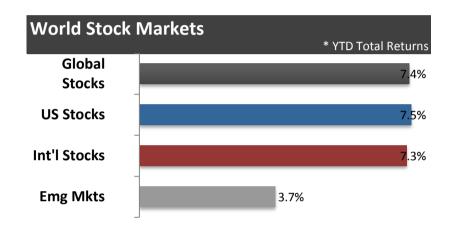
## World Wrap

2-Jan

## Major Asset Classes \* YTD Total Returns US STOCKS: 7% INT'L STOCKS: 7% TREASURIES: 4% REAL ESTATE: 2% COMMODITIES: -2% 10% -5% -10% -15%



16-Jan 23-Jan 30-Jan

Stocks were flat, while	
Commodities and Treasuring	ıs
rallied.	

6-Feb 13-Feb 20-Feb 27-Feb 6-Mar 13-Mar 20-Mar 27-Mar 3-Apr

US Stocks			
	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
NASDAQ Comp	-1.1%	15.8%	-12.2%
S&P 500	-0.1%	7.4%	-7.2%
<b>Dow Transport</b>	-3.3%	4.8%	-2.9%
<b>Dow Industrial</b>	0.7%	1.6%	-1.1%

US Factors			
	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
Quality	-0.1%	8.0%	-2.2%
Pure Growth	-0.1%	0.2%	-14.7%
Low Volatility	1.7%	-0.1%	-5.4%
Momentum	2.0%	-1.4%	-7.1%
Pure Value	-1.3%	-3.2%	-9.0%
High Dividend	-0.5%	-3.5%	-10.2%

The market advance in 2023
isn't a broad one - it's Large
Growth and Tech move. Four of
six factors are down year-to-
date.

US Style Boxes	
	* YTD Total Returns

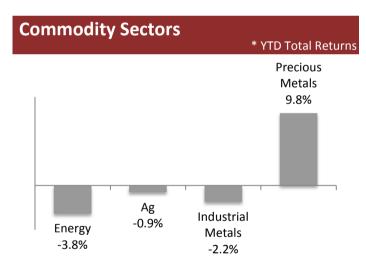
	Value	Core	Growth
Large	4.7%	7.4%	10.0%
Mid	-0.5%	1.1%	2.8%
Small	0.4%	-0.2%	-0.7%

<b>US Sectors</b>			
	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
Communication Services	2.6%	23.6%	-14.8%
Technology	-1.1%	20.5%	-2.9%
<b>Consumer Discretion</b>	-3.0%	12.7%	-20.3%
Basic Materials	-1.3%	3.0%	-7.3%
Consumer Staples	0.9%	1.8%	-1.4%
Real Estate	-0.8%	0.3%	-24.8%
Industrials	-3.4%	0.0%	-0.5%
Utilities	3.1%	-0.2%	-6.2%
Healthcare	3.1%	-1.3%	-4.3%
Energy	3.0%	-1.8%	15.6%
Financials	-0.6%	-6.1%	-12.9%

International Stocks			
	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
Developed Mkts	0.5%	9.1%	2.1%
Emerging Mkts	-0.3%	3.7%	-9.3%
Frontier Mkts	0.2%	3.4%	-17.8%

The yield curve inverted further matching levels only seen in 1973-74 and 1979-81.

REIT Sectors			
	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
Residential	0.2%	2.2%	-27.3%
Retail	0.0%	-3.2%	-8.9%
Mortgage	-0.6%	-3.4%	-21.8%



Key Commodities			
	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
Bitcoin	-1.8%	68.2%	-36.0%
Gold	2.1%	10.4%	3.6%
Copper	-2.1%	6.2%	-11.1%
Silver	4.0%	4.8%	1.6%
Lumber	3.2%	3.2%	-57.3%
Crude Oil - WTI	6.7%	1.0%	-4.4%
Natural Gas	-9.2%	-54.4%	-70.2%

US Economy			
	Level	Pd Annl	1YR
<b>US Nominal GDP</b>	26.1 T	6.60	7.35
US Real GDP	20.2 T	2.57	0.88
CPI Inflation	301.65	4.53	5.99
Initial Claims	228K	225K (4v	vma)
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	3.5 pct		
Fed Funds Rate	5.00%		

World Regions			
	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
Developed Europe	1.0%	11.8%	5.1%
US	-0.2%	7.5%	-8.0%
Emerging Europe	2.3%	6.6%	-6.8%
Asia	-0.5%	4.5%	-5.2%
Latin America	-1.2%	2.8%	-10.1%
Middle East	2.4%	0.9%	-20.0%
Africa	0.6%	-2.3%	-19.2%
Best & Worst Countries			
Ireland	-2.2%	19.0%	16.1%

