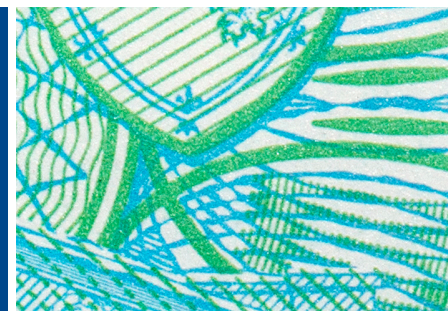


Intelligent Multi-Strategy Currency Factor



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BENEFITS

- Based on well established economic theories for trading currencies
- Systematic in nature
- Transparent and easy to understand

BACKGROUND

- Strategy commenced trading January 2000
- Aims to improve risk-adjusted returns vs simple currency factors

INVESTMENT APPROACH

- Applies a risk filter and adjusts trade sizes in periods of risk aversion for Carry
- Links the magnitude of the trade signal's information co-efficient to the size of trade weight

INTELLIGENT MULTI-STRATEGY CURRENCY FACTOR

Description	Currency factor returns
Investment style	Multi-strategy, Systematic, Monthly trading
Region	G10
Instruments	FX forwards
Structural details	
Vehicles offered	Managed accounts
Liquidity	Daily
Investment manager	Mesirow Currency Management
Regulators	FCA (UK) / SEC (US) / CFTC (US) / SFC (HK)

\$176B currency assets²

30+ currency professionals

15+ portfolio management average years' experience

20+ trading average years' experience

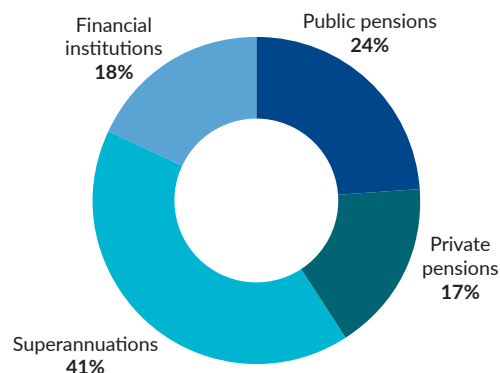
4 global office locations

24 hours trading capabilities

\$715B annual trading volume

20+ panel of bank counterparties

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MONTHLY PERFORMANCE DATA

(Hypothetical returns, January 2000 – November 2020 | Live returns, December 2020 – November 2024)

	MTD	QTD	YTD	1-Year*	3-Year (pa)*	5-Year (pa)*	Since January 2000 (pa)*
Gross of fees	-0.31%	-0.97%	-0.03%	-0.92%	-0.23%	0.26%	3.30%
Net of fees	-0.32%	-1.02%	-0.21%	-1.12%	-0.43%	0.06%	3.09%

*Annualized numbers

SUMMARY STATISTICS

(Hypothetical returns, January 2000 – November 2020 | Live returns, December 2020 – November 2024)

