Estimating year end mutual fund distributions

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GENERAL SITES

These sites typically have articles about the industry and information about specific funds.

MORNINGSTAR.COM

Articles

- Discussion of some funds with large expected distributions as a percent of asset value:
 - https://www.morningstar.com/articles/1065314/capital-gains-roundup-2021-edition

Fund specific information

- To get Morningstar's estimate of a fund's potential capital gain exposure:
 - Go to the fund's "Price" page on Morningstar.
 - Then look in the "Other Fees" section of the page

CAPGAINSVALET.COM

Articles

• Discussion of some funds with large expected distributions as a percent of asset value:

https://www.capgainsvalet.com/in-the-doghouse-2021/

Fund specific information

- They scour fund family websites to collect data on funds' expected distributions
 - Go to https://www.capgainsvalet.com/
 - Click Free search
 - Scroll the list or search using the search box

SPECIFIC BROKERAGE AND FUND FAMILY SITES

These sites typically have information only for their own funds

FIDELITY

 https://www.fidelity.com/mutual-funds/information/distributions#/? table=estimated

VANGUARD

- https://advisors.vanguard.com/insights/article/preliminarycapitalgainsestimates
- Then click PDF link on the page

DODGE AND COX

 https://www.dodgeandcox.com/pdf/shareholder_services/ dc_estimated_year_end_distributions_2021.pdf

COLUMBIA

- https://www.columbiathreadneedleus.com/binaries/content/assets/cti/public/2021_cap_gain_yearend_estimates.pdf
- https://www.fidelity.com/mutual-funds/information/distributions#/? table=estimated

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2021%20Janus%20Henderson%20Estimated%20Per%20Share%20Distribution%20Amounts%20-%20Revised.pdf

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