# WEISS ALTERNATIVE MULTI-STRATEGY FUND

## Ticker: WEISX / WEIZX



## As of June 2022



## FUND OVERVIEW

The Weiss Alternative Multi-Strategy Fund ("WAMS", "Fund", Ticker: WEISX) is purpose-built for investors seeking the traditional stability of fixed income in addition to higher potential upside.



6+ year track record



18 differentiated strategies plus growth and defensive strategies



4-star Overall Morningstar Rating<sup>™</sup>

\*Overall Morningstar Rating. Among 129 Multistrategy Funds for the period ending June 30, 2022, derived from a weighted average of the Fund's three and five-year risk adjusted return metrics



<u>Weiss Insights</u>









## HOW IS WAMS DIFFERENT?

Weiss is seeking to build a world where our decades of expertise in alternatives is universally accessible.



Includes 18 discretionary, sector and industry specific strategies designed to generate performance through security price dispersion.



WAMS is actively managed and traded daily by Weiss Portfolio Managers on a discretionary basis.



WAMS is a daily, liquid alternative available on most major brokerage platforms.



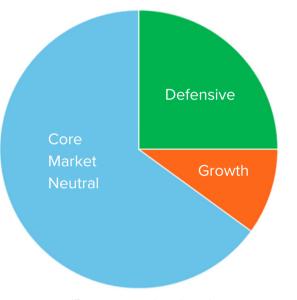






## FUND COMPONENTS

As a market neutral pioneer, WAMS is a reflection of our rich heritage. In fact, the core market neutral portfolio generally replicates our flagship hedge fund.



## **ILLUSTRATIVE STRATEGY WEIGHTS\***

Targets	may	not be	achieved.
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Core Market Neutral:	Aims to generate performance through security price dispersion instead of market direction							
Growth:	Pro-cyclical strategy typically offering directional exposure to the US equity markets							
Defensive:	Income-generating strategy created to provide high liquidity and capital preservation, typically offering exposure to US Treasuries and corporate credit							



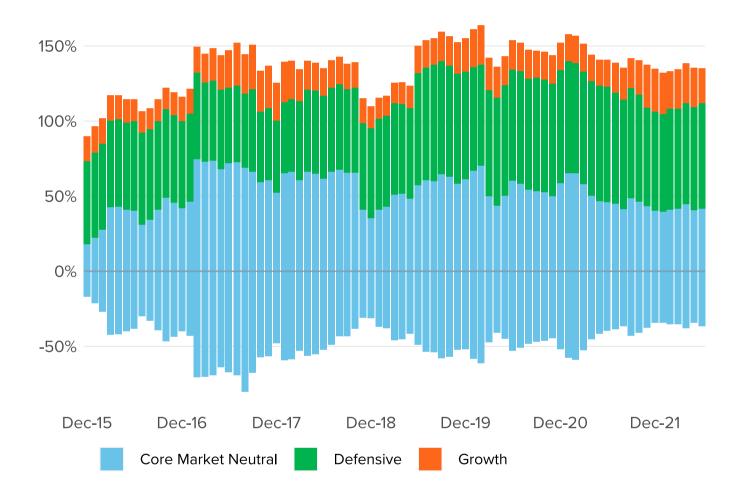






## FUND CONSTRUCTION

WAMS seeks to diversify a traditional portfolio of stocks and bonds. The portfolio is reweighted at least monthly to adjust to shifting market signals.



As of 6/30/2022. Diversification does not assure a profit or protect against a loss in a declining market.







### FUND CHARACTERISTICS

WEISX (Class K) as of 6/30/22	WEISX Ann. Rate of Return*	WEISX Ann. Volatility*	WEISX Risk Adj. Rtn. Ratio		
Trailing 1 Year Trailing 3 Year	-15.10% 0.46%	9.18% 9.71%	-1.65 0.05		
Trailing 5 Year Since Inception (12/01/2015)	2.98% 3.28%	7.90% 7.18%	0.38 0.46		
U.S. Corp Bond Index as of 6/30/22	U.S. Corp Bond Index Ann. Rate of Return	U.S. Corp Bond Index Ann. Volatility*	U.S. Corp Bond Index Risk Adjusted Return		
Trailing 1 Year	-14.19%	7.18%	-1.98		
Trailing 3 Year	-0.99%	7.03%	-0.14		
Trailing 5 Year Since Inception (12/01/2015)	1.28% 2.27%	5.85% 5.50%	0.22 0.41		
U.S. Agg. Bond Index as of 6/30/22	U.S. Agg. Bond Index Ann. Rate of Return	U.S. Agg. Bond Index Ann. Volatility*	U.S. Agg. Bond Index Risk Adjusted Return		
Trailing 1 Year	-10.29%	5.73%	-1.80		
Trailing 3 Year	-0.93%	4.77%	-0.20		
Trailing 5 Year Since Inception (12/01/2015)	0.88% 1.31%	4.09% 3.90%	0.21 0.34		

\*Annual Rate of Return shows the actual net daily returns of WEISX from inception in December 2015 until June 30, 2022. The volatility is the trailing 252-day annualized standard deviation.

