

What are the Natixis Risk-Efficient Portfolios?

As the past few years have shown, investment markets can vary dramatically from one year to the next. That's why Natixis Investment Managers Solutions created the Risk-Efficient Portfolios. These all-weather portfolios are specifically designed to make it easier to remain invested across a range of market conditions – by participating in up markets and actively managing risk in down markets.

How the Portfolios are managed

- Each portfolio has three sleeves that combine strategic, tactical, and alternatives allocations.
- The **Strategic Core** seeks to provide diversified, long-term exposure to traditional assets through active portfolio management.
- The **Tactical Sleeve** uses passive ETFs to gain exposure to shorter-term market opportunities. Tactical views are based on a three-to-six-month outlook driven by the Natixis Investment Managers Solutions Investment Committee.
- The **Alternatives Sleeve** aims to shift exposures among alternative investment styles to minimize volatility and deliver better outcomes in volatile markets.
- The portfolios seek to generate competitive returns through each step of the investment process: establishing the strategic core, implementing the tactical asset class tilts, creating the alternatives sleeve, and selecting the managers.
- This process gives the portfolios the potential to outperform over full market cycles.

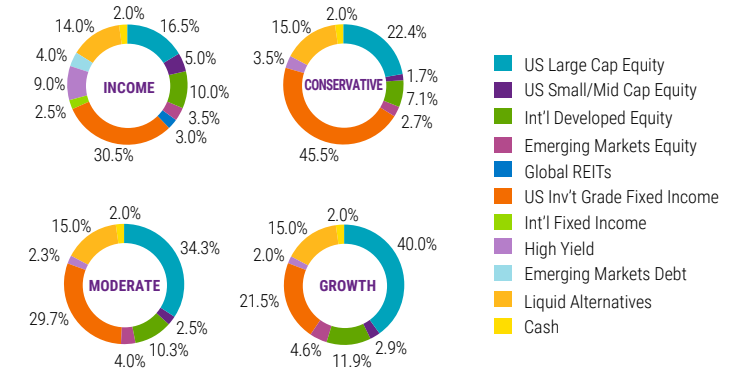
Work with your investment advisor to create a risk-efficient investment strategy that is aligned with your vision of the future and your feelings about risk, savings, and wealth.

1 Four Risk-Efficient Portfolios

There's a Natixis Risk-Efficient Portfolio to align with each investor's risk tolerance and investment objectives – from income to long-term growth.

Each of the portfolios seeks to participate in up markets and protect in downturns, in an effort to outperform its benchmark over time.

Suite of four Portfolios

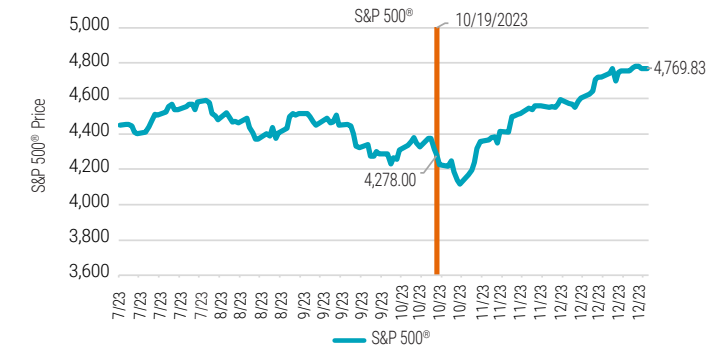


Source: Natixis Investment Managers Solutions. As of 12/31/2023.

2 Allocations change in response to market conditions

The portfolios use a tactical overlay to adjust exposures in response to market conditions and take advantage of short-term market opportunities. The chart shows a tactical trade made in October 2023, decreasing fixed income exposure and adding equity exposure. The S&P 500® had declined since August and the management team believed it had reached its low point. They added exposure to an S&P 500 High Beta ETF, chosen for its tendency to bounce sharply after market corrections.

S&P 500® bounced back in fourth quarter (7/01/23–12/31/23)



Source: Natixis Investment Managers Solutions and FactSet.

3 Choose the portfolio that aligns with your goals

Maintaining exposure to the capital markets is generally the most effective way for individuals to pursue their long-term goals. When a portfolio is actively managed to reduce risk, it can allow investors to participate in the markets, but still provide potential protection on the downside – making it easier to stay invested.

Suite of four portfolios

- **Natixis Risk-Efficient Income Portfolio**
- **Natixis Risk-Efficient Conservative Portfolio**
- **Natixis Risk-Efficient Moderate Portfolio**
- **Natixis Risk-Efficient Growth Portfolio**

➤ For more information, please contact your investment professional.

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