SHELTON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

Q3 2026

SHELTON ACTIVE ALLOCATION SOLUTIONS CONSERVATIVE GROWTH STRATEGY

50% Equity - 50% Fixed Income Risk Profile

BENCHMARK ALLOCATION

Equity	50.0%
Fixed Income	50.0%

PORTFOLIO ALLOCATION

Equity	47.0%
Fixed Income	41.0%
Alternative	10.0%
Cash	2.0%

APPROXIMATE YIELD*

Portfolio Yield	**3.45%**
Blended Benchmark	**3.15%**

TOP HOLDINGS**	TICKER	WEIGHT
SPDR Doubleline Total Return	TOTL	10.00%
Vanguard Value ETF	VTV	8.00%
SPDR Portfolio Aggregate Bond	SPAB	7.00%
Overlay Shares Large Cap Equity	OVL	6.50%
Vanguard Russell 1000 Growth ETF	VONG	6.50%

	COMPOSITE (GROSS)	COMPOSITE (NET)	BLENDED BENCHMARK^
Risk/Return Characteristics Since September 2008			
Return	5.79%	4.65%	6.13%
Std. Dev.	8.08%	8.08%	9.00%
Alpha	0.24%	-0.84%	--
Beta	0.87	0.87	1.00
Annualized Trailing Returns			
1-Yr	7.02%	5.45%	7.24%
3-Yrs	10.55%	8.86%	12.58%
5-Yrs	4.06%	2.42%	5.44%
7-Yrs	5.53%	3.89%	6.98%
10-Yrs	5.68%	4.09%	6.83%
Calendar Year Returns			
2025	11.08%	9.49%	14.56%
2024	8.12%	6.41%	9.06%
2023	8.08%	6.27%	13.55%
2022	-13.95%	-15.44%	-15.30%
2021	9.99%	8.44%	8.16%
2020	9.05%	7.43%	12.44%
2019	16.48%	14.70%	17.50%
2018	-5.79%	-7.18%	-4.38%
2017	12.58%	11.17%	13.21%
2016	5.70%	4.38%	5.39%
2015	-1.39%	-2.50%	-0.71%
2014	5.61%	4.04%	5.04%

INVESTMENT STRATEGY

This Portfolio is designed to provide long-term growth of capital for more balanced investors by investing its assets in equity, fixed income, and alternative ETFs.

STRATEGY ADVANTAGES

Designed for investors who want meaningful equity market participation with a lower risk profile, this Portfolio actively balances growth and income while managing downside risk in real time. The three-layer framework provides multiple opportunities to reduce exposure when conditions deteriorate, potentially making it well suited for investors in or approaching retirement.

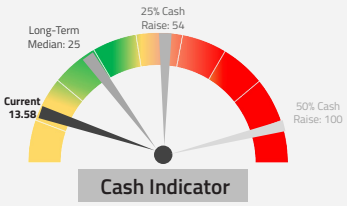
OUR THREE LAYERS OF RISK MANAGEMENT

Our Portfolios are anchored with our strategic allocation (~75%) that is based on our capital market expectations for the next 3-5 years.

We complement our strategic allocation with a tactical allocation (~25%) that gives us the ability to manage risk in real time based on our 6- to 18-month outlook. Through a broad array of themes and asset classes including cash, we can either invest opportunistically or defensively depending on the market environment.

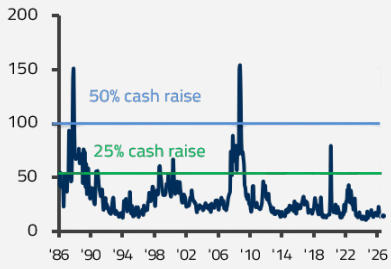
The Cash Indicator is an important component of our Portfolio that advises us to increase our cash reserve to either 25% or 50% in rare market environments. We use this intentionally stubborn tool as an airbag to potentially protect principal during extreme downturns and reinvest at lower valuations as the markets recover.

THE CASH INDICATOR (JANUARY 1986 - SEPTEMBER 2026):



Cash Indicator

Long-Term Median: 25
25% Cash Raise: 54
50% Cash Raise: 100



Our Cash Indicator (CI) monitors market stress in real time using signals that can alert us that a 25% or 50% cash position might be beneficial under certain conditions in an attempt to protect principal and preserve liquidity for redeployment at more attractive valuations.

The Cash Indicator (CI) currently reads 13.58, well below its long-term median of 25 and far from crossing a cash raise threshold. While the CI spiked temporarily during the Middle East conflict, it has since settled back down to low levels. Readings this subdued can reflect market complacency and can precede periods of higher volatility. Volatility could present a buying opportunity in our view.

Data sources: Shelton Capital Management, Bloomberg and Morningstar. Performance data quoted represents past performance and is for illustrative purposes only. ***Past performance is no guarantee of future results.*** *Returns include the reinvestment of income, dividends and other earnings.* ***^Blended Benchmark:*** *50% Morningstar Global TME NR USD / 50% Morningstar US Core Bond TR USD. The indices represented do not bear transaction costs or management fees, and cannot be actually bought or sold. All indices are unmanaged and investors can not invest directly in an index. For index definitions and statistical definitions, see the disclosures on the following page. *Portfolio and benchmark yields are calculated using a harmonic weighted average of the net dividends per share during the past 12 months for each holding as of the date identified at their respective target weighting. **Top Holdings are shown to illustrate an example of how an individual portfolio might have been invested at that time based on the target weightings. The securities identified do not represent all of the securities purchased, sold or recommended. The reader should not assume that an investment identified was or will be profitable.*

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The benchmark is a blend of 50% Morningstar Global Target Market Exposure (TME) Index and 50% Morningstar US Core Bond TR USD Index rebalanced quarterly as of October 1, 2026. Prior to October 1, 2026, the benchmark was a blend of 50% MSCI ACWI (Net) Index and 50% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index rebalanced quarterly as of January 1, 2016. The benchmark is market-cap weighted and is composed of several country-specific indices. Sources of foreign exchange rates may be different between the composite and the benchmark; however, there have not been material differences to date. Prior to February 1, 2016, the blended benchmark was 50% MSCI World Index and 50% Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index rebalanced quarterly. Prior to January 1, 2015, the blended benchmark was 35% Russell 3000 Index, 15% MSCI ACWI xUS Index and 50% Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index rebalanced quarterly. In all cases, the benchmark was retroactively changed to more closely follow our investment strategy. The index represented does not bear transaction costs or management fees, and cannot be actually bought or sold. It is not possible to invest directly in an index. For index definitions, see the 'Index Definitions' section at the end of this document. The U.S. Dollar is the currency used to express performance. Material use of leverage, derivatives and short positions are not used in this composite.

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Index Definitions: *Morningstar Global Target Market Exposure (TME) Index* – This Index measures the performance of large- and mid-cap stocks in developed and emerging markets, representing the top 85% of the investable universe by float-adjusted market capitalization. *Morningstar US Core Bond Index* – This Index measures the performance of fixed-rate, investment-grade USD-denominated securities with maturities greater than one year. It is market-capitalization weighted.

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