

# Is Your Umbrella Handy?

Stadion Tactical Growth Fund, Class I received a Morningstar Rating™ of ★★★★★.<sup>1</sup>

## Stadion Tactical Growth Fund Series | Number 1 | 1Q19

<sup>1</sup>Overall rating out of 230 Tactical Allocation funds based on risk-adjusted returns as of 3/31/19.

As markets continue to reach new highs, it is difficult to anticipate what will happen next. Although Stadion does not predict what may happen, we have constructed our portfolios to respond defensively to changing market conditions.

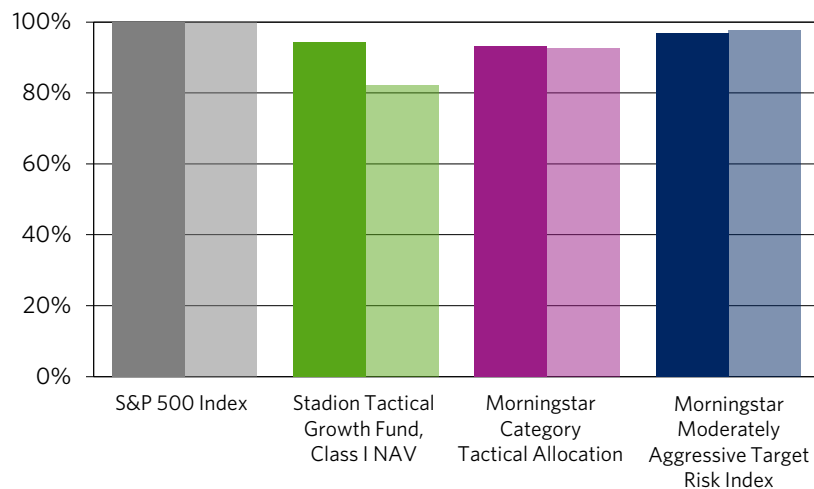
Stadion's Tactical Growth Fund has strong correlation to the S&P in rising markets, as demonstrated by its high bull market correlation. But just as key to accomplishing its designed purposes is its ability to shift to non-correlated asset classes when market risk is elevated. In bear markets, the Stadion Tactical Growth Fund has a correlation of 0.82 to the S&P 500 Index. This downside risk management has produced a since-inception 0.86 beta and almost one third less drawdown than the S&P 500.

Touting the benefits of an umbrella while standing in the sunshine may seem ill timed. At Stadion, we are mindful how powerfully falling markets can affect account values and investor psyches as we seek to manage the exposure to such risk. We believe having an umbrella handy, should the market change, is key.

### Bull and Bear Market Correlation

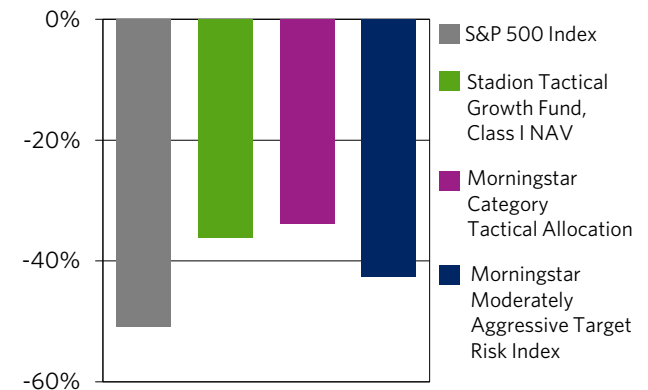
Bull market: 2/28/09 - 3/31/19

Bear market: 10/31/07 - 2/28/09



### Maximum Drawdown

4/30/04 - 3/31/19



In the chart above, the darker shades represent bull markets, while the lighter shades represent bear markets.