Best & Worst Countries			
Ireland	-2.2%	19.0%	16.1%
Spain	2.6%	18.8%	16.8%
Mexico	-1.4%	18.7%	11.0%
Greece	2.4%	18.6%	17.6%
Italy	1.5%	16.6%	16.8%
Median Country Rtn	0.1%	5.4%	-1.4%
Brazil	-0.9%	-3.9%	-18.3%
India	1.5%	-4.9%	-11.5%
Norway	1.1%	-5.9%	-19.3%
Turkey	1.7%	-7.7%	50.1%
Colombia	5.0%	-8.7%	-35.2%

Fixed Income									
	Current Yld	1WK	YTD ↓	1YR					
US Corp	3.3%	1.0%	4.8%	-2.5%					
<b>Intl High Yield</b>	3.9%	0.5%	4.8%	-2.6%					
Intl Corp	0.9%	1.2%	4.5%	-6.6%					
<b>Intl Treasury</b>	1.3%	0.4%	3.7%	-7.7%					
<b>US Munis</b>	2.2%	0.9%	3.7%	1.9%					
<b>US High Yield</b>	5.5%	1.0%	3.5%	-1.5%					

<b>US Treasur</b>	ies			
		1WK	YTD ↓	1YR
30 Year	3.61%	2.2%	9.0%	-14.5%
10 Year	3.39%	1.6%	5.8%	-2.7%
5 Year	3.49%	1.1%	3.6%	-0.5%
90 Day	4.95%	0.1%	1.2%	2.6%
US Dollar Ind	-0.7%	-1.6%	2.1%	

Oil prices rallied 6.7% on the announcement of a Saudi-led cut in oil production

## Periodic Table of Investment Returns

Periodic	Table:	Maior	Asset	Classes
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Rnk\Yr	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
1	Intl: 27.8	Treas: 1.0	US: 31.6	US: 21.4	REITs: 43.1	Cmdty: 26.0	US: 7.5
2	US: 21.9	REITs: -3.8	REITs: 24.5	Intl: 11.1	Cmdty: 40.4	Avg: -8.9	Intl: 7.3
3	Avg: 12.4	US: -4.5	Intl: 22.1	Treas: 7.1	US: 27.0	Treas: -11.0	Treas: 4.0
4	Cmdty: 5.8	Avg: -7.0	Avg: 20.4	Avg: 1.7	Avg: 23.3	Intl: -15.6	Avg: 3.6
5	REITs: 4.3	Intl: -13.8	Cmdty: 17.6	REITs: -7.5	Intl: 8.3	US: -19.5	REITs: 1.8
3	Treas: 2.1	Cmdty: -13 8	Treas: 6.2	Cmdtv <sup>-</sup> -23 7	Treas: -2 1	RFITs: -24 4	Cmdtv: -2 4

Periodic Table: Style Boxes

YTD

Rnk\Yr	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
1	Lg Gr: 27.4	Lg Gr: 0.0	Lg Val: 31.9	Lg Gr: 33.5	Lg Gr: 32.0	Lg Val: -5.2	Lg Gr: 10.0
2	Lg: 21.8	Sml Gr: -4.1	Lg: 31.5	Mid Gr: 22.8	Sml Val: 31.0	Mid Val: -6.9	Lg: 7.4
3	Mid Gr: 19.9	Lg: -4.4	Lg Gr: 31.1	Sml Gr: 19.6	Mid Val: 30.7	Sml Val: -11.0	Lg Val: 4.7
4	Avg: 17.0	Avg: -8.0	Avg: 26.8	Lg: 18.4	Lg: 28.7	Mid: -13.1	Avg: 2.8
5	Mid: 16.2	Sml: -8.5	Mid Gr: 26.3	Avg: 14.1	Sml: 26.8	Avg: -15.5	Mid Gr: 2.8
6	Lg Val: 15.4	Lg Val: -9.0	Mid: 26.2	Mid: 13.7	Avg: 26.7	Sml: -16.1	Mid: 1.1
7	Sml Gr: 14.8	Mid Gr: -10.3	Mid Val: 26.1	Sml: 11.3	Lg Val: 24.9	Lg: -18.1	Sml Val: 0.4
8	Sml: 13.2	Mid: -11.1	Sml Val: 24.5	Mid Val: 3.7	Mid: 24.8	Mid Gr: -19.0	Sml: -0.2
9	Mid Val: 12.3	Mid Val: -11.9	Sml: 22.8	Sml Val: 2.5	Sml Gr: 22.6	Sml Gr: -21.1	Mid Val: -0.5
10	Sml Val: 11.5	Sml Val: -12.6	Sml Gr: 21.1	La Val: 1.4	Mid Gr: 18.9	La Gr: -29.4	Sml Gr: -0.7

