

# US 50 Dividend Strategy Portfolio, Series 44

## Investment Objective

The US 50 Dividend Strategy Portfolio, Series 44 (Trust) seeks to provide dividend income.

## Key Considerations

- **High Dividend Yield:** The Trust seeks to identify companies with the highest dividend yields relative to their peers.
- **Diversification:** The Trust provides diversified exposure to 50 all-capitalization, high dividend yielding U.S.-listed stocks across economic sectors that are equal-weighted by company, as of date of deposit.\*
- **Balance Sheet Strength:** Guggenheim believes companies that exhibit strong fundamentals and that distribute significant dividends on a consistent basis generally demonstrate financial strength and positive performance relative to their peers.

\*Diversification does not ensure a profit or eliminate the risk of loss.

## ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS<sup>1</sup>

Hypothetical Strategy vs. S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index.

Year <sup>2</sup>	Hypothetical Strategy	S&P 500 <sup>®</sup> Value Index
2000	8.80%	6.07%
2001+	14.17%	-11.70%
2002	-11.47%	-20.85%
2003	27.81%	31.79%
2004	12.32%	15.69%
2005	1.17%	5.85%
2006	19.69%	20.85%
2007	0.58%	1.99%
2008	-35.26%	-39.21%
2009	36.97%	21.17%
2010	23.00%	15.10%
2011	9.76%	-0.49%
2012	4.41%	17.66%
2013	30.96%	31.97%
2014	9.76%	12.34%
2015	-10.70%	-3.14%
2016	24.71%	17.39%
2017	3.19%	15.35%
2018	-11.95%	-8.97%
2019	14.30%	31.92%
2020	-4.18%	1.35%
2021	19.72%	24.86%
2022	-1.98%	-5.27%
2023	8.48%	22.19%
2024	1.64%	12.27%
2025 (through 3.31.2025)	-3.87%	0.29%

<sup>1</sup> Annual total returns are calculated using closing prices beginning 12.31 the previous year and ending 12.31 the stated year, for the noted one year period, except that for 2025. Total return measures change in the value of an investment assuming reinvestment of all dividends and capital gains. These hypothetical results represent past performance of the strategy and not the actual Trust. Past performance does not guarantee future results. There can be no assurance that the Trust will achieve better performance than the S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index or over any investment period in the Trust.

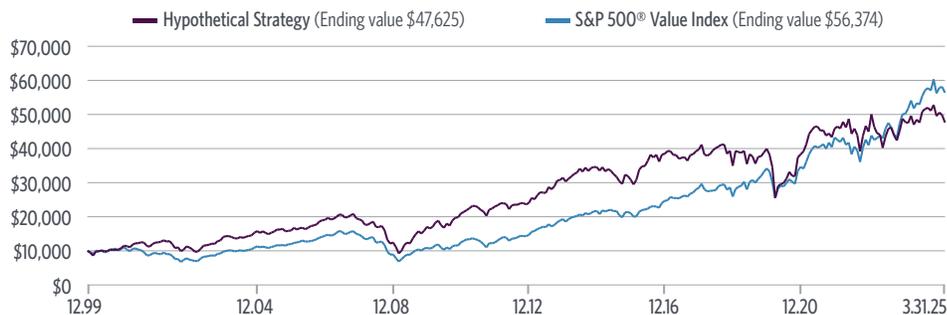
<sup>2</sup> It is assumed that the investment is liquidated at the end of the time series shown here, resulting in application of relevant fees and charges.  
+ These returns are the result of extraordinary market events and are not expected to be repeated.

## The Appeal of Diversified High Dividend Payers

In recognition of the important role that dividends can play in a portfolio, Guggenheim Funds Distributors, LLC created the US 50 Dividend Strategy Portfolio. The Trust provides diversified exposure to 50 high dividend yielding U.S.-listed stocks across economic sectors that are equal-weighted by company, as of date of deposit.\*

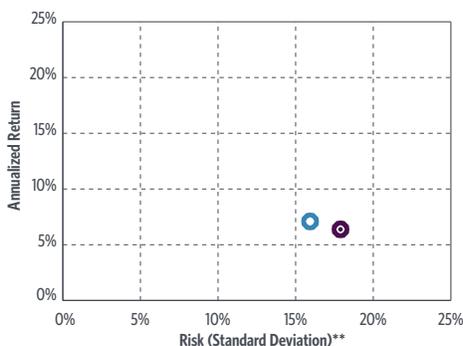
### GROWTH OF \$10,000

Hypothetical Strategy vs. S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index 12.31.1999-3.31.2025.



