

# DEFENSIVE

DFA

As of 9/30/2018

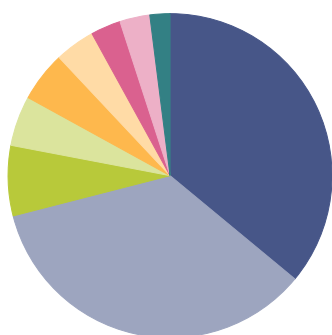
## 25% Stocks and 75% Bonds

The Global Portfolio Series is guided by Loring Ward's Asset Class Investing philosophy, a strategic, asset class investment approach based on the research of some of the academic community's most innovative and respected thinkers and economists. Grounded in the knowledge that asset allocation has the greatest impact on investment returns, Asset Class Investing is designed to carefully control the investments included in each asset class, giving investors truer market returns than similar strategies will.

The DFA Funds Global Portfolio Series is built with 9 asset class funds, offered by noted institutional money manager, Dimensional Fund Advisors, and typically include as many as 9000 Securities from 45 Countries, representing 35 Currencies.

The objective of the Defensive portfolio is to provide capital preservation by investing in a portfolio of primarily bonds. It is designed for those who have a substantially lower tolerance for portfolio fluctuations. The investment time horizon is typically 3 years or more.

## Target Portfolio Composition



	%
● DFA Five-Year Global Fixed-Income I	36.0
● DFA One-Year Fixed-Income I	35.0
● DFA International Value I	7.0
● DFA US Core Equity 1 I	5.0
● DFA US Large Cap Value I	5.0
● Cash	4.0
● DFA Real Estate Securities I	3.0
● DFA US Small Cap I	3.0
● DFA International Small Company I	2.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## Bond Maturity Exposure

Maturity 1-3 Yr %	41.7
Maturity 3-5 Yr %	38.2

## Bond Credit Quality Exposure

Credit Qual AAA %	31.1	Credit Quality Rating: Globally, credit rating from Fixed Income Survey provided by fund company: Government, AAA, AA, A, BBB, BB, B, Below B and Not Rated. AAA bonds carry the highest credit rating. For the purpose of Morningstar's calculations, U.S. government bonds are considered AAA. For municipal bonds, anything at or below BBB is considered a high-yield or junk bond. Nonrated municipal bonds generally are classified as BBB. Other nonrated bonds generally are considered B.
Credit Qual AA %	58.0	
Credit Qual A %	11.0	
Credit Qual BBB %	0.0	
Credit Qual BB %	0.0	
Credit Qual B %	0.0	
Credit Qual Below B %	0.0	
Credit Qual Not Rated %	0.0	

## Portfolio Snapshot

Inception Date	10/1/1996
Average Price-To-Book Ratio	1.66
Average Market Cap (mil.)	18,705

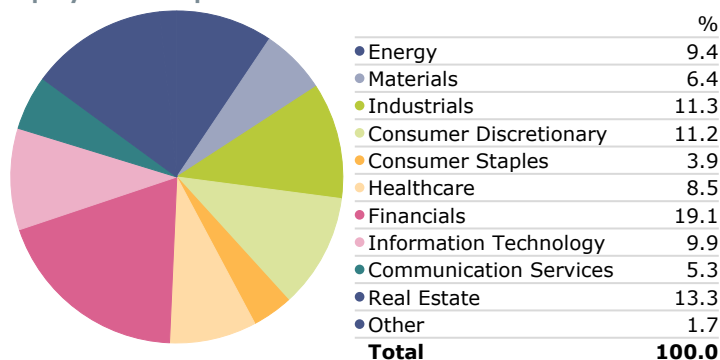
The Price-To-Book ratio of a company is calculated by dividing the market price of its stock by the company's per-share book value.

## Equity Style Box

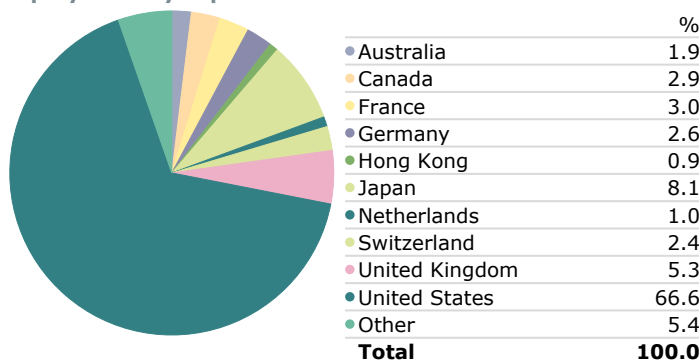
The Morningstar equity style box shows the percentage of portfolio holdings in each of the nine equity styles. Classification is based on market capitalization and value-growth orientation of the stock holdings.

