked and analyzed on an ongoing basis. The credit analysis process in the corporate and municipal sectors consists of fundamental research utilizing public filings with the SEC and is supplemented by credit research from Standard and Poor's, Moody's and other traditional bond rating firms.

We actively manage our fixed income portfolios to take advantage of inefficiencies within the different sectors of the fixed income markets. Implementation of these strategies in identifying undervalued bonds adds incremental return to the original portfolio duration decision. Emphasis is placed on quality, diversification, liquidity and call protection.

The following pages describe a sample Fixed Income Portfolio. The sample is an actual portfolio managed by CCM Investment Advisers.

The actual composition of a fixed income portfolio managed by CCM is quite dynamic over time. Sector allocations between Government and Corporate bonds are changed based upon the prevailing yield spread. More importantly, the duration and convexity of the portfolio are actively managed to take advantage of a constantly changing interest rate environment.

Representative clients are chosen based on portfolio size and conformity to CCM investment styles. They are clients who have agreed to serve as references for CCM Investment Advisers, LLC. Past performance of these accounts should not be considered a guarantee of future performance. Sample portfolio is provided as supplemental information.

SAMPLE FIXED INCOME PORTFOLIO

Quantity	Security	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Price	Market Value	Pct. Assets	Unit Income	Annual Income	Cur. Yield
CASH EQUIVA	LENTS								
	Money Market Fund		746,044		746,044	6.6	0.1	746	0.1
GOVERNMENT	T BONDS								
350,000	US Treasury	100.16	350,591	99.73	349,070	3.1	2.3	7,875	2.2
	2.250% Due 01-31-24								
200,000	FHLB	99.97	199,943	99.88	199,772	1.7	4.8	9,500	4.7
	4.750% Due 03-08-24								
300,000	FHLB	100.81	302,459	97.40	292,201	2.5	2.4	7,125	2.4
	2.375% Due 03-14-25								
200,000	US Treasury	98.50	197,004	94.56	189,125	1.6	2.0	4,000	2.1
	2.000% Due 11-15-26								
300,000	US Treasury	102.22	306,680	94.98	284,953	2.5	2.4	7,125	2.5
	2.375% Due 05-15-27								
500,000	US Treasury	95.88	479,440	94.37	471,895	4.1	2.3	11,250	2.3
	2.250% Due 08-15-27								
300,000	US Treasury	98.89	296,681	94.04	282,140	2.5	2.3	6,750	2.3
450.000	2.250% Due 11-15-27	105.00	450.064	05.50	442.200	4.3	2.0	4.425	2.0
150,000	US Treasury	105.90	158,861	95.59	143,390	1.2	2.8	4,125	2.8
400.000	2.750% Due 02-15-28	100.01	402.662	400.55	402.226	2.5	5 4	24 400	5 2
400,000	FFCB	100.91	403,662	100.55	402,236	3.5	5.4	21,400	5.3
200.000	5.350% Due 03-13-28	104.34	242 620	05.74	207.456	2.5	2.0	0.625	2.0
300,000	US Treasury	104.21	312,630	95.71	287,156	2.5	2.9	8,625	3.0
200.000	2.875% Due 08-05-28	102.44	240 220	04.24	202.656	2.5	2.6	7.075	2.7
300,000	US Treasury	103.44	310,328	94.21	282,656	2.5	2.6	7,875	2.7
500.000	2.625% Due 02-15-29	06.44	422.226	07.40	425.027	2.0	4.5	7.500	4.7
500,000	US Treasury	86.44	432,236	87.18	435,937	3.8	1.5	7,500	1.7
900 000	1.500% Due 02-15-30	05.00	767.077	100.03	900 350	71	2.0	21 000	2.0
800,000	US Treasury	95.88	767,077	100.03	800,250	7.1	3.9	31,000	3.8
500,000	3.875% Due 08-15-33 FHLB	95.97	479,898	101.47	507,375	4.5	4.5	22,500	4.4
300,000	4.500% Due 09-09-33	93.97	479,090	101.47	307,373	4.5	4.5	22,300	4.4
	Accrued Interest				52,483	0.4			
	Accrued interest	-	4.007.407		·			150.050	2.1
			4,997,497		4,980,642	44.2		156,650	3.1
ORPORATE B	ONDS								
300,000	Amgen Inc	99.99	299,990	99.22	297,661	2.6	3.6	10,875	3.6
	3.625% Due 05-22-24								
50,000	Ebay Inc	99.99	49,998	98.67	49,336	0.4	3.5	1,725	3.4
	3.450% Due 08-01-24								
300,000	JP Morgan Chase	102.06	306,190	98.92	296,763	2.6	3.9	11,625	3.9
	3.875% Due 09-10-24								
300,000	Morgan Stanley	102.28	306,861	98.76	296,306	2.6	3.7	11,100	3.7
	3.700% Due 10-23-24								
275,000	Dominion Gas Hldgs	102.35	281,479	98.14	269,891	2.3	3.6	9,900	3.6
	3.600% Due 12-15-24								