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The investment strategies presented are not appropriate for every investor and individual clients should review with their financial advisors the terms and conditions and risk involved with specific products or services. The S&P 500 Index is the Standard & Poor's Composite Index of 500 stocks and is a widely recognized, unmanaged index of common stock prices. One cannot invest directly in an index. Stadion's actively managed portfolios may underperform during bull markets. Investing involves risk, including possible loss of principal.

Correlation is a measure of how investments move in relation to one another. A correlation of 1 means the two asset classes move exactly in line with each other, while a correlation of -1 means they move in the exact opposite direction. Maximum Drawdown measures the largest percentage decline from a peak to a trough. Beta is a measure of systematic risk, or the sensitivity of a manager to movements in the benchmark. A beta of 1 implies that you can expect the movement of a manager's return series to match that of the benchmark used to measure beta. © 2017 Morningstar, Inc. All rights reserved. The information contained herein: (1) is proprietary to Morningstar and/or its content providers; (2) may not be copied or distributed; and (3) is not warranted to be accurate, complete, or timely. Neither Morningstar nor its content providers are responsible for any damages or losses arising from any use of this information. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The Morningstar Tactical Allocation Category is a benchmark created and published by Morningstar and is defined as "Portfolios seek to provide capital appreciation and income by actively shifting allocations between asset classes." Chart source: Stadion. The Stadion Funds are distributed by ALPS Distributors, Inc.

An investor should consider the investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses of the Fund carefully before investing.

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## Stadion Tactical Growth Fund Performance as of 3/31/19 (%)

	3 Mo.	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	Since Inception <sup>1</sup>
Class A NAV	7.42	7.42	2.70	8.39	5.71	11.29	6.40
Class A, Load	1.26	1.26	-3.19	6.28	4.47	10.63	5.98
Class C NAV	7.26	7.26	1.92	7.55	4.90	10.45	5.60
Class C, CDSC	6.26	6.26	0.93	7.55	4.90	10.45	5.60
Class I NAV	7.52	7.52	3.00	8.64	5.97	11.57	6.67
Category	7.28	7.28	0.51	5.30	2.44	6.45	3.86
Benchmark	10.71	10.71	4.06	10.02	6.33	11.55	7.51
S&P 500	13.65	13.65	9.50	13.51	10.91	15.92	8.73

## Calendar Year Returns Without Sales Loads (%)

	2004 <sup>2</sup>	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Class A NAV	7.29	2.80	8.94	0.18	-23.95	31.99	18.40	0.33	9.86	21.24	9.54	-3.42	9.32	11.95	-4.32
Class C NAV	6.97	1.94	8.04	-0.65	-24.59	30.89	17.51	-0.58	8.90	20.29	8.71	-4.14	8.50	11.08	-5.06
Class I NAV	7.40	2.97	9.12	0.35	-23.83	32.20	18.70	0.41	9.99	21.55	9.84	-3.19	9.55	12.27	-4.12
Category	8.39	4.98	9.75	6.3	-24.9	19.57	12.43	-2.91	9.28	8.47	2.74	-5.88	6.16	12.45	-7.87
Benchmark	12.79	8.85	15.99	8.94	-30.65	27.55	14.92	-1.93	14.33	20.18	4.97	-2.40	10.21	18.89	-6.74
S&P 500	10.77	4.91	15.79	5.49	-37.00	26.46	15.06	2.11	16.00	32.39	13.69	1.38	11.96	21.83	-4.38

<sup>1</sup>Class I shares Inception Date: 4/30/04; Performance for Class A shares and Class C shares prior to 4/1/13 is based on the performance of Class I Shares. <sup>2</sup>Performance data shown for 2004 represents a partial year, from the fund's inception (4/30/04) through 12/31/04.

