

Blue Bar Futures Trading Mgt LLC / Prime Ag Accepting New Investors: No Long Short Spreads / Primarily Meat 4.7 Exempt - QEPs Only

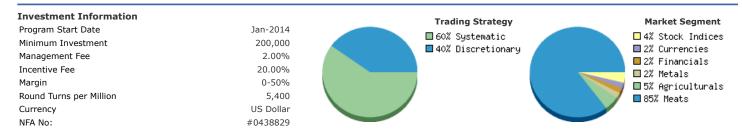
### **Performance Since January 2019**

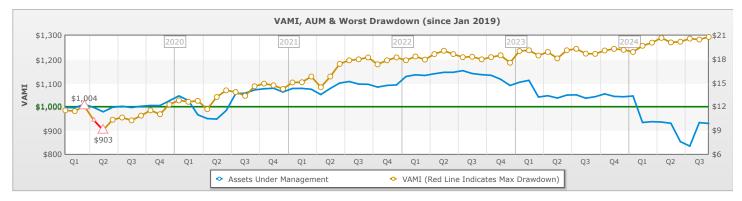
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2019	-1.37%	-0.28%	2.15%	-5.83%	-4.48%	4.91%	0.98%	-1.23%	2.09%	2.32%	-1.67%	4.22%
2020	1.66%	-0.56%	0.40%	-3.43%	5.10%	2.64%	-0.69%	-1.51%	3.78%	0.99%	-0.64%	-1.39%
2021	2.54%	0.08%	2.18%	-3.96%	4.18%	4.72%	1.27%	0.35%	0.68%	-2.38%	1.47%	0.97%
2022	-0.99%	1.34%	-1.11%	1.90%	1.12%	-1.12%	-1.10%	0.14%	-0.88%	0.73%	0.67%	-2.53%
2023	4.10%	0.27%	-1.75%	1.21%	-2.19%	2.86%	0.48%	-1.64%	-0.10%	1.15%	0.59%	-0.32%
2024	-0.76%	2.10%	1.02%	1.54%	-1.51%	0.21%	1.05%	-0.30%	0.83%			

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 YTD
ROR	1.23%	6.20%	12.43%	-1.91%	4.57%	4.20%
Max DD	-10.05%	-3.59%	-3.96%	-4.06%	-2.74%	-1.51%

## The Notes Below Are An Integral Part of this Report | Track Record Compiled By: CTA Services

**Program Description:** The Blue Bar Prime Ag program seeks to achieve capital appreciation through the execution of outright long/short and spread strategies identified by technical and fundamental analysis augmented by risk management principles employed by the Advisor. The strategy employs both fundamental and technical analysis to identify potentially low-risk trade opportunities. The trade execution methodology used for the program is based on a process that is approximately 60% systematic and 40% discretionary.





Program Statistics	Annualized Statistics	Annualized Statistics			
Peak-to-Valley Drawdown (1) (Mar 2019 - May 2019)	-10.05%	Annualized Compounded ROR (2)	4.55%		
Worst Monthly Return (Apr 2019)	-5.83%	Standard Deviation	7.56%		
Current Losing Streak	0.00%	Sharpe Ratio (4)	0.50		
Average Monthly Return	0.40%	36 Month Calmar Ratio (3)	0.55		

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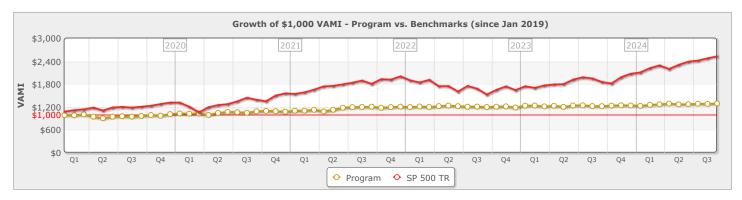
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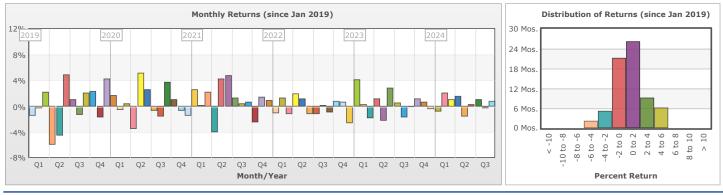
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36 mo

Time Window Ana	lysis			Historical Drawdown and Recoveries***					
Length	Best	Average	Worst	Start	Depth	Length	Recovery	End	
1 mo	5.1%	0.4%	-5.8%	Apr-19	-10.05%	2 mo	7 mo	Dec-19	
3 mo	10.5%	1.2%	-8.1%	Jun-22	-4.06%	7 mo	2 mo	Feb-23	
6 mo	10.6%	2.7%	-5.2%	Apr-21	-3.96%	1 mo	1 mo	May-21	
12 mo	15.4%	5.8%	-2.6%	Feb-20	-3.59%	3 mo	1 mo	May-20	
				Mar-23	-2.74%	3 mo	1 mo	Jun-23	
18 mo	20.6%	8.8%	0.4%	Oct-21	-2.38%	1 mo	2 mo	Dec-21	
24 mo	26.9%	11.9%	1.2%						

Comparisons	Program	SP 500 TR
Annualized Compound ROR	4.55%	17.52%
Cumulative Return	29.18%	152.99%
Cumulative VAMI (5)	1292	2530
Largest Monthly Gain	5.10%	12.82%
Largest Monthly Loss	-5.83%	-12.35%
Correlation	_	-0.003
Last 12 Months	5.68%	36.36%
Last 36 Months	6.90%	40.18%





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\*\* The drawdown begins in the month listed as start. The length in months of the drawdown is listed under length. The recovery begins in the following month, and the length of the recovery period is listed under recovery. The date listed as end is the month that the program recovered from the drawdown.

\*\*\* This Manager offers a range of fees: Mgt Fees Range 0-2% | Inc Fees Range 20-25%

Please note that the monthly performance numbers, ROR and Drawdowns are based on end of month values and are not reflective of intramonth volatility.

#### **Statistical Notes**

- 1. Peak to Valley Drawdown ("Maximum Drawdown") is the worst drawdown % loss over the period of 2019-01-31 to 2024-09-30
- 2. The Annualized Compounded ROR is the average return of an investment over a number of years. It smoothes out returns by assuming constant growth.
- 3. Calmar Ratio Uses last 36 months of Data

#### ROR = Rate of Return

**SP 500 TR:** The S&P 500 indices are designed to reflect all sectors of the U.S. equity markets. The S&P 500 includes 500 blue chip, large cap stocks, which together represent about 75% of the total U.S. equities market. Companies eligible for addition to the S&P 500 have market capitalization of at least US\$3.5 billion. The TR Index accounts for the reinvestment of dividends.

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