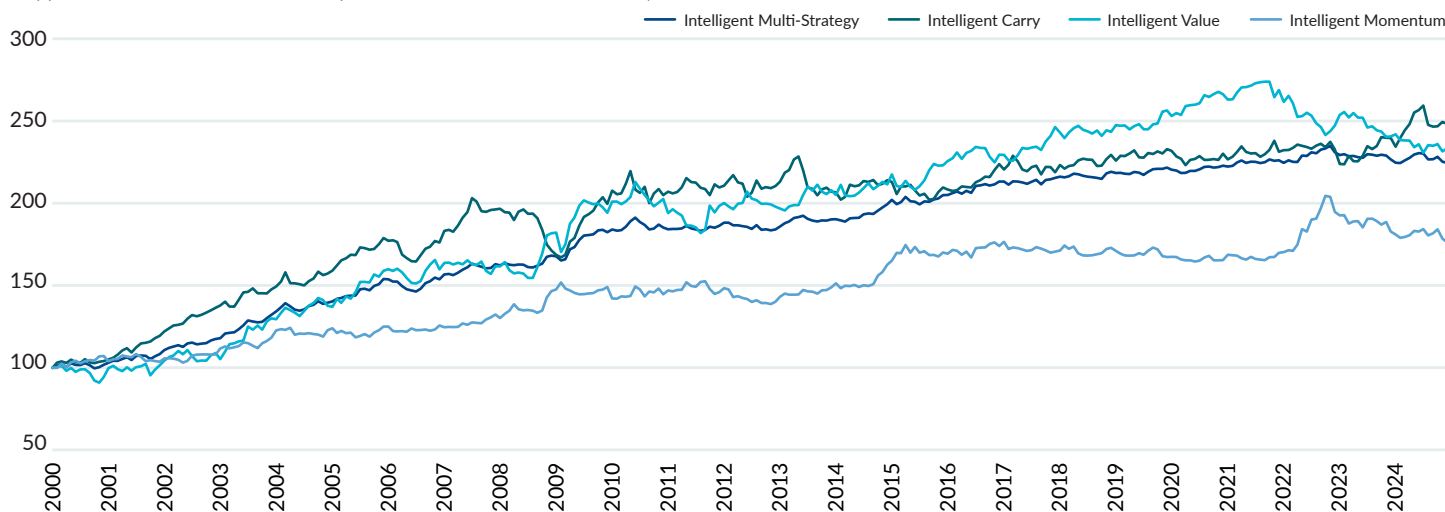
	Gross	Net
Annualized return	3.30%	3.09%
Annualized risk	3.21%	3.21%
Return/Risk	1.03	0.96
Maximum drawdown	-4.90%	-5.01%
% Months positive	60%	60%
12m rolling return	-0.92%	-1.12%
6m rolling return	-2.55%	-2.65%
3m rolling return	-0.97%	-1.02%

CORRELATION

	Equities (MSCI World)	Bonds (Barclays Global Agg.)	Commodities (Thomson Reuters CRB Commodity Index)
Intelligent Multi-Strategy	0.01	-0.15	-0.06
Sub-factors			
Intelligent Carry	0.33	-0.04	0.29
Intelligent Value	-0.12	-0.14	-0.25
Intelligent Momentum	-0.21	-0.04	-0.11

NET ASSET VALUE: GROSS PERFORMANCE OF THE INTELLIGENT MULTI-STRATEGY CURRENCY FACTOR AND THE SUB-COMPONENTS

(Hypothetical returns, January 2000 – November 2020 | Live returns, December 2020 – November 2024)



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INTELLIGENT MULTI-STRATEGY CURRENCY FACTOR: MONTHLY PERFORMANCE DATA

(Hypothetical returns, January 2000 – November 2020 | Live returns, December 2020 – November 2024)

