

# ETF Selections & Timing

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## Pullback Test Again and Again

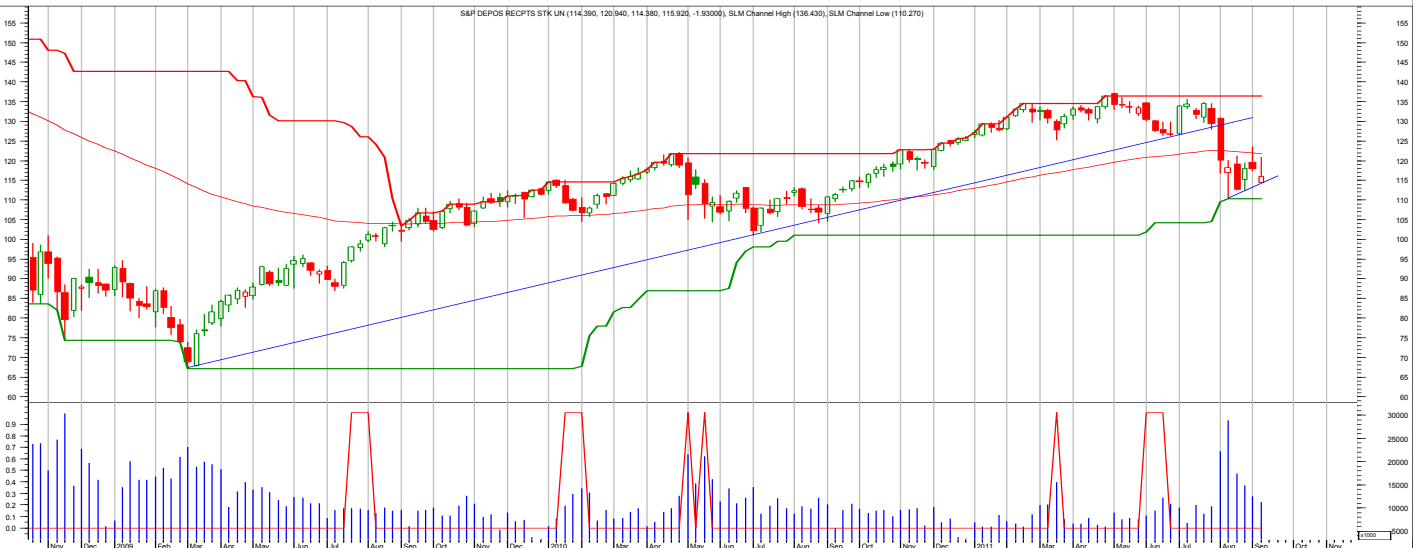
Nothing has really changed very much over the last week. The European sovereign debt news remains poor. The domestic economic news remains subdued. The stock market technicals still look the same. What this all means is the stock mar-

ket is still trying to figure out whether it is on a ledge before another leg down or is at an intermediate-term bottom. So, again, let's review where we are at.

Sentiment. Consumer sentiment is the worst it's been in a few years. Consumers are pes-

simistic about the current and future situation. Investor sentiment at best is mixed. The VIX index (fear) is above 40 this Monday, which as a contrary indicator, is positive. But various other sentiment readings

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The chart is the WEEKLY S&P 500 with a 40-week (200-day) moving average.

### SCOREBOARD

Model	YTD	52-week	26-week	13-week	4-week	1-week
ETF Income Portfolio	2.9%	2.9%	1.8	7.7	0.4	-0.2%
ETF Growth Portfolio	5.9%	9.8%	3.7	11.8	1.9	-0.3%
Aggrgt Bond (AGG)	4.2%	2.5%	4.3	4.3	0.8	0.2%
Wilshire 5000	-9.0%	4.7%	-12.0	5.5	-2.2	-1.6%

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# Income Portfolio

ACTION FOR			PORTFOLIO DETAILS				Value as of date:				9/9/2011			
Action Date	Action	Symbol	Action Price	# of Shares	Action Value	Symbol	Closing Stop as of 9/2	Description	Start Price	End Price	# of Shares	Current Value	Percent of Total	
6-Apr	sell	AGG	104.60	373.7	39,079	AGG	108.50	total bond	107.41	110.16	502.5	55,351.76	51.3%	
6-Apr	sell	TLT	90.54	232.0	20,995									
6-Apr	sell	TLH	110.51	200.7	22,169	PHB	17.85	high yield	17.88	17.87	1,400.0	25,018.00	23.2%	
18-Apr	buy	AGG	105.63	500.0	52,825	BWX	61.50	intrntl tsry	62.00	61.51	190.0	11,686.90	10.8%	
16-May	buy	BWX	61.10	400.0	24,450									
29-Jun	stop	AGG	106.67	505.0	53,858									
1-Jul	stop	TIP	109.87	201.2	22,096									
11-Jul	sell	BWX	60.57	400.8	24,266									
11-Jul	buy	AGG	107.41	500.0	53,715									
29-Aug	buy	PHB	17.88	1,400.0	25,042									
6-Sep	buy	BWX	62.00	190.0	11,790									
						Money Market					1.00	15,857	15,857.00	14.7%
												Total Valuation=	107,913.66	100.0%

## WEEKLY REVIEW

9/12 No changes. Watching the stops closely.

9/5 Please note the raised stop levels.

8/29 Bonds still overbought, but pulling back into up channel. Will watch for a buy area.

8/22 No changes. Bonds overbought.

8/15 No changes.

8/8 On pullbacks in bonds, I'll look to reenter. The economy is weaker than expected.

Performance	2010	2011	Incptn
ETF Income Portfolio	4.8	2.9	7.9
Aggregate Bond	2.5	4.2	6.8

