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How to Build a Winning Stock Portfolio

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"Good portfolio management <u>starts</u> with buying the right stocks." ~ Dr. Bart Diliddo



1992 Olympic Dream Team



Basic risk management tactics are essential to achieve consistent success!

Risk Management Guidelines to build a Winning Stock Portfolio:

- 1. Buy Stocks in Up Waves, Sell or Protect Stocks in Down Waves
- 2. Use a Dollar-Weighted System.
- Hold 10 to 20 Stocks.
- 4. Don't risk more than 1-2% per trade.
- 5. Don't Ignore Sell Recommendations

1. Buy Stocks in Up Waves, Sell or Protect Stocks in Down Waves

Pick the Market Timing System that best suits both your investor temperament and profit objectives

2. Use a Dollar Weighted System

Invest evenly into each position and make any new purchases at the average value of the current positions.

3. Hold 10 to 20 Stocks

Diversify in how many stocks you buy to help manage risk!

4. Don't risk more than 1-2% per trade.

Use stop-losses to help manage risk and avoid catastrophic losses!

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$$S = (100 * R * N) / C$$

Where

S = Stop-Loss Percent.
R = % Risk on any single position.
N = Number of positions, and
C = Percent of Capital employed.

We prefer to keep \mathbb{R} , the percent risk of loss on any single position, equal to $\frac{1\%}{10}$ when you are getting started. So, with $\frac{10}{10}$ positions and $\frac{100\%}{10}$ of our capital invested, we can afford using a $\frac{10\%}{10}$ Stop-Loss.

5. Don't Ignore Sell Recommendations!*

* Use a Hold Recommendation as an early warning to watch closely.

Portfolios

Allow you to paper trade and/or monitor your existing stock portfolios.

Let's build a portfolio of high Relative Safety stocks that follow all the guidelines we just covered to manage risk effectively.

Portfolios can be paper traded manually or by using Portfolio Automation.*

* To enable Portfolio Automation click 'Manage Portfolio' then select 'Set Portfolio Automation' for 'Long' or 'Short' positions.

Various Portfolio Reports

Transaction Log
Summary Report
Diversification Graph
Trade History

VectorVest has everything you need to build and manage a winning stock market Portfolio!