harry-browne-permanent-portfolio

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1 Does Harry Browne's permanent portfolio withstand the test of time?

1.1 Python Imports

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[1]: # Standard Library
     import datetime
     import io
     import os
     import random
     import sys
     import warnings
     from pathlib import Path
     # Data Handling
     import numpy as np
     import pandas as pd
     # Data Visualization
     import matplotlib.dates as mdates
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     import matplotlib.ticker as mtick
     import seaborn as sns
     from matplotlib.ticker import FormatStrFormatter, FuncFormatter, MultipleLocator
     # Data Sources
     import yfinance as yf
     # Statistical Analysis
     import statsmodels.api as sm
     # Machine Learning
     from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
     from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
     # Suppress warnings
     warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
```

1.2 Add Directories To Path

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[2]: # Add the source subdirectory to the system path to allow import config from
     ⇔settings.py
     current_directory = Path(os.getcwd())
     website_base_directory = current_directory.parent.parent.parent
     src directory = website base directory / "src"
     sys.path.append(str(src_directory)) if str(src_directory) not in sys.path else_
     # Import settings.py
     from settings import config
     # Add configured directories from config to path
     SOURCE_DIR = config("SOURCE_DIR")
     sys.path.append(str(Path(SOURCE_DIR))) if str(Path(SOURCE_DIR)) not in sys.path_
     ⇔else None
     QUANT_FINANCE_RESEARCH_BASE_DIR = config("QUANT_FINANCE_RESEARCH_BASE_DIR")
     sys.path.append(str(Path(QUANT_FINANCE_RESEARCH_BASE_DIR))) if __
      str(Path(QUANT_FINANCE_RESEARCH_BASE_DIR)) not in sys.path else None
     QUANT FINANCE RESEARCH SOURCE DIR = config("QUANT FINANCE RESEARCH SOURCE DIR")
     sys.path.append(str(Path(QUANT_FINANCE_RESEARCH_SOURCE_DIR))) if_
      str(Path(QUANT_FINANCE_RESEARCH_SOURCE_DIR)) not in sys.path else None
     # Add other configured directories
     BASE_DIR = config("BASE_DIR")
     CONTENT_DIR = config("CONTENT_DIR")
     POSTS_DIR = config("POSTS_DIR")
     PAGES_DIR = config("PAGES_DIR")
     PUBLIC_DIR = config("PUBLIC_DIR")
     SOURCE_DIR = config("SOURCE_DIR")
     DATA_DIR = config("DATA_DIR")
     # Print system path
     for i, path in enumerate(sys.path):
         print(f"{i}: {path}")
    0: /usr/lib/python313.zip
    1: /usr/lib/python3.13
    2: /usr/lib/python3.13/lib-dynload
    4: /home/jared/python-virtual-envs/general_313/lib/python3.13/site-packages
    5: /home/jared/Cloud_Storage/Dropbox/Websites/jaredszajkowski.github.io/src
    6: /home/jared/Cloud_Storage/Dropbox/Quant_Finance_Research
    7: /home/jared/Cloud_Storage/Dropbox/Quant_Finance_Research/src
```

1.3 Track Index Dependencies

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[3]: # Create file to track markdown dependencies
dep_file = Path("index_dep.txt")
dep_file.write_text("")
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2 Python Functions

2.0.1 Typical Functions

```
[4]: # Import functions from source directories
from export_track_md_deps import export_track_md_deps
from df_info import df_info
from df_info_markdown import df_info_markdown
from pandas_set_decimal_places import pandas_set_decimal_places
from load_data import load_data
```

2.0.2 Project Specific Functions

Bloomberg Data Updater

```
[5]: # This function takes an excel export from Bloomberg and
     # removes all excess data leaving date and close columns
     # Imports
     import pandas as pd
     # Function definition
     def bb data updater(fund):
         # File name variable
         file = fund + ".xlsx"
         # Import data from file as a pandas dataframe
         df = pd.read_excel(file, sheet_name = 'Worksheet', engine='openpyxl')
         # Set the column headings from row 5 (which is physically row 6)
         df.columns = df.iloc[5]
         # Set the column heading for the index to be "None"
         df.rename_axis(None, axis=1, inplace = True)
         # Drop the first 6 rows, 0 - 5
         df.drop(df.index[0:6], inplace=True)
         # Set the date column as the index
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df.set_index('Date', inplace = True)
# Drop the volume column
try:
   df.drop(columns = {'PX_VOLUME'}, inplace = True)
except KeyError:
   pass
# Rename column
df.rename(columns = {'PX_LAST':'Close'}, inplace = True)
# Sort by date
df.sort_values(by=['Date'], inplace = True)
# Export data to excel
file = fund + "_Clean.xlsx"
df.to_excel(file, sheet_name='data')
# Output confirmation
print(f"The last date of data for {fund} is: ")
print(df[-1:])
print(f"Bloomberg data conversion complete for {fund} data")
return print(f"----")
```