# ETF Income Database and Ranking to 8/31/11

<i>Fund Name</i>	<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Style</i>	<i>12m</i>	<i>9m</i>	<i>6m</i>	<i>3m</i>	<i>1m</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>NAV</i>	<i>Rank</i>
Wtree Dryfs Jpn Yen	JYF	B	10.00	9.58	7.37	7.54	1.25	2.08	34.10	*****
Wtree Dryfs N Zind Dollar	BNZ	B	18.86	10.79	14.82	4.28	-2.62	3.06	26.34	*****
iShares 10-20yr Trsry	TLH	B	2.06	6.98	12.31	8.27	6.22	2.38	126.15	****
iShares 20+ yr Trsry	TLT	B	-1.41	8.76	15.83	10.69	9.30	3.62	107.03	****
iShares 7-10yr Trsry	IEF	B	3.77	5.48	10.31	6.64	4.40	1.65	103.00	****
iShares Intrntl Tbond	IGOV	B	8.21	10.07	5.82	3.23	1.64	2.17	109.94	****
PS 1-30 Ldr Trsry	PLW	B	1.12	6.24	11.03	7.14	5.77	2.20	30.60	****
SPDR Intrntl Tbond	BWX	B	8.83	10.66	6.40	1.99	0.75	2.32	63.13	****
Currency Euro	FXE	B	13.36	10.69	4.14	-0.18	-0.01	2.94	143.12	***
iShares 3-7yr Trsry	IEI	B	2.90	3.29	5.77	3.24	1.67	1.09	121.28	***
iShares Agg Bond	AGG	B	0.51	1.98	3.64	1.90	1.24	0.81	109.50	***
iShares High Yld	HYG	B	1.01	-1.08	-4.83	-4.73	-3.32	1.54	88.03	***
iShares Inter Bond	MBB	B	-1.21	-0.79	2.93	1.31	1.05	0.72	108.46	***
iShares Inter Gov	GVI	B	1.04	1.60	3.04	1.64	0.98	0.68	111.30	***
iShares Long Corp Bond	LQD	B	-0.59	2.01	2.85	0.80	-0.04	1.27	112.33	***
iShares Trsry Inflt	TIP	B	5.62	4.42	5.71	3.12	0.13	1.13	114.32	***
PS Bld America	BAB	B	1.54	7.59	8.43	2.88	1.65	1.91	27.41	***
PS DB Dollar Bearish	UDN	B	12.58	10.05	4.03	0.84	-0.28	2.20	28.91	***
PS DB G10 Currency	DBV	B	10.97	5.29	1.72	-1.98	-0.82	2.40	24.27	***
PS Emrg Mrkt Svrn Debt	PCY	B	0.61	3.54	6.18	2.39	1.09	1.60	27.82	***
PS Fdmntl Hi Yield Corp	PHB	B	0.67	-0.61	-3.18	-3.90	-3.02	1.34	17.97	***
PS Insrdr CA Muni	PWZ	B	-3.95	1.07	5.57	2.34	2.48	1.66	23.60	***
PS Insrdr Natl Muni	PZA	B	-3.24	1.79	5.62	2.49	2.40	1.59	23.86	***
PS Insrdr NY Muni	PZT	B	-3.40	1.26	5.00	2.60	2.56	1.40	23.28	***
Vngrd Intrmdt Bond	BND	B	0.62	1.82	3.80	2.09	1.39	0.82	83.40	***
Wtree Dryfs Brazil Real	BZF	B	4.69	0.90	7.85	0.83	-1.73	2.12	28.99	***
Wtree Dryfs Chns Yuan	CYB	B	4.07	2.38	1.77	1.33	1.22	0.74	25.82	***
Wtree Dryfs Emrg Crrncy	CEW	B	4.81	1.24	2.23	-1.21	-2.10	1.70	22.89	***
Wtree Dryfs Euro	EU	B	13.93	11.05	4.35	-0.03	-0.55	3.14	23.33	***
Wtree Dryfs Indn Rupee	ICN	B	6.47	3.07	0.91	-1.07	-3.89	1.90	26.82	***
Wtree Dryfs S Africa Rand	SZR	B	-2.29	-6.87	2.11	-1.28	-3.96	3.01	28.60	***
iShares 1-3yr Trsry	SHY	B	0.44	0.55	0.94	0.40	0.27	0.21	84.71	**
PS DB Dollar Bullish	UUP	B	-12.65	-10.34	-4.62	-1.26	0.19	2.35	21.07	**
PS Low Duration	PLK	B	-0.43	0.00	0.47	0.12	-0.27	0.30	25.43	**
PS Prfd	PGX	B	-1.81	-1.05	-0.56	-2.35	0.28	1.04	14.10	**
Vngrd ShrtTrm Bond	BSV	B	0.13	0.33	1.68	0.78	0.47	0.48	81.78	**
Wtree Dryfs Comdty Cur	CCX	B	NA	11.40	5.33	0.58	-2.07	NA	27.85	**
Wtree Emrg Mrkt Lcl Debt	ELD	B	6.76	5.28	5.59	0.79	-0.88	NA	53.84	**
PS VRDO Tax Free Wkly	PVI	B	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.01	25.01	*

ETF data on pages 3, 7, 8, and 9 are for the periods shown (12months, 9, 6, 3, and 1) through the previous month's close. Generally, we want to own the top ranked ETFs (shown in green) and avoid or short the lower ranked ETFs (shown in red).

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# SLM Bond Timing Model



The SLM Bond Timing Model is based on the expected direction of the Corporate Bond market. The green bars are bullish (expect higher prices and lower yields) and the red bars are bearish (expect lower prices and higher yields). White spaces indicate that the previous signal is still in effect.

## WEEKLY REVIEW

9/12 Trend up. Safety trade is still on.

9/5 The safety trade in Treasuries is still on. 10 year notes near 2%.

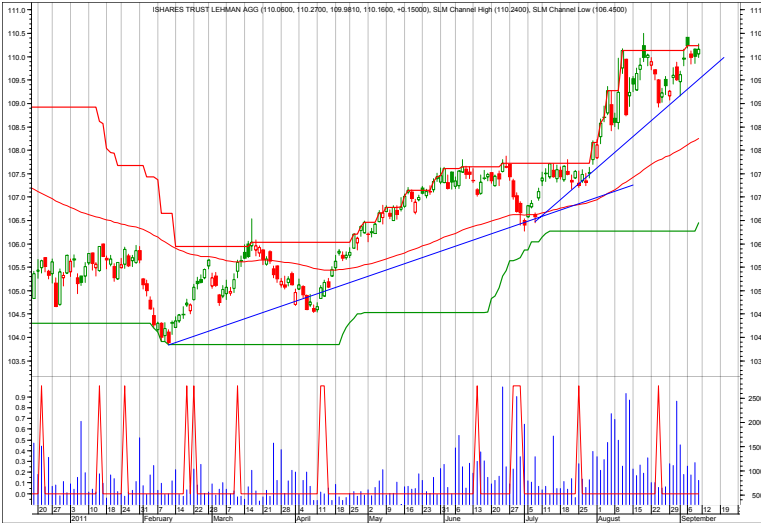
8/29 Fear of recession and default drove the rally. Conditions have improved however, and a pullback is expected. Longer-term the same fears will linger.

8/22 No change. Still overbought. Fear of recession is in control.

8/15 Bond market way overbought still. Don't chase.

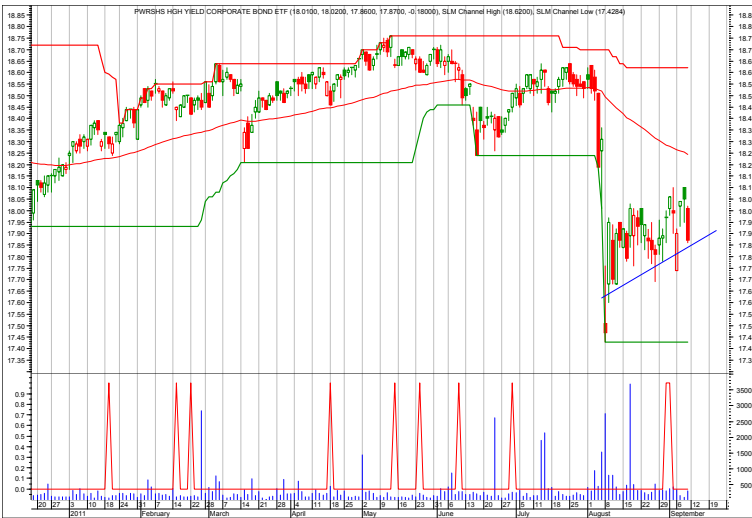
8/8 Fears of not just a slowdown, but a recession, have pushed yields down and prices up. The bond market is overbought at this juncture. I'll look to buy on any pullback.