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD
Gross performance (%)													
2000	1.13	1.41	-2.04	2.25	-0.91	-0.17	1.14	-1.16	-1.86	0.72	1.43	1.22	3.08
2001	1.18	-0.05	1.13	1.01	-1.62	2.29	0.36	-0.23	-1.87	1.62	1.23	2.31	7.50
2002	1.22	0.66	0.75	-0.94	1.90	0.47	-0.95	0.42	0.25	1.39	0.83	0.36	6.51
2003	2.42	0.28	0.29	1.61	1.83	2.38	-0.47	-0.44	0.21	1.79	1.57	1.55	13.76
2004	1.87	1.85	-1.40	-1.49	-0.43	0.53	1.52	0.61	1.51	-1.10	0.48	0.56	4.52
2005	1.10	0.38	0.80	0.20	0.08	2.61	0.22	-0.67	1.82	0.69	2.10	-0.14	9.54
2006	-0.90	0.03	-1.83	-1.28	-0.46	-0.43	1.14	2.25	0.78	1.48	-0.69	1.90	1.93
2007	0.21	-0.47	0.95	1.17	0.90	1.38	-0.54	-0.58	-0.64	0.17	1.47	-0.47	3.55
2008	0.84	-0.57	-0.23	0.26	-0.03	-0.96	-0.09	0.62	0.81	2.53	0.43	-0.24	3.39
2009	-1.49	0.40	3.68	0.81	2.46	1.50	0.16	0.27	1.32	0.19	-0.83	0.94	9.72
2010	-0.38	0.14	1.19	1.74	1.16	-1.36	-0.98	-1.43	0.28	1.33	-0.99	-0.55	0.07
2011	0.12	-0.03	0.18	0.87	-0.87	-0.35	-0.46	0.34	1.03	-0.32	0.61	1.06	2.19
2012	-0.01	-0.83	0.00	-0.30	-0.23	-0.71	1.29	-1.54	0.17	-0.32	0.30	0.95	-1.26
2013	1.09	0.54	1.12	0.28	0.43	-0.98	-0.52	-0.32	0.37	-0.06	0.39	0.03	2.37
2014	-0.36	-0.40	1.07	0.09	0.10	1.09	0.30	-0.16	1.00	1.00	1.03	1.30	6.19
2015	-1.30	0.63	1.57	-1.30	-0.11	-0.83	0.90	-0.09	0.71	0.31	0.99	0.04	1.46
2016	0.57	0.48	-0.66	0.84	-0.58	2.01	0.17	0.33	-0.38	0.35	0.79	0.00	3.97
2017	-0.87	0.96	-0.08	-0.26	-0.39	0.59	0.55	-1.26	1.23	0.20	0.40	0.34	1.40
2018	-0.19	0.32	0.70	-0.16	-0.42	-0.21	-0.17	-0.18	-0.30	1.58	0.40	-0.32	1.04
2019	0.03	-0.20	-0.14	0.58	-0.17	-0.63	0.89	0.69	0.09	0.00	0.37	-0.58	0.93
2020	-0.26	-0.65	0.03	0.54	0.00	0.45	0.68	0.08	-0.27	0.12	0.39	-0.26	0.85
2021	0.20	0.89	0.57	-0.62	0.32	-0.06	-0.31	0.20	0.76	-0.33	0.11	-0.68	1.04
2022	0.70	-0.45	-0.06	1.75	-0.07	0.94	-0.24	0.98	0.31	0.68	-1.68	-0.73	2.10
2023	0.22	-0.57	0.12	-0.34	-0.17	0.98	-0.13	-0.31	0.29	-0.24	-1.00	-0.89	-2.04
2024	-0.10	0.74	0.70	0.85	0.38	-0.09	-1.53	0.03	0.63	-1.29	-0.31		-0.03
Net performance (%)													
2000	1.11	1.39	-2.05	2.24	-0.92	-0.18	1.12	-1.18	-1.88	0.70	1.41	1.20	2.88
2001	1.16	-0.07	1.11	0.99	-1.64	2.27	0.34	-0.25	-1.89	1.61	1.21	2.30	7.29
2002	1.21	0.65	0.73	-0.96	1.88	0.45	-0.97	0.40	0.23	1.37	0.82	0.35	6.30
2003	2.40	0.27	0.27	1.59	1.82	2.36	-0.48	-0.45	0.19	1.77	1.55	1.53	13.53
2004	1.85	1.83	-1.42	-1.51	-0.45	0.52	1.51	0.60	1.49	-1.12	0.47	0.54	4.31
2005	1.08	0.36	0.79	0.18	0.07	2.60	0.20	-0.69	1.81	0.68	2.09	-0.15	9.32
2006	-0.91	0.01	-1.84	-1.30	-0.47	-0.45	1.12	2.23	0.77	1.47	-0.70	1.88	1.73
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2009	-1.50	0.39	3.66	0.79	2.44	1.48	0.14	0.26	1.31	0.17	-0.85	0.92	9.50
2010	-0.40	0.12	1.17	1.73	1.14	-1.37	-1.00	-1.45	0.26	1.32	-1.01	-0.57	-0.13
2011	0.11	-0.05	0.16	0.85	-0.89	-0.36	-0.47	0.33	1.02	-0.33	0.59	1.04	1.99
2012	-0.03	-0.85	-0.01	-0.32	-0.25	-0.73	1.27	-1.56	0.15	-0.34	0.28	0.93	-1.45
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2020	-0.27	-0.67	0.02	0.52	-0.02	0.43	0.66	0.06	-0.29	0.10	0.37	-0.27	0.65
2021	0.18	0.87	0.55	-0.64	0.30	-0.07	-0.33	0.18	0.74	-0.35	0.10	-0.69	0.84
2022	0.68	-0.46	-0.07	1.73	-0.09	0.92	-0.26	0.96	0.29	0.66	-1.69	-0.75	1.90
2023	0.21	-0.59	0.10	-0.36	-0.18	0.97	-0.15	-0.32	0.27	-0.25	-1.02	-0.91	-2.23
2024	-0.12	0.72	0.68	0.83	0.36	-0.11	-1.55	0.01	0.62	-1.31	-0.32		-0.21

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