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# Pacer Metaurus US Large Cap Dividend Multiplier 400 ETF (QDPL)



**S&P 500 Dividend Yield** 

91%

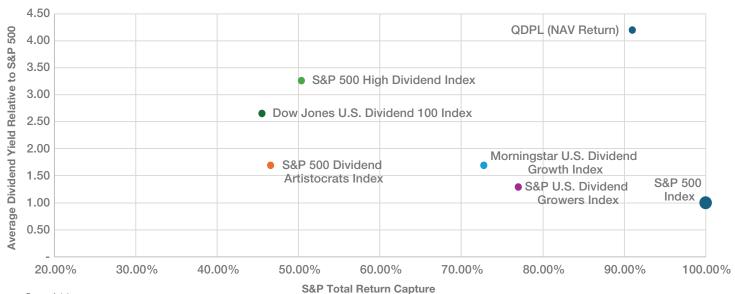
**S&P 500 Price Exposure** as of 9/30/25

91%

of Index Total Return as of 9/30/25

## **Growth vs Income: Optimizing the Tradeoff of Total Return for Yield**

9/30/2022 - 9/30/2025



#### Source: Pacer Advisors

#### **Total Return Capture**

Seeks to provide a multiple of the S&P 500 Index's dividend yield.

#### **Balance Between Income and Total Return**

A breakdown of the total return components for each index.

9/30/2022 - 9/30/2025	Price Return (%)	12M Dividend Yield (%)	Total Return (%)	Total Return Relative to the S&P 500 (%)		
QDPL (NAV Return)	15.55	4.86	22.69	91.00		
S&P 500 Dividend Aristocrats Index	8.86	2.52	11.61	46.55		
DOW Jones U.S. Dividend 100 Index	7.18	3.88	11.35	45.52		
Morningstar U.S. Dividend Growth Index	15.25	2.21	18.15	72.78		
S&P U.S. Dividend Growers Index	16.95	1.64	19.21	77.03		
S&P 500 High Dividend Index	7.43	4.69	12.56	50.38		
S&P 500 Index	23.10	1.17	24.94	100.00		

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#### **Tax-Efficient Income**

In general, dividend distributions from an S&P investment are taxed as qualified dividends. For QDPL, the distributions are more tax efficient because they are derived from multiple sources. The following chart provides a breakdown of the sources of QDPL 2024 distributions.

Sources of Distribution (2024)		Tax Rate	After Tax Efficiency		
Dividends (Qualified)	24%	23.8%			
Dividends (Non-Qualified)	3%	40.8%	~91%		
Capital Gains	7%	23.8%			
Return of Capital	66%	Not Taxed			

Important to note, an investor would have needed to hold the ETF for the entire year for this illustration to be generally representative.

Source(s): Left Table: Pacer Advisors. Right Table: Metaurus Advisors LLP.

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#### **Performance**

					Total Returns (%) as of 9/30/25			Total Returns (%) as of 9/30/25			
	Ticker	Total Expenses	Fund Inception		1 Month	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Since Fund Inception
Pacer Metaurus US Large Cap Dividend Multiplier 400 ETF	QDPL 0.60		0.60% 7/12/21	NAV	3.34	7.48	13.55	16.27	22.70	NA	11.12
		0.60%		Market Price	3.48	7.50	13.52	16.38	22.56	NA	11.13
Metaurus US Large Cap Dividend Multiplier Index - Series 400				3.53	7.52	13.61	16.40	22.95	N/A	11.57	
S&P 500 Total Return Index				3.65	8.12	14.83	17.60	24.94	16.47	12.18	

Effective February 1, 2024, the investment adviser lowered its management fee for QDPL to 0.60%. Prior to February 1, 2024, the management fee was 0.79%.

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Qualified dividends are those that meet certain IRS requirements to be taxed at the lower long-term capital gains tax rates.

Non-qualified dividends are those that do not meet IRS requirements for the lower capital gains tax rates. Instead, they are taxed at the ordinary income tax rates.

**Return of Capital:** Principal return to investors that is not considered taxable.

The S&P 500° Index is a popular gauge of large-cap U.S. equities and includes 500 leading companies, capturing approximately 80% coverage of available market capitalization.

S&P 500 Dividend Aristocracts Index measure the performance of S&P 500 companies that have increased dividends every year for the last 25 consecutive years.

S&P 500 High Dividend Index is designed to measure the performance of 80 high yield companies within the S&P 500 and is equally weighted to best represent the performance of this group, regardless of constituent size.

Morningstar U.S. Dividend Growth Index is a dividend dollars weighted index that seeks to measure the performance of U.S. companies selected based on a consistent history of growing

Dow Jones U.S. Dividend 100 Index is designed to measure the performance of high-dividend-yielding stocks in the U.S. with a record of consistently paying dividends, selected for fundamental strength relative to their peers, based on financial ratios.

S&P U.S. Dividend Growers Index is designed to measure the performance of U.S. companies that have followed a policy of consistently increasing dividends every year for at least 10 consecutive years.

**Total Return** is the return an investment produces including capital gains, dividends, and interest.

Total Return Capture is a measure of how effectively an investment captures the total return of a benchmark or market index over a given period.

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