Strategy Function

```
[6]: def strategy(
         fund_list: str,
         starting_cash: int,
         cash_contrib: int,
         close_prices_df: pd.DataFrame,
         rebal_month: int,
         rebal_day: int,
         rebal_per_high: float,
         rebal_per_low: float,
     ) -> pd.DataFrame:
         Execute the rebalance strategy based on specified criteria.
         Parameters:
         _____
         fund_list (str):
             List of funds for data to be combined from. Funds are strings in the \sqcup
      \hookrightarrow form "BTC-USD".
         starting_cash (int):
             Starting investment balance.
         cash\_contrib (int):
             Cash contribution to be made daily.
```

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close_prices_df (pd.DataFrame):
      DataFrame containing date and close prices for all funds to be included.
  rebal_month (int):
      Month for annual rebalance.
  rebal_day (int):
      Day for annual rebalance.
  rebal_per_high (float):
      High percentage for rebalance.
  rebal_per_low (float):
      Low percentage for rebalance.
  Returns:
  df (pd.DataFrame):
      DataFrame containing strategy data for all funds to be included. Also⊔
⇒dumps the df to excel for reference later.
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  num_funds = len(fund_list)
  df = close prices df.copy()
  df.reset_index(inplace = True)
  # Date to be used for annual rebalance
  target_month = rebal_month
  target_day = rebal_day
  # Create a dataframe with dates from the specific month
  rebal_date = df[df['Date'].dt.month == target_month]
  # Specify the date or the next closest
  rebal_date = rebal_date[rebal_date['Date'].dt.day >= target_day]
  # Group by year and take the first entry for each year
  rebal_dates_by_year = rebal_date.groupby(rebal_date['Date'].dt.year).
→first().reset_index(drop=True)
  111
  Column order for the dataframe:
  df[fund + "_BA_Shares"]
  df[fund + "_BA_$_Invested"]
  df[fund + "_BA_Port_%"]
  df['Total_BA_$_Invested']
  df['Contribution']
  df['Rebalance']
  df[fund + "_AA_Shares"]
  df[fund + "_AA_$_Invested"]
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df[fund + "_AA_Port_%"]
  df['Total_AA_$_Invested']
  # Calculate the columns and initial values for before action (BA) shares, \$_{\sqcup}
⇒invested, and port %
  for fund in fund list:
       df[fund + "_BA_Shares"] = starting_cash / num_funds / df[fund +__

¬"_Close"]

      df[fund + "_BA_$_Invested"] = df[fund + "_BA_Shares"] * df[fund +__

¬"_Close"]

      df[fund + "_BA_Port_%"] = 0.25
  # Set column values initially
  df['Total_BA_$_Invested'] = starting_cash
  df['Contribution'] = 0
  # df['Contribution'] = cash_contrib
  df['Rebalance'] = "No"
  # Set columns and values initially for after action (AA) shares, \$_{\sqcup}
⇒invested, and port %
  for fund in fund list:
      df[fund + "_AA_Shares"] = starting_cash / num_funds / df[fund +__

¬"_Close"]

      df[fund + "_AA_$_Invested"] = df[fund + "_AA_Shares"] * df[fund +__

¬"_Close"]

      df[fund + "_AA_Port_%"] = 0.25
  # Set column value for after action (AA) total $ invested
  df['Total_AA_$_Invested'] = starting_cash
  # Iterate through the dataframe and execute the strategy
  for index, row in df.iterrows():
       # Ensure there's a previous row to reference by checking the index value
      if index > 0:
           # Initialize variable
           Total BA Invested = 0
           # Calculate before action (BA) shares and $ invested values
           for fund in fund_list:
               df.at[index, fund + "_BA_Shares"] = df.at[index - 1, fund +__
→" AA Shares"]
               df.at[index, fund + "_BA_$_Invested"] = df.at[index, fund +__

¬"_BA_Shares"] * row[fund + "_Close"]
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# Sum the asset values to find the total
               Total_BA_Invested = Total_BA_Invested + df.at[index, fund +

¬"_BA_$_Invested"]

           # Calculate before action (BA) port % values
           for fund in fund list:
               df.at[index, fund + "_BA_Port_%"] = df.at[index, fund +__
→"_BA_$_Invested"] / Total_BA_Invested
           # Set column for before action (BA) total $ invested
           df.at[index, 'Total_BA_$_Invested'] = Total_BA_Invested
           # Initialize variables
           rebalance = "No"
           date = row['Date']
           # Check for a specific date annually
           # Simple if statement to check if date_to_check is in_
→ jan_28_or_after_each_year
           if date in rebal_dates_by_year['Date'].values:
               rebalance = "Yes"
           else:
               pass
           # Check to see if any asset has portfolio percentage of greater_
⇔than 35% or less than 15% and if so set variable
           for fund in fund_list:
               if df.at[index, fund + "_BA_Port_%"] > rebal_per_high or df.
→at[index, fund + "_BA_Port_%"] < rebal_per_low:</pre>
                   rebalance = "Yes"
               else:
                   pass
           # If rebalance is required, rebalance back to 25% for each asset,_{\sf L}
⇔else just divide contribution evenly across assets
           if rebalance == "Yes":
               df.at[index, 'Rebalance'] = rebalance
               for fund in fund list:
                       df.at[index, fund + "_AA_$_Invested"] =__
→(Total_BA_Invested + df.at[index, 'Contribution']) * 0.25
           else:
               df.at[index, 'Rebalance'] = rebalance
               for fund in fund_list:
                       df.at[index, fund + "_AA_$_Invested"] = df.at[index,__
ofund + "_BA_$_Invested"] + df.at[index, 'Contribution'] * 0.25
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# Initialize variable
          Total_AA_Invested = 0
           # Set column values for after action (AA) shares and port %
          for fund in fund_list:
               df.at[index, fund + "_AA_Shares"] = df.at[index, fund +__