# Income Charts



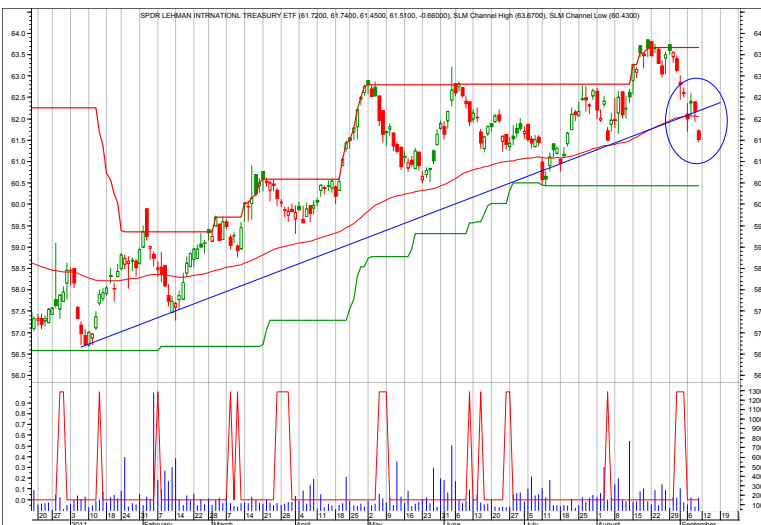
## AGG—Aggregate Bond Market

9/12 Fears of sovereign debt and economic slowdown problems have pushed prices higher and yields lower.



## PHB—High Yield

9/12 Should rally soon.  
 9/5 Watch for more rally.  
 8/29 Will buy on this pullback.  
 8/22 Bounce in progress.  
 8/15 Rally back to resistance and then turn over again, if economy continues to come in weaker than expected.  
 8/8 Falling apart in recession fears.



## BWX—International TBond

9/12 Possible trend change.  
 9/5/ See portfolio page 2 to buy.  
 8/29 Trend is up.  
 8/22 Breakout?  
 8/15 Still sorting through the range.  
 8/8 Range bound. Watch for breakout or breakdown.  
 8/1 Still in range.  
 7/25 Avoid.  
 7/18 Short-term trend down.  
 7/11 Selling.

Each chart shows daily prices (top portion), volume (bottom portion), a moving average (smoothed red line on price portion, a relative strength indicator between the ETF and AGG (Aggregated bond ETF) (orange line), and red spikes. The spikes show potential places to buy and sell short. If the moving average is trending down, the spike shows a potential sell shorts. If the moving average is trending up, the spike shows potential buys. The charts do not show selling or covering signals.

# Growth Portfolio

ACTION FOR						PORTFOLIO DETAILS				Value as of date:		9/9/2011		
Action Date	Action	Symbol	Action Price	# of Shares	Action Value	Symbol	Closing Stop as of 9/12	Description	Start Price	Ending Price	# of Shares	Current Value	Percent of Total	
25-Jul	short	EWP	39.88	(100)	(3,978)	<b>LONG ETFs-</b>								
						QQQ	51.00	NSDQ 100	50.17	53.18	440	23,399.20	20.4%	
						IWM	66.00	Rsl 2000	65.05	67.50	340	22,950.00	20.1%	
27-Jul	sell	PTH	30.31	100	3,021									
27-Jul	sell	PUI	16.89	500	8,435									
28-Jul	sell	DHS	40.90	100	4,080									
1-Aug	sell	PKW	25.63	125	3,194									
1-Aug	sell	CZA	30.18	200	6,026									
4-Aug	sell	PBJ	18.41	150	2,752									
22-Aug	buy	QQQ	50.17	440	22,085	<b>SHORT ETFs-</b>								
22-Aug	buy	IWM	65.05	340	22,127									
23-Aug	cover	EWP	34.89	100	3,479									
									<b>Cash from short</b>		1.00	-	0.0%	
									<b>Money Market</b>		1.00	68,092	68,092.00	59.5%
									<b>Total Valuation=</b>			114,441.20	100.0%	

## WEEKLY REVIEW

9/12 The market is either at a ledge or bottom here. Will stand aside with current positions for now. Watch the stops.

9/5 Please note the raised stop levels. They are tight, so expect the possibility of some whipsaws (in, out, in, out).

8/29 No changes. Will begin to accumulate on short-term pullbacks, as I expect the market to work its way higher from here. But monitor the raised stops.

8/22 Will reenter the market. The short-term test appears successful so far. Please carefully note the stops.

8/15 No changes for now. Please note the new lowered stop level for EWP.

8/8 The remainder of the long positions were stopped out last week. Everything is in cash, except for the short Spain position (EWP). I lowered the buy/cover stop on it. Won't look to buy anything until news improves, technicals improve, and bullish sentiment evaporates.

Performance	2010	2011	Incptn
ETF Growth Portfolio	8.1	5.9	14.4
Wilshire 5000	15.5	-9.0	5.2

