## harry-browne-permanent-portfolio

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

## 1.1 Python Imports

```
[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_
     # Now you can import settings.py
     from settings import config
     # Get configured directories and add 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
     # 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 Import Functions

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

## 1.4 Track Index Dependencies

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

### 1.5.1 bb\_data\_updater

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[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
         df.set_index('Date', inplace = True)
         # Drop the volume column
             df.drop(columns = {'PX_VOLUME'}, inplace = True)
         except KeyError:
             pass
         # Rename column
         df.rename(columns = {'PX_LAST':'Close'}, inplace = True)
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# 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"------")
```

## 1.5.2 strategy

```
[6]: def strategy(
         fund list,
         starting_cash,
         cash_contrib,
         close_prices_df,
         rebal_month,
         rebal_day,
         rebal_per_high,
         rebal_per_low
     ):
         Execute the rebalance strategy based on specified criteria.
         Args:
             fund\_list (str): List of funds for data to be combined from. Funds are \sqcup
      ⇔strings in the form "BTC-USD".
             starting_cash (int): Starting investment balance.
             cash_contrib (int): Cash contribution to be made daily.
             close\_prices\_df (pd.DataFrame): DataFrame containing date and close_{\sqcup}
      ⇒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:
             pd.DataFrame: DataFrame containing strategy data for all funds to be_{\sqcup}
      ⇔included. Also dumps the df to excel for reference later.
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         num_funds = len(fund_list)
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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)

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  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"]
  df[fund + "_AA_Port_%"]
  df['Total_AA_$_Invested']
  # Calculate the columns and initial values for before action (BA) shares, \sharp_{\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"
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# 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"]

               # 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_$_Invested'] = Total_BA_Invested
           # Initialize variables
           rebalance = "No"
           date = row['Date']
           # Check for a specific date annually
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# Simple if statement to check if date_to_check is in_
\rightarrow jan_28_or_after_each_year
           if date in rebal_dates_by_year['Date'].values:
               rebalance = "Yes"
           else:
               pass
           # Check to see if any asset has portfolio percentage of greater
→than 35% or less than 15% and if so set variable
           for fund in fund list:
               if df.at[index, fund + "_BA_Port_%"] > rebal_per_high or df.
→at[index, fund + "_BA_Port_%"] < rebal_per_low:</pre>
                   rebalance = "Yes"
               else:
                   pass
           # If rebalance is required, rebalance back to 25% for each asset,_{\sf L}
⇔else just divide contribution evenly across assets
           if rebalance == "Yes":
               df.at[index, 'Rebalance'] = rebalance
               for fund in fund list:
                       df.at[index, fund + "_AA_$_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_$_Invested"] = df.at[index,__
□fund + "_BA_$_Invested"] + df.at[index, 'Contribution'] * 0.25
           # 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 +
# 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
```

#### 1.5.3 summary\_stats

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[7]: # Stats for entire data set
     def summary_stats(
         fund_list,
         df,
         period,
         excel_export
     ):
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         Calculate summary statistics for the given fund list and return data.
         Args:
             fund_list (str): List of funds for data to be combined from. Funds are_
      ⇔strings in the form "BTC-USD".
             df (df): Dataframe with return data.
             period (str): Period for which to calculate statistics. Options are \Box
      → "Monthly", "Weekly", "Daily", "Hourly".
             excel_export (bool): If True, export to excel file.
         Returns:
             pd.DataFrame: DataFrame containing various portfolio statistics.
         if period == "Monthly":
             timeframe = 12 # months
         elif period == "Weekly":
             timeframe = 52 # weeks
         elif period == "Daily":
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timeframe = 365 # days
  elif period == "Hourly":
      timeframe = 8760 # hours
      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) #__
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) #__
\rightarrowannualized
  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]
  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].
→idxmin():]]).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
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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
```

## 1.5.4 plot\_cumulative\_return

```
[8]: def plot_cumulative_return(strat_df):
                          # Generate plot
                          plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5), facecolor = '#F5F5F5')
                          # Plotting data
                          plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Cumulative_Return'], label = 'Strategy_
                  →Cumulative Return', linestyle='-', color='green', 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('\( \frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\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
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plt.savefig('03_Cumulative_Return.png', dpi=300, bbox_inches='tight')
# Display the plot
return plt.show()
```

#### 1.5.5 plot\_values

