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Mutual Fund Series

Personalized Portfolio Management | Customized Asset Allocation

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Get Back to Basics With the BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program

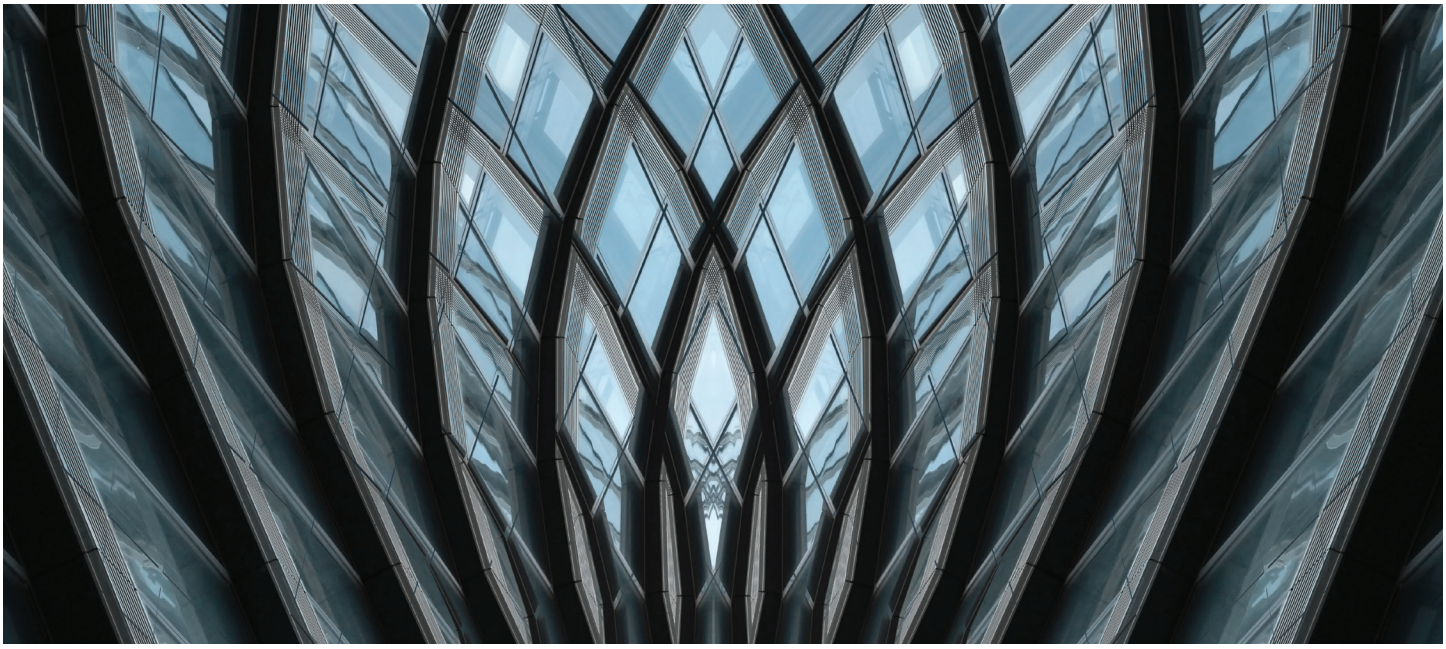
We believe it is important to have a long-term plan and stick with it.

In the complex world of personal finances, we believe it is important to adhere to the fundamentals of investing. However, all too often these "back-to-basics" concepts get overlooked. That's where the BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program can help.

The BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program (the "Program"), a wrap-fee, investment advisory program, provides a comprehensive, disciplined strategy for helping you achieve your long-term investment goals.

The Mutual Fund Series offered through the Program provides a sophisticated, quantitative process for analyzing your investment objectives and seeking to optimize your asset mix on an ongoing basis. You will receive professional guidance from a BNY Mellon Advisor to help you develop a personalized investment plan and choose from a carefully screened selection of mutual funds to implement your plan.

The Program is sponsored by BNY Mellon Securities Corporation (BNYMSC), a registered investment adviser, and is available through BNYMSC's BNY Mellon Advisor Services division.



How the Mutual Fund Series Works

A BNY Mellon Advisor is there to assist you every step of the way.

1 Analysis of current investments.

Complete an in-depth questionnaire to better define your goals and risk tolerance and help identify strengths and weaknesses in your current plan.

2 Risk tolerance and goals assessment.

Your BNY Mellon Advisor will conduct an assessment to help create the foundation for a comprehensive, personalized strategy.

3 Personalized asset allocation plan design.

You and your BNY Mellon Advisor, working together, will create a portfolio of mutual funds tailored to your individual needs. A well-crafted asset allocation plan may help effectively balance your portfolio's risk and potential return through changing market conditions.

4 Systematic portfolio review and rebalancing.

On an ongoing basis, a review of your asset mix will help ensure that it remains in line with your long-term investment objectives and risk tolerance. On a semi-annual basis (or quarterly basis if requested), your portfolio will automatically be rebalanced and your holdings reallocated to help keep your plan on track.

