

No-Regrets Investing with Equity Risk Sciences

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How to Invest with Confidence and Avoid Regret

Many investors experience a rollercoaster of emotions—excitement when a stock rises, disappointment when it falls, and regret when they feel they made the wrong choice. But what if there was a way to invest without regrets?

At **Equity Risk Sciences (ERS)**, we believe that “No Regrets” investing is possible. And we have the evidence to prove it.

What is “No Regrets” Investing?

Most people think investing is about picking stocks and hoping they go up. But real investing is more like running an insurance company. Let’s break it down.

Imagine you’re flipping a coin. You know that half the time, it will land on heads, and half the time, it will land on tails. Because you understand the odds, you wouldn’t feel regret each time it landed on the opposite side of your guess—you knew it was always a possibility.

Investing works the same way. The key is **understanding the probabilities before making an investment decision**.

Even the most successful investors—those who have built billions in wealth—know that some of their investments will lose money. But they don’t let those losses shake their confidence because they understand the big picture.

With a **data-driven system**, investors can plan ahead and expect some losses while ensuring that **overall, the gains outweigh the losses**.

The Power of Knowing the Odds

Wouldn’t you invest with greater confidence if you knew:

- **30-35% of your investments will lose money** (because no strategy is perfect).
- **65-70% of your investments will make money, and those gains will far exceed the losses.**
- Over time, this approach has produced **consistent profits** across different market conditions.

That’s what a systematic, probability-based investment strategy offers. Instead of guessing which stocks will go up, you base your decisions on science.

Which Investment Strategy Would You Choose?

If you had to choose between three different investment strategies, each with a different probability of gain and average return, which one would you pick? Take a moment to analyze the numbers.

	Probability of Gain	Probability of Loss	Average Gain	Average Loss	Overall Average 1-Year Return
System 1	71%	29%	29%	-30%	11.9%
System 2	63%	37%	47%	-26%	19.3%
System 3	55%	45%	63%	-24%	23.9%

- **System 1** offers the highest probability of gain at **71%**, but its average gain is only **29%**, and when losses occur, they are steep at **-30%**.
- **System 2** is a representation of the returns produced by the best-rated stocks in ERS's **25-year study** of over **5,000 stocks and 400,000 ratings**. This system has a lower probability of gain (**63%**) but delivers stronger average gains at **47%**, while losses are slightly less severe at **-26%**.
- **System 3** has the lowest probability of gain (**55%**) but compensates with significantly higher average gains (**63%**). Its losses are the smallest at **-24%**.

At first glance, many investors might assume that the strategy with the highest probability of gain (**System 1**) is the best. However, looking at the **overall return** tells a different story. **System 3**, despite having the lowest probability of gain, produces the highest overall return, while System 2 outperforms System 1 in every way.

Why You Can't Guess Your Way to Investment Success

The takeaway from this analysis is clear: **investment decisions cannot be made by intuition alone**. Many investors and even professionals assume they can “eyeball” an investment strategy and predict its effectiveness. However, **the mathematics tell the real story**.

Stock analysis and investment decision-making must be driven by **data science and rigorous mathematical calculations**. Without a systematic approach, an investor may choose the seemingly “safer” option, unaware that a different approach could generate significantly better returns over time.

This is why **Equity Risk Sciences (ERS)** relies on **quantitative analysis rather than gut instinct or traditional broker advice**. The best investment strategies are built on **statistical probability, historical data, and mathematical modeling—not human emotions or opinions**.

Does your investment process include this level of analysis? If not, it's time to elevate decision-making from guesswork to science.

Why Investing Is Like Insurance

Insurance companies don't know exactly who will file a claim, but they do know approximately **how many** people will. That's why they can confidently sell policies and still make a profit.

Similarly, at **Equity Risk Sciences (ERS)**, we analyze millions of data points to calculate:

- The probability that a stock will rise or fall.
- The magnitude of potential gains or losses.

Just like an insurance company expects to pay some claims but still makes money overall, an investor using a probability-based strategy **expects some losses but ensures that gains outpace them.**

This isn't gambling—it's scientific risk management.

ERS Brings This Scientific Approach to Investing

Equity Risk Sciences (ERS) applies the same principles that insurance companies use—but to investing.

- **We don't rely on guesses.** We use advanced data science and statistical models to determine the probability of gains and losses for each stock.
- **We analyze historical patterns.** Our system has been tested over **35 years of market data** to ensure reliability.
- **We prepare investors for reality.** We show them the likelihood of success and failure **before** they invest—so they can make informed decisions **without fear.**

When you invest with ERS's data-driven system, you won't regret an individual loss. Why? Because every loss was accounted for **in advance**, just like insurance companies account for claims.

Investing Without Fear, Guesswork, or Regret

Most investors **fear losing money** because they don't know what to expect. But with ERS's approach, you can invest **with clarity and confidence** because you already know:

- Some losses will happen.
- The overall system is built to generate **far greater profits than losses over time.**
- The science behind it has been tested for decades.

When an investor understands the **statistical probabilities** of their investments, they can invest without regret—because their decisions are based on a system that **works consistently over time.**

The Bottom Line

With the right scientific system, you can invest **without regret.** It's not about being right every time—it's about knowing **in advance** how often you'll be right and that your gains will exceed your losses.

Just like an insurance company profits by managing risk, investors can profit by making decisions based on probability, not emotions.

That's what **ERS does**—it gives you the **statistical edge** so you can invest with confidence, without regrets.