SAMPLE FIXED INCOME PORTFOLIO

Quantity	Security	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Price	Market Value	Pct. Assets	Unit Income	Annual Income	Cur. Yield
250,000	Biogen Inc	102.27	255,681	98.31	245,779	2.1	4.1	10,125	4.1
	4.050% Due 09-15-25								
250,000	Wells Fargo & Co	104.23	260,594	97.76	244,406	2.1	3.6	8,875	3.6
	3.550% Due 09-29-25								
300,000	Dupont De Nemours Inc	103.26	309,792	99.27	297,812	2.6	4.5	13,479	4.5
	4.493% Due 11-15-25								
350,000	Southern Power	101.41	354,945	98.51	344,816	3.0	4.2	14,525	4.2
	4.150% Due 12-01-25								
250,000	Abbvie Inc	101.19	252,976	96.89	242,235	2.1	3.2	8,000	3.3
	3.200% Due 05-14-26								
300,000	Citigroup Inc	104.04	312,146	95.32	285,965	2.5	3.2	9,600	3.3
	3.200% Due 10-21-26								
350,000	Lincoln National Corp.	98.81	345,868	97.10	339,854	3.0	3.6	12,687	3.7
	3.625% Due 12-12-26								
250,000	Allstate Corp.	104.41	261,039	96.34	240,860	2.1	3.3	8,200	3.4
	3.280% Due 12-15-26								
200,000	Verizon Communications	106.84	213,684	98.42	196,847	1.7	4.1	8,250	4.1
400.000	4.125% Due 03-16-27	101.22	101 221	04.70	04.702	0.0	2.2	2 200	2.2
100,000	American Electric Power	101.33	101,331	94.79	94,793	0.8	3.2	3,200	3.3
150,000	3.200% Due 11-13-27	02.40	140 224	05.42	142 142	1.2	2.4	F 100	2.5
150,000	Bank of NY Mellon Corp.	93.48	140,224	95.42	143,143	1.2	3.4	5,100	3.5
200.000	3.400% Due 01-29-28	09.01	204.052	07.74	202 220	2.6	4.1	12 200	4.1
300,000	AT&T Inc	98.01	294,053	97.74	293,220	2.6	4.1	12,300	4.1
300,000	4.100% Due 02-15-28	95.03	285,117	92.83	278,493	2.4	3.9	11,625	4.1
300,000	Truist Financial Corp. 3.875% Due 03-19-29	95.05	203,117	92.03	270,493	2.4	5.9	11,025	4.1
75,000	2.875% Due 03-19-29 Lowe's Co Inc	95.06	71,298	96.17	72,130	0.6	3.7	2,737	3.7
75,000	3.650% Due 04-05-29	33.00	71,230	30.17	72,130	0.0	3.7	2,737	3.7
	Accrued Interest				36,897	0.3			
	Accided interest		4 702 272					173,929	2.0
			4,703,273		4,567,214	40.5		173,929	3.8
PREFERRED ST	TOCK								
PREFERRED 31	OCK								
FINIANICIAL C.									
FINANCIALS: 10,000	Bank of America Pfd	26.43	264,371	19.44	194,400	1.7	4.8	47,500	24.4
12,000	US Bancorp Pfd	24.99	299,994	17.52	210,240	1.7	1.0	12,000	5.7
12,000	os bancorp i ia		564,365	17.52	404,640	3.5	1.0	59,500	14.7
			301,303		10 1,0 10	3.3		33,300	1,
COMMUNICAT	ΓΙΟΝ SERVICES:								
12,000	AT&T Pfd	27.30	327,600	24.80	297,600	2.6	1.4	16,874	5.6
12,000	71101110		327,600	2	297,600	2.6		16,874	5.6
			327,000		237,000	2.0		10,071	3.0
REAL ESTATE:									
12,000	Public Storage Pfd	25.18	302,211	21.39	256,680	2.2	1.2	14,100	5.4
22,000	. done otorage a		302,211		256,680	2.2		14,100	5.4
			552,211		_50,000			,100	٥. ١
	PREFERRED STOCK Total		1,194,177		958,920	8.5		90,474	9.4
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TOTAL PORTFO	OLIO		11,640,992		11,252,821	100.0		421,799	3.7

Equity Portfolio

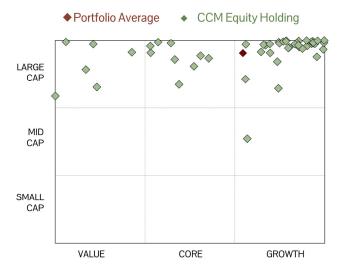


Investment Style	Relative Value
Investment Approach	Bottom-Up
Average Capitalization	Large
Average Number of Holdings	50
Appropriate Benchmark	S&P 500
Risk Managed	Yes
Tax Efficient	Yes

The CCM stock selection process is an extension of the relative value philosophy prevalent in our investment management system. The stock market is rife with inefficiencies caused by the inability of investors to rationally and systematically process relevant information. CCM exploits this potential by utilizing a relative value philosophy based on quantitative and qualitative processes to develop an equity portfolio that is designed to provide relative out-performance with less risk than the relevant benchmark, the S&P 500 stock index.

Investment managers are generally characterized as either "growth" or "value" oriented. Growth managers typically pursue stocks characterized by high earnings growth or a high price to book ratio while value managers are often attracted to more stable securities with low price to earnings ratios and/or healthy dividend yields. Focusing on value in the absolute sense can have the effect of leading investors to areas of the market that are inexpensive, but which are so for good reason. The CCM process is concerned with valuation in a relative sense, that is, how securities compare to stocks of similar characteristics. Stocks are held because they are inexpensive relative to their peers.

CCM EQUITY STYLE ANALYSIS



Data is from CCM's 12/31/23 model equity portfolio. Capitalization points are based on each security's relative market cap. Value/Core/Growth based on relative price/book ratio.

At CCM, we seek long-term relative value. We are not short term traders or speculators. Our approach searches for opportunities to profit in client portfolios over an extended time horizon and only assumes risk consistent with proportional expected return.

