# Taaffeite Capital Management, LLC

Global Macro - CTA Managed Account, Minimum \$2M, Target downside vol: 7%



## Monthly report as of 30 September 2021

MTD: -12.26% YTD: +22.24% Annualized return since inception (after fees): 23.88% Annualized downside volatility since inception: 7.27%

#### Performance (%)\*

| Year | Jan    | Feb    | Mar    | Apr    | May    | Jun     | Jul    | Aug    | Sep     | Oct    | Nov    | Dec     | YTD    | S&P<br>500 |
|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|------------|
| 2021 | -0.83% | -4.37% | 1.31%  | 6.96%  | 3.85%  | 7.18%   | 19.86% | 1.62%  | -12.26% |        |        |         | 22.24% | 14.67%     |
| 2020 | -0.95% | -4.05% | -1.64% | 9.66%  | 4.82%  | 2.91%   | 6.91%  | 4.52%  | -0.14%  | -0.17% | 4.63%  | 4.62%   | 34.84% | 16.26%     |
| 2019 | 5.38%  | 2.30%  | 12.55% | 0.48%  | 3.30%  | 7.21%   | 2.56%  | 6.23%  | -0.78%  | 0.39%  | 0.55%  | -1.39%  | 45.28% | 28.88%     |
| 2018 | 8.62%  | -2.25% | -3.11% | 1.15%  | 4.06%  | -1.30%  | -3.04% | 1.55%  | -0.13%  | -1.95% | 0.30%  | 0.38%   | 3.75%  | -6.24%     |
| 2017 | 1.82%  | 11.15% | -2.63% | 5.80%  | 5.77%  | -5.98%  | 7.69%  | 7.86%  | -2.86%  | 12.29% | 4.63%  | 2.34%   | 57.27% | 19.42%     |
| 2016 | 2.07%  | 3.59%  | -2.08% | 2.10%  | 4.70%  | 15.81%  | -0.06% | -1.90% | -0.09%  | -2.92% | 4.77%  | 6.54%   | 36.06% | 9.54%      |
| 2015 | 22.29% | 6.01%  | -0.49% | -3.17% | 1.54%  | -2.56%  | 1.36%  | -0.42% | -0.83%  | 4.53%  | -2.83% | 0.02%   | 25.68% | -0.73%     |
| 2014 | 4.56%  | 5.14%  | -0.64% | 1.93%  | 2.24%  | 5.42%   | -1.20% | 7.69%  | -3.00%  | 2.98%  | 5.60%  | 1.85%   | 37.19% | 11.39%     |
| 2013 | 3.21%  | 5.13%  | 10.89% | 0.14%  | -3.18% | -14.21% | 10.52% | 1.79%  | -0.20%  | 6.59%  | 6.59%  | -1.10%  | 26.23% | 29.60%     |
| 2012 | 8.69%  | 2.43%  | -1.52% | 1.83%  | 3.32%  | -0.25%  | 5.82%  | 2.47%  | 2.50%   | -6.83% | 4.04%  | -4.25%  | 18.69% | 13.41%     |
| 2011 | 2.17%  | 1.83%  | 2.06%  | 3.75%  | 1.01%  | -3.65%  | 13.43% | 7.77%  | -6.26%  | 12.42% | -1.70% | 2.57%   | 39.26% | 0.00%      |