# Top ETF Growth Ranking to 8/31/11 (month end)

<i>Fund Name</i>	<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Style</i>	<i>12m</i>	<i>9m</i>	<i>6m</i>	<i>3m</i>	<i>1m</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>NAV</i>	<i>Rank</i>
iShares Gold	IAU	EG	45.83	31.42	29.22	18.88	12.29	4.94	17.82	*****
iShares Silver	SLV	EG	113.68	47.41	22.17	7.58	4.12	11.94	40.45	*****
PS DB Gold	DGL	EG	43.97	30.28	28.50	18.55	12.17	4.90	63.85	*****
PS DB Precious Metals	DBP	EG	56.54	33.60	27.20	15.96	10.33	6.57	66.64	*****
PS DB Silver	DBS	EG	112.99	46.54	22.64	7.74	4.27	12.02	72.80	*****
PS Dynmc Mid Cap	PJG	EMC	24.04	33.63	14.27	4.92	-0.41	4.26	27.05	*****
PS Dynmc Mid Cap Grth	PWJ	EMC	30.73	44.60	12.93	5.41	-2.36	5.52	23.57	*****
PS Dynmc Mid Cap Value	PWP	EMC	19.07	27.88	13.50	4.40	0.97	3.73	17.23	*****
PS Dynmc Sml Cap Grth	PWT	ESC	40.31	53.98	24.64	10.48	-0.21	5.63	18.97	*****
SPDR Gold	GLD	EG	45.58	31.24	29.10	18.77	12.27	4.93	177.72	*****
Guggnhm Dfnsv Eqty	DEF	EV	16.55	7.44	0.63	-4.32	-0.58	2.04	25.70	****
Guggnhm Ocn Grth	OTR	ELC	23.93	7.76	-1.30	-4.65	-5.18	3.31	28.90	****
iShares DJ Sict Div	DVY	EGI	15.53	6.70	-0.83	-5.82	-0.74	2.83	50.96	****
PS DB Agriculture	DBA	EA	31.29	17.26	-2.46	4.22	5.77	4.14	34.11	****
PS DB Commodity	DBC	EA	35.86	20.30	1.48	-0.30	-0.40	4.24	30.16	****
PS DB Energy	DBE	EA	30.96	18.34	-2.44	-5.34	-4.07	4.87	29.23	****
PS Dynmc Consmr Staples	PSL	EA	18.91	8.15	3.59	-6.03	-2.53	3.39	30.22	****
PS Dynmc Food & Bev	PBJ	EA	24.58	8.18	4.38	-5.34	-2.23	3.24	19.31	****
PS Dynmc Lrg Cap	PJF	ELC	20.63	27.59	11.68	2.96	-1.25	4.07	26.08	****
PS Dynmc Pharma	PJP	EA	34.27	15.45	10.83	-4.87	-2.68	3.60	25.78	****
PS Dynmc Sml Cap	PJM	ESC	24.57	42.08	16.77	4.55	-3.11	5.69	24.58	****
PS Dynmc Sml Cap Value	PWY	ESC	23.47	38.61	15.78	3.98	-2.12	5.49	16.73	****
PS Glbl Gold Precious Mtls	PSAU	EG	19.50	3.32	3.24	5.04	7.06	5.28	50.07	****
PS lbtsn Altrntv	PTO	ELC	10.67	4.48	1.35	-1.82	-0.72	2.08	11.93	****
PS NASDAQ Intrnt	PNQI	EA	33.18	6.51	0.35	-6.93	-6.43	4.88	36.81	****
PS S&P SmlCap Cnsmr Stpl	PSCC	EA	22.09	10.00	3.83	-6.73	-2.31	3.96	30.90	****
PS S&P SmlCap Hlth Care	PSCH	EA	32.99	15.29	0.03	-13.90	-7.34	4.74	29.67	****
PS S&P SmlCap Utilities	PSCU	EA	18.55	8.21	4.84	-2.13	1.35	2.38	29.91	****
PS US REIT	PSR	ERE	18.94	11.17	-0.60	-6.07	-4.31	3.62	49.55	****
Select SPDR Cnsmr Stpl	XLP	EA	16.65	9.07	3.94	-4.39	0.19	2.81	30.89	****
Select SPDR Health	XLV	EA	18.86	10.34	2.24	-7.50	-2.11	2.97	33.40	****
Select SPDR Utilities	XLU	EA	10.00	10.18	5.54	0.06	2.17	2.14	33.89	****
Vngrd Consmr Stpls	VDC	EA	18.37	9.39	6.32	-3.39	0.23	2.70	78.95	****
Vngrd Health	VHT	EA	19.92	9.74	1.57	-8.51	-3.34	3.09	59.59	****
Vngrd Utilities	VPU	ELC	11.56	10.29	4.77	-0.55	1.80	2.07	72.46	****
Wtree Div Ex Fincl	DTN	ELC	19.55	7.10	-1.29	-6.65	-1.27	3.09	49.16	****
Wtree Eqty Income	DHS	EGI	14.48	7.53	-0.07	-5.59	-1.15	2.69	40.25	****
Wtree Intrntl Basic Mtrl	DBN	EA	42.29	43.15	19.60	3.76	-4.30	6.84	34.47	****
Wtree Intrntl Energy	DKA	EA	38.07	38.52	23.66	2.35	-5.49	6.54	29.63	****
Wtree Pcfc Ex Japn Eqt In	DNH	EW	26.64	23.12	12.71	1.67	-4.52	5.48	62.89	****
Wtree Pcfc Ex Japn Ttl Div	DND	EW	28.36	21.64	11.15	3.81	-2.87	4.29	69.47	****

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Generally speaking, we want to own the top-ranked ETFs with 5 and 4 comets. (Comets, not stars, because unlike stars that are fixed, comets come into and out of prominence. We want our thinking, our metaphor aligning with reality.



