

## The Spectrum Advisors Preferred Fund Update

### Fund Commentary

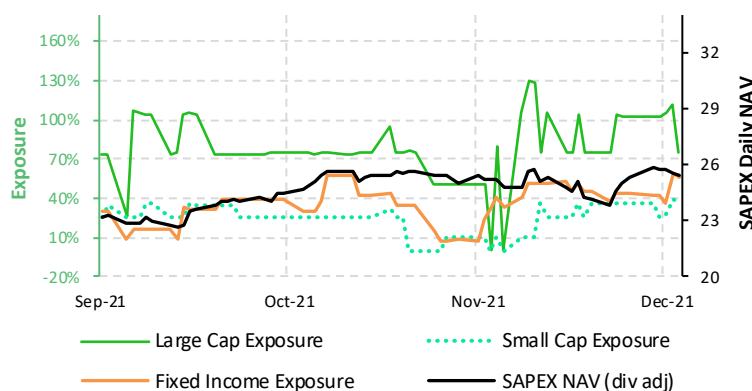
Major equity indexes generally took similar directional paths in December but with differing intensities. Value and defensive oriented stocks were stronger during the first several weeks but then were more subdued versus the aggressive rebound late in the month by growth stocks. This theme is somewhat hidden by the 1-month returns in the major indexes. Equity exposure within the Spectrum Advisors Preferred Fund (SAPEX) varies but maintained a bullish stance through most of the month. Growth, and in particular, technology holdings within the Fund resulted in weakness intra-month but proved well positioned for the sharp rebound late in December.

### Portfolio Allocation

	11/30/2021	12/31/2021
Large Cap Equity	51.12%	75.01%
Mid Cap Equity	0.00%	0.00%
Small Cap Equity	9.42%	35.71%
International Equity	0.00%	0.00%
Fixed Income	24.02%	55.31%

Can contain derivatives and/or short positions **84.56%** **166.03%**

### Exposure Allocation (9/30/2021 - 12/31/2021)



### SAPEX (Alternative Equity) vs. Sector Indices



The chart above shows how the Fund performed against related sector indices for the past 12 months. The Fund implements various trading models depending on the equity market environment. The equity exposure is split into two pieces: tactical equity exposure and core holding equity exposure which is labeled 'Preferred Advisors' to uphold Spectrum's core philosophy of achieving competitive returns without sacrificing the goal of risk management. The Fund may also add on alternative fixed income exposure. Depending on the current market environment this fixed income exposure can either be used to level out equity volatility or contribute to current equity returns.

## Annualized total return performance

As of 12/31/2021	SAPEX	S&P 500 TR Index	60/40 NYSE & Bloomberg US AGG
MTD	0.81%	4.48%	3.12%
YTD	17.23%	28.71%	11.79%
As of 12/31/2021			
Qtr	9.70%	11.03%	4.09%
1 Year	17.23%	28.71%	11.79%
3 Year	26.07%	26.04%	12.38%
5 Year	17.16%	18.45%	8.54%
Since Inception	12.80%	15.34%	6.97%

Inception Date: 6/01/2015; Expense Ratio 2.35%

## Annual performance at net asset value (all distributions reinvested)

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
SAPEX	8.54%	15.32%	-4.44%	27.65%	34.00%	17.23%
S&P 500 TR Index	11.96%	21.83%	-4.38%	31.49%	18.40%	28.71%
60/40 NYSE & Bloomberg Barclays US AGG	8.22%	12.65%	-5.37%	18.79%	7.20%	11.79%

The performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate, so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted and assumes the reimbursement of any dividend and/or capital gains distributions. To obtain performance data current to most recent month-end, please call toll free 1-888-572-8868.

All performance data are sourced from Bloomberg Finance L.P.

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NYSE Composite Index (NYA): measures the performance of all stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange. It includes more than 1,900 stocks, of which over 1,500 are U.S. companies. Its breadth therefore makes it a much better indicator of market performance than narrow indexes that have far fewer components. The weights of the index constituents are calculated on the basis of their free-float market capitalization. The index itself is calculated on the basis of price return and total return, which includes dividends.

Bloomberg Barclays U.S. AGG: Bond TR Index: measures performance of the total U.S. investment grade bond market. It is a market value-weighted index that tracks the daily price, coupon, pay-downs, and total return performance of fixed-rate, publicly placed, dollar-denominated, and non-convertible investment grade debt issues with at least \$250 million par amount outstanding and with at least one year to final maturity.

S&P TR 500 Index is a capitalization weighted index of 500 stocks representing all major domestic industry groups. The S&P 500 TR assumes the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. It is not possible to directly invest in any index.

60/40 NYSE Composite/Bloomberg Barclays U.S. AGG. Bond Index: This benchmark gives 60% weight to the NYSE Composite Index and 40% weight to the Barclays U.S. Agg. Bond Index. The NYSE Composite Index (NYA) measures the performance of all stocks listed on the New York Stock Exchange. It includes more than 1,900 stocks, of which over 1,500 are U.S. companies. Its breadth therefore makes it a much better indicator of market performance than narrow indexes that have far fewer components. The weights of the index constituents are calculated on the basis of their free-float market capitalization. The index itself is calculated on the basis of price return and total return, which includes dividends. The Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index measures the underlying index and performance of the total U.S. investment grade bond market. It is a market value-weighted index that tracks the daily price, coupon, pay-downs, and total return performance of fixed-rate, publicly placed, dollar denominated, and non-convertible investment grade debt issues with at least \$250 million per amount outstanding and with at least one year to final maturity.

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