¬"_AA_$_Invested"] / row[fund + "_Close"]

               # Sum the asset values to find the total
               Total_AA_Invested = Total_AA_Invested + df.at[index, fund +

¬"_AA_$_Invested"]

           # Calculate after action (AA) port % values
          for fund in fund_list:
               df.at[index, fund + "_AA_Port_%"] = df.at[index, fund +__
→"_AA_$_Invested"] / Total_AA_Invested
           # Set column for after action (AA) total $ invested
           df.at[index, 'Total_AA_$_Invested'] = Total_AA_Invested
       # If this is the first row
      else:
          pass
  df['Return'] = df['Total_AA_$_Invested'].pct_change()
  df['Cumulative_Return'] = (1 + df['Return']).cumprod()
  plan_name = '_'.join(fund_list)
  file = plan_name + "_Strategy.xlsx"
  location = file
  df.to_excel(location, sheet_name="data")
  print(f"Strategy complete for {plan_name}.")
  return df
```

Summary Stats

```
[7]: # Stats for entire data set
def summary_stats(
    fund_list: str,
    df: pd.DataFrame,
    period: str,
    excel_export: bool,
) -> pd.DataFrame:
    """
    Calculate summary statistics for the given fund list and return data.
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```
Parameters:
   _____
  fund_list (str):
      List of funds for data to be combined from. Funds are strings in the \sqcup
⇔form "BTC-USD".
  df (pd.DataFrame):
      Dataframe with return data.
  period (str):
      Period for which to calculate statistics. Options are "Monthly", __
→ "Weekly", "Daily", "Hourly".
  excel export (bool):
       If True, export to excel file.
  Returns:
  df_stats (pd.DataFrame):
      pd.DataFrame: DataFrame containing various portfolio statistics.
  if period == "Monthly":
      timeframe = 12 # months
  elif period == "Weekly":
      timeframe = 52 # weeks
  elif period == "Daily":
      timeframe = 365 # days
  elif period == "Hourly":
      timeframe = 8760 # hours
  else:
      return print("Error, check inputs")
  df_stats = pd.DataFrame(df.mean(axis=0) * timeframe) # annualized
  \# df_stats = pd.DataFrame((1 + df.mean(axis=0)) ** timeframe - 1) \#_{\sqcup}
→annualized, this is this true annualized return but we will simply use the
  df_stats.columns = ['Annualized Mean']
  df_stats['Annualized Volatility'] = df.std() * np.sqrt(timeframe) #__
\rightarrow annualized
  df_stats['Annualized Sharpe Ratio'] = df_stats['Annualized Mean'] /__

¬df_stats['Annualized Volatility']
  df_cagr = (1 + df['Return']).cumprod()
  cagr = (df_cagr.iloc[-1] / 1) ** (1/(len(df_cagr) / timeframe)) - 1
  df_stats['CAGR'] = cagr
  df_stats[period + ' Max Return'] = df.max()
  df_stats[period + ' Max Return (Date)'] = df.idxmax().values[0]
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df_stats[period + ' Min Return'] = df.min()
  df_stats[period + ' Min Return (Date)'] = df.idxmin().values[0]
  wealth_index = 1000*(1+df).cumprod()
  previous_peaks = wealth_index.cummax()
  drawdowns = (wealth_index - previous_peaks)/previous_peaks
  df_stats['Max Drawdown'] = drawdowns.min()
  df_stats['Peak'] = [previous_peaks[col][:drawdowns[col].idxmin()].idxmax()__

¬for col in previous_peaks.columns]
  df_stats['Bottom'] = drawdowns.idxmin()
  recovery_date = []
  for col in wealth_index.columns:
      prev_max = previous_peaks[col][:drawdowns[col].idxmin()].max()
      recovery_wealth = pd.DataFrame([wealth_index[col][drawdowns[col].
\rightarrowidxmin():]]).T
      recovery_date.append(recovery_wealth[recovery_wealth[col] >= prev_max].
→index.min())
  df_stats['Recovery Date'] = recovery_date
  plan_name = '_'.join(fund_list)
  # Export to excel
  if excel export == True:
      file = plan_name + "_Summary_Stats.xlsx"
      location = file
      # location = f"{base_directory}/{strategy_name}/{file_name}.xlsx"
      df_stats.to_excel(location, sheet_name="data")
  else:
      pass
  print(f"Summary stats complete for {plan_name}.")
  return df_stats
```

2.0.3 plot_cumulative_return

