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# Market Perspectives Video Season of Uncertainty

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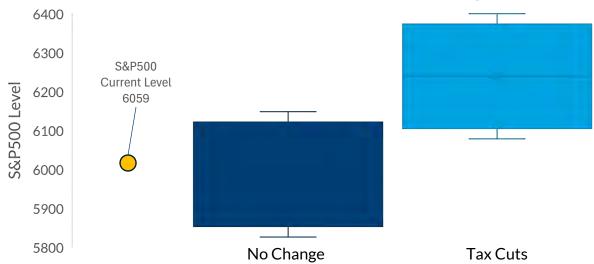


#### S&P500 Fair Valuation Ranges At Current Multiples

- At current multiples and expected earnings levels, the S&P500 can continue moving higher, albeit at a slower pace.
- Tax cuts may be the biggest influence on the overall level of earnings and could accelerate profits.

S&P 500 Valuation Analysis								
		Consensus Earnings	-2%	-4%	-6%			
Earnings	No Change	14.7%	12.7%	10.7%	8.7%			
	Tax Cuts	19.4%	17.4%	15.4%	13.4%			
S&P500 Value	No Change	6,148	6,041	5,933	5,826			
	Tax Cuts	6,400	6,292	6,185	6,078			

#### Expected 2025 S&P Valuation Ranges



Tax impact estimated at 4.7% based on Ned Davis expectation of 15% tax rate of domestic revenue and 20% tax rate on international revenue. Source: FactSet, CNR Research, as of December 9, 2024. Information is subject to change and is not a guarantee of future results.

#### **Economic Impacts of Potential Trump Administration Policy**

- Potential pro-business and U.S. centric policy has created concern over rates and inflation.
- The policy mix will likely result in smaller reactions than any policy taken alone.

	Economic Impact					
Policy Change	Growth (GDP)	Corporate Profits	Inflation	Interest Rates		
	Positive	= Higher	Positive = Lower			
Lower Tax Rates	Higher	Higher	Higher	Higher		
Additional Tariffs	Lower	Lower	Higher	Higher		
Increase in Federal Debt	Neutral	Neutral	Higher	Higher		
Lower Immigration	Lower	Lower	Lower	Lower		

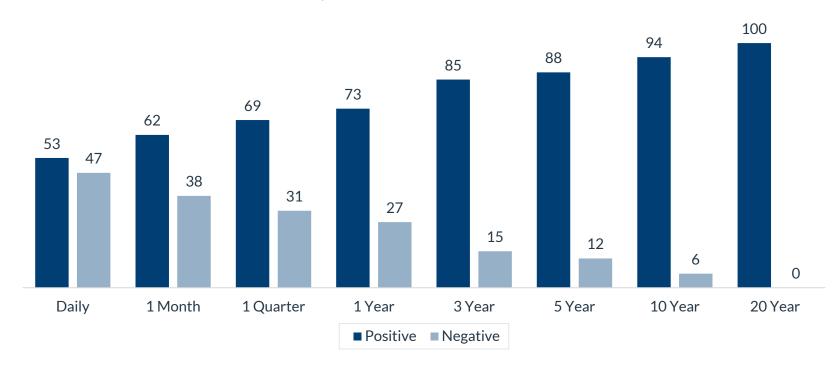
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### Volatility ≠ Risk of Loss Given Appropriate Time Horizon

- While stocks are volatile in the shorter term, the risk of loss has been low over long time horizons.
- Focusing on goals rather than short term volatility can increase the probability of success.

## Probability of Positive and Negative Stock Performance %, across various time horizons



Source: CNR, FactSet. Data reflects S&P 500 performance January 1928-December 2024.

Daily returns were calculated for the periods shown above, with the number of positive and negative days counted. The number of positive and negative days respectively was then divided by the total number of days to calculate the percentages.

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The MSCI World Index is a global stock market index that represents the performance of large and mid-cap stocks from 23 developed countries around the world.





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