

Seeking Income and Growth

Seeks to achieve a income and growth total return from capital appreciation and income while using its tactical overlays to preserve capital during times of market stress.

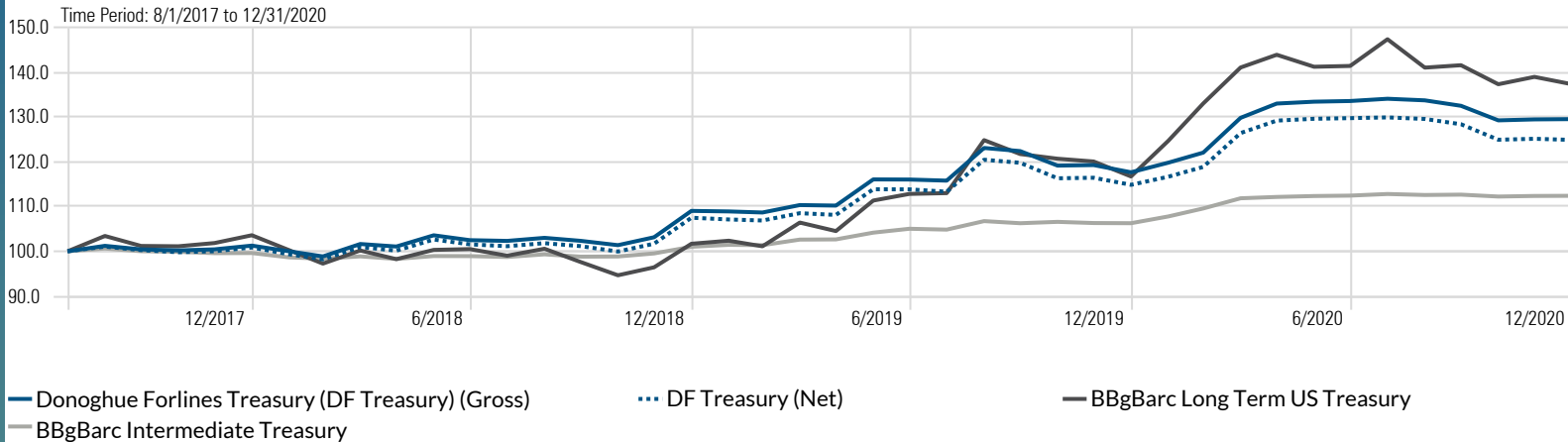
Treasury Exposure

Invests in differing treasury duration exposures to provide equity hedging solution.

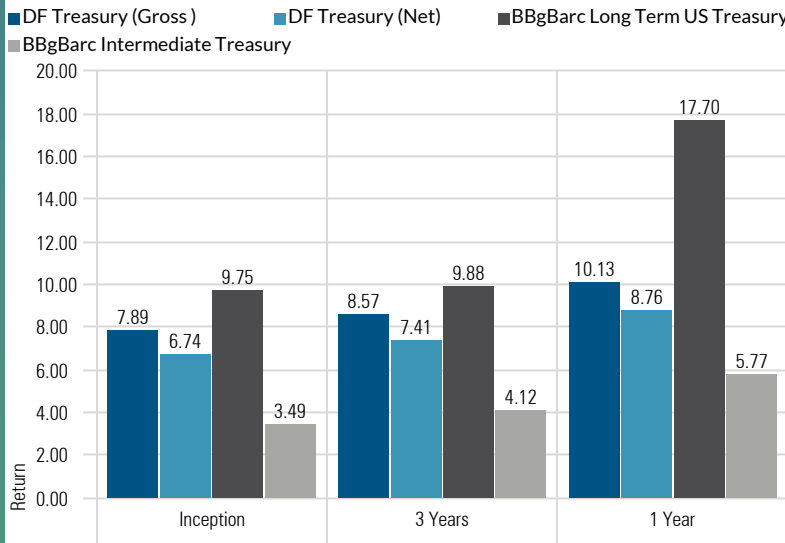
Tactically Managing Risk

A "Rules Based" strategy that can move 100% between shorter and longer duration treasury ETFs.