SECURITY SELECTION PROCESS

The security selection process begins with CCM's proprietary Securities Valuation Model (SVM), a quantitative screen of the 1,500 securities in CCM's research database. The SVM is a multi-factor model utilizing both "growth" and "value" inputs. Key inputs include:

Normalized P/E: The security's price/earnings multiple adjusted for its historic price/

earnings "channel"

Mispricing: The difference between a stock's expected return and its appropriate

position on the Security Market Plane

Present Value Ratio: The present value of current or implied dividends

Earnings Strength: The consensus forecast earnings growth rate

Earnings Surprise: The time-weighted change in consensus earnings forecasts

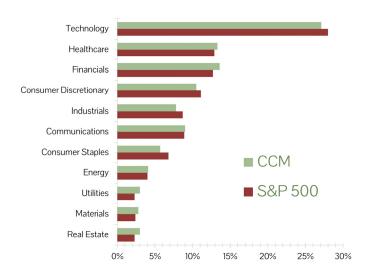
All rankings are computed relative to the security's peers and compiled based on CCM's proven formula to derive the security's final SVM score. Those companies ranked in the upper three quintiles (top 60%) are considered to be buy or hold candidates, while those in the lowest two quintiles are sell candidates.

After a stock passes the screening process, it is analyzed on a fundamental basis by a member of the analyst team. Each analyst is responsible for the fundamental research of stocks in specific economic market sectors. The weekly **Investment Policy Meeting** is the primary forum for new information on stocks that are currently held, or are potential buy or sell candidates. Research tools include public information such as regular SEC financial reports, Wall Street firms' research and reporting, and reports from third-party financial analysis services such as Applied Finance Group, Argus Research, and Morningstar.

Fundamental research is augmented with CCM's Economic Forecast and Sector Studies, a monthly compilation and analysis of current economic conditions, as well as valuation divergences among the various industrial, valuation and capitalization sectors within the market. While the investment process is typically described as "bottom-up", a more accurate depiction is a bottom-up approach with a clear view of the top. Without question, the economic cycle and prevailing interest rates have a profound effect on the equity market, and ignoring this critical input will have a profound effect on a portfolio's risk and return characteristics.

CCM EQUITY PORTFOLIO

Ultimately, the equity selection process results in the structuring of broadly diversified stock portfolios (35 to 65 positions) across eleven distinct industry groups. The strategy is primarily large-cap, as defined by average market capitalization, although the investment policy does allow for up to approximately 30% of the portfolio to be invested in mid-cap (\$1 to \$5 billion) and small -cap positions (under \$1 billion) under favorable market conditions.



Data is from CCM's 12/31/23 model equity portfolio.

	CCM Model	S&P 500
Number of Holdings	60	503
Weighted Market Cap (\$B)	459.6	83.0
Trailing Price/Earnings	20.8	21.5
Forecast Price/Earnings	17.1	22.1
Price/Book	3.3	4.6
Yield	2.2%	1.75%
Beta (Risk)	1.04	1.00

Data is from CCM's 12/31/23 model equity portfolio.

CCM strives to provide excess absolute return while maintaining a risk profile that is less than the S&P 500. Portfolio risk is measured both in terms of volatility as compared to the equity market as well as correlation. Security-specific risk is managed with a 5% limit on an individual security's representation in the portfolio. The strategy also controls for industry risk—large industry groups are over or underweighted by no more than 50% of their S&P 500 weighting. Smaller industry groups comprising less than 8% of the S&P 500 may be overweighted up to two times the S&P exposure, and may have no exposure under certain circumstances.

As long-term investors, portfolio turnover is relatively low, averaging 40% in most circumstances. Because all CCM portfolios are managed individually, the impact of taxation at the portfolio level can be considered. Although turnover is low, incidences will occur when prudent investment management will indicate that a short-term gain should be realized. CCM makes every effort to "wash" both short-term and long-term gains with corresponding losses when economically feasible.

A sample **Equity Portfolio** is displayed on the following pages. The sample is an actual portfolio managed by CCM Investment Advisers.

Please note the broad diversification across economic sectors, as well as among the individual securities. Portfolios of \$1 million or less typically will have 35 to 50 positions, whereas portfolios larger than \$1 million may have as many as 65 positions.

Regardless of the portfolio size, the industry weightings will be very similar. Maximum weightings for each issuer are limited to 5% of portfolio value. Should securities appreciate above the maximum level, positions are re-balanced to meet portfolio standards. Sector allocations cannot deviate more than 50% from the corresponding sector weightings in the S&P 500 index.

CCM equity portfolios are structured to have undervalued stocks with higher growth characteristics than the market, yet similar or lower volatility measures than the market.

