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# Janus Balanced Fund

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# 4Q16 ASSET ALLOCATION

# 20+ Years of Dynamic Asset Allocation

The complexity presented by modern markets has highlighted the importance of appropriately allocating across asset classes. **Janus Balanced Fund's** dynamic asset allocation strategy has the flexibility to defensively position ahead of market volatility while seeking strong risk-adjusted returns. Unlike many competitor products, where asset allocations are constrained by static targets, the Fund's asset allocations may vary between 35% and 65% equities depending on market conditions.



Best Mixed-Asset Target Allocation Moderate Fund for the 10-year period (Class D Shares)

# Why Invest in the Fund

## **Dynamic Asset Allocation**

The Fund's portfolio managers make allocation decisions based on their view of overall market risk and careful examination of individual security valuations across equity and fixed income markets.

# **Integrated Research**

Janus equity and fixed income analysts work side-by-side covering the same six global sectors, facilitating deeper analysis of a company's fundamental outlook and understanding of management's true intentions.

# **Seeks Consistent Results**

The end result is a multi-asset, core holding portfolio offering the potential for long-term capital appreciation with the flexibility to navigate uncertain and volatile markets.

# Equity Allocation Adapting to Market Changes

### Janus Balanced Fund equity allocation in relation to market volatility (12/31/97 - 12/31/16)



Chicago Board of Options Exchange (CBOE) Volatility Index® (VIX®) shows the market's expectation of 30-day volatility. It is constructed using the implied volatilities of a wide range of S&P 500® index options and is a widely used measure of market risk and is often referred to as the "investor fear" gauge. The VIX® volatility methodology is the property of CBOE, which is not affiliated with Janus.

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# Portfolio Management

#### Marc Pinto, CFA



Fund Manager

- since 2005
- ▶ Industry since 1985

since 2015

Industry since 1986

#### Jeremiah Buckley, CFA

Fund Manager since 2015 Industry since 1998

#### **Mayur Saigal**

#### Fund Manager

- since 2015 Industry since 2002

Fund Performance (%)	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr	Since Inception (9/1/92)
Class A Shares @ NAV	4.33	4.27	8.84	6.79	9.39
Class A Shares @ MOP	-1.66	2.23	7.56	6.16	9.12
Class I Shares	4.61	4.55	9.14	6.89	9.44
Class T Shares	4.43	4.38	8.97	6.89	9.44
S&P 500® Index	11.96	8.87	14.66	6.95	9.33
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	2.65	3.03	2.23	4.34	5.53
Balanced Index	7.84	6.37	9.07	6.06	7.91

Returns quoted are past performance and do not guarantee future results; current performance may be lower or higher. Investment returns and principal value will vary; there may be a gain or loss when shares are sold. For the most recent month-end performance call 877.33JANUS (52687) or visit janus.com/advisor/mutual-funds. Maximum Offering Price (MOP) returns include the maximum sales charge of 5.75%. Net Asset Value (NAV) returns exclude this charge, which would have reduced returns.

Expense Ratios (%)	Class A	Class I	Class T
Gross	0.93	0.65	0.83
Net	0.93	0.65	0.83

Net expense ratios reflect the expense waiver, if any, Janus Capital has contractually agreed to through 2/1/17.

Morningstar Rankings: Class T Shares	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr	Since Inception (9/1/92)
Percentile Ranking (%)	89	38	28	7	10
Allocation–50% to 70% Equity Category Rank/Count	742/829	294/779	194/701	37/557	20/198

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Fund's prospectus for further details concerning historical performance.

sector or geographic region, or the market as a whole,

make timely payments or its credit strength weakens.

There is no assurance the stated objective(s) will be met.

Please consider the charges, risks, expenses and investment objectives carefully before

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Performance for Class A Shares and Class I Shares prior to 7/6/09 reflects the performance of one or more similar share

Returns include reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Returns greater than one year are annualized.

classes of the Fund or a predecessor fund, adjusted, where applicable and permitted, for differing fees and expenses. See the

Investing involves market risk and it is possible to lose money by investing. Investment return and value will fluctuate in response

Fixed income securities are subject to interest rate, inflation, credit and default risk. The bond market is volatile. As interest rates

rise, bond prices usually fall, and vice versa. The return of principal is not guaranteed, and prices may decline if an issuer fails to

For Lipper Best Individual Funds, the calculation periods extend over 36, 60 and 120 months. The highest Lipper Leader for Consistent Return (Effective Return) value within each eligible classification determines the fund classification winner over 3, 5 or

10 years as of 12/31/15 and no other time periods. 312 Mixed-Asset Target Allocation Moderate Funds were eligible for this

award for the 10-year period. Only eligible investors may purchase Class D Shares. See a prospectus for eligibility requirements

to issuer, political, market and economic developments, which can affect a single issuer, issuers within an industry, economic



#### and other available share classes.

The Morningstar percentile ranking is based on a fund's total return (including income and capital gains, if any, and excluding sales charges) relative to all funds in the same category for the period. The highest (or most favorable) percentile rank is 1%, and the lowest (or least favorable) percentile rank is 100%. The top-performing funds in a category will always receive a rank of 1.

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When an expense waiver is in effect, it may have a material effect on the total return or yield, and therefore the ranking and/or rating for the period.

S&P 500<sup>®</sup> Index measures broad U.S. equity performance. Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based measure of the investment grade, US dollar-denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market. Balanced Index is an internally-calculated, hypothetical combination of total returns from the S&P 500® Index (55%) and the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index (45%).

A Fund's portfolio may differ significantly from the securities held in an index. An index is unmanaged and not available for direct investment; therefore its performance does not reflect the expenses associated with the active management of an actual portfolio.

Not all Funds and Share classes may be available. Please consult your financial advisor.

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# Creating a truly global, client-focused investment management firm through a merger of equals

Janus Capital Group and Henderson Global Investors are expected to complete their announced "merger of equals" in the second quarter of 2017, subject to requisite approvals. In the meantime, here is a preview from the new firm.

The investment landscape and investors' needs are changing daily, and as investment thought leaders, Janus and Henderson are continually adapting to meet those needs. We believe this merger will benefit our clients as it creates a truly global active management firm with \$320 billion in assets under management (as of 9/30/16). The new firm will offer a broader range of investment options and the combined resources of Henderson and Janus. From the market commentary and insights of *Knowledge. Shared*, to the programs offered through *Janus Labs*, a wide range of innovative tools can help you deepen your expertise, build your practice and communicate with clients.

If the mergers are approved, products will be renamed during the second quarter of 2017 and Henderson mutual funds will be merged into the Janus Henderson fund family. We look forward to the opportunity to serve you as the combined Janus Henderson Investors.





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The Proxy Statement contains or will contain important information about the Fund, the proposed transaction and related matters. Fund shareholders are urged to read carefully and in their entirety the Proxy Statement and other documents filed with the SEC, when available, because these documents contain important information about the Fund, the transaction and the matters being submitted to shareholders. Shareholders should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of the Fund carefully.

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