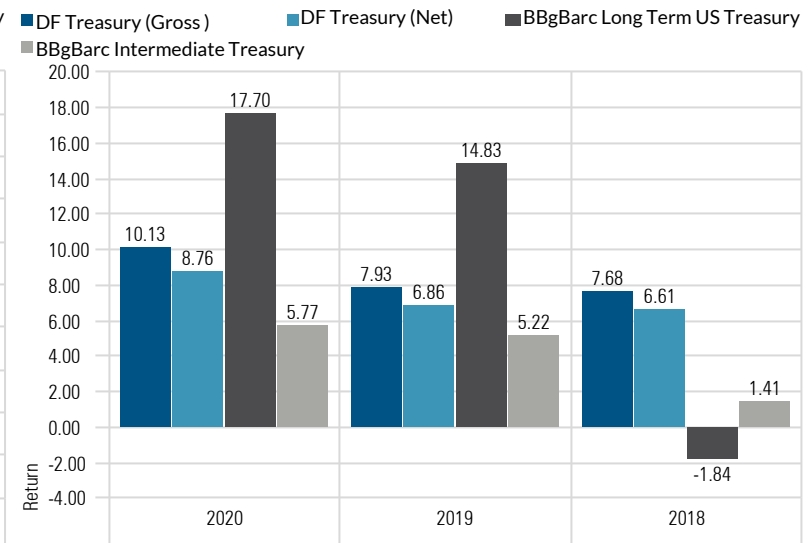
Investment Growth



Trailing Returns



Annual Returns



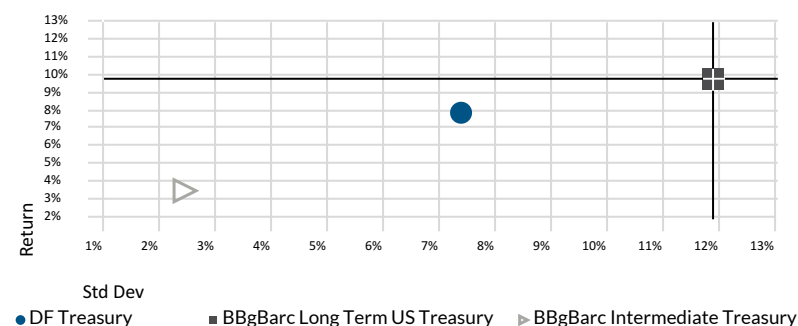
Risk Statistics

Since Inception (Gross Returns)*	DF Treasury	BBgBarc Long Term US Treasury	BBgBarc Intermediate Treasury
Alpha	2.02	0.00	0.41
Beta	0.51	1.00	0.19
Max Drawdown	-4.43	-8.66	-2.31
Std Dev	7.39	11.89	2.49
Best Month	6.38	10.50	2.08
Worst Month	-2.65	-4.31	-0.98
Up Capture Ratio	55.07	100.00	22.29
Down Capture Ratio	34.06	100.00	10.84

*since inception (8/1/2017) based on monthly returns

Risk Reward

Time Period: 8/1/2017 to 12/31/2020



“Rules-Based” intermediate term view of equity trends with a focus on downside protection

We focus on credit conditions and technical analysis 2-4 Week Trends

We review risk, positions, and opportunities *daily*

- **We base our decisions predicated upon a starting universe of intermediate-term and longer-term treasury ETFs.**
- **We utilize credit trend following indicators to shift between intermediate duration treasury ETF positions and longer duration treasury ETFs.**
- **We mechanically reconstitute and rebalance the portfolio quarterly.**
- **We recommend utilizing the strategy as a potential hedge to risk assets such as equities or high yield bonds.**
- **We do not recommend utilizing solution as a standalone strategy.**

Monthly Returns (net returns) (%)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2020	1.58	1.88	6.38	2.21	0.31	0.11	0.13	-0.27	-0.91	-2.70	0.17	-0.20	8.76
2019	-0.36	-0.22	1.53	-0.36	5.32	-0.02	-0.46	6.32	-0.57	-2.90	0.10	-1.36	6.86
2018	-1.51	-1.14	2.82	-0.81	2.49	-1.06	-0.41	0.67	-0.65	-1.19	1.75	5.72	6.61
2017								1.05	-0.78	-0.48	0.23	0.84	

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The Donoghue Forlines Treasury Portfolio was created on August 1, 2017. Results are based on fully discretionary accounts under management, including those accounts no longer with the firm. Individual portfolio returns are calculated on a daily basis. Cash flows are weighted according to the time they are available to invest during the period using the Time Weighted Return method. Returns for the sub-periods are geometrically linked to obtain the portfolio’s monthly return.

Composite performance returns are un-annualized for the period August 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017. Composite returns are calculated by asset-weighting the individual portfolio returns using beginning-of-period values and are calculated monthly in U.S. dollars. These returns represent investors domiciled primarily in the United States. Proxy positions might be held in place of composite holdings at some third-party model manager providers. Past performance is not indicative of future results.

Returns are presented net of management fees and include the reinvestment of all income. Net of fee performance was calculated using a model fee of 1% representing an applicable wrap fee. See the investment management fee schedule for the composite below:

Client Assets Annual Fee %
All assets 1.00%

Actual investment advisory fees incurred by clients may vary.

The inclusion of the S&P 500 Index, Bloomberg Barclays US Long Treasury Index, Bloomberg Barclays US Intermediate Treasury Index, are for comparison purposes only. The inclusion of the S&P 500 Index is for comparison purposes only. The index measures the performance of 500 widely held stocks in US equity market. Standard and Poor’s chooses member companies for the index based on market size, liquidity and

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