| 2010 | 2.71%  | 13.28% | 9.87%  | 6.10%  | -0.12% | 0.32%   | 6.68%  | 5.34%  | 3.83%   | 1.69%  | 0.00%  | 6.35%   | 71.49% | 12.78%     |
| 2009 | -1.85% | -2.62% | 5.22%  | 2.10%  | 1.93%  | 0.84%   | 5.04%  | 0.04%  | 3.54%   | 1.10%  | 21.03% | -2.16%  | 37.49% | 23.45%     |
| 2008 | 9.74%  | 9.24%  | -4.00% | 0.19%  | 0.45%  | -1.97%  | -1.68% | 2.13%  | -4.08%  | 3.27%  | 4.06%  | -0.13%  | 17.35% | -38.49%    |
| 2007 | -1.05% | 1.78%  | -1.96% | 3.60%  | -4.52% | -5.00%  | 5.84%  | 4.72%  | 0.19%   | 2.55%  | -2.82% | 2.03%   | 4.78%  | 3.53%      |
| 2006 | -0.73% | -4.98% | 3.90%  | 0.18%  | -3.22% | -1.70%  | 2.08%  | 7.31%  | 2.44%   | -0.02% | 5.37%  | -13.43% | -4.41% | 13.62%     |
| 2005 | -1.57% | -3.13% | 1.76%  | 0.09%  | 11.25% | 5.01%   | 0.26%  | 5.47%  | 5.08%   | -7.28% | 8.48%  | 4.25%   | 32.17% | 3.00%      |
| 2004 | 4.52%  | 5.67%  | 1.45%  | -7.96% | 3.89%  | 1.94%   | -5.20% | 1.81%  | 4.37%   | 1.82%  | 4.85%  | 0.67%   | 18.22% | 8.99%      |
| 2003 | 15.46% | 4.56%  | -8.86% | 0.45%  | 9.36%  | -2.71%  | 1.12%  | 5.61%  | -0.75%  | 4.07%  | -0.79% | 3.75%   | 33.52% | 26.38%     |
| 2002 | 2.20%  | -2.41% | -0.24% | -7.36% | -4.12% | -4.21%  | 0.66%  | 2.90%  | 1.93%   | 3.54%  | 5.35%  | 2.07%   | -0.49% | -23.37%    |
| 2001 | 0.63%  | -0.71% | -2.96% | -2.25% | 1.02%  | -4.06%  | 1.21%  | -1.68% | -1.28%  | 5.36%  | 7.74%  | -3.11%  | -0.77% | 3.46%      |
| 2000 | -5.62% | 0.91%  | 15.01% | 2.18%  | 1.76%  | 4.03%   | -0.68% | 12.04% | 3.77%   | -1.72% | 4.78%  | 2.53%   | 44.46% | -5.09%     |
| 1999 | 5.64%  | -5.72% | 3.50%  | 4.33%  | -4.15% | 2.61%   | -2.63% | 0.86%  | 0.37%   | 2.67%  | 1.88%  | 1.57%   | 10.76% | 4.10%      |
| 1998 | 5.33%  | -5.53% | 2.41%  | 0.93%  | -2.48% | -3.24%  | -2.67% | 7.15%  | 15.46%  | -3.59% | -2.05% | 5.60%   | 16.55% | 1.02%      |
| 1997 | -0.32% | 4.72%  | -5.69% | 2.73%  | 3.41%  | 0.95%   | 6.19%  | -5.87% | 3.87%   | -0.75% | -4.56% | -5.29%  | -1.67% | 6.13%      |