### HISTORICAL RISK/RETURN

Hypothetical Strategy vs. S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index 12.31.1999-3.31.2025.



- Hypothetical Strategy - Risk (Standard Deviation): 17.89%, Return: 6.38%
- S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index - Risk (Standard Deviation): 15.93%, Return: 7.09%

### RISK ANALYSIS<sup>3</sup>

Hypothetical Strategy vs. S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index 12.31.1999-3.31.2025.

	Hypothetical Strategy	S&P 500 <sup>®</sup> Value Index
Standard Deviation	17.89%	15.93%
Sharpe Ratio	0.26	0.34
Alpha	-0.52%	0.00%
Beta	1.02	1.00
Up-market Capture Ratio	96.48%	100.00%
Down-market Capture Ratio	99.74%	100.00%

<sup>3</sup> Index Return data and Risk Free Rates data are from Bloomberg. Guggenheim calculates numerical data illustrated from raw data received from partners. Calculations are based on annualized figures.

\*\*See last page for Portfolio Characteristic Definitions

### AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS

Hypothetical Strategy vs. S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index through 12.31.2024.

Time Period	Hypothetical Strategy	S&P 500 <sup>®</sup> Value Index
Life of model (12.31.1999 - 12.31.2024)	6.61%	7.15%
10-Year	3.67%	9.98%
5-Year	4.39%	10.46%
3-Year	2.62%	9.13%
1-Year	1.64%	12.27%

All strategy performance is hypothetical (not any actual Trust) and reflects Trust sales charges and estimated expenses but not brokerage commissions on stocks or taxes. Hypothetical performance is based on the assumption that the portfolio reconstitution would have occurred annually. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Actual returns will vary from hypothetical strategy returns due to timing differences and because the Trust may not be invested equally in all stocks or be fully invested at all times. In any given year the strategy may lose money or underperform the Index. High returns are highly unusual and cannot be sustained. Investors should also be aware that these returns were primarily achieved during favorable market conditions. Growth of \$10,000 chart is based on monthly net returns for both the strategy and index.

**S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Value Index** (the "Index") draws its constituents from the S&P 500 Index by selecting value stocks based upon the following three factors: the ratios of book value, earnings and sales to price. Indices are statistical composites and their returns do not include payment of any sales charges or fees an investor would pay to purchase the securities they represent. Such costs would lower performance. The Index is unmanaged, it is not possible to invest directly in the Index, and its returns do not include payment of any sales charges or fees which would lower performance. The historical performance of the Index is shown for illustrative purposes only; it is not meant to forecast, imply or guarantee the future performance of any particular investment or the Trust, which will vary. Securities in which the Trust invests may differ from those in the Index. The Trust will not try to replicate the performance of the Index and will not necessarily invest any substantial portion of its assets in securities in the Index. There is no guarantee that the perceived intrinsic value of a security will be realized.

Source for all data is Guggenheim Funds Distributors, LLC, unless otherwise stated.

## Security Selection

The Trust's portfolio was constructed and the securities were selected on April 22, 2025 (the "Security Selection Date") using the following security selection rules:

### 1. Initial Universe:

Begin with the universe of all stocks issued by large-, mid- and small-capitalization companies that trade on one of the three major U.S. exchanges and that are designated as a U.S. company as of the Security Selection Date. U.S. designation requires a company to have its primary listing on an eligible U.S. exchange, along with other factors such as plurality of its assets and revenues. This initial universe may include U.S.-listed foreign securities and real estate investment trusts.