```
[9]: def plot_values(strat_df):
         # Generate plot
         plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5), facecolor = '#F5F5F5')
         # Plotting data
         plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Total_AA_$_Invested'], label='Total_
      →Portfolio Value', linestyle='-', color='black', linewidth=1)
         plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Stocks_AA_$_Invested'], label='Stocks_L
      →Position Value', linestyle='-', color='orange', linewidth=1)
         plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Bonds_AA_$_Invested'], label='Bond_
      →Position Value', linestyle='-', color='yellow', linewidth=1)
         plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Gold_AA_$_Invested'], label='Gold_
      ⇔Position Value', linestyle='-', color='blue', linewidth=1)
         plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Cash_AA $ Invested'], label='Cash_
      →Position Value', 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 = 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: '{:,..
      \hookrightarrow 0f}'.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
      →Portfolio', fontsize = 12)
         # Set the grid & legend
```

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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()
```

#### 1.5.6 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 *,,
       →100
          # Generate plot
          plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5), facecolor = '#F5F5F5')
          # Plotting data
          plt.plot(strat_df.index, drawdown, label='Drawdown', linestyle='-',u
       ⇔color='red', 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.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)
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# 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()
```

### 1.5.7 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_u
                  →Portfolio Weight', linestyle='-', color='yellow', linewidth=1)
                        plt.plot(strat_df.index, strat_df['Gold_AA_Port_%'] * 100, label='Gold_
                 →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.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('\( \frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\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}\firk}\f{\frac{\frac{\frac{\f
                        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.yticks(fontsize = 7)
                        # plt.ylim(14, 36)
                        # Set title, etc.
```

#### 1.5.8 plot annual returns

```
[12]: def plot_annual_returns(return_df):
          # Generate plot
          plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5), facecolor = '#F5F5F5')
          # Plotting data
          plt.bar(return_df.index, return_df['Return'] * 100, label='Annual Returns', u
       →width=0.5) # width adjusted for better spacing
          # Set X axis
          x_tick_spacing = 1 # 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.qca().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('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()
```

## 1.6 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

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| [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           |

```
[14]: # Stocks dataframe
      bb data updater('SPXT S&P 500 Total Return Index')
      stocks_data = load_data('SPXT_S&P 500 Total Return Index_Clean.xlsx')
      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
                           {\tt NaN}
                                                {\tt NaN}
                                                                     NaN
      1990-01-02
                        386.16
                                                                     NaN
                                                NaN
                                                                0.997436
      1990-01-03
                        385.17
                                          -0.002564
      1990-01-04
                        382.02
                                          -0.008178
                                                                0.989279
      1990-01-05
                        378.30
                                          -0.009738
                                                                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
                                           0.000482
                                                               26.819427
                      10356.59
      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('XAU Gold USD Spot Clean.xlsx')
      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
[15]:
                  Gold_Close Gold_Daily_Return Gold_Total_Return
     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,__
       →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
                                                                   1
      1990-01-04
                        382.02
                                     99.813
                                                  396.50
      1990-01-05
                        378.30
                                     99.769
                                                  405.00
                                                                   1
      1990-01-08
                        380.04
                                     99.681
                                                  404.60
                                                                   1
                                                 2053.08
      2023-12-22
                      10292.37
                                    604.166
                                                                   1
      2023-12-26
                      10335.98
                                    604.555
                                                 2067.81
                                                                   1
                                                 2077.49
                                                                   1
      2023-12-27
                      10351.60
                                    609.355
      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
      print(missing_values)
     Stocks_Close
                     False
     Bonds Close
                     False
     Gold Close
                     False
     Cash Close
                     False
     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
          _____
                         _____
          Stocks_Close 8479 non-null
                                         float64
      0
      1
          Bonds Close
                        8479 non-null
                                         float64
          Gold Close
      2
                        8479 non-null
                                         float64
          Cash Close
                        8479 non-null
                                         int64
     dtypes: float64(3), int64(1)
     memory usage: 331.2 KB
     None
     The first 5 rows are:
                 Stocks_Close Bonds_Close Gold_Close Cash_Close
     Date
     1990-01-02
                                     99.972
                                                  399.0
                        386.16
                                                                   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
The last 5 rows are:
           Stocks_Close Bonds_Close 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
                             609.355
2023-12-27
                                          2077.49
                10351.60
                                                            1
2023-12-28
                10356.59
                              606.828
                                          2065.61
                                                            1
2023-12-29
                10327.83
                              606.185
                                          2062.98
                                                            1
```