```
# x_tick_spacing = 5 # Specify the interval for x-axis ticks
# plt.qca().xaxis.set major locator(MultipleLocator(x tick spacing))
plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_locator(mdates.YearLocator())
plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_formatter(mdates.DateFormatter('\( \frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\fracc}\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac
plt.xlabel('Year', fontsize = 9)
plt.xticks(rotation = 45, fontsize = 7)
# plt.xlim(, )
# Set Y axis
y_tick_spacing = 0.5  # Specify the interval for y-axis ticks
plt.gca().yaxis.set major locator(MultipleLocator(y tick spacing))
plt.ylabel('Cumulative Return', fontsize = 9)
plt.yticks(fontsize = 7)
# plt.ylim(0, 7.5)
# Set title, etc.
plt.title('Cumulative Return', fontsize = 12)
# Set the grid & legend
plt.tight_layout()
plt.grid(True)
plt.legend(fontsize=8)
# Save the figure
plt.savefig('03_Cumulative_Return.png', dpi=300, bbox_inches='tight')
# Display the plot
return plt.show()
```

2.0.4 plot values

```
# Set X axis
  # x_tick_spacing = 5  # Specify the interval for x-axis ticks
  # plt.qca().xaxis.set_major_locator(MultipleLocator(x_tick_spacing))
  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_locator(mdates.YearLocator())
  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_formatter(mdates.DateFormatter('%Y'))
  plt.xlabel('Year', fontsize = 9)
  plt.xticks(rotation = 45, fontsize = 7)
  # plt.xlim(, )
  # Set Y axis
  y_tick_spacing = 5000 # Specify the interval for y-axis ticks
  plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_locator(MultipleLocator(y_tick_spacing))
  plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_formatter(mtick.FuncFormatter(lambda x, pos: '{:,..
\rightarrow0f}'.format(x))) # Adding commas to y-axis labels
  plt.ylabel('Total Value ($)', fontsize = 9)
  plt.yticks(fontsize = 7)
  # plt.ylim(0, 75000)
  # Set title, etc.
  plt.title('Total Values For Stocks, Bonds, Gold, and Cash Positions and U
→Portfolio', fontsize = 12)
  # Set the grid & legend
  plt.tight_layout()
  plt.grid(True)
  plt.legend(fontsize=8)
  # Save the figure
  plt.savefig('04_Portfolio_Values.png', dpi=300, bbox_inches='tight')
  # Display the plot
  return plt.show()
```

2.0.5 plot drawdown

```
[10]: def plot_drawdown(strat_df):
    rolling_max = strat_df['Total_AA_$_Invested'].cummax()
    drawdown = (strat_df['Total_AA_$_Invested'] - rolling_max) / rolling_max *_\_
$\infty$100

# Generate plot
    plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5), facecolor = '#F5F5F5')

# Plotting data
    plt.plot(strat_df.index, drawdown, label='Drawdown', linestyle='-',_\_
$\infty$color='red', linewidth=1)
```

```
# Set X axis
  # x_tick_spacing = 5  # Specify the interval for x-axis ticks
  # plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_locator(MultipleLocator(x tick_spacing))
  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_locator(mdates.YearLocator())
  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_formatter(mdates.DateFormatter('%Y'))
  plt.xlabel('Year', fontsize = 9)
  plt.xticks(rotation = 45, fontsize = 7)
  # plt.xlim(, )
  # Set Y axis
  y_tick_spacing = 1  # Specify the interval for y-axis ticks
  plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_locator(MultipleLocator(y_tick_spacing))
  # plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_formatter(mtick.FuncFormatter(lambda x, pos: '{:
\rightarrow,.0f}'.format(x))) # Adding commas to y-axis labels
  plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_formatter(mtick.FuncFormatter(lambda x, pos: '{:.
\rightarrow 0f '.format(x))) # Adding 0 decimal places to y-axis labels
  plt.ylabel('Drawdown (%)', fontsize = 9)
  plt.yticks(fontsize = 7)
  # plt.ylim(-20, 0)
  # Set title, etc.
  plt.title('Portfolio Drawdown', fontsize = 12)
  # Set the grid & legend
  plt.tight_layout()
  plt.grid(True)
  plt.legend(fontsize=8)
  # Save the figure
  plt.savefig('05_Portfolio_Drawdown.png', dpi=300, bbox_inches='tight')
  # Display the plot
  return plt.show()
```

2.0.6 plot_asset_weights

```
[11]: def plot_asset_weights(strat_df):
    # Generate plot
    plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5), facecolor = '#F5F5F5')

# Plotting data
    plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Stocks_AA_Port_%'] * 100, label='Stocks_
Portfolio Weight', linestyle='-', color='orange', linewidth=1)
    plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Bonds_AA_Port_%'] * 100, label='Bonds_
Portfolio Weight', linestyle='-', color='yellow', linewidth=1)
    plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Gold_AA_Port_%'] * 100, label='Gold_U
Portfolio Weight', linestyle='-', color='blue', linewidth=1)
```