### 2. Define Sub-Universe:

Reduce the initial universe of securities to a sub-universe that meets the following requirements, as of the Security Selection Date:

- Exclude securities with a share price less than \$5.
- Exclude securities with a market capitalization less than \$1 billion, as provided by FactSet based on the closing price as of the Security Selection Date.
- Exclude securities with trading liquidity of less than \$1 million, as determined by the median daily dollar trading volume (i.e., volume in shares multiplied by the closing price for the day, as provided by FactSet) during a 90-trading day look back from the Security Selection Date.

### 3. Rank on Dividends:

Rank every company identified in the sub-universe against other companies in the same sectors/group, as defined by Global Industry Classification Standard ("GICS") (the Sponsor combines the financial and real estate sectors as one sector, as they were one sector prior to September 1, 2016) as of the Security Selection Date, based on current dividend yield. The dividend yields were calculated by annualizing the last quarterly or semi-annual ordinary dividend declared and dividing the result by the market value of the security as of the close of business on the Security Selection Date.

### 4. Selection:

Select from the sub-universe the five securities within each of the 10 GICS sectors/groups (the Sponsor combines the financial and real estate sectors as one sector, as they were one sector prior to September 1, 2016) for this strategy with the highest dividend yield and equally weight these securities to create a portfolio of 50 equally-weighted common stocks as of the Security Selection Date, ensuring a minimum 80% in U.S. incorporated companies. If the portfolio violates the 80% minimum in U.S. incorporated companies, the lowest yielding foreign incorporated security will be removed and replaced by the next highest yielding U.S. incorporated company in that sector. This substitution process will be repeated, if necessary, until 80% of the portfolio consists of U.S. incorporated companies.

Please note that due to the fluctuating nature of security prices, the weighting of an individual security or sector in the Trust portfolio may change after the Security Selection Date.

## PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS

Holdings, breakdown, and weightings are as of 4.28.2025 and subject to change.

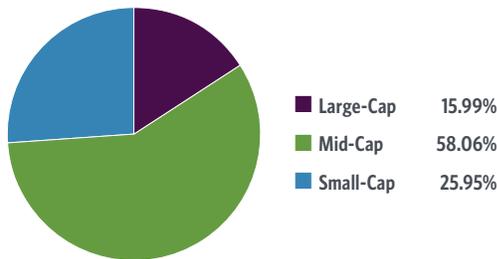
Symbol	Company Name
<b>Common Stocks (90.01%)</b>	
<b>Communication Services (10.03%)</b>	
CABO	Cable One, Inc.
CCOI	Cogent Communications Holdings, Inc.
NXST	Nexstar Media Group, Inc.
OMC	Omnicom Group, Inc.
VZ	Verizon Communications, Inc.
<b>Consumer Discretionary (9.98%)</b>	
CRI	Carter's, Inc.
PII	Polaris, Inc.
WEN	The Wendy's Company
UPBD	Upbound Group, Inc.
WHR	Whirlpool Corporation
<b>Consumer Staples (10.02%)</b>	
MO	Altria Group, Inc.
CAG	Conagra Brands, Inc.
FLO	Flowers Foods, Inc.
KHC	The Kraft Heinz Company
UVV	Universal Corporation
<b>Energy (9.99%)</b>	
AESI	Atlas Energy Solutions, Inc.
CIVI	Civitas Resources, Inc.
INSW	International Seaways, Inc.
NOG	Northern Oil and Gas, Inc.
PBF	PBF Energy, Inc.
<b>Health Care (10.00%)</b>	
BMJ	Bristol-Myers Squibb Company
XRAY	DENTSPLY SIRONA, Inc.
OGN	Organon & Company
PFE	Pfizer, Inc.
VTRS	Viatis, Inc.
<b>Industrials (10.03%)</b>	
MAN	ManpowerGroup, Inc.
RHI	Robert Half, Inc.

