# Adhesion Investable Index Series US All Cap Core

Benchmark: Russell 3000

#### **The Portfolio**

Adhesion's Investable Index Series was designed to provide advisors with a portfolio that behaves in a manner similar to the all cap oriented Russell 3000 index. At the same time, the portfolio allows for customization and active overlay management techniques through individual security ownership.

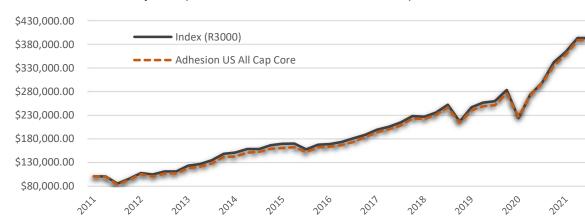
#### **The Approach**

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demonstrating index-like tracking characteristics.

The Purpose

# **Growth of \$100,000** (Gross of Fees. As of 12/31/2021)<sup>1</sup>



# About the Index<sup>2</sup>

**Russell 3000.** The marketcapitalization weighted index measures the performance of 3000 of the largest US traded stocks in US equity market based on total market capitalization. Maintained by FTSE Russell, and launched in 1984, the Russell 3000 is designed to be a 'total market' index that is a super-set of the Russell 1000 and Russell 2000.

	QTD	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	10-Year
Adhesion US All Cap Core (Gross)	9.63%	27.71%	27.71%	26.07%	18.45%	16.49%
Adhesion US All Cap Core (Net)	9.56%	27.34%	27.34%	25.70%	18.10%	16.15%

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25.79%

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16.31%

0.19%

Rolling Composite Returns (as of 12/31/2021)<sup>1</sup>

9.28%

0.35%

# **Tracking Error**

Period	Result
Jan 2018	1.76
Jan 2019	1.76
Jan 2020	1.42
Jan 2021	1.72
Jan2022	1.77

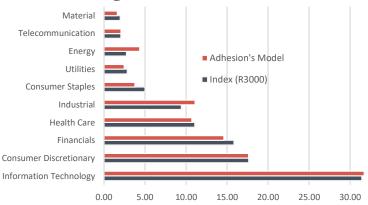
# Calendar Year Returns<sup>1</sup>

Index (R3000, TR)

Return Variance (vs Gross)

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Adhesion US All Cap Core (Gross)	27.71%	21.39%	29.25%	-4.12%	21.39%
Adhesion US All Cap Core (Net)	27.34%	21.03%	28.87%	-4.42%	21.03%
Index (R3000, TR)	25.67%	20.89%	31.02%	-5.24%	21.13%
Return Variance (vs Gross)	2.04%	0.50%	-1.77%	1.12%	0.26%

#### Sector Weight vs Benchmark (as of 12/31/2021)





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construction objectives inside of client portfolios. Advisors may wish to use it as

a core module inside of a larger core/satellite portfolio. It may also be suitable

as a starting point to express a client's lifestyle- or religious- specific preferences that could otherwise not be expressed through a pooled vehicle such as an ETF

or Mutual Fund. And finally, it may be utilized as tax-aware module within a

portfolio where a client's tax lots may be loss-harvested while at the same time

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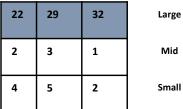
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# Morningstar Style box - Adhesion Investable Index - Russell 3000





# Portfolio Statistics (as of 12/31/2021)

	Model (Adhesion US All Cap Core)	Index (Russell 3000)			
Beta	1.06	1.04			
Price/Earnings*	20.67	21.18			
Price/Book*	3.71	3.79			
Price/Sales*	2.50	2.58			
Dividend Yield*	1.38	1.33			
Historical Earning %	6.16	5.55			
Avg Market Cap (M)	195,765	134,017			
Number of Holdings	100	3000			
*Forward-looking based on historical data					

# About Adhesion

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Market Cap	%
Market Cap Giant	55.45
Market Cap Large	27.78
Market Cap Mid	6.30
Market Cap Small	5.03
Market Cap Micro	5.45

