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# CMG CORRELATION MATRIX

## **Correlation Matrix**

Time Period: 10/1/2016 to 7/31/2018

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1 CMG Managed HY Bond Program	1.00										
2 CMG Tactical Rotation Strategy	0.45	1.00									
3 CMG Opportunistic All Asset Variable Annuity Strategy	0.40	0.80	1.00								
1 CMG Opportunistic All Asset Strategy	0.35	0.77	0.97	1.00							
CMG Tactical Equity Strategy	0.43	0.82	0.89	0.88	1.00						
CMG Beta Rotation Strategy	0.32	0.54	0.59	0.58	0.47	1.00					
CMG Tactical Fixed Income Strategy	0.62	0.55	0.73	0.75	0.67	0.57	1.00				
S Scotia Partners Dynamic Momentum Program	0.06	0.24	0.49	0.52	0.25	0.20	0.39	1.00			
Morningstar Mod Tgt Risk TR USD	0.49	0.77	0.87	0.85	0.82	0.55	0.74	0.60	1.00		
.0 S&P 500 TR USD	0.34	0.70	0.73	0.70	0.70	0.35	0.53	0.56	0.89	1.00	
11 BBgBarc US Agg Bond TR USD	0.41	0.17	0.24	0.25	0.11	0.43	0.48	0.22	0.23	-0.10	1.00

# Correlation Matrix (Excess Returns vs. S&P 500 TR USD)

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
1 CMG Managed HY Bond Program	1.00										
2 CMG Tactical Rotation Strategy	0.67	1.00									
3 CMG Opportunistic All Asset Variable Annuity Strategy	0.70	0.76	1.00								
1 CMG Opportunistic All Asset Strategy	0.71	0.74	0.97	1.00							
CMG Tactical Equity Strategy	0.64	0.77	0.87	0.86	1.00						
CMG Tactical Fixed Income Strategy	0.90	0.65	0.81	0.84	0.72	1.00					
CMG Beta Rotation Strategy	0.53	0.61	0.67	0.66	0.53	0.64	1.00				
S Scotia Partners Dynamic Momentum Program	0.21	-0.02	0.29	0.34	-0.02	0.31	0.14	1.00			
Morningstar Mod Tgt Risk TR USD	0.91	0.71	0.84	0.85	0.75	0.93	0.67	0.36	1.00		
.0 S&P 500 TR USD										1.00	
.1 BBgBarc US Agg Bond TR USD	0.94	0.67	0.76	0.78	0.64	0.91	0.61	0.37	0.95		1.00

Source: Morningstar Direct

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Net performance composite results are presented in US dollars, reflect the deduction of investment advisory fees, transaction costs, custodial fees, administrative fees and reflect the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. The investment management fee schedule for the composite is 2.25%, the highest fee paid by a client. Actual fees may vary based on, among other factors, account size and custodial relationship. Individual returns may vary substantially from those presented due to differences in the timing of contributions and withdrawals, account start dates and actual fees paid.

### CMG Opportunistic All Asset Strategy

The CMG Opportunistic All Asset Strategy is a rules based, tactical investment strategy that analyzes a global universe of investment options to determine an optimal portfolio allocation. The portfolio construction process utilizes a proprietary relative strength ranking system to capitalize on opportunities across US equity, International Equity, Fixed Income and Commodity markets. The strategy seeks to position in up to 11 exchange traded funds (ETFs) or mutual funds exhibiting the strongest relative strength leadership. The investment objective is moderate growth with downside protection.

### **CMG Tactical Rotation Strategy**

The CMG Tactical Rotation Strategy seeks to generate returns in all market conditions based on the concept that various asset classes and sectors experience bull and bear markets at different times. The strategy utilizes a proprietary tactical investment model that analyzes various technical indicators to determine which asset classes are in a bullish environment and likely to achieve a positive return. The strategy employs an equally weighted strategic rotation process which allocates the portfolio to the top two asset classes from a universe of six: Domestic Equities, International Equities, Bonds, Commodities, REITs, and Cash. The investment objective is moderate growth with downside protection.

### CMG Managed High Yield Bond Program

The CMG Managed High Yield Bond Program trades high yield mutual funds and/or ETFs using a proprietary quantitative buy/sell/hold investment process. The model identifies opportunities where the short-term and intermediate-term direction of the U.S. high yield market can be predicted with high probability. The strategy looks at daily data such as price, volume, yield spreads and default rates to identify trends. This composite only contains data derived from separately managed accounts. The investment objective is growth and income with downside protection.

### Scotia Partners Dynamic Momentum Program

The Scotia Partners Dynamic Momentum Program is a long-only, momentum based strategy that utilizes the Rydex-SGI sector funds. The strategy analyzes momentum and volatility to determine which sectors present the best investment opportunities. Scotia Dynamic allocates capital to the funds demonstrating positive price momentum and overweight's to funds that exhibit both strong momentum and low volatility. The investment objective is aggressive growth with downside protection.

### **CMG Tactical Equity Strategy**

The CMG Tactical Equity Strategy promotes exposure to global equities in investment portfolios by employing a dynamic approach to investing. The strategy seeks to achieve relative outperformance of the MSCI All Country World Index (ACWI) by investing in certain exchange-traded funds (ETFs) while simultaneously employing a risk management approach within the process. The strategy utilizes a rule-based, algorithmic investment process that evaluates a global universe of equity investment options

### **CMG Tactical Fixed Income Strategy**

The CMG Tactical Fixed Income Strategy enhances the foundational role of bonds in investment portfolios by employing a disciplined trend following investment approach to fixed income investing. The strategy follows a rules-based investment process that evaluates a universe of nine fixed income investment options. The following fixed income categories are considered: U.S. Treasury Bills, Investment Grade Corporate bonds, U.S. Treasury bonds, Convertible bonds, High Yield bonds, Emerging Market bonds, International Sovereign bonds, Municipal Bonds and U.S. Treasury Inflation Protected Securities. The process compares daily prices of each constituent and selects the top two fixed income ETFs demonstrating the strongest price trends. The process is a flexible approach to fixed income investing that seeks to maximize income and minimize the risk of loss. The unconstrained process attempts to capitalize on a wider opportunity set than traditional buy-and-hold core fixed income investment approaches and has the ability to position defensively in short-term Treasury Bills.

### CMG Beta Rotation Strategy

The CMG Beta Rotation Strategy seeks to enhance the role of equities in a client portfolio by employing a disciplined process to measure market price trends. The investment objective is to outperform broad equity markets while simultaneously reducing risk. The process invests in the U.S. equity market when the market is demonstrating strong price trend. Otherwise the process invests in the utility sector when utility stocks are demonstrating strong price trend. The Utilities sector is defensive and has exhibited low correlation to broad equity markets. During rare periods of broad based negative price trends, the process may invest 100% in cash.

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