29	19	9	Large
11	9	5	Mid
6	6	5	Small
Value	Blend	Growth	

## Equity Sector Exposure

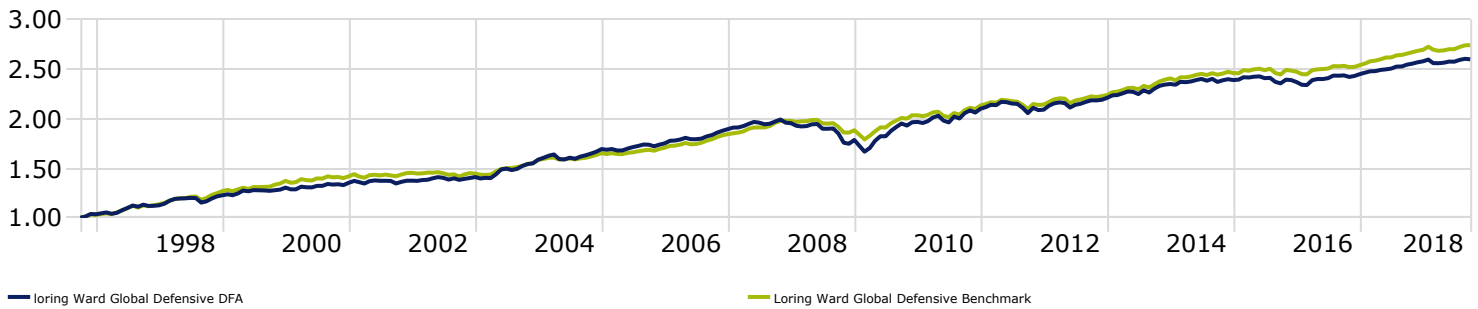


## Equity Country Exposure



Growth Of A Dollar

Time Period: 10/2/1996 to 9/30/2018



Loring Ward Global Defensive Benchmark: 16% S&P 500, 9% MSCI EAFE (net div), 75% BofAML US Trsy/Agcs AAA 1-3 Yr  
 The MSCI EAFE Index (Morgan Stanley Capital International Europe, Australasia, Far East Index) is an unmanaged index comprised of over 1,000 companies representing the stock markets of Europe, Australia, New Zealand and the Far East.  
 The S&P 500 Index (Standard & Poor's) 500 Index is an unmanaged market value-weighted index of 500 stocks that are traded on the NYSE, AMEX, and NASDAQ.  
 The BofA Merrill Lynch 1-3 US Year Treasury Index is an unmanaged index that tracks the performance of the direct sovereign debt of the U.S. Government having a maturity of at least one year and less than three years.

Performance (%)

	3 Mo	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Portfolio Inception	StdDev 10 Yr
Portfolio	0.94	0.79	2.11	3.31	2.45	3.45	4.43	4.56
Benchmark	1.53	1.79	3.23	3.89	3.16	3.64	4.69	3.55

Best/Worst Returns (%)

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Best Month	4.2	2.5
Worst Month	-5.0	-3.0
Best Quarter	7.1	5.8
Worst Quarter	-4.5	-3.7

Standardized Performance Data (%)

Ticker	Net Expense Ratio*(%)	Gross Expense Ratio(%)	3 Mo	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Inception Date	Since Inception	
DFA One-Year Fixed-Income I	DFIHX	0.17	0.17	0.50	1.09	1.13	0.91	0.69	1.08	7/25/1983	4.55
DFA Five-Year Global Fixed-Income I	DFGBX	0.27	0.27	0.25	0.43	0.29	1.19	1.68	3.04	11/6/1990	5.12
DFA US Core Equity 1 I	DFEOX	0.19	0.19	6.54	9.70	17.27	16.89	12.89	12.13	9/15/2005	9.25
DFA US Large Cap Value I	DFLVX	0.27	0.37	5.71	3.60	11.34	15.50	11.82	11.29	2/19/1993	10.38
DFA US Small Cap I	DFSTX	0.37	0.37	3.25	8.80	12.93	15.47	10.80	12.40	3/19/1992	10.83
DFA International Value I	DFIVX	0.43	0.63	1.29	-3.35	1.90	10.76	4.08	4.82	2/15/1994	6.41
DFA International Small Company I	DFISX	0.53	0.53	-1.15	-3.45	1.00	11.89	7.10	8.87	9/30/1996	7.26
DFA Emerging Markets Value I	DFEVX	0.57	0.67	2.20	-5.13	2.37	14.61	3.58	5.40	4/1/1998	10.11
DFA Real Estate Securities I	DFREX	0.18	0.19	1.18	2.27	4.38	7.88	9.44	7.66	1/5/1993	9.87

\* Based on operating expenses as reported in the Prospectus  
 The Advisor has contractually agreed to waive certain fees, including management fees, and in certain instances, assume certain expenses of the Portfolios.  
 The Fee Waiver and/or Expense Assumption Agreement for the Portfolios will remain in effect through February 28, 2016, and may not be terminated by the Advisor prior to that date.

Performance information

Growth of a Dollar: Hypothetical value of \$1 invested on model inception date and kept invested through the most recent report date. Assumes reinvestment of income and no transaction costs or taxes. Investors cannot invest directly in an index. Indexes are unmanaged and reflect reinvested dividends and/or distributions, but do not reflect sales charges, commissions, expenses or taxes.  
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