

# Private-Mandate Aggressive Absolute-Return Long/Short Global Multi-Asset Strategy

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# **Investment Objectives**

The Fund aims to provide long-term capital growth with a focus on absolute return and diversification across multiple asset classes and geographical regions.

The goal is to achieve high risk-adjusted absolute returns through a strategic asset allocation framework by replicating a US university endowment model, while also protecting capital and profit from equity bear markets through dynamic asset allocation; hence targeting risk-adjusted absolute returns superior to a traditional long-only equity fund or a 60/40 balanced fund over a market cycle.

The firm's investment philosophy is to apply realworld discretionary trading strategies to the rigour of a quantitative process focusing on delivering superior risk-adjusted absolute returns.

# **Strategy Overview**

| Strategy   | Overview   |
|--|--|
| Company<br>SC License                                | Cross Light Capital Sdn. Bhd.<br>eCMSL/A0367/2020  |
| Fund Manager<br>SC License                           | CIO Jason Lee, CFA   |
|  | eCMSRL/C0200/2020  |
| Category   | Global Multi-Asset   |
| Structure  | Private Mandate or<br>Separately Managed Account   |
| Style  | Alternative, Use of Leverage,<br>Long and Short Exposures,<br>Tactical Asset Allocation  |
| Base Currency  | USD  |
| Prime Broker,<br>Custodian and<br>Fund<br>Accounting | Interactive Brokers LLC,<br>regulated by the U.S. Security<br>and Exchange Commission  |
| Benchmark  | 2/3 iShares Core Growth<br>Allocation ETF (AOR)<br>+<br>2/3 SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust<br>(SPY)<br>+<br>2/3 IQ Hedge Multi-Strategy<br>Tracker ETF (QAI) |
| Management<br>Fee                                    | 2% per annum of NAV  |
| Performance<br>Fee                                   | 20% of any quarterly NAV gain  |

## **Fund Performance**

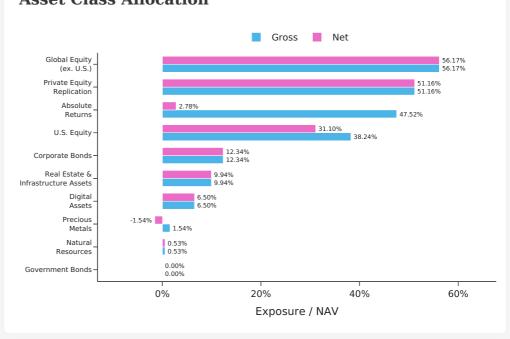


\*The period before 2021-01-04 (strategy inception date) is backtest performance, whereas the period after and including 2021-01-04 is actual past performance. Strategy return for the backtest period is net of management and performance fees, both deducted daily. Strategy return after inception is net of management fee deducted and reported monthly and performance fee deducted and reported only quarterly.

### **Cumulative Performance (%)**

|                 | 1 Month | 3 Months | 6 Months | 1 Year | 3 Years | YTD  | Since Strategy's Inception |
|-----------------|---------|----------|----------|--------|---------|------|----------------------------|
| This strategy** | 6.22    | 10.30    | 10.07    | -2.81  | -0.17   | 0.80 | 6.67                       |
| Benchmark       | 6.04    | 15.02    | 17.86    | 37.81  | 30.42   | 6.84 | 32.82                      |

# **Asset Class Allocation**



#### 4-Year Risk and Performance Metrics\*\*

| CAGR                                    | 20.10%   |
|---|----------|
| Value at Risk<br>(95% confidence level) | 2.30%    |
| Annualized Volatility                   | 25.50%   |
| Max Drawdown                            | -32.83%  |
| Sharpe Ratio                            | 0.79     |
| Sortino Ratio                           | 0.96     |
| Correlation to SPY                      | 0.25     |
| Longest Recovery                        | 578 days |

# **Exposure Metrics** (relative to NAV)

| Gross Exposure                | 223.94% |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Net Exposure                  | 168.99% |
| Net Beta-Adjusted<br>Exposure | 174.26% |
| Long Exposure                 | 196.47% |
| Short Exposure                | 27.47%  |

#### **Performance Attribution**

| Asset Class   | Contribution |
|---|--------------|
| Global Equity (ex. U.S.)                                | 1.14%        |
| Private Equity Replication                              | 0.77%        |
| Absolute Returns  | 0.04%        |
| U.S. Equity   | 2.16%        |
| Corporate Bonds   | -0.13%       |
| Real Estate and Infrastructure<br>Assets                | 0.06%        |
| Digital Assets  | 3.25%        |
| Precious Metals   | -0.08%       |
| Natural Resources                                       | -0.01%       |
| Government Bonds  | -0.09%       |
| Estimated Gross 1-Month<br>Unannualized Trailing Return | 7.11%        |

# **Monthly Performance (%)**

|        | Jan   | Feb   | Mar   | Арг   | May   | Jun   | Jul   | Aug   | Sep    | Oct    | Nov   | Dec   | YEAR   |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------|
| 2024   | -5.10 | 6.22  |       |       |       |       |       |       |        |        |       |       | 0.80   |
| 2023   | 4.51  | -5.13 | -5.15 | -0.40 | -3.88 | 0.07  | 4.76  | -7.24 | -0.77  | -3.56  | 4.28  | 9.42  | -4.40  |
| 2022   | -9.70 | 0.87  | 0.04  | -2.07 | -0.07 | -2.76 | -6.73 | -0.02 | -3.23  | -4.61  | 10.15 | 1.68  | -16.41 |
| 2021   | -7.31 | 15.28 | 9.81  | 2.32  | 6.46  | -6.19 | 1.94  | 2.08  | -6.69  | 11.07  | 0.96  | 1.45  | 32.42  |
| 2020** | -0.08 | -4.63 | 33.38 | 16.30 | 5.15  | -3.78 | 11.28 | 3.92  | -12.07 | -4.07  | 15.79 | 10.03 | 85.84  |
| 2019** | 6.70  | 2.00  | 3.39  | 3.71  | -1.34 | 16.42 | -1.01 | -0.90 | -4.07  | 4.44   | 5.61  | 3.62  | 44.17  |
| 2018** |       |       |       | -4.46 | -1.85 | -0.76 | 1.42  | 4.36  | -1.44  | -11.11 | -1.95 | 8.51  | -8.19  |

<sup>\*\*</sup>Performance derived from actual past performance of the strategy (since 2021-01-04) and backtest performance of the strategy (prior to 2021-01-04) during the period.

#### **Disclosure**

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Reference Private Mandate: Performance data reported in this factsheet is based on a reference portfolio starting on 2021-01-04.

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