```
plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Cash_AA_Port_%'] * 100, label='Cash_
→Portfolio Weight', linestyle='-', color='brown', linewidth=1)
  # Set X axis
  \# x\_tick\_spacing = 5 \# Specify the interval for x-axis ticks
  # plt.qca().xaxis.set major locator(MultipleLocator(x tick spacing))
  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_locator(mdates.YearLocator())
  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_formatter(mdates.DateFormatter('%Y'))
  plt.xlabel('Year', fontsize = 9)
  plt.xticks(rotation = 45, fontsize = 7)
  # plt.xlim(, )
  # Set Y axis
  y_tick_spacing = 1  # Specify the interval for y-axis ticks
  plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_locator(MultipleLocator(y_tick_spacing))
  # plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_formatter(mtick.FuncFormatter(lambda x, pos: '{:
\hookrightarrow, .0f}'.format(x))) # Adding commas to y-axis labels
  plt.ylabel('Asset Weight (%)', fontsize = 9)
  plt.vticks(fontsize = 7)
  # plt.ylim(14, 36)
  # Set title, etc.
  plt.title('Portfolio Asset Weights For Stocks, Bonds, Gold, and Cash⊔
→Positions', fontsize = 12)
  # Set the grid & legend
  plt.tight_layout()
  plt.grid(True)
  plt.legend(fontsize=8)
  # Save the figure
  plt.savefig('07_Portfolio_Weights.png', dpi=300, bbox_inches='tight')
  # Display the plot
  return plt.show()
```

2.0.7 plot_annual_returns

```
x_tick_spacing = 1 # Specify the interval for x-axis ticks
  plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_locator(MultipleLocator(x_tick_spacing))
  # plt.qca().xaxis.set_major_locator(mdates.YearLocator())
  # plt.gca().xaxis.set_major_formatter(mdates.DateFormatter('%Y'))
  plt.xlabel('Year', fontsize = 9)
  plt.xticks(rotation = 45, fontsize = 7)
  # plt.xlim(, )
  # Set Y axis
  y_tick_spacing = 1  # Specify the interval for y-axis ticks
  plt.gca().yaxis.set_major_locator(MultipleLocator(y_tick_spacing))
  \hookrightarrow, .0f}'.format(x))) # Adding commas to y-axis labels
  plt.ylabel('Annual Return (%)', fontsize = 9)
  plt.yticks(fontsize = 7)
  # plt.ylim(-20, 20)
  # Set title, etc.
  plt.title('Portfolio Annual Returns', fontsize = 12)
  # Set the grid & legend
  plt.tight_layout()
  plt.grid(True)
  plt.legend(fontsize=8)
  # Save the figure
  plt.savefig('08_Portfolio_Annual_Returns.png', dpi=300, bbox_inches='tight')
  # Display the plot
  return plt.show()
```

2.1 Import Data

The last date of data for SPBDU10T_S&P US Treasury Bond 7-10 Year Total Return Index is:

Close

Date

2024-04-30 579.024

Bloomberg data conversion complete for SPBDU10T_S&P US Treasury Bond 7-10 Year Total Return Index data

[13]:		Bonds_Close	Bonds_Daily_Return	Bonds_Total_Return
	Date			
	1990-01-02	99.972	NaN	NaN
	1990-01-03	99.733	-0.002391	0.997609
	1990-01-04	99.813	0.000802	0.998410
	1990-01-05	99.769	-0.000441	0.997969
	1990-01-08	99.681	-0.000882	0.997089
	•••	•••	•••	•••
	2023-12-22	604.166	-0.000681	6.043352
	2023-12-26	604.555	0.000644	6.047243
	2023-12-27	609.355	0.007940	6.095257
	2023-12-28	606.828	-0.004147	6.069980
	2023-12-29	606.185	-0.001060	6.063548

[8527 rows x 3 columns]

```
[14]: # Stocks dataframe
      bb_data_updater('SPXT_S&P 500 Total Return Index')
      stocks_data = load_data(
          base_directory=DATA_DIR,
          ticker="SPXT_S&P 500 Total Return Index_Clean",
          source="Bloomberg",
          asset_class="Indices",
          timeframe="Daily",
      stocks data['Date'] = pd.to datetime(stocks data['Date'])
      stocks_data.set_index('Date', inplace = True)
      stocks_data = stocks_data[(stocks_data.index >= '1990-01-01') & (stocks_data.
       →index <= '2023-12-31')]</pre>
      stocks_data.rename(columns={'Close':'Stocks_Close'}, inplace=True)
      stocks_data['Stocks_Daily_Return'] = stocks_data['Stocks_Close'].pct_change()
      stocks_data['Stocks_Total_Return'] = (1 + stocks_data['Stocks_Daily_Return']).
       ⇔cumprod()
```