# **Top 10 Holdings** (as of 12/31/2021)<sup>3</sup>

Security	%
Apple Inc Com	7.496
Microsoft Corp	6.195
Amazon Com Inc	3.700
Nvidia Corp	2.486
UnitedHealth Group	2.381
Adobe Systems	2.286
Tesla	2.136
MasterCard	2.118
Meta Platforms Cl A	1.889
Alphabet Inc Cl A	1.772

# **Portfolio Mandate**

Target Tracking Error:	2.00%
Target Holdings:	100
Rebalancing:	2x a Year

# **Performance Verification**

Provider:	The	Spaulding
Group		
Last Verification: Januar	ry 2018	
Verified Through:	09/30	)/2018

# Adhesion Investable Index Series US Large Cap Core

Benchmark: S&P 500

#### **The Portfolio**

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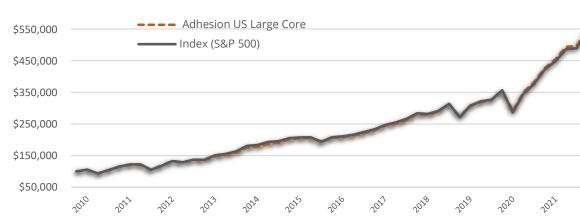
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# About the Index<sup>2</sup>

S&P 500 The index measures the performance of 500 widely held stocks in US equity market. Standard and Poor's chooses member companies for the index based on market size, liquidity industry and group representation. Included are the stocks of industrial, financial, and utility, transportation companies. Since mid 1989, this composition has been more flexible and the number of issues in each sector has varied. It is market capitalization-weighted.

Rolling	Compo	osite	Returns	(as	of 1	2/31	/202′	<b>1)</b> 1
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	QTD	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	10-Year
Adhesion US Large Core (Gross)	10.85%	28.97%	28.97%	26.18%	19.06%	16.59%
Adhesion US Large Core (Net)	10.77%	28.59%	28.59%	25.81%	18.70%	16.24%
Index (S&P 500, TR)	11.03%	28.70%	28.70%	26.07%	18.47%	16.55%
Return Variance (vs Gross)	-0.18%	0.27%	0.27%	0.11%	0.59%	0.04%

#### **Calendar Year Returns**<sup>1</sup>

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Adhesion US Large Core (Gross)	28.97%	20.24%	29.54%	-2.40%	22.00%	11.44%
Adhesion US Large Core (Net)	28.59%	19.88%	29.17%	-2.71%	21.64%	11.10%
Index (S&P 500, TR)	28.70%	18.40%	31.49%	-4.39%	21.83%	11.96%
Return Variance (vs Gross)	0.27%	1.85%	-1.94%	1.99%	0.17%	-0.52%

# **Tracking Error**

Period	Result
Jan 2018	1.42
Jan 2019	1.36
Jan 2020	1.12
Jan 2021	1.16
Jan 2022	1.26

#### Sector Weight vs Benchmark (as of 12/31/2021)





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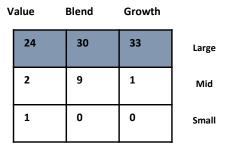
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# Morningstar Style box - Adhesion Investable Index -SP500



# Portfolio Statistics (as of 12/31/2021)

	Model (Adhesion US Large Core)	Index (S&P 500)	
Beta	1.03	1.03	
Price/Earnings*	21.50	21.81	
Price/Book*	4.38	4.17	
Price/Sales*	2.98	2.87	
Dividend Yield*	1.39	1.40	
Historical Earnings %	4.22	2.83	
Avg Market Cap (M)	291,267	230,654	
Number of Holdings	100	500	
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Alexandria Real Estate	1.931
JPMorgan Chase	1.885

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Target Tracking Error:	2.55%
Target Holdings:	75-100
Rebalancing:	2x a Year

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