## REFERENCES FOR COMPARISON

Category: Morningstar Tactical Allocation  
 Benchmark: Morningstar Moderately Aggressive Target Risk Index (MMATRI)  
 S&P 500: S&P 500 Index

## RISK CHARACTERISTICS AS OF 3/31/19\*

	Fund	Category	MMATRI	S&P 500 Index
Beta vs S&P500	0.85	0.57	0.83	1.00
Standard Deviation	12.81%	8.33%	11.66%	13.63%
Sharpe Ratio	0.42	0.31	0.53	0.55

\*Since Inception date of 4/30/04

## EXPENSE RATIO AS OF 3/31/19

Share Class	Inception Date	Gross	Current
Class A	4/1/13	1.83%	1.55%
Class C	4/1/13	2.57%	2.30%
Class I	4/30/04	1.58%	1.30%

## INVESTMENT RISKS

Investment in the Fund is subject to investment risks, including, without limitation, market risk, management style risk, risks related to "fund of funds" structure, sector risk, fixed income risk, tracking risk, risks related to ETF net asset value and market price, foreign securities risk, risks related to portfolio turnover and small capitalization companies risk. Since the Fund is a "fund of funds," an investor will indirectly bear fees and expenses charged by the underlying ETFs and investment companies in which the Fund invests in addition to the Fund's direct fees and expenses. More information about these risks and other risks can be found in the Fund's prospectus.

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The Growth Fund's investment adviser, Stadion Money Management, LLC (the "Adviser") has entered into an Expense Limitation Agreement with the Growth Fund under which it has contractually agreed to waive Management Fees and to assume other expenses of the Growth Fund, if necessary, in an amount that limits annual operating expenses (exclusive of interest expense on any borrowings, taxes, brokerage commissions, extraordinary expenses, Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses and payments, if any, under a Rule 12b-1 Distribution Plan) of Class A, Class C and Class I shares to not more than 1.30% of the average daily net assets allocable to each Class of the Growth Fund. The Expense Limitation Agreement is currently in effect until October 1, 2018. Pursuant to the Expense Limitation Agreement, if the Adviser so requests, any Fund Operating Expenses waived or reimbursed by the Adviser pursuant to the Agreement that had the effect of reducing Fund Operating Expenses from 1.70% (or lower) to 1.30% within the most recent three fiscal years prior to the request shall be repaid to the Adviser by the Fund; provided, however, that the total annual Fund Operating Expenses for the applicable following year, after giving effect to the repayment, shall not exceed 1.30% of the average daily net assets of the Fund (or any lower expense limitation or limitations to which the parties may otherwise agree). The Expense Limitation Agreement may be terminated by the Stadion Investment Trust or the Adviser at the end of its then-current term upon not less than 90 days' notice. For the Stadion Tactical Growth Fund, Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses were estimated to be 0.23% of the Fund's average daily net assets based on estimated amounts for the current fiscal year. The Current Expense Ratio is the expense ratio as a percentage of the Fund's average daily net assets as of the date listed above. The Current Expense Ratio may fluctuate based upon a number of factors, including changes in the Fund's net assets. Returns for periods greater than one year are annualized. Not FDIC Insured | No Bank Guarantee | May Lose Value.

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The Statistics presented are defined as follows. Beta is a measure of systematic risk, or the sensitivity of a manager to movements in the benchmark. A beta of 1 implies that you can expect the movement of a manager's return series to match that of the benchmark used to measure beta. The Sharpe ratio measures the excess return per unit of deviation, or risk. Correlation is a measure of how investments move in relation to one another. A correlation of 1 means the two asset classes move exactly in line with each other, while a correlation of -1 means they move in the exact opposite direction.

For any such purchases where a finder's fee is paid by the Advisor a contingent deferred sales charge (CDSC) will be charged at the time of redemption if the shares are redeemed within 12 months of the purchase date. The CDSC will be based on the original purchase cost or the current market value of the shares being sold, whichever is less. A 1.00% CDSC will be assessed on class C shares purchased on or after October 1, 2012 and redeemed within 12 months of purchase. ALPS Distributors, Inc. is the distributor for the Stadion Funds. Stadion and the Stadion S are a registered service mark of Stadion Money Management, LLC.