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SAMPLE EQUITY PORTFOLIO

Quantity	Security	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Price	Market Value	Pct. Assets	Unit Income	Annual Income	Cur. Yield
CASH EQUIVA	LENTS								
	Money Market Fund		16,227		16,227	1.5	0.1	16	0.1
COMMON STO	оск								
CONSUMER D	ISCRETIONARY:								
200	Amazon.Com Inc.	52.13	10,427	151.94	30,388	2.8	0.0	0	0.0
8	Booking Holdings Inc.	1,855.07	14,840	3,547.22	28,377	2.6	0.0	0	0.0
55	Home Depot Inc.	81.17	4,464	346.55	19,060	1.7	7.6	418	2.1
200	Nike Inc. Cl B	88.73	17,746	108.57	21,714	2.0	1.2	244	1.1
75	Tesla Inc.	211.63	15,872	248.48	18,636	1.7	0.0	0	0.0
			63,351		118,176	10.9		662	0.5
CONSUMER ST	ΓAPLES:								
50	Constellation Brands Inc-A	212.05	10,602	241.75	12,087	1.1	3.0	152	1.2
75	Pepsico Inc.	103.28	7,746	169.84	12,738	1.1	4.6	345	2.7
75	Procter & Gamble	83.22	6,242	146.54	10,990	1.0	3.7	273	2.4
150	Tyson Foods, Inc.	30.19	4,528	53.75	8,062	0.7	1.8	276	3.4
75	Wal Mart Stores	113.42	8,507	157.65	11,823	1.0	2.2	168	1.4
			37,626		55,702	5.1		1,214	2.1
ENERGY:									
85	Chevron Corp.	97.50	8,288	149.16	12,678	1.1	5.7	482	3.8
100	Marathon Pete Corp.	79.05	7,905	148.36	14,836	1.3	2.3	232	1.5
125	Phillips 66	90.13	11,266	133.14	16,642	1.5	3.9	485	2.9
			27,460		44,157	4.0		1,199	2.7
FINANCIALS:									
475	Bank Of America Corp.	30.82	14,640	33.67	15,993	1.4	0.9	418	2.6
50	Berkshire Hathaway Inc. Cl B	299.78	14,989	356.66	17,833	1.6	0.0	0	0.0
150	Capital One Financial	104.50	15,675	131.12	19,668	1.8	2.4	360	1.8
60	Chubb Limited	136.96	8,218	226.00	13,560	1.2	3.3	199	1.4
150	Evercore Inc.	94.33	14,149	171.05	25,657	2.3	2.9	432	1.6
125	Fiserv Inc.	44.13	5,516	132.84	16,605	1.5	0.0	0	0.0
100	J. P. Morgan	98.11	9,811	170.10	17,010	1.5	4.0	400	2.3
75	Visa Inc.	58.99	4,424	260.35	19,526	1.8	1.5	112	0.5
			87,425		145,853	13.5		1,921	1.3
HEALTH CARE:				45.55	4				
100	AbbVie Inc.	92.09	9,209	154.97	15,497	1.4	5.6	564	3.6
200	Abbott Laboratories	105.98	21,196	110.07	22,014	2.0	1.9	376	1.7
250	CVS Health Corp.	79.30	19,826	78.96	19,740	1.8	2.2	550	2.7
225	Gilead Sciences Inc.	68.78	15,476	81.01	18,227	1.6	2.9	657	3.6
175	Merck & Co.	73.72	12,901	109.02	19,078	1.7	2.8	483	2.5
40	Thermo Fisher Scientific	322.56	12,902	530.79	21,231	1.9	1.2	48	0.2
45	UnitedHealth Group Inc.	224.37	10,096	526.47	23,691	2.1	6.6	297	1.2
			101,610		139,479	12.9		2,975	2.1

SAMPLE EQUITY PORTFOLIO

Quantity	Security	Unit Cost	Total Cost	Price	Market Value	Pct. Assets	Unit Income	Annual Income	Cur. Yield
INDUSTRIALS:									
95	Caterpillar Inc Del	110.70	10,516	295.67	28,088	2.6	4.4	421	1.5
600	Delta Air Lines	32.64	19,584	40.23	24,138	2.2	0.0	0	0.0
85	Eaton Corp.	93.92	7,983	240.82	20,469	1.8	3.2	275	1.3
100	United Parcel Service	167.21	16,721	157.23	15,723	1.4	6.1	608	3.8
			54,806		88,419	8.1		1,305	1.4
INFORMATION	N TECHNOLOGY:								
65	Accenture LTD	252.10	16,386	350.91	22,809	2.1	4.5	291	1.2
35	Adobe Systems	359.81	12,593	596.60	20,881	1.9	0.1	1	0.0
160	Apple Inc.	27.45	4,392	192.53	30,804	2.8	0.9	147	0.4
150	Applied Materials Inc.	94.24	14,136	162.07	24,310	2.2	1.0	156	0.6
20	Broadcom Inc	450.99	9,019	1,116.25	22,325	2.0	16.4	328	1.4
375	Cisco Systems	25.53	9,574	50.52	18,945	1.7	1.5	570	3.0
150	Jabil Circuit, Inc.	39.13	5,870	127.40	19,110	1.7	0.3	48	0.2
85	Microsoft Corp.	102.53	8,715	376.04	31,963	2.9	2.7	231	0.7
50	NVIDIA Corp.	150.74	7,537	495.22	24,761	2.2	0.2	8	0.0
85	Qualcomm Inc.	171.98	14,618	144.63	12,293	1.1	3.0	255	2.0
100	SalesForce Inc.	155.94	15,594	263.14	26,314	2.4	0.0	0	0.0
275	Seagate Technology Holdings	74.11	20,381	85.37	23,476	2.1	2.8	770	3.2
			138,821		277,994	25.7		2,806	1.0
MATERIALS:									
100	Nucor Corp.	117.60	11,760	174.04	17,404	1.6	2.0	200	1.1
51	Sherwin-Williams Co.	152.80	7,793	311.90	15,906	1.4	2.4	122	0.7
			19,553		33,310	3.0		322	0.9
COMMUNICAT	TION SERVICES:								
175	Alphabet Inc. Class A	56.14	9,825	139.69	24,445	2.2	0.0	0	0.0
60	Meta Platforms Inc.	312.80	18,768	353.96	21,237	1.9	0.0	0	0.0
30	Netflix Inc	432.94	12,988	486.88	14,606	1.3	0.0	0	0.0
250	Omnicom Group Inc.	68.57	17,144	86.51	21,627	2.0	2.8	700	3.2
225	Walt Disney Co.	71.78	16,152	90.29	20,315	1.8	0.0	0	0.0
223	Walt Bishey eo.		74,879	30.23	102,232	9.4	0.0	700	0.6
LITUITIES									
UTILITIES:	First Francy Corn	25.24	12 227	20.00	12.024	4.4	1.0	F 4.C	4.3
350	First Energy Corp.	35.24	12,337	36.66	12,831	1.1	1.6	546	4.2
220	Southern Company	70.72	15,559 27,897	70.12	15,426 28,257	1.4 2.6	2.7	598 1,144	3.8 4.0
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REAL ESTATE:	Dralogic Inc	121.01	15 220	122 20	16 663	1 5	2 5	215	1 0
125 210	Prologis Inc Realty Income Corp.	121.91 62.17	15,238	133.30	16,662	1.5	2.5	315 624	1.8
210	кеану пісотіе согр.	02.1/	13,056 28,295	57.42	12,058 28,720	2.6	3.0	624 939	5.1 3.2
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	COMMON STOCK Total		661,727		1,062,302	98.4		15,191	1.4
TOTAL PORTF	OLIO		677,955		1,078,530	100.0		15,208	1.4