Symbol	Company Name
SWK	Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.
TRN	Trinity Industries, Inc.
UPS	United Parcel Service, Inc.
<b>Information Technology (9.97%)</b>	
HPQ	HP, Inc.
MCHP	Microchip Technology, Inc.
STX	Seagate Technology Holdings PLC
SWKS	Skyworks Solutions, Inc.
TXN	Texas Instruments, Inc.
<b>Materials (9.99%)</b>	
AMCR	Arcor PLC
DOW	Dow, Inc.
FMC	FMC Corporation
LYB	LyondellBasell Industries NV
CC	The Chemours Company
<b>Utilities (10.00%)</b>	
CWEN	Clearway Energy, Inc.
D	Dominion Energy, Inc.
EIX	Edison International
ES	Eversource Energy
AES	The AES Corporation
<b>Real Estate Investment Trusts (9.99%)</b>	
<b>Financials (8.00%)</b>	
NLY	Annaly Capital Management, Inc.
ABR	Arbor Realty Trust, Inc.
ARR	ARMOUR Residential REIT, Inc.
TWO	Two Harbors Investment Corporation
<b>Real Estate (1.99%)</b>	
DEA	Easterly Government Properties, Inc.

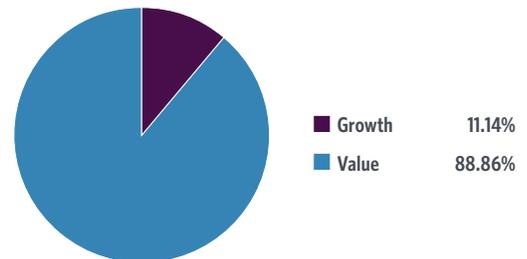
## Portfolio Allocation

Breakdown and weightings are as of 4.28.2025 and subject to change.

### CAPITALIZATION BREAKDOWN



### STYLE BREAKDOWN



### PORTFOLIO SUMMARY

Inception Date	4.29.2025
Termination Date	7.29.2026
Initial Offer Price	\$10.00
Number of Issues	50
Historical Annual Dividend Distribution <sup>4</sup>	\$0.6666
Distributions	25th day of each month commencing on 5.25.2025, if any

<sup>4</sup>The Historical Annual Dividend Distribution (HADD) is as of the day prior to trust deposit and subject to change. There is no guarantee the issuers of the securities included in the Trust will declare dividends or distributions in the future. The HADD of the securities included in the Trust is for illustrative purposes only and is not indicative of the Trust's distribution rate. The HADD is the weighted average of the trailing twelve-month distributions paid by the securities included in the portfolio and is reduced to account for the effects of fees and expenses, which will be incurred when investing in the Trust. The HADD will vary due to certain factors that may include, but are not limited to, a change in the dividends paid by issuers, a change in Trust expenses or the sale or maturity of securities in the portfolio.

### TICKETING INFORMATION - CUSIPS

Cash	40178H724
Reinvest	40178H732
Fee/Cash	40178H740
Fee/Reinvest	40178H757
Ticker	CUFTSX

### SALES CHARGES AND ESTIMATED EXPENSES

The sales charges (S/C) and estimated expenses are based on a \$10 per unit offering price.

	Standard	Fee/Wrap <sup>5</sup>
Deferred S/C <sup>6</sup>	1.35%	-
Creation and Development (C&D) Fee	0.50%	0.50%
Total S/C	1.85%	0.50%
Estimated Organization Expenses <sup>7</sup>	0.36%	0.36%
Estimated Annual Fund Operating Expenses <sup>8</sup>	0.23%	0.23%

<sup>5</sup>Fee/Wrap-based accounts will not be assessed the deferred sales charge for eligible purchases and must purchase units with a Fee-based CUSIP. For unit prices other than \$10, percentage of the C&D fee will vary. <sup>6</sup>The deferred sales charge (DSC) is a fixed amount and will be deducted in monthly installments on the last business day commencing August 2025 and ending October 2025 or upon early redemption. For unit prices other than \$10, percentages of C&D fees, and DSCs will vary but in no event will the maximum sales charge (S/C) exceed the total S/C. Early redemption of units will still cause payment of the DSC. However, an initial sales charge, which is equal to the difference between the maximum S/C and the sum of any remaining deferred S/C charges and C&D, will be charged if the price paid for units exceeds \$10 per unit. <sup>7</sup>Estimated Organization Expenses are assessed on a fixed dollar amount per unit basis, therefore, actual organization costs may be more or less than estimates. For additional information on organizational costs and potential caps, please see the prospectus. <sup>8</sup>Trust operating expenses include fees for administration, bookkeeping, the trustee, sponsor, and evaluator. This expense also includes an estimated Trust operating expense based upon an estimated trust size. If the Trust does not reach or falls below the estimated size, the actual amount of the operating expenses may exceed the amount reflected. Please see "Fees and Expenses" in the Trusts prospectus for additional information.