5 Ongoing advice.

Your BNY Mellon Advisor will conduct periodic reviews with you to assess your portfolio and determine whether your investment goals and objectives have changed.

6 Comprehensive reporting.

You will receive detailed information that allows you to easily track progress toward your investment goals.

Why Is Asset Allocation Important?

Asset allocation is a strategy for long-term investors, not for those seeking quick profits from short-term movements in individual securities or the market as a whole.

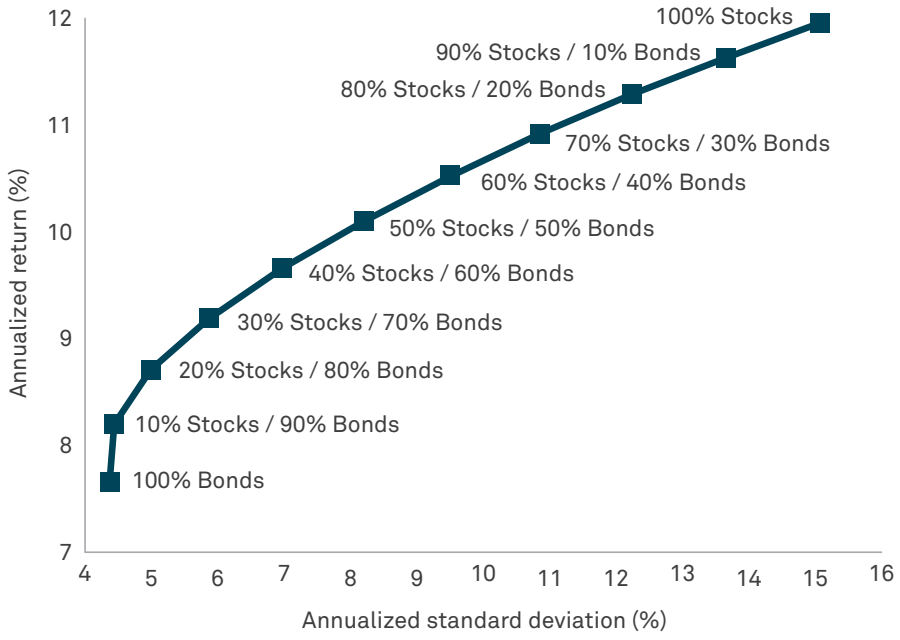
Asset allocation — how your portfolio is allocated across major asset classes, such as stocks, bonds and cash — is critical. Asset allocation helps diversify your portfolio across major asset classes and manage the balance between risk and return. It's also the core of the Mutual Fund Series.

Asset allocation and diversification do not guarantee a profit or protect against a loss.

Find Your Balance

Stocks and bonds form the cornerstone of most asset allocation plans. Combinations of the two offer, in our view, a useful risk/reward tradeoff for investors.

Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index and S&P 500 Index
(12/31/1981 – 12/31/2022)



This chart illustrates historical returns of the various combinations of stocks and bonds as represented by the indices.

Systematic Rebalancing

As important as it is to develop a personalized asset allocation plan that's right for you, it is also essential to periodically review and rebalance your assets to help ensure your investment plan is properly aligned with your investment goals. Over time, investment performance can easily cause portfolios to become over- or underweighted in different asset classes — throwing off your asset allocation plan. This is why we believe the systematic account rebalancing of the Mutual Fund Series is so important.

As you can see from the chart, by diversifying your portfolio, you may be able to better manage the balance between risk and return potential. This may help you feel more comfortable staying with your investment strategy over time.

Source: FactSet. **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.** Risks and returns for portfolios comprising the S&P 500 Index and the Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index. Portfolios rebalanced monthly. Actual investment returns will vary and may be greater or less than the index. The S&P 500 Index is a widely accepted, unmanaged index of US stock market performance. The Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index is a widely accepted, unmanaged total return index of corporate, government and government-agency debt instruments, mortgage-backed securities and asset-backed securities with an average maturity of 1–10 years. Investors cannot invest directly in any index. **Standard deviation** is the statistical measure of the degree to which an individual value in a probability distribution tends to vary from the mean of the distribution. It is widely applied in modern portfolio theory, where the past performance of securities is used to determine the range of possible future performance, and a probability is attached to each performance.

Charts are provided for illustrative purposes only and are not indicative of the past or future performance of any BNY Mellon product.

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Investment Solutions

Let us give you a helping hand and a plan.

The BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program narrows the universe of investment options and offers a range and combination of programs that are categorized to fit your needs. These investment options are the building blocks of your asset allocation plan that is diversified across investment styles and asset classes.

Your BNY Mellon Advisor will explain these options and help you make an appropriate selection based on your investment plan and goals. The Mutual Fund Series, as described below, is available for retirement and non-retirement accounts and in addition the Program also offers various separately managed account options; please contact your BNY Mellon Advisor for more information.