```
stocks_data
     The last date of data for SPXT S&P 500 Total Return Index is:
                    Close
     Date
     2024-04-30 10951.66
     Bloomberg data conversion complete for SPXT_S&P 500 Total Return Index data
[14]:
                 Stocks_Close Stocks_Daily_Return Stocks_Total_Return
     Date
      1990-01-01
                                                                    NaN
                          NaN
                                               NaN
      1990-01-02
                       386.16
                                               NaN
                                                                    NaN
      1990-01-03
                       385.17
                                         -0.002564
                                                               0.997436
      1990-01-04
                       382.02
                                         -0.008178
                                                               0.989279
      1990-01-05
                                         -0.009738
                       378.30
                                                               0.979646
      2023-12-22
                     10292.37
                                          0.001661
                                                              26.653123
      2023-12-26
                     10335.98
                                          0.004237
                                                              26.766056
      2023-12-27
                     10351.60
                                          0.001511
                                                              26.806505
      2023-12-28
                     10356.59
                                         0.000482
                                                              26.819427
      2023-12-29
                     10327.83
                                         -0.002777
                                                              26.744950
      [8584 rows x 3 columns]
[15]: # Gold dataframe
      bb_data_updater('XAU_Gold USD Spot')
      gold data = load data(
         base_directory=DATA_DIR,
         ticker="XAU_Gold USD Spot_Clean",
         source="Bloomberg",
         asset_class="Commodities",
         timeframe="Daily",
      )
      gold_data['Date'] = pd.to_datetime(gold_data['Date'])
      gold_data.set_index('Date', inplace = True)
      gold_data = gold_data[(gold_data.index >= '1990-01-01') & (gold_data.index <=__
      gold_data.rename(columns={'Close':'Gold_Close'}, inplace=True)
      gold_data['Gold_Daily_Return'] = gold_data['Gold_Close'].pct_change()
      gold_data['Gold_Total_Return'] = (1 + gold_data['Gold_Daily_Return']).cumprod()
      gold data
     The last date of data for XAU_Gold USD Spot is:
                   Close
     Date
     2024-05-01 2299.31
     Bloomberg data conversion complete for XAU_Gold USD Spot data
```

1990-01-08

380.04

```
Gold_Close Gold_Daily_Return Gold_Total_Return
[15]:
     Date
      1990-01-02
                      399.00
                                            {\tt NaN}
                                                               NaN
      1990-01-03
                      395.00
                                      -0.010025
                                                          0.989975
      1990-01-04
                      396.50
                                       0.003797
                                                          0.993734
      1990-01-05
                      405.00
                                       0.021438
                                                          1.015038
      1990-01-08
                      404.60
                                      -0.000988
                                                          1.014035
      2023-12-22
                     2053.08
                                       0.003485
                                                          5.145564
      2023-12-26
                     2067.81
                                       0.007175
                                                          5.182481
      2023-12-27
                     2077.49
                                       0.004681
                                                          5.206742
      2023-12-28
                     2065.61
                                      -0.005718
                                                          5.176967
      2023-12-29
                     2062.98
                                      -0.001273
                                                          5.170376
      [8819 rows x 3 columns]
[16]: # Merge the stock data and bond data into a single DataFrame using their
      ⇔indices (dates)
      perm_port = pd.merge(stocks_data['Stocks_Close'], bonds_data['Bonds_Close'],_u
       ⇒left index=True, right index=True)
      # Add gold data to the portfolio DataFrame by merging it with the existing data_
       ⇔on indices (dates)
      perm_port = pd.merge(perm_port, gold_data['Gold_Close'], left_index=True,_u
       →right_index=True)
      # Add a column for cash with a constant value of 1 (assumes the value of cash
       ⇔remains constant at $1 over time)
      perm_port['Cash_Close'] = 1
      # Remove any rows with missing values (NaN) to ensure clean data for further
       →analysis
      perm_port.dropna(inplace=True)
      # Display the finalized portfolio DataFrame
      perm_port
[16]:
                  Stocks Close Bonds Close Gold Close Cash Close
     Date
      1990-01-02
                        386.16
                                     99.972
                                                 399.00
                                                                  1
      1990-01-03
                        385.17
                                     99.733
                                                 395.00
                                                                  1
      1990-01-04
                        382.02
                                     99.813
                                                 396.50
                                                                  1
      1990-01-05
                        378.30
                                     99.769
                                                 405.00
                                                                  1
```

404.60

1

99.681

2023-12-22	10292.37	604.166	2053.08	1
2023-12-26	10335.98	604.555	2067.81	1
2023-12-27	10351.60	609.355	2077.49	1
2023-12-28	10356.59	606.828	2065.61	1
2023-12-29	10327.83	606.185	2062.98	1

[8479 rows x 4 columns]

[17]: # Check for any missing values in each column missing_values = perm_port.isnull().any() # Display columns with missing values

Stocks_Close False
Bonds_Close False
Gold_Close False
Cash_Close False

print(missing_values)

dtype: bool

[18]: df_info(perm_port)

The columns, shape, and data types are:

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>

DatetimeIndex: 8479 entries, 1990-01-02 to 2023-12-29

Data columns (total 4 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Stocks_Close	8479 non-null	float64
1	Bonds_Close	8479 non-null	float64
2	${\tt Gold_Close}$	8479 non-null	float64
3	Cash_Close	8479 non-null	int64

dtypes: float64(3), int64(1)

memory usage: 331.2 KB

 ${\tt None}$

The first 5 rows are:

	Stocks_Close	Bonds_Close	${\tt Gold_Close}$	Cash_Close
Date				
1990-01-02	386.16	99.972	399.0	1
1990-01-03	385.17	99.733	395.0	1
1990-01-04	382.02	99.813	396.5	1
1990-01-05	378.30	99.769	405.0	1
1990-01-08	380.04	99.681	404.6	1

The last 5 rows are:

	Stocks_Close	Bonds_Close	${\tt Gold_Close}$	Cash_Close
Date				
2023-12-22	10292.37	604.166	2053.08	1

2023-12-26	10335.98	604.555	2067.81	1
2023-12-27	10351.60	609.355	2077.49	1
2023-12-28	10356.59	606.828	2065.61	1
2023-12-29	10327.83	606.185	2062.98	1

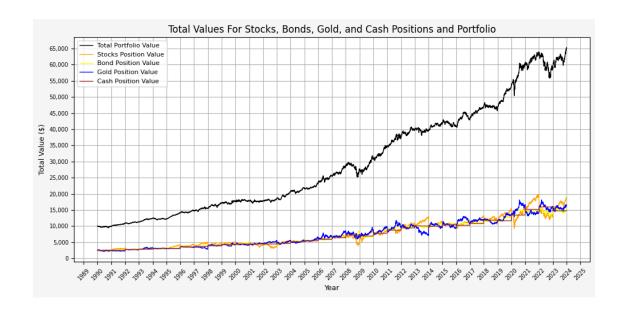
2.2 Execute Strategy

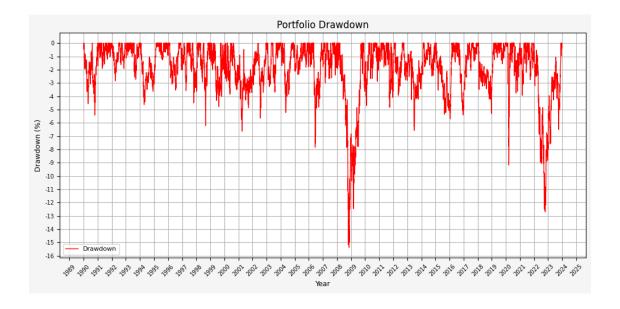
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[19]: # List of funds to be used
      fund_list = ['Stocks', 'Bonds', 'Gold', 'Cash']
      # Starting cash contribution
      starting_cash = 10000
      # Monthly cash contribution
      cash_contrib = 0
      strat = strategy(
          fund_list=fund_list,
          starting_cash=starting_cash,
          cash_contrib=cash_contrib,
          close_prices_df=perm_port,
          rebal_month=1,
          rebal_day=1,
          rebal_per_high=0.35,
          rebal_per_low=0.15)
      strat = strat.set_index('Date')
      sum_stats = summary_stats(
          fund_list=fund_list,
          df=strat[['Return']],
          period="Daily",
          excel_export=False)
      strat_pre_1999 = strat[strat.index < '2000-01-01']
      sum_stats_pre_1999 = summary_stats(
          fund_list=fund_list,
          df=strat_pre_1999[['Return']],
          period="Daily",
          excel_export=False)
      strat_post_1999 = strat[strat.index >= '2000-01-01']
      sum_stats_post_1999 = summary_stats(
          fund_list=fund_list,
          df=strat_post_1999[['Return']],
          period="Daily",
          excel_export=False)
```