**Periodic Table: Sectors** 

YTD

Rnk\Yr	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
1	Tech: 38.8	Health: 6.5	Tech: 50.3	Tech: 43.9	Energy: 54.6	Energy: 65.7	Tech: 20.5
2	Mtrls: 23.8	Util: 4.1	Finls: 32.1	Discr: 33.3	Finls: 35.0	Util: 1.6	Discr: 12.7
3	Discr: 23.0	Discr: 0.8	Indus: 29.4	Mtrls: 20.7	Tech: 34.5	Staples: -0.6	Avg: 3.2
4	Finls: 22.2	Tech: -0.3	Discr: 27.9	Health: 13.5	Avg: 28.8	Health: -2.0	Mtrls: 3.0
5	Health: 22.1	Avg: -6.3	Avg: 27.9	Indus: 11.1	Mtrls: 27.3	Avg: -3.2	Staples: 1.8
6	Indus: 21.0	Staples: -8.4	Staples: 27.6	Avg: 10.9	Health: 26.1	Indus: -5.5	Indus: 0.0
7	Avg: 19.5	Finls: -13.0	Util: 26.4	Staples: 10.8	Discr: 24.4	Finls: -10.5	Util: -0.2
8	Staples: 13.5	Indus: -13.3	Mtrls: 24.6	Util: 0.5	Indus: 21.1	Mtrls: -12.3	Health: -1.3
9	Util: 12.1	Mtrls: -14.7	Health: 20.8	Finls: -1.7	Staples: 18.6	Tech: -28.2	Energy: -1.8
10	Energy: -1.0	Energy: -18.1	Energy: 11.8	Energy: -33.7	Util: 17.7	Discr: -37.0	Finls: -6.1

**Periodic Table: Fixed Income** 

YTD

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Rnk\Yr	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
1	Emer Mkt: 10.3	ST Treas: 1.5	Corp: 17.4	LT Treas: 18.2	TIPS: 5.7	Bank Loan: -2.5	LT Treas: 9.8	
2	LT Treas: 9.2	Muni: 0.9	Emer Mkt: 15.5	Corp: 11.0	High Yield: 3.8	ST Treas: -3.9	Corp: 5.7	
3	Corp: 7.1	MBS: 0.8	LT Treas: 14.1	TIPS: 10.8	Bank Loan: 2.3	Muni: -7.4	TIPS: 4.5	
4	High Yield: 6.1	Broad: -0.1	High Yield: 14.1	Broad: 7.7	Muni: 1.0	High Yield: -11.0	Broad: 4.4	
5	Muni: 4.7	Bank Loan: -1.3	Bank Loan: 10.0	Emer Mkt: 5.4	ST Treas: -0.7	MBS: -11.9	MBS: 3.8	
6	Broad: 3.6	TIPS: -1.4	Broad: 8.8	Muni: 5.1	MBS: -1.4	TIPS: -12.2	Bank Loan: 3.5	
7	TIPS: 2.9	LT Treas: -1.6	TIPS: 8.4	High Yield: 4.5	Corp: -1.8	Broad: -13.1	Muni: 3.3	
8	MBS: 2.5	High Yield: -2.0	Muni: 7.1	MBS: 4.1	Broad: -1.9	Corp: -17.9	High Yield: 3.2	
9	Bank Loan: 2.1	Corp: -3.8	MBS: 6.2	ST Treas: 3.0	Emer Mkt: -2.2	Emer Mkt: -18.6	Emer Mkt: 3.0	
10	ST Treas: 0.3	Emer Mkt: -5.5	ST Treas: 3.4	Bank Loan: 1.3	LT Treas: -4.6	LT Treas: -31.2	ST Treas: 2.1	

## Asset Management – Portfolio Lineup

The essence of investment management is the management of risks, not the management of returns.

— Benjamin Graham

**Select Dividend** – Bottom up risk managed dividend portfolio of up to 40 stocks that can hold cash and fixed income when markets aren't presenting attractive individual equity opportunities. Portfolio built upon Cypress Capital's own metrics that measure dividend quality and safety. The portfolio is divided 75/25 into payers and growers. Payers are stocks with above average yields and a long-term history of paying dividends, where the dividend is perceived to be safe. Growers are companies with high total shareholder yields and perceived to be high quality, franchise companies. The portfolio is generally made up with familiar, household names.

**Global Allocation** – Multi-asset class portfolio that invests in low cost exchange traded funds across eight asset classes based upon the margin of safety offered by each asset class in an effort to avoid significant drawdowns.

**Strategic Income** – Disciplined, value biased income portfolio that practices patience in awaiting excellent risk reward opportunities in fixed income. Disciplined in its refusal to reach for yield and put capital at risk of permanent impairment.

**Asset Neutral** – Absolute return focused multi-asset class portfolio that allocates assets based upon the margin of safety offered in each asset class. Portfolio can go defensive and hold up to 100% cash in some environments.

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