

# Cooper Creek Partners North America Long Short Equity UCITS Fund

## Long/Short Equity

June 2022

### Performance Returns

The Cooper Creek Partners North America Long Short Equity UCITS Fund returned -1.9% for the month of June (IE00BG08P444) resulting in a net 2022 return of 16.8%.

### Investment Objective & Strategy

The Cooper Creek Partners North America Long Short Equity UCITS Fund seeks to generate attractive absolute returns, non-correlated to equity market performance by investing in a portfolio of high conviction ideas with a low net exposure.

Cooper Creek employs a catalyst-driven, value-oriented approach to investing in small/mid-cap, under-the-radar and/or out-of-favour North American companies with the potential for transformational change. There is a significant focus on generating alpha from single name investments on both the long and short sides of the portfolio.

### Monthly Commentary

In June, Cooper Creek Partners North America Long Short Equity UCITS Fund generated a -1.9% return, while averaging 3.1% net exposure, compared to the Russell 2000 and the S&P 500, which returned -8.2% and -8.3%, respectively.

The long and short book returned -14.2% and 12.3%, respectively.

Shorts led performance in June, with three positions contributing 50 basis points or more to fund performance. Four additional shorts each added between 30 and 40 basis points. The largest short detractor cost the fund 25 basis points on the month.

Longs were unprofitable in June, with seven positions each detracting 50 basis points or more from fund performance.

We reduced exposures during the month by covering several short situations which had hit our price targets and by selectively exiting or

reducing longs where the catalyst(s) got pushed further out. We also selectively added to several highest conviction long situations on weakness over the course of the month.

We enter July 70.8% long and 61.7% short/ 9.1% net long.

At the sector level, the fund's largest exposures are industrials, at 40.9% gross invested/ 10.1% net long; gaming/ lodging/ restaurants, at 22.0% gross invested/ 8.5% net long; retail, at 16.6% gross invested/ 3.4% net short; business services, at 15.4% gross invested/ 8.7% net short; technology/ internet, at 14.2% gross invested/ 4.3% net long; consumer staples, at 13.8% gross invested/ 11.5% net short; energy, at 6.4% gross invested/ 6.4% net long, and media/ telecom, at 3.4% gross invested/ 3.4% net long.

### The Manager



### Fund Facts

<b>Structure</b>	UCITS Fund
<b>Domicile</b>	Ireland
<b>Liquidity</b>	Daily
<b>Fund AUM</b>	\$221.6 million
<b>Strategy AUM</b>	\$347.7 million
<b>Firm AUM</b>	\$767.0 Million
<b>Inception</b>	12 <sup>th</sup> November 2018

<b>Share Class</b>	<b>Institutional Class (Non-Pooled / Pooled)</b>
<b>Currency</b>	EUR/USD/CHF/GBP
<b>Mgt. Fee</b>	1.50%
<b>Perf. Fee</b>	20%
<b>Min Init. Sub.</b>	100,000
<b>ISIN Codes</b>	EUR: IE00BG08P220 / IE00BG08P667 USD: IE00BG08P444 / IE00BG08NM85 CHF: IE00BG08P550 / IE00BG08NN92 GBP: IE00BG08P337 / IE00BG08P774

<b>Share Class</b>	<b>Retail Class Pooled</b>
<b>Currency</b>	EUR/USD/CHF/GBP
<b>Mgt. Fee</b>	2.00%
<b>Perf. Fee</b>	20.00%
<b>Min Init. Sub.</b>	10,000
<b>ISIN Codes</b>	EUR: IE00BG08NP17 USD: IE00BG08NR31 CHF: IE00BG08NS48 GBP: IE00BG08NQ24