# Middle ETF Growth Ranking to same month end

<i>Fund Name</i>	<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Style</i>	<i>12m</i>	<i>9m</i>	<i>6m</i>	<i>3m</i>	<i>1m</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>NAV</i>	<i>Rank</i>
Guggnhm Candn Enrg Incm	ENY	EWR	17.37	-1.19	-22.22	-17.00	-10.33	5.93	18.31	***
Guggnhm Euro-Pac	EEN	EW	4.71	-3.72	-12.41	-12.76	-6.22	4.25	17.78	***
Guggnhm Frnr	FRN	EW	1.14	-8.51	-1.82	-5.88	-2.04	3.97	21.60	***
Guggnhm Gbl Div	LVL	EW	7.91	3.24	-7.90	-11.27	-4.85	4.88	14.33	***
Guggnhm Gbl Wtr	CGW	EW	17.66	2.88	-3.99	-9.63	-5.35	3.97	19.99	***
Guggnhm Inscr Sent	NFO	EMC	23.84	3.36	-6.94	-12.60	-9.29	4.70	31.64	***
Guggnhm Intrntl A Incm	HGI	EW	4.89	-3.71	-10.79	-11.84	-6.76	3.97	17.65	***
Guggnhm MidCap Core	CZA	EMC	18.70	3.48	-6.50	-10.91	-6.33	3.52	28.57	***
Guggnhm Multi Ast In	CVY	EV	11.52	4.40	-3.95	-7.21	-2.25	2.76	20.42	***
Guggnhm Ocn Tomo	OTP	ELC	14.16	-0.02	-11.66	-12.48	-8.24	4.44	24.18	***
Guggnhm RJ All	RYJ	ELC	24.89	2.84	-11.74	-13.84	-8.79	5.16	19.92	***
Guggnhm Sctr Rotn	XRO	ELC	15.52	-3.43	-9.70	-13.54	-8.89	4.37	23.37	***
Guggnhm Spin Off	CSD	EMC	17.13	3.07	-6.01	-10.33	-7.30	3.86	22.22	***
iShares Canada	EWC	EW	14.52	1.91	-11.23	-9.15	-3.39	3.52	29.89	***
iShares Cohen&Str REIT	ICF	ERE	16.55	10.62	-2.51	-7.60	-5.39	4.07	69.87	***
iShares EAFE Indx	EFA	EW	7.27	-1.27	-12.97	-13.68	-8.75	5.01	53.57	***
iShares Emrg Mrkt Stk	EEM	EW	6.71	-4.53	-6.64	-11.91	-9.25	4.56	42.75	***
iShares Europe 350	IEV	EW	6.41	-0.58	-14.43	-17.50	-9.78	6.23	36.17	***
iShares Latin Amr	ILF	EW	4.14	-7.88	-9.84	-10.12	-4.95	4.32	47.08	***
iShares Mexico	EWV	EW	22.23	-0.54	-3.83	-5.74	-4.90	3.83	58.78	***
iShares REIT	IYR	ERE	12.24	5.79	-5.55	-8.89	-5.31	3.61	57.22	***
iShares Russel 2000	IWM	ESC	20.72	-0.14	-11.69	-14.37	-8.89	5.10	72.65	***
iShares Russel MidVal	IWS	EV	14.58	1.26	-10.43	-12.97	-6.98	4.03	42.67	***
iShares Sclt Div	IDV	ELC	13.48	3.65	-8.65	-11.62	-5.26	5.03	32.63	***
iShares Spain	EWP	EW	-2.39	3.93	-14.55	-16.89	-7.18	8.30	35.93	***
PS Actv Alph MultiCap	PQZ	ELC	9.11	-1.77	-10.47	-14.16	-6.34	4.55	17.73	***
PS Aerospace & Def	PPA	EA	11.49	-1.37	-12.00	-13.00	-7.47	4.55	17.60	***
PS AlphQ	PQY	ELC	19.63	1.80	-6.90	-9.98	-6.24	3.88	27.54	***
PS BLDR Dvlpd Mrkt 100 ADR	ADR	EW	5.19	-0.97	-14.29	-13.20	-9.10	5.38	19.81	***
PS BLDR Europe 100 ADR	ADRU	EW	3.91	-0.43	-14.10	-15.43	-9.57	5.45	19.31	***
PS Buyback Achievers	PKW	EGI	23.01	5.54	-4.97	-9.74	-5.59	3.72	24.62	***
PS Cleantech	PZD	EA	14.72	1.63	-11.74	-15.56	-7.80	5.47	24.59	***
PS DB Base Metals	DBB	EG	16.09	8.20	-8.36	-3.21	-7.34	4.84	23.23	***
PS DB Oil	DBO	EA	10.53	1.94	-12.53	-14.56	-8.92	5.16	26.25	***
PS Dividend Achievers	PFM	EGI	15.15	5.18	-2.87	-6.45	-2.34	2.79	14.21	***
PS DWA Dvlpd Mrkt T Ldrs	PIZ	ELC	11.72	-2.10	-10.46	-13.85	-9.21	4.66	20.02	***
PS DWA Emrg Mrkt T Ldrs	PIE	EW	18.15	3.31	4.81	-3.62	-6.99	4.59	18.10	***
PS DWA Tech Ldr	PDP	ELC	28.71	7.33	-2.80	-7.78	-5.48	4.20	24.30	***
PS Dyn Dvlp Intrnl Opp	PFA	EW	14.30	0.79	-12.18	-13.41	-11.65	5.30	16.59	***
PS Dyn MagniQuant	PIQ	ELC	21.70	0.56	-8.67	-11.85	-7.73	4.60	23.50	***
PS Dyn Mrkt	PWC	ELC	14.91	-2.70	-11.94	-14.00	-8.07	4.21	41.15	***
PS Dyn OTC	PWO	ESC	16.44	-3.49	-11.82	-15.06	-9.34	4.64	45.34	***
PS Dynmc Basic Matrl	PYZ	EA	22.03	1.18	-8.65	-14.46	-10.46	5.38	34.23	***
PS Dynmc Biotech	PBE	EA	12.46	-1.69	-6.08	-15.04	-6.26	4.48	19.76	***
PS Dynmc Consmr Discr	PEZ	EA	26.46	-0.24	-3.42	-8.83	-6.78	5.00	24.88	***
PS Dynmc Energy	PXI	EA	38.75	10.12	-9.50	-10.46	-12.33	5.82	38.31	***
PS Dynmc Energy Explor	PXE	EA	39.53	11.16	-12.65	-10.69	-10.86	6.07	23.40	***
PS Dynmc Healthcare	PTH	EA	26.92	9.69	-1.48	-12.43	-7.36	4.18	27.96	***
PS Dynmc Indstrls	PRN	EA	19.00	-2.99	-14.06	-16.16	-9.09	5.51	26.59	***
PS Dynmc Leisure & Enter	PEJ	EA	30.74	2.21	-1.65	-6.66	-3.75	4.29	18.50	***
PS Dynmc Lrg Cap Grth	PWB	ELC	20.24	0.96	-6.86	-9.80	-7.25	4.13	15.74	***
PS Dynmc Lrg Cap Value	PWV	ELC	12.57	2.77	-7.37	-10.53	-6.10	3.48	18.18	***
PS Dynmc Media	PBS	EA	20.53	0.69	-13.49	-14.72	-8.90	5.53	13.21	***
PS Dynmc Oil & Gas Srvcs	PXJ	EA	41.83	5.95	-13.95	-13.22	-15.87	7.44	21.53	***
PS Dynmc Retail	PMR	EA	27.02	2.32	-1.22	-8.35	-4.41	5.07	19.82	***
PS Dynmc Software	PSJ	EA	11.81	-4.30	-14.68	-15.26	-8.50	4.65	22.72	***
PS Dynmc Utilities	PUI	EA	8.09	6.25	-0.43	-7.95	-1.88	2.63	16.16	***
PS FTSE RAFI Asia Pac xJpn	PAF	EW	17.46	2.93	-4.31	-11.43	-7.95	4.55	52.67	***
PS FTSE RAFI Dvlp Mrkt xUSA Sml	PDN	EW	15.94	3.43	-8.00	-8.32	-6.25	4.12	23.24	***
PS FTSE RAFI US 1000	PRF	ELC	14.44	1.98	-10.29	-11.50	-6.08	3.99	53.11	***
PS FTSE RAFI US 1500 Sml-Mid	PRFZ	EMC	19.63	-0.99	-13.30	-14.50	-9.58	5.21	59.24	***
PS Gbl Agriculture	PAGG	EA	22.42	7.24	-4.52	-4.78	-4.72	4.61	31.69	***
PS Gbl Coal	PKOL	EA	16.85	-9.93	-16.21	-15.05	-12.56	5.62	30.76	***
PS Gbl Water	PIO	EW	8.22	-3.93	-11.76	-15.73	-9.55	4.82	17.63	***

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# Middle ETF Growth Ranking to same month end

