

About Astoria Portfolio Advisors

Astoria is an investment management firm that specializes in research driven, cross asset, ETF, and thematic equity portfolio construction. Our core services include investment management, research, and sub-advisory services. Our investment management process is a constant feedback loop between research, portfolio construction, and risk management. Investment decisions are made using strong economic and quantitative rationale backed by data. Astoria employs ongoing research assessment of these models to manage its investment processes and outcomes.

Astoria's founder and CIO, John Davi, has 20 years of experience spanning across Macro ETF Strategy, Quantitative Research and Portfolio Construction. John was Head of Morgan Stanley's Institutional ETF Content where he produced hundreds of reports over an 8-year period. While working for Morgan Stanley, John advised many of the world's largest Hedge Funds, Asset Managers and Pension/Endowments. John's ETF content was top ranked twice by Institutional Investor magazine under the Sales and Trading category and once by ETF.com. John began his career in 2000 doing research on ETFs in Merrill Lynch's Global Equity Derivatives Research group. During his tenure in research, John produced several hundred reports on ETFs, Futures, Options, & Indices. John was part of a team that was ranked top 3 by Institutional Investor magazine in 6 of his 8 years. John structured ETF portfolio solutions as early as 2002 for Merrill Lynch's client base where several billion in assets were raised and executed.

Investment Objective & Strategy

Astoria's High Quality Stock Portfolio uses a quantitative and systematic approach.

- Target 40 stocks with high quality characteristics.
- The stocks are equally weighted and rebalanced annually.
- Our benchmark is 100% MSCI USA Quality Index and is rebalanced monthly.

Trailing Net Returns¹

	Model	Benchmark	Difference
<u>1-Month</u>	1.94%	3.84%	-1.90%
<u>YTD</u>	-9.53%	-8.84%	-0.69%
<u>1-Year</u>	8.39%	12.02%	-3.63%
<u>Since Inception</u>	32.48%	29.72%	2.76%

Strategy Inception: April 1, 2020

Number of US Stocks: 40

Equity Sectors²

	Model	Benchmark
Basic Materials	2.5%	2.1%
Communication Services	10.0%	7.7%
Consumer Cyclical	10.0%	9.4%
Consumer Defensive	7.5%	11.2%
Energy	5.0%	2.9%
Financial Services	17.5%	13.3%
Healthcare	12.5%	14.0%
Industrials	10.0%	11.3%
Real Estate	2.5%	2.4%
Technology	20.0%	23.2%
Utilities	2.5%	2.2%
Other	-	0.2%

Portfolio Statistics³

	Model	Benchmark
Standard Deviation	17.4%	17.4%
Dividend Yield	2.21%	1.18%
Beta	0.93	1.02
P/E Ratio	18	22
Net Margin	23%	24%
ROE	57%	42%
ROA	13%	16%

Top 5 Holdings and Underlying Data Sorted by Market Cap⁴

Overview											
Ticker	Name	Weight	Market Cap (\$MM)	Sector	Industry	Yield					
AAPL	Apple Inc.	2.50%	\$ 2,697,440	Information Technology	Technology Hardware Storage & Peripherals	0.52%					
MSFT	Microsoft Corporation	2.50%	\$ 2,097,848	Information Technology	Software	0.84%					
FB	Meta Platforms Inc. Class A	2.50%	\$ 483,866	Communication Services	Interactive Media & Services	0.00%					
V	Visa Inc. Class A	2.50%	\$ 352,896	Information Technology	IT Services	0.63%					
PG	Procter & Gamble Company	2.50%	\$ 380,103	Consumer Staples	Household Products	2.14%					

Key Ratios												
Ticker	Name	Gross Margin	Net Margin	ROE	ROA	P/E	P/S	P/CF	P/BK	Interest Coverage	D/E	Payout Ratio
AAPL	Apple Inc.	43%	27%	146%	27%	27	7	24	38	44	171%	14%
MSFT	Microsoft Corporation	69%	38%	49%	22%	30	11	25	13	35	50%	25%
FB	Meta Platforms Inc. Class A	81%	33%	31%	24%	15	5	10	5	–	12%	0%
V	Visa Inc. Class A	77%	50%	35%	16%	36	18	29	13	33	58%	23%
PG	Procter & Gamble Company	49%	19%	31%	12%	28	5	22	9	42	80%	60%

1. Data Source: Astoria Portfolio Advisors and Orion. Data as of March 31, 2022. The performance is based on the composite performance for all accounts invested in the High Quality Portfolio. Please see the disclaimers below for more details regarding performance calculations. 1-Month and YTD numbers are not annualized. All other numbers are annualized. Net Returns incorporate 50bps annualized management fee. The benchmark for the High Quality Portfolio is 100% MSCI USA Quality Index and is rebalanced monthly. Since inception refers to April 2020.

2-3. Equity Sectors are calculated by BlackRock.com using data as of February 28, 2022. All Portfolio Statistics aside from Standard Deviation are calculated by Vanguard.com using data as of March 31, 2022. The S&P 500 is used as a reference data set for the calculation of Beta. The Standard Deviation is calculated by Astoria Portfolio Advisors and is based on data going back to April 2020.

4. Data Source: Fact Set. Data accessed on April 18, 2022.

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Benchmark: The High Quality Portfolio performance results shown are compared to the performance of 100% MSCI USA Quality Index. The index results do not reflect fees and expenses and you typically cannot invest in an index. Prior to July 2021, the benchmark was 100% SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust (SPY). Return Comparison: The MSCI USA Quality Index was chosen as it is generally well recognized as an indicator or representation of the US stocks with quality characteristics.