	Pure Gr	Pure Gross of Fees Returns*	turns*	Net of Ma	Net of Maximum Wrap	Fee 0	Pure Gross	of Fees Re	eturns*	Pure Gross of Fees Returns* Net of Maximum Wrap Fee ◊	mum Wrd	p Fee 0	Core	Moderate Risk	Low	Equity	Fixed	Fixed Income
	Core Balanced Wrap	Moderate Risk Wrap	Low Risk Wrap	Core Balanced Wrap	Moderate Risk Wrap	Low Risk Wrap	Equity Wrap	Fixed Income Wrap	Muni Bond Wrap	Equity Wrap	Fixed Income Wrap	Muni Bond Wrap	50% Stock 50% Bonds	40% Stock 40% Bonds 20% Cash	20% Stock 40% Bonds 40% Cash	S&P 500 Stocks	Barclays Gov't/ Credit Bonds	BofA Merrill Lynch 1-12 Year Municipal
2000	-2.6%	-1.4%	1.6%	-5.3%	-4.2%	-1.2%	-11.4%	10.1%	%9.9	-14.0%	8.6%	5.1%	1.1%	2.1%	5.2%	-9.1%	11.9%	%9.6
2001	2.8%	4.5%	2.0%	0.0%	1.7%	2.1%	-1.8%	8.2%	5.5%	-4.5%	6.7%	4.1%	-1.2%	-0.1%	2.9%	-11.9%	8.5%	5.1%
2002	-10.3%	-5.5%	0.5%	-12.8%	-8.2%	-2.6%	-19.2%	8.1%	7.0%	-21.5%	%9.9	5.5%	-5.9%	-4.3%	0.5%	-22.1%	11.0%	10.5%
2003	21.0%	16.1%	%6.6	17.8%	13.0%	7.0%	29.5%	3.6%	2.9%	26.1%	2.2%	1.4%	16.5%	13.3%	7.8%	28.7%	4.7%	4.8%
2004	12.1%	%9.6	7.5%	9.1%	6.7%	4.6%	15.5%	2.4%	7.0%	12.4%	1.0%	9.0%	9.3%	7.6%	4.9%	14.9%	3.7%	1.4%
2005	9.3%	7.6%	6.4%	6.4%	4.7%	3.5%	11.9%	1.8%	1.3%	8.9%	0.4%	-0.1%	3.7%	3.5%	3.2%	4.9%	2.4%	1.9%
2006	8.8%	8.1%	7.4%	5.9%	5.1%	4.5%	10.6%	4.5%	3.4%	7.7%	3.0%	2.0%	9.7%	8.7%	%9:9	15.8%	3.8%	3.8%
2007	10.4%	9.1%	7.3%	7.4%	6.2%	4.4%	11.8%	6.8%	5.1%	8.8%	5.4%	3.7%	6.5%	6.2%	%0.9	2.6%	7.2%	2.0%
2008	-27.5%	-22.8%	-12.8%	-29.7%	-25.1%	-15.3%	-36.2%	4.0%	4.5%	-38.2%	7.6%	3.0%	-17.2%	-13.6%	-5.4%	-37.0%	5.7%	4.6%
2009	25.7%	21.2%	15.1%	22.4%	18.0%	12.1%	35.5%	5.4%	2.0%	32.0%	3.9%	3.5%	15.6%	12.5%	7.2%	26.4%	4.5%	7.2%
2010	10.5%	9.5%	7.5%	7.4%	6.5%	4.6%	13.0%	4.0%	2.4%	9.9%	2.6%	%6.0	11.3%	9.1%	2.9%	15.1%	%9.9	3.0%
2011	2.7%	2.6%	2.2%	-0.1%	-0.2%	-0.6%	2.4%	4.3%	5.3%	-0.4%	2.9%	3.8%	2.7%	4.6%	4.1%	2.1%	8.7%	7.6%
2012	11.1%	9.4%	%8.9	8.1%	6.4%	3.8%	14.5%	3.6%	2.5%	11.3%	2.2%	1.1%	10.5%	8.3%	5.1%	16.0%	4.8%	3.4%
2013	21.6%	17.1%	11.9%	18.3%	13.9%	8.8%	31.5%	-1.0%	-0.3%	27.9%	-2.4%	-1.7%	13.9%	11.0%	4.9%	32.4%	-2.4%	-0.1%
2014	11.9%	9.3%	7.1%	8.9%	6.3%	4.2%	15.2%	2.8%	3.1%	12.1%	1.4%	1.7%	9.9%	7.8%	5.1%	13.7%	%0.9	3.1%
2015	-0.3%	0.4%	0.4%	-3.1%	-2.3%	-2.3%	-0.7%	1.6%	2.4%	-3.4%	0.2%	1.0%	1.0%	0.8%	0.5%	1.4%	0.1%	2.3%
2016	8.9	5.4%	3.9%	3.9%	2.5%	1.0%	9.5%	1.7%	0.8%	6.5%	0.3%	%9:0-	6.2%	2.0%	3.0%	%6.6	2.2%	-0.3%
2017	18.3%	14.0%	10.1%	15.1%	10.9%	7.1%	24.2%	2.5%	2.5%	20.8%	1.1%	1.1%	12.6%	10.2%	6.1%	21.8%	4.0%	3.2%
2018	-5.5%	-3.6%	-1.9%	-8.2%	-6.3%	-4.6%	-8.1%	0.5%	1.4%	-10.6%	-0.9%	%0:0	-2.1%	-1.3%	-0.1%	-4.4%	-0.4%	1.6%
2019	21.9%	17.9%	13.7%	18.6%	14.7%	10.6%	29.5%	7.1%	4.2%	26.0%	2.6%	2.7%	20.4%	16.6%	10.8%	31.5%	9.7%	2.6%
2020	9.4%	9.1%	7.8%	6.4%	6.1%	4.9%	10.6%	2.6%	3.5%	7.6%	4.1%	2.0%	14.4%	11.6%	7.8%	18.4%	8.9%	4.0%
2021	18.4%	14.0%	9.5%	15.2%	10.9%	6.5%	26.8%	-0.4%	0.5%	23.4%	-1.8%	-1.1%	12.7%	10.1%	4.6%	28.7%	-1.7%	%9.0
2022	-12.2%	-10.8%	-9.1%	-14.6%	-13.3%	-11.7%	-15.3%	-6.7%	-1.8%	-17.7%	-8.0%	-3.2%	-15.5%	-12.2%	-8.4%	-18.1%	-13.6%	-4.9%
2023	20.1%	16.3%	13.1%	16.9%	13.1%	10.0%	27.9%	6.4%	0.4%	24.5%	4.9%	-1.0%	15.7%	13.6%	9.5%	26.3%	5.7%	4.5%
3 Year	7.7%	2.8%	4.0%	4.7%	2.8%	1.2%	11.2%	-0.4%	-0.4%	8.1%	-1.8%	-1.8%	3.3%	3.1%	1.6%	10.0%	-3.5%	%0.0
Std Dev +	12.5%	10.2%	7.7%	12.5%	10.2%	7.7%	17.6%	4.2%	2.5%	17.6%	4.2%	2.5%	11.4%	9.1%	5.8%	17.3%	7.1%	4.9%
5 Year	10.8%	8.8%	%9.9	7.7%	5.8%	3.7%	14.5%	2.2%	1.3%	11.4%	0.8%	-0.1%	8.7%	7.4%	4.6%	15.7%	1.4%	1.9%
Std Dev	14.1%	11.7%	9.3%	13.8%	11.4%	9.1%	19.0%	2.9%	2.5%	18.6%	5.8%	2.4%	14.3%	11.5%	7.8%	20.4%	9.7%	4.3%
7 Year	8.1%	%9.9	2.0%	5.2%	3.7%	2.1%	11.0%	1.1%	%9.0	8.0%	-0.3%	-0.8%	7.6%	6.5%	4.1%	13.4%	1.5%	2.0%
Std Dev	14.9%	12.4%	%6.6	14.5%	12.1%	9.6%	20.2%	6.1%	2.5%	19.7%	9.0%	2.1%	12.6%	10.1%	6.7%	18.8%	8.0%	3.5%
10 Year	8:3%	%8.9	5.2%	5.3%	3.9%	2.3%	10.9%	2.0%	1.7%	7.9%	9.0%	0.2%	7.0%	2.9%	3.7%	11.8%	1.9%	1.9%
Std Dev	11.7%	9.4%	7.2%	11.4%	9.1%	7.0%	15.8%	4.0%	1.8%	15.4%	3.9%	1.8%	10.6%	8.5%	5.6%	15.9%	6.7%	3.0%

