

DIVIDEND YIELD EQUITY

All Data as of 6/30/2025

Philosophy/Process

We believe high yield coupled with high quality can produce income with lower volatility and help protect capital in declining markets. The strategy targets an overall yield in the $8^{th}-9^{th}$ decile of all U.S. dividend paying stocks and prefers out-of-favor companies with a potential catalyst for reversion to the mean in valuation. Our fundamental, bottom-up investment process is focused on uncovering companies with above-average yield, attractive valuations, potential for consistent earnings and dividend growth, and financial strength. The goal of our investment process is to construct a diversified portfolio capable of offering above average dividend yield and attractive total investment return with below market risk.



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Annualized Returns

	QTD	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Inception*
Crawford Dividend Yield (Gross)	-0.01	5.98	16.12	9.28	13.83	9.46	11.07
Crawford Dividend Yield (Net)	-0.13	5.72	15.56	8.74	13.27	8.94	10.50
Russell 1000 Value Index	3.79	6.00	13.70	12.76	13.93	9.19	11.05

Portfolio Characteristics

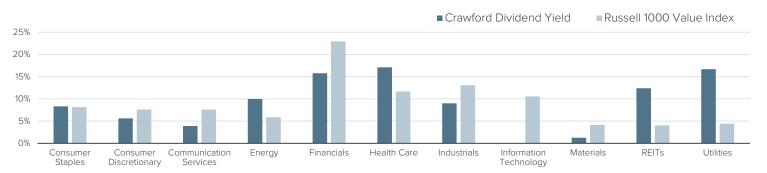
	Crawford Dividend Yield	Russell 1000 Value Index
Dividend Yield	4.4%	1.9%
10-Year EPS Variability	52.6%	59.9%
Return on Equity	19.2%	18.0%
P/E Ratio (Next 12 Months)	15.9x	19.0x
Average Market Capitalization	\$78.2B	\$292.1B

STRATEGY OVERVIEW Assets Under Management \$1.0B Asset Class U.S. Large Cap Value Primary Benchmark Russell 1000 Value Index **Inception Date** October 1, 2010 Holdings 40 - 50Market Cap at Purchase <u>></u>\$1.0B **Max Position Size** 2x the Russell 1000 Value **Sector Constraint** Index or 25% Max Use of Cash Average Annual Turnover 25 - 35%

Since Inception Risk Statistics

	Crawford Dividend Yield (Net)	Russell 1000 Value Index
Standard Deviation	13.03%	15.07%
Beta	0.80	1.00
Annualized Alpha	1.54%	0.00%

Sector Allocation



Source: Crawford, FactSet, eVestment

*Since inception time period: 10/1/2010 – 6/30/2025

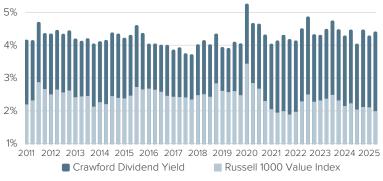
Past performance is not indicative of future results. Data is presented Net of Fees. Net of fee performance is calculated based on the actual fees experienced. Crawford P/E (Next 12 Months) estimates are based off of a combination of third party research and estimates, weighted harmonic averages, and portfolio median values. The representative equity portfolio is shown as supplemental information to the Dividend Yield composite disclosures which are located at the end of this fact sheet. Not every account will have these exact characteristics, and there is no guarantee that another portfolio would have better or equal performance than the representative portfolio presented here. All holdings for the last 12 months are available upon request.

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TOP TEN HOLDINGS								
TICKER	COMPANY	WEIGHT						
PFE	Pfizer Inc.	4.5%						
HBAN	Huntington Bancshares Incorporated	4.2%						
UPS	United Parcel Service, Inc. Class B	3.7%						
PNC	PNC Financial Services Group, Inc.	3.4%						
MSM	MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc. Class A	3.3%						
DUK	Duke Energy Corporation	3.3%						
MDT	Medtronic Plc	3.3%						
CVX	Chevron Corporation	3.3%						
EVRG	Evergy, Inc.	3.2%						
AEP	American Electric Power Company, Inc.	3.2%						

Weight is Percent (%) of Market Value Excluding Cash.

Current Dividend Yield



Dividend yield is one component of performance and should not be the only consideration for investment.

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GIPS Composite Report					Dividend Yield Equity Composite				Russell 1000 Value Index		
Year	Firm Assets (\$ Millions)	Composite Assets (\$ Millions)	% Of Non-fee paying accounts	% Of Bundled Fee Paying Accounts	# Of Accounts	Pure Gross Return	Net Return	3-Year Standard Deviation	Internal Dispersion	Return	3-Year Standard Deviation
2024	\$8,494	\$442	1%	0.5%	195	12.09%	11.52%	15.19%	1.4%	14.37%	16.89%
2023	\$7,730	\$433	0%	0.4%	199	5.85%	5.32%	15.13%	1.0%	11.46%	16.74%
2022	\$7,383	\$423	0%	0.3%	182	4.17%	3.65%	18.74%	1.0%	-7.54%	21.55%
2021	\$7,923	\$381	0%	0.2%	131	25.56%	24.98%	16.81%	0.7%	25.16%	19.33%
2020	\$7,111	\$286	0%	0.2%	104	1.28%	0.80%	16.95%	1.2%	2.80%	19.90%
2019	\$6,779	\$310	0%	0.3%	113	27.12%	26.57%	10.34%	1.1%	26.54%	12.02%
2018	\$5,655	\$273	0%	0.3%	102	-3.52%	-3.94%	9.53%	0.5%	-8.27%	10.98%
2017	\$5,901	\$357	4%	1.8%	144	8.00%	7.48%	8.85%	0.4%	13.66%	10.34%
2016	\$5,044	\$291	4%	7.7%	195	14.60%	14.04%	9.75%	0.7%	17.34%	10.93%
2015	\$4,149	\$166	4%	7.8%	69	-1.82%	-2.23%	10.13%	0.4%	-3.83%	10.83%

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For comparison purposes the composite is measured against the Russell 1000 Value Index. The Russell 1000 Value Index measures the performance of the large-cap value segment of the U.S. equity universe. It includes those Russell 1000 Index companies with lower price-to-book ratios and lower expected growth values.

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