The Mutual Fund Series

Choose from a wide array of rigorously screened funds. BNY Mellon starts by evaluating thousands of mutual funds, a significant portion of all the funds on the market. An objective, quantitative rating system is used to narrow the universe to a select group of funds pursuing a similar investment objective within each asset class. To choose specific funds within this group, you'll have the guidance of a BNY Mellon Advisor, an experienced investment professional who can combine the knowledge of both your personal financial goals and an array of investments.

Below are some of the firms that participate in the Mutual Fund Series:

BlackRock	MFS
BNY Mellon Investment Management	Invesco
Federated	PGIM Investments
Fidelity	Allspring Global Investments

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Please ask your financial advisor for a prospectus for any fund, which contains more complete information including charges, fees, expenses, and share classes, as applicable. Please read the prospectus and the brochure carefully before you invest.

The minimum account balance for the Mutual Fund Series is $25,000. Other than BNY Mellon Investment Management, the firms listed are not affiliated with BNY Mellon.

Fee Structure

The features of the BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program are available for a single program fee.

BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program: Mutual Fund Series

The annual advisory fee schedule for the Mutual Fund Series is as follows:

Average Daily Assets	Annual Gross Advisory Fee	Annual Net Advisory Fee*
First $100,000	1.50%	Annual Gross Advisory Fee less the credit amount = Annual Net Advisory Fee
Next $400,000	1.15%	
Next $500,000	1.00%	
Assets Over $1,000,000	0.90%	

* The Annual Net Advisory Fee reflects a credit amount to the client in order to offset the amount of fees or other compensation, if any, received from proprietary and non-proprietary funds for investment management or certain other services by BNY Mellon or its affiliates.

Certain mutual fund fees are charged at the investment level in addition to the program fee.

Please refer to BNYMSC's Wrap Fee Program Brochure for more information about the Program fees and expenses and mutual fund share class availability.

Potential Benefits of the Program

Whether your goal is to enjoy a comfortable retirement, create a legacy for future generations or purchase a vacation home, we believe it is important to have a long-term investment strategy.

The BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program can be a valuable tool to help you pursue your investment goals in any market environment.

1 Professional Advice	Your BNY Mellon Advisor is a dedicated financial professional who will provide guidance and advice to help you navigate today's complex investment landscape.
2 Personalized Asset Allocation Plan	A disciplined, long-term plan to help weather turbulent markets and achieve long-term investment goals.
3 Portfolio Monitoring and Balancing	Ongoing review to help make sure your plan stays on track.
4 Comprehensive Reporting	Monitor your progress with monthly and quarterly reports.

LEARN MORE | For more information on the BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program, please contact your advisor or call **1-800-843-5466.**

The BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program, a wrap-fee, investment advisory program, provides a comprehensive, disciplined strategy for helping you achieve your long-term investment goals. You will receive professional guidance from a BNY Mellon Advisor to help you develop a personalized investment plan. Investors should speak with their BNY Mellon Advisor, who can provide more information about the BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program and its appropriateness for your investment portfolio.

BNY Mellon Investment Management is one of the world's leading investment management organizations, encompassing BNY Mellon's affiliated investment management firms and global distribution companies. BNY Mellon Securities Corporation (BNYMSC) is a registered investment adviser and broker-dealer and a BNY Mellon Investment Management firm. BNYMSC sponsors the BNY Mellon Managed Asset Program, and offers the Program through its BNY Mellon Advisor Services division. BNY Mellon is the corporate brand of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation.

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No representation is being made that any client's account will or is likely to achieve results comparable to those shown, to make any profit at all, or to be able to avoid incurring substantial losses. In fact, there can be significant differences between hypothetical performance results and the actual results subsequently achieved by any particular investment strategy.

The actual characteristics and performance of a client's account may differ significantly from the results shown based, among other things, on: (1) our ability to negotiate terms similar to the assumptions used to generate the hypothetical performance, (2) our ability to locate the most efficient securities at rational prices to match the target strategy at the time of funding and (3) differing market, regulatory, economic and political conditions. No representation or warranty is made as to the reasonableness of the assumptions made, or that all assumptions used in achieving the returns have been stated or fully considered.

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The performance reflected in this hypothetical model is gross of any fees and expenses that an actual client would have incurred.

RISKS

All investments involve risk, including the possible loss of principal. Certain investments involve greater or unique risks that should be considered along with the objectives, fees, and expenses before investing. **Equities** are subject to market, market sector, market liquidity, issuer, and investment style risks, to varying degrees. **Bonds** are subject to interest-rate, credit, liquidity, call and market risks, to varying degrees. Generally, all other factors being equal, bond prices are inversely related to interest-rate changes and rate increases can cause price declines.

Investing in **foreign denominated and/or domiciled securities** involves special risks, including changes in currency exchange rates, political, economic, and social instability, limited company information, differing auditing and legal standards, and less market liquidity. These risks generally are greater with emerging market countries.

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