					2023 Qua	rterly Per	formance	0.						Index Q	ndex Quarterly Perfor	Perform	ance	
1st Otr	5.7%	4.1%	3.9%	2.0%	3.4%	3.2%	7.8%	2.6%	1.3%	7.1%	2.3%	1.0%	5.3%	4.5%	3.2%	7.5%	3.2%	1.9%
2nd Qtr	4.6%	3.6%	2.3%	3.9%	2.9%	1.6%	6.8%	-0.1%	-0.9%	%0.9	-0.4%	-1.3%	3.9%	3.3%	1.8%	8.7%	%6:0-	-0.5%
3rd Qtr	%9 :0-	-0.5%	-0.2%	-1.3%	-1.2%	-0.9%	-1.1%	-0.5%	-1.4%	-1.8%	-0.9%	-1.7%	-3.1%	-2.2%	-1.3%	-3.3%	-3.0%	-2.1%
4th Qtr	9.3%	8.5%	6.6%	8.5%	7.7%	5.9%	12.5%	4.3%	1.4%	11.7%	3.9%	1.0%	9.5%	7.6%	5.5%	11.7%	%9.9	5.2%
Æ	20.1%	16.3%	13.1%	٠, ١	13.1%	10.0%	27.9%	6.4%	0.4%	24.5%	4.9%	-1.0%	15.7%	13.6%	9.5%	26.3%	5.7%	4.5%
, ~	* Pure gross	; returns are	Pure gross returns are supplemental data and do not ref	tal data anc	do not ref	flect the deduction of		transaction costs.	in costs.									