<i>Fund Name</i>	<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Style</i>	<i>12m</i>	<i>9m</i>	<i>6m</i>	<i>3m</i>	<i>1m</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>NAV</i>	<i>Rank</i>
PS Hi Yld Eqty Div	PEY	EGI	8.61	-0.24	-4.74	-6.22	-0.71	2.85	8.45	***
PS Intrntl Dvdnd	PID	EW	12.23	3.94	-4.84	-8.34	-4.42	3.65	15.21	***
PS Mega Cap	PMA	ELC	19.62	5.86	-5.07	-7.12	-4.17	3.50	25.30	***
PS Mrngstr Stk	PYH	ELC	13.12	2.68	-9.06	-8.37	-4.84	3.58	19.48	***
PS RvrFrnt Tac G&I	PCA	EGI	5.94	-0.72	-4.95	-6.66	-4.07	2.20	12.48	***
PS S&P 500 High Qlty	PIV	ELC	18.21	3.89	-4.57	-8.62	-4.16	3.47	13.36	***
PS S&P SmiCap Cnsmr Dis	PSCD	EA	24.48	-2.56	-5.75	-11.89	-9.67	5.90	26.24	***
PS S&P SmiCap Energy	PSCE	EA	51.19	8.70	-15.72	-16.00	-18.59	8.06	33.02	***
PS S&P SmiCap Fincl	PSCF	EA	12.74	2.06	-9.00	-10.09	-6.39	3.59	25.49	***
PS S&P SmiCap Indstrils	PSCI	EA	21.46	-0.82	-10.79	-11.80	-7.54	5.04	26.61	***
PS S&P SmiCap Info Tech	PSCT	EA	21.51	-3.84	-17.15	-18.57	-9.17	5.86	26.04	***
PS S&P SmiCap Mtrls	PSCM	EA	17.82	-2.68	-9.57	-12.55	-8.43	5.24	26.18	***
PS Water Resources	PHO	EA	17.17	-2.88	-12.65	-13.57	-6.83	4.91	17.20	***
PS Zacks Micro Cap	PZI	ESC	13.55	-8.14	-18.57	-17.64	-11.31	5.92	10.04	***
Select SPDR Cnsmr Disc	XLY	EA	24.45	3.93	-4.67	-7.10	-5.25	4.20	37.57	***
Select SPDR Emrgy	XLE	EA	34.06	9.46	-12.61	-10.98	-10.22	5.64	68.64	***
Select SPDR Indl	XLI	EA	14.93	-0.64	-12.46	-13.90	-6.57	4.97	32.40	***
Select SPDR Matrils	XLB	EA	13.85	0.43	-10.44	-11.09	-7.02	4.41	35.34	***
Select SPDR Technlgy	XLK	EA	18.12	2.05	-7.98	-7.63	-5.31	4.14	24.44	***
SPDR DJ Gbl Titans	DGT	EW	6.48	-2.35	-13.63	-12.36	-8.51	4.50	53.40	***
SPDR DJ Industrials	DIA	ELC	15.72	5.25	-5.08	-7.61	-4.28	3.47	115.95	***
SPDR NASDAQ 100	QQQ_O	ELC	26.69	5.71	-4.69	-5.65	-5.07	4.16	55.06	***
SPDR S&P 500	SPY	ELC	16.06	3.15	-8.21	-9.40	-5.50	3.68	122.22	***
SPDR Wlsh REIT	RWR	ERE	15.75	8.98	-3.01	-7.72	-5.40	3.99	64.08	***
Vngrd Consmr Dis	VCR	EA	26.20	3.09	-4.62	-7.95	-6.07	4.43	60.30	***
Vngrd Emrg Mrkt	VWO	EW	7.67	-3.54	-5.34	-10.55	-9.09	4.17	43.93	***
Vngrd Extnd 4500	VXF	ELC	21.47	1.35	-10.34	-13.33	-8.29	4.77	51.88	***
Vngrd Grth	VUG	ELC	21.62	3.75	-5.79	-7.95	-5.67	3.76	60.58	***
Vngrd Large Cap	VV	ELC	16.82	3.26	-8.17	-9.64	-5.69	3.77	55.99	***
Vngrd Materials	VAW	ELC	18.64	0.82	-8.96	-10.98	-7.61	4.60	77.56	***
Vngrd MidCap Val	VO	EMC	20.61	2.48	-8.79	-12.30	-6.97	4.27	72.25	***
Vngrd Small Cap	VB	ESC	21.72	1.19	-10.68	-13.52	-8.35	5.00	68.94	***
Vngrd Small Cap Grth	VBK	ESC	28.43	3.97	-9.76	-13.90	-8.59	5.34	75.48	***
Vngrd Small Cap Value	VBR	ESC	15.06	-1.68	-11.67	-13.09	-8.19	4.61	62.20	***
Vngrd Tech	VGT	EA	19.95	1.02	-9.62	-8.91	-6.42	4.52	59.20	***
Vngrd TTL Stock	VTI	ELC	17.13	2.87	-8.63	-10.25	-6.09	3.87	62.78	***
Wtree DEFA	DWM	EW	8.04	1.52	-10.78	-12.90	-7.52	5.16	44.78	***
Wtree DEFA Eqty Incm	DTH	EW	7.77	3.23	-10.62	-13.34	-6.47	5.93	39.63	***
Wtree Emrg Mrkt Eincm	DEM	EW	12.18	2.47	-1.22	-8.47	-4.19	4.30	57.36	***
Wtree Emrg Mrkt SC Div	DGS	EW	4.88	-6.65	-5.09	-12.74	-9.86	5.07	47.73	***
Wtree Eur SC Div	DFE	EW	9.22	-0.84	-14.76	-18.54	-8.00	6.26	37.70	***
Wtree Gbl Eqty Incm	DEW	EW	9.40	3.29	-7.49	-10.27	-5.11	4.46	41.40	***
Wtree Intrntl Div Ex Fincl	DOO	EW	8.46	2.64	-8.95	-12.86	-6.53	5.45	42.53	***
Wtree Intrntl LC Div	DOL	EW	6.00	0.35	-11.89	-13.34	-7.73	5.43	42.74	***
Wtree Intrntl MC Div	DIM	EW	9.97	0.69	-10.73	-12.24	-7.41	5.00	48.49	***
Wtree Intrntl REIT	DRW	ERE	3.86	-4.20	-8.03	-11.31	-5.41	3.75	26.90	***
Wtree Intrntl SC Div	DLS	EW	13.06	3.12	-8.86	-10.25	-5.34	4.33	48.57	***
Wtree Intrntl Utilities	DBU	EA	4.31	2.53	-9.79	-9.25	-3.64	5.24	19.61	***
Wtree Japan SC Div	DFJ	EWR	12.36	8.07	-5.77	4.10	-2.98	3.14	43.65	***
Wtree LrgCap Div	DLN	ELC	16.12	6.04	-3.96	-7.26	-3.05	3.12	46.38	***
Wtree LrgCap Grth	ROI	ELC	15.60	0.87	-8.96	-8.91	-6.56	3.72	35.37	***
Wtree MidCap Div	DON	EMC	16.67	4.88	-5.55	-9.49	-4.28	3.57	50.73	***
Wtree MidCap Earn	EZM	EMC	22.14	3.04	-8.71	-12.10	-7.00	4.50	52.46	***
Wtree Middle East Div	GULF	EW	2.93	-7.13	-3.81	-8.21	-0.53	3.77	15.10	***
Wtree S&P 500	EPS	ELC	14.09	2.49	-7.97	-9.03	-5.49	3.45	42.11	***
Wtree Smi Cap Div	DES	ESC	11.09	-2.94	-10.00	-10.86	-5.94	3.95	43.57	***
Wtree Ttl Div	DTD	ELC	15.61	5.49	-4.28	-7.68	-3.37	3.12	46.67	***
Wtree Ttl Earn	EXT	ELC	14.49	2.53	-8.20	-9.41	-5.64	3.47	43.30	***
Wtree World Ex US Grth	DNL	EW	11.92	1.10	-4.09	-9.55	-8.00	4.36	52.07	***