## THE GUGGENHEIM DIFFERENCE

From broad-based strategies to more niche market segments, Guggenheim employs a rigorous investment process to create professionally selected UIT portfolios that provide access to diverse asset classes, investment styles, and market sectors. Our approach, designed to be predictable, repeatable and efficient, is supported by a unique risk budget framework. We leverage the diverse expertise of our specialized investment teams to deliver distinctive strategies to meet the evolving needs of today's investors.

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**The US 50 Dividend Strategy Portfolio, Series 44 is a Unit Investment Trust.**

**PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTIC DEFINITIONS:** **Standard Deviation** is a measure of historical volatility that indicates the degree to which an investment's returns fluctuate around its average return. Generally, a higher standard deviation indicates a more risky investment. **Sharpe Ratio** is a measure of reward per unit of risk. A higher Sharpe Ratio indicates outperformance on a historical risk-adjusted performance basis, while a lower Sharpe Ratio indicates underperformance on a historical risk-adjusted performance basis. **Alpha** is a coefficient, which measures risk-adjusted performance, factoring in the risk due to the specific security, rather than the overall market. A high value for alpha implies that the stock or mutual fund has performed better than would have been expected given its beta (volatility). **Beta** is the measure of a portfolio's sensitivity to the Index. By definition, the beta of the Index is 1.00. Any portfolio with a higher beta is more volatile than the Index. Likewise, any portfolio with a lower beta will be less volatile than the Index in the stated period. The **Up-Market Capture Ratio** is a measure of a portfolio in up-markets relative to the Index during the same period. A ratio value of 115 indicates that the portfolio has outperformed the market index by 15% in periods when the Index has risen. The **Down-Market Capture Ratio** is the direct opposite of the up-market capture ratio, gauging performance of the portfolio relative to the Index in down-markets. A ratio value of 80 would indicate the portfolio has declined only 80% as much as the declining overall market, indicating relative outperformance.

**RISK CONSIDERATIONS:** As with all investments, you may lose some or all of your investment in the Trust. No assurance can be given that the Trust's investment objective will be achieved. The

Trust also might not perform as well as you expect. This can happen for reasons such as these: • Securities prices can be volatile. The value of your investment may fall over time. Market values of the Trust's securities fluctuate in response to various factors affecting an issuer. Events such as war, terrorism, natural and environmental disasters and public health emergencies are impossible to predict and may adversely affect the economy which may negatively impact the performance of the Trust and the Trust's ability to achieve its investment objectives. • The Trust invests significantly in the consumer products sector. As a result, the factors that impact the consumer products sector will likely have a greater effect on this Trust than on a more broadly diversified trust. General risks of companies in the consumer products sector include cyclicality of revenues and earnings, economic recession, currency fluctuations, changing consumer tastes, extensive competition, product liability litigation and increased government regulation. A weak economy and its effect on consumer spending would adversely affect companies in the consumer products sector. • The Trust includes real estate investment trusts ("REITs"), which may concentrate their investments in specific geographic areas or property types. The value of REITs and their ability to distribute income may be adversely affected by several factors, including rising interest rates, changes in economic and real estate conditions, and other factors beyond the control of the issuer. • The Trust invests in securities issued by small- and mid-cap companies, which involve more investment risk due to limited product lines, markets or financial resources and may be more vulnerable to adverse general market or economic developments. • The Trust may be susceptible to potential risks through breaches in cybersecurity. • The Trust is subject to risks arising from various operational factors and their service providers. Although the Trust seeks to reduce operational

risks through controls and procedures, there is no way to completely protect against such risks. **Please see the Trust prospectus for more complete risk information.**

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