<b>Share Class</b>	<b>Institutional Class A (Non-Pooled / Pooled)</b>
<b>Currency</b>	EUR/USD/CHF/GBP
<b>Mgt. Fee</b>	1.00%
<b>Perf. Fee</b>	20.00%
<b>Min Init. Sub.</b>	25,000,000
<b>ISIN Codes</b>	EUR: IE00BNHQBP37 / IE00BNHQBT74 USD: IE00BNHQBR50 / IE00BNHQBW04 CHF: IE00BNHQBS67 / IE00BNHQBX11 GBP: IE00BNHQBQ44 / IE00BNHQBV96

### UCITS Fund Performance

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Y-T-D	Avg. Net Exposure
<b>2022</b>	0.3%	7.5%	6.2%	1.2%	2.7%	-1.9%							16.8%	10.0%
<b>2021</b>	-8.2%	3.8%	1.6%	1.5%	2.5%	2.5%	-2.7%	-0.2%	4.9%	-0.7%	0.7%	4.3%	9.8%	9.0%
<b>2020</b>	1.4%	-0.9%	4.0%	-2.6%	-0.4%	7.3%	2.5%	-3.1%	0.3%	-2.0%	1.4%	3.8%	11.7%	3.0%
<b>2019</b>	4.9%	1.6%	1.1%	3.6%	-7.6%	-0.7%	2.7%	0.1%	-1.8%	6.0%	-1.1%	2.3%	11.1%	0.4%
<b>2018</b>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-0.7%	-4.3%	-5.0%	8.0%

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	Net	Long	Short	S&P 500	Russell 2000
<b>June 2022</b>	-1.9%	-14.2%	12.3%	-8.3%	-8.2%
<b>Year to Date</b>	16.8%	-16.4%	33.2%	-20.0%	-23.4%

### Exposure at Month End

	Long	Short	Net	Gross
<b>Portfolio</b>	70.8%	61.7%	9.1%	132.5%
<b>Beta-adj.</b>	88.5%	71.4%	17.1%	159.9%

### Portfolio Concentration at Month End

	Long	Short
<b># of Portfolio Positions</b>	36	46
<b>5 Largest Positions as % of Capital</b>	20.7%	14.2%

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### Rob Schwartz

#### Founder, Managing Member, Portfolio Manager

Prior to founding Cooper Creek Partners Management LLC in 2008, Mr. Schwartz spent six and a half years at JL Advisors, LLC. Mr. Schwartz began at JL Advisors in November 2001 as a Consumer/Retail Analyst. He was promoted to Partner in January 2005 and took over responsibility for hiring and training new employees. He became the firm's sole Managing Director in December 2006. From August 2000 to October 2001, Mr. Schwartz was an Associate in investment banking at Banc of America Securities focusing on the retail sector. Mr. Schwartz graduated magna cum laude from the University of Michigan with a B.A. in 1996. From 1996 to 2000, he earned a J.D. and an M.B.A. from Columbia Law School and Columbia Business School.

### A.J. Strasser

#### Senior Investment Professional

AJ Strasser has spent the last ten years as an investment professional at Cooper Creek Partners, having joined as an analyst since the fund's inception. He focuses on the broader technology sector with an emphasis on software, the engineering & construction sector, and the government IT services space. Prior to Cooper Creek, Mr. Strasser worked at Lazard Freres & Co, as an investment banker in the mergers and acquisitions team covering the energy and utilities sector, as well as alternative energy transactions. Mr. Strasser received his undergraduate degree from New York University Stern School of Business and graduated magna cum laude with a B.S. in Finance in 2003.

### Matt Sherwood

#### Senior Investment Professional

Prior to joining Cooper Creek Partners Management LLC, Mr. Sherwood spent four years at ZS Crossover II LP as a Senior Analyst and Principal. At ZS Crossover, Mr. Sherwood focused on long and short investments in small capitalization stocks. Prior to ZS, Mr. Sherwood spent three years as an Investment Analyst at Eminence Capital LP. Mr. Sherwood received his undergraduate degree from Duke University and graduated magna cum laude with a B.S. in Economics and a double major in History in 2002. Mr. Sherwood has been a CFA® charterholder since 2005.