

Table 3: **Performance Metrics Comparison (2000–2025)**

Performance metrics computed from daily returns over the 2000–2025 sample. CAGR (Compound Annual Growth Rate) measures the annualized return. Max Drawdown represents the maximum peak-to-trough decline. Calmar Ratio is the ratio of CAGR to absolute Max Drawdown, measuring risk-adjusted returns.

Metric	S&P 500 (Benchmark)	Minsky Hedge (Bond Switch)	Minsky Levered (1.5x)
CAGR	7.7%	6.9%	7.6%
Max Drawdown	-56.8%	-26.0%	-39.6%
Calmar Ratio	0.13	0.26	0.19