## 1.7 Execute Strategy

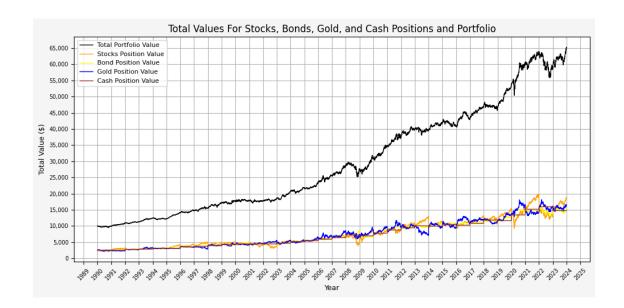
```
[19]: # List of funds to be used
      fund_list = ['Stocks', 'Bonds', 'Gold', 'Cash']
      # Starting cash contribution
      starting_cash = 10000
      # Monthly cash contribution
      cash_contrib = 0
      strat = strategy(
          fund_list=fund_list,
          starting_cash=starting_cash,
          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",
```

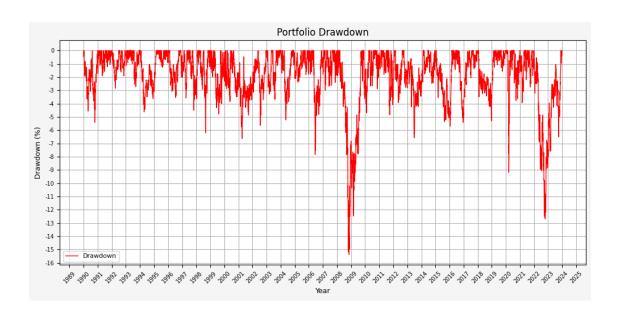
```
excel_export=False)
      strat post 1999 = strat[strat.index >= '2000-01-01']
      sum_stats_post_1999 = summary_stats(
          fund_list=fund_list,
          df=strat_post_1999[['Return']],
          period="Daily",
          excel_export=False)
      strat_post_2009 = strat[strat.index >= '2010-01-01']
      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
      Pre 1999
                   0.089462
                                     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
                                                                -0.062084
                                                 1993-08-05
     Post 1999
                         -0.029852
                                                 2020-03-12
                                                                -0.153821
```

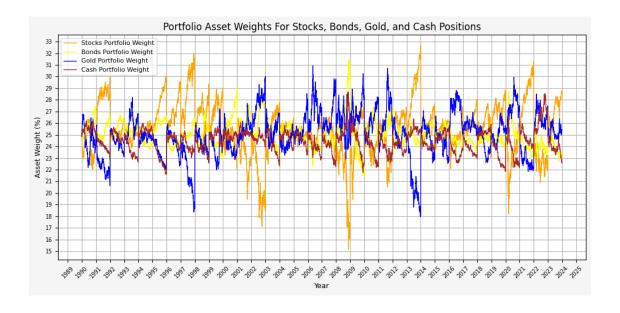
Post 2009 -0.029852 2020-03-12 -0.127055 Peak Bottom Recovery Date 1990 - 2023 2008-03-18 2008-11-12 2009-10-06 Pre 1999 1998-07-20 1998-08-31 1998-11-05 Post 1999 2008-03-18 2008-11-12 2009-10-06 Post 2009 2021-12-27 2022-10-20 2023-12-01 [21]: plot\_cumulative\_return(strat) plot\_values(strat) plot\_drawdown(strat) 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)



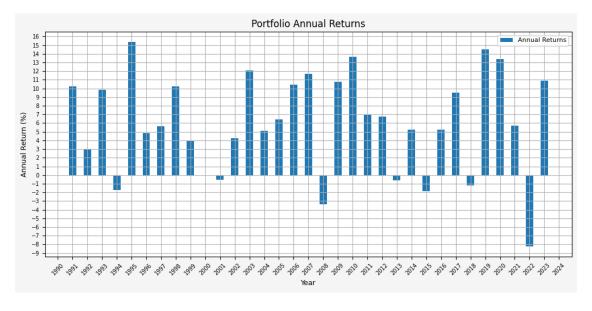






## Return

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 2004 0.051419 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



#### 1.8 Calculate stats for various rebalance dates

```
[22]: # # List of funds to be used
      # fund_list = ['Stocks', 'Bonds', 'Gold', 'Cash']
      # # Starting cash contribution
      # starting_cash = 10000
      # # Monthly cash contribution
      \# cash contrib = 0
      # months = list(range(1, 13))
      \# days = list(range(1, 28))
      \# stats = pd.DataFrame(columns = ['Rebal_Month', 'Rebal_Day', 'Annualized_
       Mean', 'Annualized Volatility', 'Annualized Sharpe Ratio', 'CAGR',
                                         'Daily Max Return', 'Daily Max Return
       → (Date)', 'Daily Min Return', 'Daily Min Return (Date)', 'Max Drawdown',
                                        'Peak', 'Bottom', 'Recovery Date'])
      # for month in months:
           for day in days:
                strat = strategy(fund_list, starting_cash, cash_contrib, perm_port,_
       ⇔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}.")
```