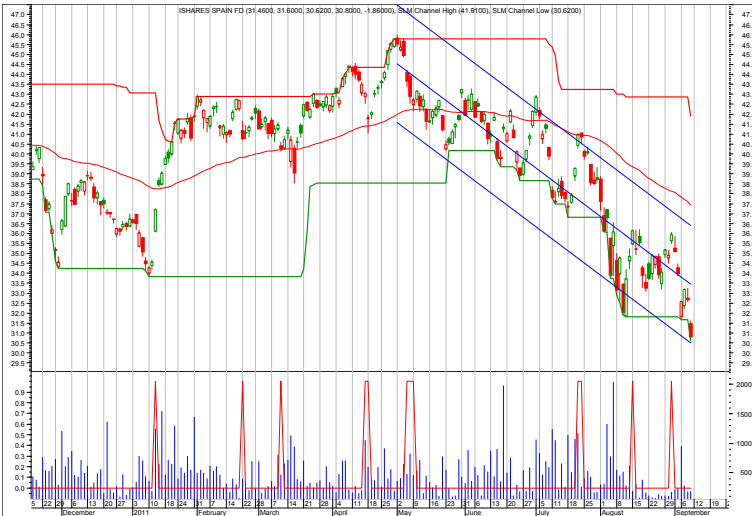
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# Bottom ETF Growth Ranking to same month end

<i>Fund Name</i>	<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Style</i>	<i>12m</i>	<i>9m</i>	<i>6m</i>	<i>3m</i>	<i>1m</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>NAV</i>	<i>Rank</i>
<b>Guggnhm BRIC</b>	EEB	EW	2.77	-6.92	-9.44	-10.32	-8.00	3.92	41.17	**
<b>Guggnhm China All</b>	YAO	EWR	2.12	-9.49	-6.70	-13.07	-9.79	3.93	25.07	**
<b>Guggnhm China REIT</b>	TAO	EWR	0.73	-9.10	-3.77	-10.91	-10.09	4.28	17.88	**
<b>Guggnhm Intrntl SmlCap</b>	XGC	EW	0.34	-12.07	-13.99	-14.67	-10.10	4.11	20.47	**
<b>Guggnhm Solar</b>	TAN	EA	-25.10	-20.29	-33.50	-27.10	-15.09	9.01	5.46	**
<b>Guggnhm Timber</b>	CUT	EA	4.79	-4.86	-16.64	-16.98	-5.35	5.20	18.58	**
<b>iShares China</b>	FXI	EW	-1.68	-10.87	-9.00	-14.86	-8.81	3.52	38.63	**
<b>PS BLDR Asia 50 ADR</b>	ADRA	EW	4.99	-6.29	-14.31	-10.29	-9.40	3.89	25.03	**
<b>PS BLDR Emrg Mkt 50 ADR</b>	ADRE	EW	3.69	-5.82	-9.48	-9.94	-7.00	3.92	42.39	**
<b>PS Dynmc Bldg Cnstrctn</b>	PKB	EA	3.43	-7.99	-17.21	-16.73	-8.36	5.16	11.40	**
<b>PS Dynmc Fncl</b>	PFI	EA	6.57	-2.06	-13.70	-12.88	-7.47	3.74	17.33	**
<b>PS Dynmc Networking</b>	PXQ	EA	14.24	-7.80	-20.93	-20.91	-9.88	6.12	22.70	**
<b>PS Dynmc Semicndctr</b>	PSI	EA	16.96	-12.18	-25.09	-25.38	-12.13	7.09	13.36	**
<b>PS Dynmc Technology</b>	PTF	EA	13.56	-7.91	-18.71	-17.68	-9.55	5.50	22.43	**
<b>PS Emrg Mrkt Infrastrctr</b>	PXR	EW	7.23	-9.58	-12.31	-17.20	-12.19	5.58	44.81	**
<b>PS Fincl Pfd</b>	PGF	EGI	-2.86	-1.70	-3.45	-5.43	-1.20	1.69	17.34	**
<b>PS FTSE RAFI Dvlp Mrkt xUSA</b>	PXF	EW	4.12	-4.74	-16.07	-16.27	-10.42	5.72	35.35	**
<b>PS FTSE RAFI Emrg Mrkt</b>	PXH	EW	4.90	-6.45	-10.72	-12.33	-9.49	4.07	22.90	**
<b>PS Glbl Clean Enrgy</b>	PBD	EW	-8.04	-12.98	-21.75	-22.18	-10.72	6.28	11.33	**
<b>PS Glbl Listd Prvt Eqty</b>	PSP	EW	4.84	-10.96	-20.18	-22.62	-11.05	6.25	9.10	**
<b>PS Glbl Steel</b>	PSTL	EA	-2.19	-11.44	-21.91	-16.39	-14.71	5.34	18.73	**
<b>PS Glbl Wind Energy</b>	PWND	EW	-14.20	-7.34	-16.98	-19.96	-8.64	6.68	8.46	**
<b>PS Gldn Drgn USX China</b>	PGJ	EW	3.80	-8.86	-10.80	-11.06	-8.06	4.14	24.29	**
<b>PS India</b>	PIN	EW	-7.64	-12.95	-7.05	-10.67	-10.82	5.55	20.43	**
<b>PS RvrFrnt Tac Bal</b>	PAO	EGI	8.22	-2.63	-9.20	-10.90	-7.48	3.05	11.85	**
<b>PS WilderHill Prgsv Enrgy</b>	PUW	EA	9.34	-8.67	-19.14	-17.85	-13.04	5.51	24.00	**
<b>Select SPDR Financs</b>	XLF	EA	-1.29	-7.47	-20.59	-15.53	-9.56	4.44	13.38	**
<b>SPDR Euro Stoxx 50</b>	FEZ	EW	0.25	-4.05	-20.26	-21.60	-12.84	7.71	32.66	**
<b>Vngrd Fincl Srv</b>	VFH	EA	1.29	-5.64	-18.42	-14.91	-9.05	4.43	28.25	**
<b>Wtree India</b>	EPI	EWR	-10.56	-16.63	-8.06	-11.89	-11.13	5.77	20.74	**
<b>Wtree Japan Hedge Eqty</b>	DXJ	EC	-4.75	-9.77	-18.16	-8.03	-6.42	3.56	33.08	**
<b>Guggnhm Airline</b>	FAA	EA	-12.86	-30.63	-22.70	-22.13	-8.20	5.98	28.53	*
<b>Guggnhm China Sml</b>	HAO	EWR	-8.83	-23.38	-14.31	-17.80	-11.78	4.98	23.96	*
<b>Guggnhm Shipping</b>	SEA	EA	-30.89	-35.68	-35.19	-28.16	-13.68	NA	17.72	*
<b>iShares Prfrd</b>	PFF	EGI	-5.43	-3.55	-4.38	-5.79	-2.40	1.40	37.77	*
<b>PS Dynmc Banking</b>	PJB	EA	-5.77	-11.64	-20.52	-17.05	-11.51	4.15	10.46	*
<b>PS Glbl Nuclr Enrgy</b>	PKN	EW	-2.58	-15.67	-22.54	-14.09	-11.96	4.94	17.01	*
<b>PS Lux Nanotech</b>	PXN	EA	-7.51	-25.17	-28.83	-20.87	-11.45	5.84	7.29	*
<b>PS MENA Frntr Countries</b>	PMNA	EW	-8.74	-14.05	-8.09	-8.44	-1.86	3.06	11.50	*
<b>PS S&amp;P 500 BuyWrite</b>	PBP	ELC	-4.74	-9.63	-8.15	-9.63	-6.87	2.26	19.51	*
<b>PS WilderHill Cln Enrgy</b>	PBW	EA	-15.30	-24.56	-32.62	-24.08	-12.55	6.22	7.25	*