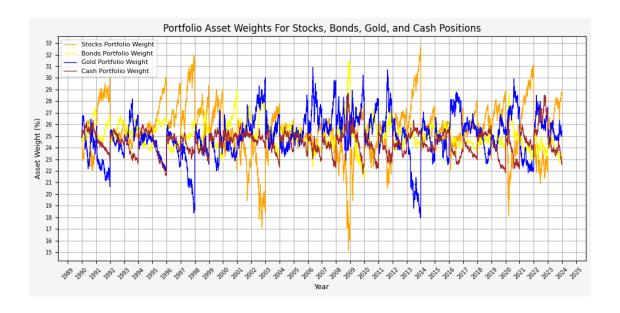
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strat_post_2009 = strat[strat.index >= '2010-01-01']
      sum_stats_post_2009 = summary_stats(
          fund_list=fund_list,
          df=strat_post_2009[['Return']],
          period="Daily",
          excel_export=False)
     Strategy complete for Stocks_Bonds_Gold_Cash.
     Summary stats complete for Stocks_Bonds_Gold Cash.
     Summary stats complete for Stocks_Bonds_Gold_Cash.
     Summary stats complete for Stocks_Bonds_Gold_Cash.
     Summary stats complete for Stocks_Bonds_Gold_Cash.
[20]: all_sum_stats = pd.concat([sum_stats])
      all_sum_stats = all_sum_stats.rename(index={'Return': '1990 - 2023'})
      all_sum_stats = pd.concat([all_sum_stats, sum_stats_pre_1999])
      all_sum_stats = all_sum_stats.rename(index={'Return': 'Pre 1999'})
      all_sum_stats = pd.concat([all_sum_stats, sum_stats_post_1999])
      all_sum_stats = all_sum_stats.rename(index={'Return': 'Post 1999'})
      all_sum_stats = pd.concat([all_sum_stats, sum_stats_post_2009])
      all_sum_stats = all_sum_stats.rename(index={'Return': 'Post 2009'})
      all sum stats
[20]:
                   Annualized Mean Annualized Volatility Annualized Sharpe Ratio \
      1990 - 2023
                          0.083244
                                                 0.072251
                                                                          1.152142
     Pre 1999
                          0.087544
                                                 0.060262
                                                                          1.452712
     Post 1999
                          0.081473
                                                 0.076650
                                                                          1.062923
      Post 2009
                          0.080996
                                                 0.072618
                                                                          1.115373
                       CAGR Daily Max Return Daily Max Return (Date) \
      1990 - 2023 0.083953
                                     0.028794
                                                           2020-03-24
                   0.089462
     Pre 1999
                                     0.021781
                                                           1999-09-28
     Post 1999
                   0.081691
                                    0.028794
                                                           2020-03-24
     Post 2009
                   0.081501
                                     0.028794
                                                           2020-03-24
                   Daily Min Return Daily Min Return (Date) Max Drawdown \
      1990 - 2023
                          -0.029852
                                                 2020-03-12
                                                                -0.153821
      Pre 1999
                          -0.017880
                                                 1993-08-05
                                                                -0.062084
     Post 1999
                          -0.029852
                                                 2020-03-12
                                                                -0.153821
      Post 2009
                          -0.029852
                                                 2020-03-12
                                                                -0.127055
                                 Bottom Recovery Date
                        Peak
      1990 - 2023 2008-03-18 2008-11-12
                                           2009-10-06
                                           1998-11-05
     Pre 1999
                 1998-07-20 1998-08-31
     Post 1999
                  2008-03-18 2008-11-12
                                           2009-10-06
     Post 2009
                 2021-12-27 2022-10-20
                                           2023-12-01
```