† 3-year ex-post Standard Deviation

♦ Returns are netted down monthly

COMPOSITE FOOTNOTES

CCM Investment Advisers, LLC claims compliance with the Global investment Performance Standards (GIPS®) and has prepared and presented this report in compliance with the GIPS standards. CCM Investment Advisers, LLC has been independently verified for the periods January 1, 2000 – December 31, 2022. The verification report(s) is/are available upon request. A firm that claims compliance with the GIPS standards must establish policies and procedures for complying with all the applicable requirements of the GIPS standards. Verification provides assurance on whether the firm's policies and procedures related to composite and pooled fund maintenance, as well as the calculation, presentation, and distribution of performance, have been designed in compliance with the GIPS standards and have been implemented on a firm-wide basis. Verification does not provide assurance on the accuracy of any specific performance report.

- CCM Investment Advisers, LLC (CCM) is an independent investment advisory firm established in 1986.
 CCM manages a variety of equity, fixed income and balanced accounts for institutional and individual investors.
- 2. All accounts over which CCM has full investment discretion are included in the performance composite relevant to its strategy. Portfolios constrained by Investment Policies that differ materially from the investment strategy of CCM Investment Advisers are not included in a composite. Accounts less than \$100,000 are not included in a composite with the exception of CCM Tech Select, where there is no minimum. A complete list and description of all of the firm's composites is available upon request.
- 3. CCM's performance composites were created and incepted on 1/1/93.
- 4. Trade date valuation is utilized.
- 5. Valuations and returns are computed and expressed in US dollars.
- 6. Results are presented both net of all fees as well as gross of all fees including transaction fees.
- 7. Results assume reinvestment of dividends and interest, unless withdrawn from the portfolio by the client
- 8. Past performance is no guarantee of future results and the possibility of loss exists.
- 9. CCM Investment Advisers' standard fee schedule for Balanced and Equity accounts is .75% of the first \$5MM in assets, .60% for the next \$5MM assets, .50% for over \$10MM assets, and .25% for assets over \$30MM. For Fixed Income accounts, .50% of the first \$5MM in assets, .45% for the next \$5MM assets, and .40% for assets over \$10MM, and .20% over 30MM.
- 10. A copy of CCM's SEC Form ADV Part 1, 2 and 3 is available upon request.
- 11. Policies for valuing investments, calculating performance, and preparing GIPS Reports are available upon request.
- 12. All of the accounts in the composites are bundled fee accounts. The bundled fee includes trading, administrative and custodial charges.
- 13. The Barclay's Government/Credit Index is the non-securitized component of the U.S. Aggregate Index. The index includes US Treasuries, government-related issues and corporates.
- 14. The S&P 500 Index is a capitalization-weighted index of 500 stocks. The index is designed to measure performance of the broad domestic economy through changes in the aggregate market value of 500 stocks representing all major industries.
- 15. The ICE BofAML 0-3 Month US Treasury Bill Index is a subset of ICE BofAML US Treasury Bill Index including all securities with a remaining term to final maturity less than 3 months.
- 16. All blended benchmarks are static blends.
- 17. GIPS® is a registered trademark of CFA Institute. CFA Institute does not endorse or promote this organization, nor does it warrant the accuracy or quality of the content contained herein.
- 18. Dispersion and 3-year ex-post Standard Deviation are calculated using gross of fees.
- 19. Net returns for CCM products are adjusted for a maximum wrap fee of 2.8% (1.4% for Fixed Income) netted monthly.

