SIMPLIFY ETFs

Is There an Alternative to the 60/40 Portfolio?

Simplify Hedged Equity ETF (HEQT)

Fully invests in large cap U.S. equities while hedging downside volatility with a risk-managed options overlay.

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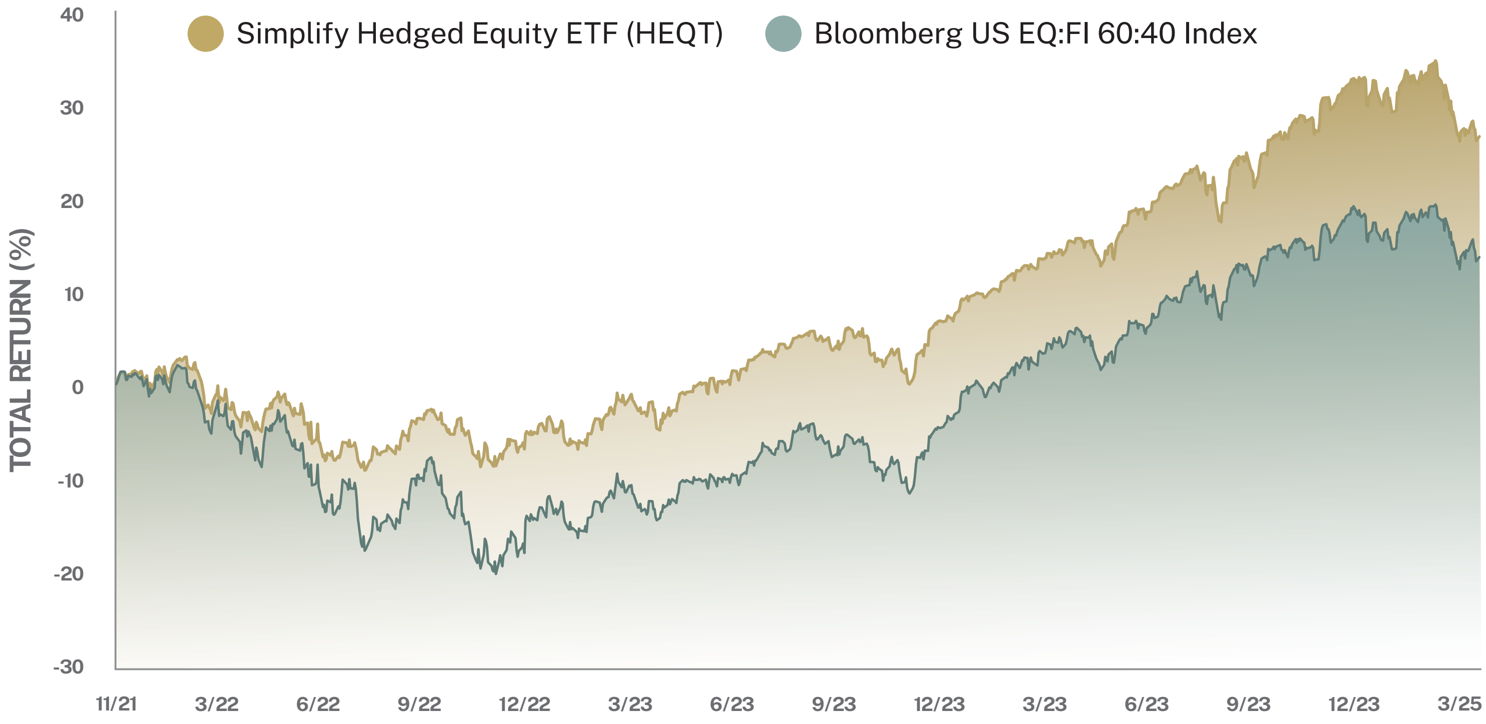
Morningstar Rating™

Overall rating based on risk-adjusted returns among 142 funds in the Equity Hedged category as of 03/31/25.

HEQT has outperformed the 60/40 portfolio since inception with lower volatility and smaller maximum drawdowns.

HEQT vs. Bloomberg US EQ:FI 60:40 Index

11/01/21 - 03/31/25



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Performance as of 03/31/25 | Inception Date: 11/01/21

	Cumulative Total Return				Annualized Total Return	
	3 Months (%)	6 Months (%)	YTD (%)	Since Inception (%)	1 Year (%)	Since Inception (%)
Nav	-2.68	-0.40	-2.68	26.20	9.32	7.06
Market Price	-2.82	-0.47	-2.82	25.65	9.21	6.93
Bloomberg US EQ:FI 60:40 Index	-1.59	-1.13	-1.59	13.46	7.06	3.77

Gross Expense Ratio (%)	0.54
Net Expense Ratio (%)**	0.44
SEC 30-Day Yield (%)	0.95
SEC 30-Day Yield Unsubsidized (%)	0.85

**The Fund's adviser has contractually agreed, through at least October 31, 2025, to waive its management fees to 0.40% of the Fund's average daily net assets.*

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The fund is actively-managed is subject to the risk that the strategy may not produce the intended results.

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The Fund invests in ETFs (Exchange-Traded Funds) and is therefore subject to the same risks as the underlying securities in which the ETF invests as well as entails higher expenses than if invested into the underlying ETF directly.

While the option overlay is intended to improve the Fund's performance, there is no guarantee that it will do so. Utilizing an option overlay strategy involves the risk that as the buyer of a put or call option, the Fund risks losing the entire premium invested in the option if the Fund does not exercise the option. Also, securities and options traded in over-the-counter markets may trade less frequently and in limited volumes and thus exhibit more volatility and liquidity risk.

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