<sup>\*</sup>Prior to February 2021 is Backtest, after February 2021 is Actual investor returns after all fees and expenses

## Objective

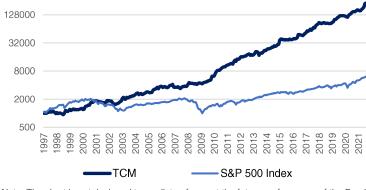
TCM is a global macro fund, allocating to 100-200 opportunities across global equities, sovereign debt bonds, commodities and currencies. TCM selects the highest quality assets within each asset class to produce significant returns. For example, instead of buying just US Treasuries, TCM selects a portfolio of the best government debt bonds that are the most underpriced. The portfolio is also globally diversified and risk neutral to absorb market volatility.

Whilst the portfolio may occasionally experience 10-20% drawdowns lasting 6-12 months from broad market systemic sell-offs, TCM is expects to produce significant returns for investors invested over 1-3 year periods.

### Performance Statistics (after fees)<sup>1</sup> January 1997 to September 2021

| Last 12 months                              | +23.88%     |
|---|-------------|
| Last 3 years (total)                        | +136.38%    |
| Last 3 years (per annum)                    | +33.21%     |
| Total return since inception (January 1997) | +19,992.16% |
| Annualized return since inception           | +23.88%     |
| Worst drawdown (Dec 06 - Feb 08)            | -19.67%     |
| Annualized Sharpe                           | 1.32        |
| Annualized Sortino                          | 3.16        |
| Annualized downside volatility              | 7.30%       |
| Correlation to S&P 500                      | 0.31        |
| Positive months                             | 64.98%      |
| Average positive month                      | 4.56%       |
| Average negative month                      | -2.97%      |

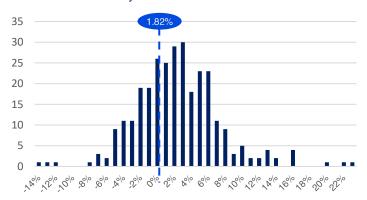
#### Net Track Record January 1997 to September 2021



Note: The chart is not designed to predict or forecast the future performance of the Fund. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

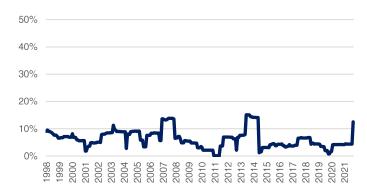


#### Distribution of Monthly Returns



Median: 1.82%, Mean: 1.92%, Stdev: 5.06%

#### 12-month Downside Volatility (rolling)



## Drawdown Statistics (peak to peak)

In 23 year backtest, there have been 6 drawdowns of greater than 10%.

| Start    | End      | Drawdown | Length | Recovery |
|----------|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| Aug-1997 | Sep-1998 | -17.14%  | 14     | 2        |
| Feb-2001 | Nov-2001 | -10.34%  | 10     | 2        |
| Dec-2001 | Jan-2003 | -17.97%  | 14     | 7        |
| Dec-2006 | Feb-2008 | -19.67%  | 15     | 8        |
| May-2013 | Nov-2013 | -16.94%  | 7      | 5        |
| Sep-2021 |          | -12.26%  | 1      |          |

#### **Fund Details**

| Strategy Inception (CTA)      | February 2021             |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Regulatory body               | NFA, CIMA                 |
| Structure                     | CTA Managed Account       |
| Minimum investment            | \$2M USD Notional Funding |
| Administrator                 | NAV Consulting, Inc       |
| Auditor                       | Deloitte                  |
| High watermark                | Yes                       |
| Management fee                | 1%                        |
| Incentive fee                 | 30%                       |
| CTA Subscription Application: | Online Subscription Form  |

|      | Q1          | Q2          | Q3          | Q4          |                 |
|------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|
| 2013 | Equities    | Equities    | Equities    | Equities    | biggest winners |
|      | Commodities | Commodities | FX          | FX          | biggest losers  |
| 2014 | Commodities | Equities    | Bonds       | FX          | biggest winners |
|      | FX          | FX          | Commodities | Commodities | biggest losers  |
| 2015 | Bonds       | Commodities | FX          | Equities    | biggest winners |
|      | Commodities | FX          | Commodities | Commodities | biggest losers  |
| 2016 | Commodities | Bonds       | Equities    | Commodities | biggest winners |
|      | FX          | Commodities | FX          | Bonds       | biggest losers  |
| 2017 | Equities    | Equities    | Equities    | Commodities | biggest winners |
|      | FX          | FX          | FX          | FX          | biggest losers  |
| 2018 | Equities    | FX          | Equities    | Bonds       | biggest winners |
|      | Bonds       | Bonds       | Bonds       | Equities    | biggest losers  |
| 2019 | Bonds       | Bonds       | Bonds       | Commodities | biggest winners |
|      | FX          | FX          | Commodities | FX          | biggest losers  |
| 2020 | FX          | Equities    | Equities    | Equities    | biggest winners |
|      | Commodities | FX          | FX          | FX          | biggest losers  |
| 2021 | Commodities | Commodities | Bonds       |             | biggest winners |
|      | Bonds       | FX          | Commodities |             | biggest losers  |

#### Disclaimer

<sup>1</sup>Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Performance figures are calculated net of all fees and assumes all distributions are reinvested.

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