COMPOSITE STATISTICS/DESCRIPTIONS

CCM Composite	Composite Profile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
	# of Portfolios	176	225	235	258	310	344	341	320	304	323
	Dispersion*	1.2%	0.9%	1.1%	1.3%	1.2%	1.3%	1.3%	1.4%	1.0%	1.5%
Core Balanced	Std Dev † CCM	6.7%	7.8%	8.2%	7.6%	8.4%	8.8%	12.8%	11.8%	14.5%	12.5%
Wrap	Std Dev † Benchmark	4.7%	5.5%	5.4%	5.0%	5.4%	6.0%	9.7%	9.1%	12.3%	11.4%
	Total Assets	122.6	133.9	163.4	168.8	170.9	166.9	181.4	200.5	164.6	196.3
	% of Firm Assets	4.3%	4.9%	7.1%	6.5%	6.1%	19.5%	20.0%	19.1%	18.3%	17.9%
	# of Portfolios	21	18	18	17	13	12	6	3	4	5
	Dispersion*	0.9%	0.9%	0.4%	0.7%	0.6%	0.7%	1.4%	1.6%	0.8%	0.9%
Moderate Risk	Std Dev † CCM	5.4%	6.1%	6.1%	5.6%	6.0%	6.3%	9.8%	9.2%	11.6%	10.2%
Wrap	Std Dev † Benchmark	3.7%	4.4%	4.3%	4.0%	4.3%	4.8%	7.7%	7.2%	9.8%	9.1%
	Total Assets	9.8	8.6	8.9	8.8	5.4	5.6	2.6	2.3	2.4	3.0
	% of Firm Assets	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.3%	0.2%	0.7%	0.3%	0.2%	0.3%	0.3%
	# of Portfolios	12	9	7	6	6	6	5	4	4	4
	Dispersion*	1.0%	0.8%	0.6%	0.4%	0.3%	0.9%	0.8%	2.2%	0.7%	1.4%
Low Risk Wrap	Std Dev † CCM	3.9%	4.3%	4.3%	3.9%	4.1%	4.2%	6.3%	5.9%	8.1%	7.7%
LOW NISK WIRP	Std Dev † Benchmark	2.1%	2.4%	2.4%	2.2%	2.3%	2.6%	4.2%	4.0%	5.8%	5.8%
	Total Assets	4.8	3.2	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.5	2.3	2.2	1.8	1.9
	% of Firm Assets	0.2%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.3%	0.3%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
	# of Portfolios	63	93	83	79	86	71	62	67	72	70
	Dispersion*	1.4%	1.6%	1.7%	1.4%	0.9%	0.8%	1.2%	0.7%	0.6%	1.0%
Equity Wrap	Std Dev † CCM	9.7%	11.0%	11.4%	10.6%	11.6%	12.2%	18.2%	16.9%	20.7%	17.6%
Equity Wrap	Std Dev † Benchmark	9.0%	10.5%	10.6%	9.9%	10.8%	11.9%	18.5%	17.2%	20.9%	17.3%
	Total Assets	101.6	102.8	106.7	120.2	119.6	152.2	156.9	189.1	154.8	187.2%
	% of Firm Assets	3.6%	3.7%	4.7%	4.6%	4.3%	17.8%	17.3%	18.0%	17.2%	17.1%
	# of Portfolios	8	11	12	8	5	5	4	3	3	3
	Dispersion*	0.9%	0.2%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%	1.0%	0.2%	0.4%	1.2%	0.6%
Fixed Income	Std Dev † CCM	1.6%	1.8%	1.8%	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%	2.4%	2.3%	3.7%	4.2%
Wrap	Std Dev † Benchmark	3.0%	3.2%	3.5%	3.3%	3.2%	3.3%	4.0%	4.2%	6.1%	4.9%
	Total Assets	13.1	43.9	45.7	18.7	9.5	10.4	10.3	9.9	10.3	11.9
	% of Firm Assets	0.5%	1.6%	2.0%	0.7%	0.3%	1.2%	1.1%	0.9%	1.1%	1.1%
CCM Assets under N	Management (Millions)	\$ 2,852	\$ 2,757	\$ 2,289	\$ 2,608	\$ 2,799	\$ 856	\$ 909	\$ 1,050		1,094

^{*} Equal weighted standard deviation of annual return of accounts in composite for the full year.

Composite	Description	Benchmark
Core Balanced Wrap	CCM wrap fee accounts that employ a Core Balanced or Core Balanced Plus strategy with >\$100,000 market value as of the start of the quarter. The fixed income allocation must be all taxable bonds.	50% S&P 500 / 50% Barclays Govt/Credit
Moderate Risk Wrap	CCM wrap fee accounts that employ a Moderate Risk strategy with >\$100,000 market value as of the start of the quarter. The fixed income allocation must be all taxable bonds.	40% S&P 500 / 40% Barclays Govt/Credit / 20% US T-Bills
Low Risk Wrap	CCM wrap fee accounts that employ a Low Risk strategy with >\$100,000 market value as of the start of the quarter. The fixed income allocation must be all taxable bonds.	20% S&P 500 / 40% Barclays Govt/Credit / 40% US T-Bills
Equity Wrap	CCM wrap fee accounts that employ an all equity strategy with >\$100,000 market value as of the start of the quarter. CCM's equity strategy is relative value. We hold domestic and ADR's in the small mid and large cap valuation sectors.	S&P 500
Fixed Income Wrap	CCM wrap fee accounts that employ an all fixed strategy with >\$100,000 market value as of the start of the quarter. Bonds may be taxable or tax-free.	Barclays Govt/Credit

 $^{\+}$ 3-year ex-post Standard Deviation. Required by GIPS beginning in 2011

All composites above were incepted on 1/1/1993



Verification Report

CCM Investment Advisers, LLC

We have verified whether CCM Investment Advisers, LLC (the "Firm") has, for the periods from January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2022, established policies and procedures for complying with the Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS®) related to composite and pooled fund maintenance and the calculation, presentation, and distribution of performance that are designed in compliance with the GIPS standards, as well as whether these policies and procedures have been implemented on a firm-wide basis. GIPS® is a registered trademark of CFA Institute. CFA Institute does not endorse or promote this organization, nor does it warrant the accuracy or quality of the content contained herein.

The Firm's management is responsible for its claim of compliance with the GIPS standards and the design and implementation of its policies and procedures. Our responsibilities are to be independent from the Firm and to express an opinion based on our verification. We conducted this verification in accordance with the required verification procedures of the GIPS standards, which includes testing performance on a sample basis. We also conducted such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, for the periods from January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2022, the Firm's policies and procedures for complying with the GIPS standards related to composite and pooled fund maintenance, as well as the calculation, presentation, and distribution of performance, have been, in all material respects:

- Designed in compliance with the GIPS standards, and
- Implemented on a firm-wide basis.

This report does not relate to or provide assurance on any specific performance report of the Firm or on the operating effectiveness of the Firm's controls or policies and procedures for complying with the GIPS standards.

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March 23, 2023