Sentinel Balanced Fund

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Fund Profile

as of 3/31/2014

Building and sustaining wealth since 1938.

A focused blend of two core asset classes

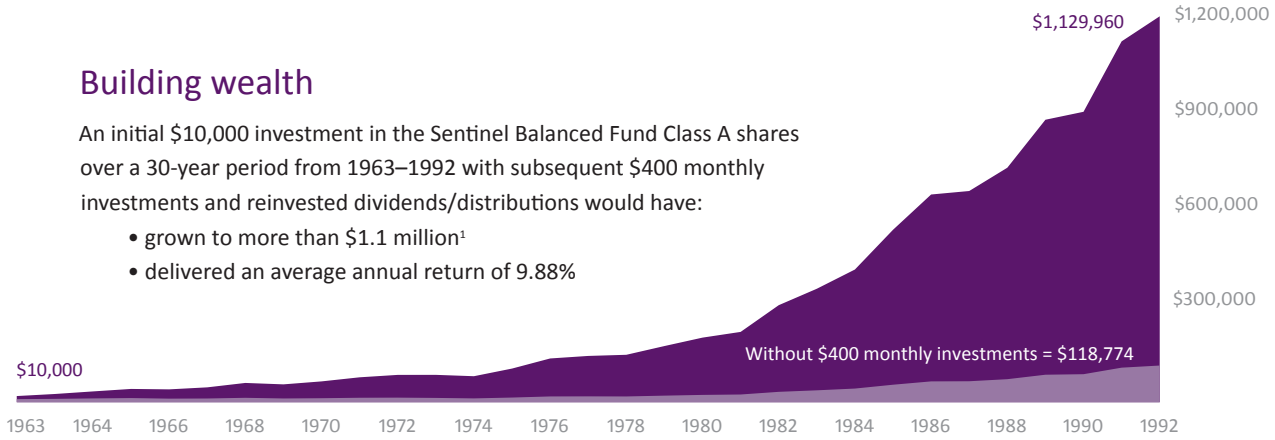
The Fund's "all weather" approach to investing blends the appreciation potential of large-cap core equity holdings with the income and stability from US Treasuries, agency MBS and corporate bonds.

A management team with specialized investment disciplines

Dan Manion brings over 25 years of equity investment experience, focusing on rigorous fundamental research to identify value and growth potential. Jason Doiron, head of investments, oversees tactical fixed income sector allocations and duration management with input from the broader fixed income team.

A shared vision focused on quality and attention to downside risk

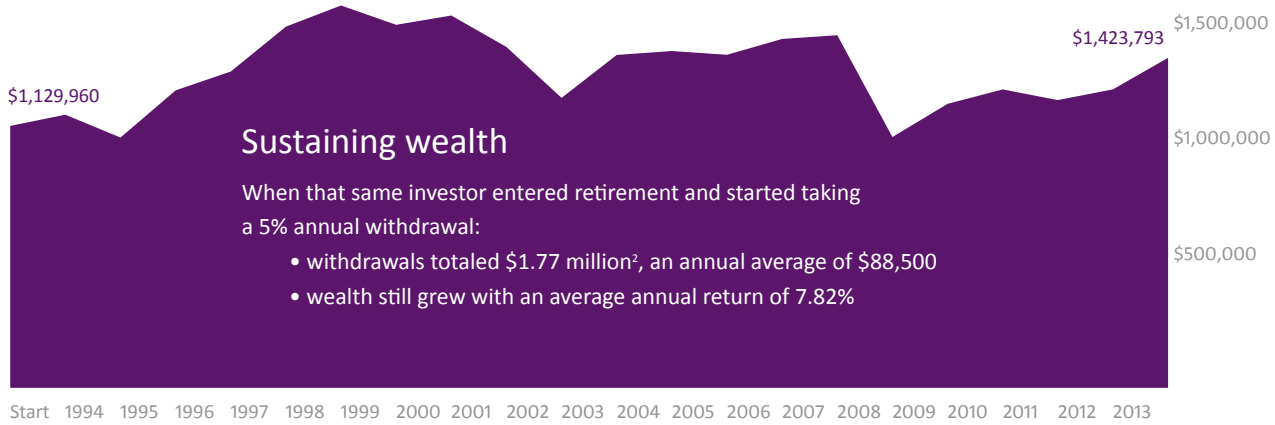
Together, the managers actively manage the portfolio, seeking the optimal mix of stocks and bonds to balance the market's opportunities with the risks. Although each brings specialized expertise to the investment process, the managers have a shared vision on the importance of quality and risk management.



Building wealth

An initial $10,000 investment in the Sentinel Balanced Fund Class A shares over a 30-year period from 1963–1992 with subsequent $400 monthly investments and reinvested dividends/distributions would have:

- grown to more than $1.1 million[1]
- delivered an average annual return of 9.88%



Sustaining wealth

When that same investor entered retirement and started taking a 5% annual withdrawal:

- withdrawals totaled $1.77 million[2], an annual average of $88,500
- wealth still grew with an average annual return of 7.82%

After 20 years, the investor has been able to put his savings to work and grow to 114% of the initial value.