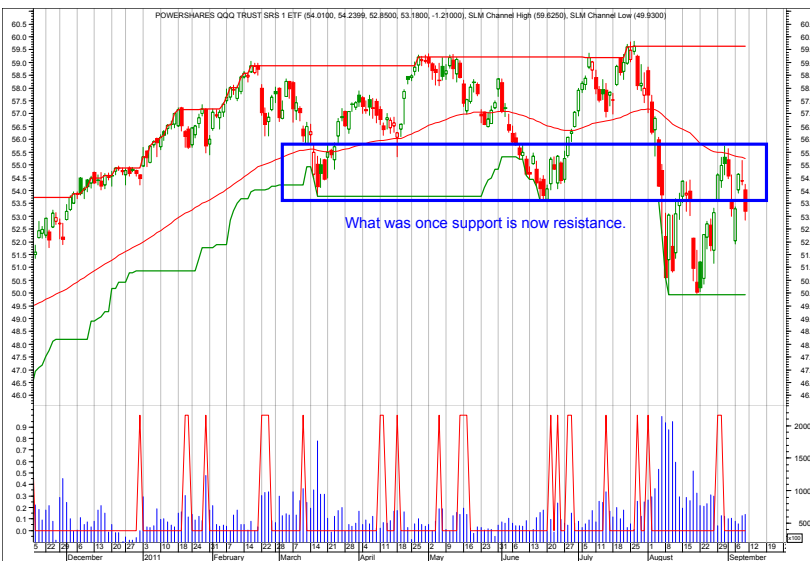
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# Growth Charts



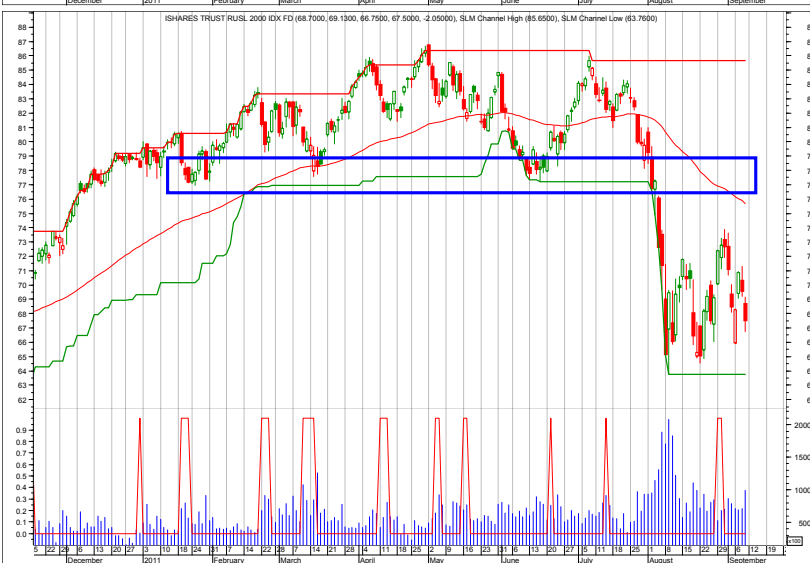
## EWP—Spain

9/12 Covered too soon, but at bottom of trend channel. Wait for a rally to reenter the short position.  
 9/5 Main trend still down.  
 8/29 Stand aside for now.  
 8/22 Watch the lowered stop.  
 8/15 Rally back into its down channel.  
 8/8 Weekly chart. Long term view. May be breaking down.  
 8/1 Well defined down channel. This European country is still dealing with its sovereign debt issue.  
 7/25 It's near the top of its down channel. Time to reshoot.



## QQQ—NASDAQ 100

9/12 Hit resistance and pulled back into another test of recent lows.  
 9/5 Hit potential resistance.  
 8/29 Beginning to bounce, but watch for what was support (buying) at March and June lows to potentially turn into resistance (selling).  
 8/22 Due for a bounce of 5-15%.



## IWM—Russell 2000

9/12 Support/resistance box drawn.  
 9/5 Not much of a bounce.  
 8/29 Watch for a bounce.  
 8/22 Test is successful so far. Rally back to downtrend.  
 8/15 Rally back to downtrend.  
 8/8 Previous support should now turn to resistance on any rallies.  
 8/1 New more severe down channel forming?  
 7/25 At top of channel.

Each chart shows daily prices (top portion), volume (bottom portion), a moving average (smoothed red line on price portion), a relative performance indicator between the ETF and S&P 500 (orange line), and red spikes. The spikes show potential buy and sell short signals. Generally speaking, if the moving average is trending down, the spike shows a potential sell short. If the moving average is trending up, but the ETF declines, the spike shows a potential buy. The charts do not show selling or covering signals.

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still remain mixed. In other words, the sell off has not yet been severe enough to cause investors to panic and turn bearish. This is troubling.

**Economics.** There's still no solutions to the European debt crisis or to the domestic unemployment situation. President Obama is working on the jobs bill, but like the debt ceiling debate, most likely, it will be very different after the discussion, if it gets passed at all.

**Technicals.** The stock market has clearly broken its long-

term uptrend line. This doesn't mean it will go straight back down, but it does suggest that the bull market from March, 2009 is over. The best case is that the market goes sideways from here. The worst case is it begins another leg down. At the same time, there are some positives that are developing in this area. The number of new lows is shrinking. A couple of indexes have formed positive divergences. Selling volume is diminishing. These are positives.

So, the market is clearly dealing with lingering, festering

economic problems, the solutions to which are slow in coming. Sentiment seems more complacent than bearish. Technically the market seems ready to rally, but without the other components, it would be weak.

At this time, therefore, I won't make any portfolio changes and will monitor the stop levels closely.

Just to clarify a couple of terms that I use.

Short-term is days to weeks.

Intermediate-term is weeks to months.

Long-term is months to years.

Bull market is a series of higher highs and higher lows.

Bear market is a series of lower lows and lower highs.

Neutral market is sideways without a discernible pattern.

9/12 No changes.

9/5 The ETF performance and ranks have been updated through 8/31/11 and are posted.

8/29 No changes.

8/22 For Growth and Income Portfolio performances, I've included the from inception to current returns. For example, the Growth Portfolio since inception is up 12.5% versus the Wilshire 5000 up 2.1%.

8/15 No changes.

8/8 Monthly updates for ETF rankings are posted to their pages this month.

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Our guiding goal is to provide the most return with the least risk consistently over time through bull and bear markets.

Income Portfolio, page2: Uses a proprietary selection methodology on all of the monitored bond-oriented ETFs to pick the top ETFs. I then use a proprietary timing model to decide whether to buy, sell, hold, or avoid.

Growth Portfolio, page 6: Uses the same methodologies as in the Income Portfolio, except as it is applied to stock-oriented ETFs.

All portfolios were started on 1/1/10 with \$100,000.

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