



# iSectors® Post-MPT Growth Allocation

## Portfolio Description

The objective of the iSectors® Post-MPT Growth Allocation is to achieve investment returns that outperform the S&P500 stock market index with lower downside risk over a complete market cycle. The portfolio manager objectively allocates and rebalances the portfolio among up to 9 specific, low-correlated asset classes. The mathematical process is guided by a series of economic and capital market factors. Portfolios may be invested up to 30% at any one time into any single asset class, with the exception of government bonds, to which the model may allocate up to 50%. The iSectors Post-MPT Growth Allocation may utilize leveraged ETFs up to a maximum of 33%. However, because iSectors does not use borrowed money in its strategy, the service is available for retirement and non-profit accounts.

Post MPT Growth Allocation Quick Facts	
as of 12/31/2011	
Risk Rating <sup>1</sup>	Growth
Risk Score <sup>1</sup>	72 (out of 100)
Portfolio Type	Dynamic
Account Minimum	\$50,000
Portfolio Inception	2005
Portfolio Yield <sup>2</sup>	3.03%
Leverage	up to 33%

## Diversification & Correlation: iSectors vs. Traditional Method

iSectors Asset Class Correlation Matrix (12/31/2007 - 12/31/2010)									
	Gold	Bonds	Utilities	Tech	Real Est.	Energy	Health	Finance	Materials
Gold	1								
Bonds	0.27	1							
Utilities	-0.02	-0.09	1						
Tech	-0.16	-0.33	0.73	1					
Real Est.	0.00	-0.07	0.52	0.74	1				
Energy	0.15	-0.23	0.77	0.71	0.51	1			
Health	0.09	-0.10	0.66	0.76	0.66	0.55	1		
Finance	-0.08	-0.09	0.50	0.74	0.88	0.50	-0.08	1	
Materials	0.74	-0.23	0.74	0.87	0.76	0.83	0.72	0.74	1

Asset Classes represented by: Gold: London Gold PM Fixing, Bonds: Barclays Capital 20+ Yr. Treasury Bond, Dow Jones US Sector indexes, respectively.

Traditional Asset Class Correlation (12/31/2007 - 12/31/2010)						
	Midsize Growth Stocks	Midsize Value Stocks	Small Value Stocks	Small Growth Stocks	Large Value Stocks	Large Growth Stocks
Midsize Growth Stocks	1					
Midsize Value Stocks	0.96	1				
Small Value Stocks	0.89	0.97	1			
Small Growth Stocks	0.97	0.96	0.95	1		
Large Value Stocks	0.92	0.97	0.95	0.92	1	
Large Growth Stocks	0.98	0.95	0.89	0.96	0.94	1

Asset classes represented = Morningstar Indexes.

Correlation Legend	
<span style="background-color: #f08080; border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 10px; height: 10px;"></span>	Negative Correlation
<span style="background-color: #fff; border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 10px; height: 10px;"></span>	Little or No Correlation
<span style="background-color: #ffff00; border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 10px; height: 10px;"></span>	Moderate Correlation
<span style="background-color: #90ee90; border: 1px solid black; display: inline-block; width: 10px; height: 10px;"></span>	High Correlation

Asset-Class Selection	
Basic Materials	up to 30%
Bonds	up to 50%
Energy	up to 30%
Financials	up to 30%
Gold	up to 30%
Healthcare	up to 30%
Real Estate	up to 30%
Technology	up to 30%
Utilities	up to 30%

*iSectors re-optimizes and reallocates the portfolio among up to nine different asset classes (as listed above) on a monthly basis, according to our proprietary asset-allocation algorithm, which uses updated capital market and economic data in the calculations.*

*iSectors allocates among asset classes that are less correlated to each other when diversifying the Post-MPT Growth Portfolio (see table, upper left) when compared to the traditional Morningstar Capitalization-Style box asset classes, which have become very closely correlated (see table, lower left).*

<sup>1</sup>Risk ratings and risk points are determined based upon overall asset allocation and are ranked based upon a 100 point scale which is divided into 7 risk point sections: Capital Preservation (1-14), Conservative (15-29), Cons. Growth (30-43), Moderate (44-57), Mod. Growth (58-71), Growth (72-86), and Aggressive (87-100). <sup>2</sup>The sample target allocation/holdings information is as of 12/31/2011 and should not be considered a recommendation to buy or sell a particular security. There is no assurance that any specific securities listed will remain a part of the model. <sup>3</sup>An indication of the expected dividends and interest based on the holdings and market value of the portfolio as of 12/31/2011. An investment in any iSectors® allocation model is not guaranteed and, at any given time, may be worth more or less than the amount invested.

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Allocation models are categorized by risk and return characteristics and organized into five unique series of asset allocation approaches: Domestic, Institutional, Endowment, Post-MPT and Tactical Series. Also offered are Capital Preservation, Inflation Protection, Liquid Alternatives, and Precious Metals allocation models.

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## Index Definitions:

Morningstar Style Indexes track the U.S. market by capitalization and investment style using a comprehensive, rules-based, 10-factor methodology.

London PM Gold Fixing is the procedure by which the price of gold is determined each business afternoon on the London market by the five members of The London Gold Market Fixing Ltd.

Barclays Capital 20+ Year Treasury Index includes all publicly issued, U.S. Treasury securities that have a remaining maturity greater than 20 years, are non-convertible, are denominated in U.S. dollars, are rated investment grade, are fixed rate, and have more than \$250 million par outstanding. The Index is weighted by the relative market value of all securities meeting the Index criteria.

Dow Jones U.S. Industry Indexes are widely adopted measures of U.S. stocks that are classified into ICB Industries. Each index is capitalization-weighted and is designed to measure its respective sector of the U.S. equity market.

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