```
[21]: plot_cumulative_return(strat)
     plot_values(strat)
      plot_drawdown(strat)
      plot_asset_weights(strat)
      # Create dataframe for the annual returns
      strat_annual_returns = strat['Cumulative_Return'].resample('Y').last().
      →pct_change().dropna()
      strat_annual_returns_df = strat_annual_returns.to_frame()
      strat_annual_returns_df['Year'] = strat_annual_returns_df.index.year # Add a_
       →'Year' column with just the year
      strat_annual_returns_df.reset_index(drop=True, inplace=True) # Reset the index_
       →to remove the datetime index
      # Now the DataFrame will have 'Year' and 'Cumulative Return' columns
      strat_annual_returns_df = strat_annual_returns_df[['Year',__
       → 'Cumulative Return']] # Keep only 'Year' and 'Cumulative Return' columns
      strat annual returns df.rename(columns = {'Cumulative Return':'Return'},
       →inplace=True)
      strat_annual_returns_df.set_index('Year', inplace=True)
      display(strat_annual_returns_df)
      plan_name = '_'.join(fund_list)
      file = plan_name + "_Annual_Returns.xlsx"
      location = file
      strat_annual_returns_df.to_excel(location, sheet_name='data')
      plot_annual_returns(strat_annual_returns_df)
```







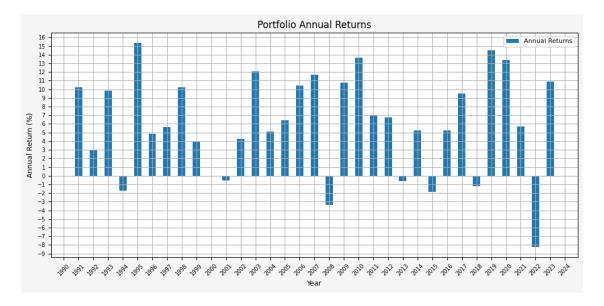


Return

Year

1991 0.102105 1992 0.030323 1993 0.098695 1994 -0.017222 1995 0.153473 1996 0.048529 1997 0.056127 1998 0.102107 1999 0.039196 2000 0.000025 2001 -0.005315 2002 0.042658 2003 0.120939 0.051419 2004 2005 0.064235 2006 0.104307 2007 0.117139 2008 -0.033383 2009 0.107354 2010 0.136550 2011 0.069683 2012 0.067507 2013 -0.006023 2014 0.052264 2015 -0.018332 2016 0.052463 2017 0.094968

```
2018 -0.011949
2019 0.145397
2020 0.133985
2021 0.056786
2022 -0.082424
2023 0.108761
```



2.3 Calculate stats for various rebalance dates

```
# strat = strategy(fund_list, starting_cash, cash_contrib, perm_port,ue)
month, day).set_index('Date')

# sum_stats = summary_stats(fund_list, strat[['Return']], 'Daily')

# stats = pd.concat([stats, sum_stats], ignore_index=True)

# stats.loc[stats.index[-1], 'Rebal_Month'] = month

# stats.loc[stats.index[-1], 'Rebal_Day'] = day

# display(stats)

# plan_name = '_'.join(fund_list)

# file = plan_name + "_All_Summary_Stats.xlsx"

# location = file

# stats.to_excel(location, sheet_name='data')

# print(f"All summary stats complete for {plan_name}.")
```