Data shown is historical performance for Class A shares and reflects reinvested distributions. Investment return and principal value will vary so that you may have a gain or loss when you sell shares. ***Past performance does not guarantee future results****; current performance may be higher or lower than data quoted. For performance current to the most recent month-end, visit www.sentinelinvestments.com.*

While the Fund's investments may limit downside risk over time, the Fund may produce more modest gains than riskier stock funds as a trade-off for this potentially lower risk.

1. Data includes a 2% increase in savings each year during the period. For illustrative purposes only.
2. Data includes monthly withdrawals totaling 5% for the first year and increasing 2% for each additional year thereafter. The ending amount takes into account all withdrawals and reinvestments. For illustrative purposes only.

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The Sentinel Balanced Fund has never had a five or ten-calendar year period with negative returns.

For investors facing retirement challenges or struggling to embrace equities in the wake of the financial crisis, this type of consistent track record can be immensely appealing.

	One-Year Periods		Three-Year Periods		Five-Year Periods		Ten-Year Periods	
Positive Returns	77%		92%		100%		100%	
Negative Returns	23%		8%		0%		0%	
	Return	Ended	Return*	Ended	Return*	Ended	Return*	Ended
Best	37.56%	12/31/1943	28.86%	12/31/1945	21.81%	12/31/1986	16.09%	12/31/1991
Worst	-23.90%	12/31/2008	-5.47%	12/31/1941	0.83%	12/31/2008	1.99%	12/31/2008
Median	9.62%	12/31/1949	9.17%	12/31/1961	8.66%	12/31/1968	8.06%	12/31/1954

Data shown is for Class A shares without sales charge for calendar year periods. * Average annual

The Sentinel Balanced Fund has generated competitive returns when the equity markets are up, while offering reduced volatility and downside risk management as compared with pure equity funds.

Building wealth. Sustaining wealth. These are the goals of today's investors. These are the goals of the Sentinel Balanced Fund. Learn more: 800-282-FUND or www.sentinelinvestments.com.

All class-specific data is for Class A shares as of March 31, 2014 unless otherwise noted. The composition of the Fund's holdings is subject to change.

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Sentinel Balanced Fund Performance (as of 3/31/2014)		Cumulative Return YTD (%)	Average Annual Total Returns (%) 1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
Class A[1] SEBLX	Without Sales Charge	0.97	12.12	9.89	15.02	6.99	8.67
	With 5% Sales Charge	-4.09	6.51	8.03	13.85	6.44	8.59
S&P 500 Index		*1.81*	*21.86*	*14.66*	*21.16*	*7.42*	—
Barclays US Agg. Bond Index		*1.84*	*-0.10*	*3.75*	*4.80*	*4.46*	—

Fund inception date is 11/15/1938. Total annual operating expense ratio A: 1.06%*

International securities are subject to political influences, currency fluctuations and economic cycles that may be unrelated to those affecting the domestic financial markets and may experience wider price fluctuations than US domestic securities. Fixed income securities are subject to credit and interest rate risks. Bond values will generally decrease when interest rates rise and will generally increase when interest rates fall. Bonds with lower credit ratings are more speculative and likely to default than higher quality bonds and tend to fluctuate more widely in value. Mortgage-backed securities (MBS) are subject to prepayment risk. These risks may result in greater share price volatility. Convertible securities are subject to the risks associated with both fixed income securities and common stocks. Small and mid-sized company stocks can be more volatile than large company stocks. Large company stocks as a group could fall out of favor with the market and underperform investments that focus on small and mid-sized company stocks. Fund shares are not insured or guaranteed by the US Government or its agencies.

The Fund may use derivatives, which are financial contracts whose value depends upon or is derived from the value of an underlying asset, reference rate, or index. The Fund may use derivatives as part of a strategy designed to reduce exposure to certain risks, such as risks associated with changes in interest rates, or currency or credit risk ("hedging"). The use of derivatives may reduce the Fund's return and increase the volatility in movements in the Fund's net asset value. For additional information regarding the use of derivatives, please see the Fund's current prospectus.

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David Brownlee was a portfolio manager on the Sentinel Balanced Fund until February 13, 2014 and is responsible, in part, for performance of the Fund through that date. From February 13, 2014 until June 30, 2014, Mr. Brownlee will serve in a consulting role with respect to the Fund and its investment activities.

1. Performance of the Class A shares prior to June 30, 2012 has not been adjusted to reflect the decrease in the maximum 12b-1 fee from 0.30% to 0.25%. If it had, those returns would be higher.

* Expense ratio before custodian credits and reimbursements. Expense ratio data is sourced from the Fund's most recent prospectus.

The Standard & Poor's 500 Index is an unmanaged index of 500 widely held US equity securities chosen for market size, liquidity, and industry group representation.

The Barclays US Aggregate Bond Index is an unmanaged index that measures the US investment grade fixed-rate bond market, with index components for government and corporate securities, mortgage pass-through securities, and asset-backed securities.

An investment cannot be made directly in an index.

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