Performance data quoted represents past performance; past performance does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. The current performance of the Fund may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance data current to the most recent month-end may be obtained by calling 866-530-2690.







## **FUND CHARACTERISTICS**

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#### **GROWTH OF \$1**



#### MONTHLY RETURNS

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2022	-4.02%	-1.00%	-1.92%	-6.47%	0.11%	-4.72%							-16.86%
2021	-2.08%	2.22%	-1.04%	1.72%	0.84%	1.30%	0.92%	0.36%	-1.36%	1.74%	-0.63%	1.09%	5.10%
2020	0.68%	-0.68%	-5.76%	4.55%	2.28%	1.16%	4.11%	0.09%	-1.47%	-0.56%	4.12%	2.70%	11.32%
2019	3.11%	0.49%	2.03%	1.04%	-0.19%	3.10%	0.18%	2.37%	-0.44%	0.45%	0.62%	1.00%	14.56%
2018	0.77%	-2.00%	1.26%	-0.19%	1.54%	-0.09%	0.47%	1.32%	-0.19%	-2.61%	0.38%	-0.35%	0.22%
2017	0.51%	0.91%	-0.10%	0.80%	0.80%	0.79%	0.78%	0.49%	0.29%	0.67%	1.05%	0.35%	7.59%
2016	-0.51%	1.12%	2.32%	0.79%	0.20%	1.76%	1.63%	0.19%	0.00%	-1.98%	-1.44%	0.39%	4.47%
2015												-1.50%	-1.50%

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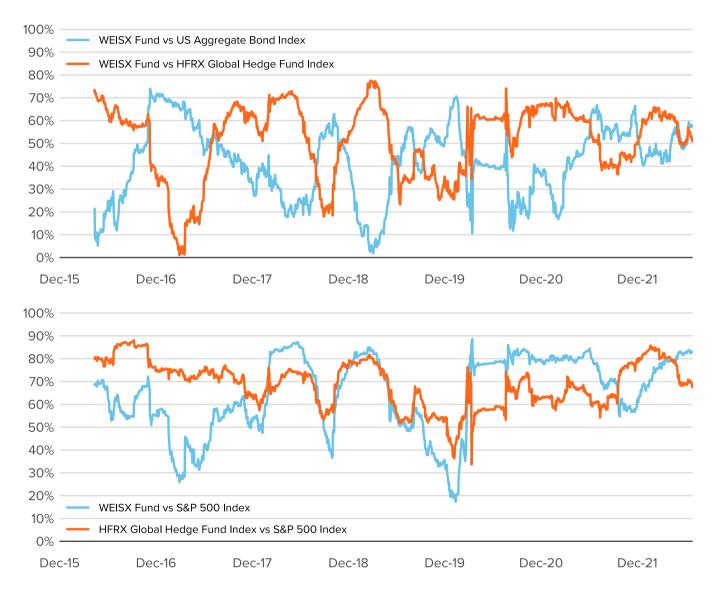




## FUND CORRELATIONS

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WAMS seeks fluctuating correlations to stocks and bonds. It offers investors the potential to smooth out volatile equity returns and add upside to fixed income strategies.



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## **PORTFOLIO MANAGER'S BIOGRAPHIES**

#### Jordi Visser, President and CIO

Jordi is the President and Chief Investment Officer of Weiss Multi-Strategy Advisers LLC, the market neutral pioneer of the asset management industry. Jordi has over 30 years of experience in the investment and finance industry. At Weiss, Jordi oversees the portfolio managers and is responsible for the overall risk aggregation. Additionally, he is the architect and a portfolio manager for the Weiss Alternative Multi-Strategy Fund (Ticker: WEISX), a strategy that reflects the firm's market neutral approach and the desire to make its expertise in alternatives universally accessible. Jordi is the host of the video series, "Real-Time with Jordi Visser" and a lead contributor to the firm's podcast, "In Search of Green Marbles."

Prior to joining Weiss, Jordi was the founding Managing Partner of Anchor Point Asset Management, a global macro hedge fund, and a former Managing Director at Morgan Stanley where he held various senior management roles. Jordi has been featured as a guest speaker on various popular podcasts and media outlets. Jordi is a magna cum laude graduate of Manhattan College and a Board Member of the School of Business at Manhattan College.

#### Edward Olanow, Director of Investment Solutions

Joined the Firm in 2005, where he worked for almost a decade as a member of the Firm's Macro strategy. In 2015, he assumed the role of structuring new products for the Weiss platform and is currently the Director of Investment Solutions and Portfolio Manager for the Weiss Alternative Multi-Strategy Fund. Previously, Edward worked as a quantitative analyst at Anchor Point Asset Management, a global macro hedge fund. He began his investment career as a research and quantitative analyst with Citibank Global Asset Management. He is also a member of the Board of Trustees for Oliver Scholars, an organization dedicated to preparing high-achieving Black and Latino students from underserved New York City communities for success at top independent schools and prestigious colleges. Edward holds a B.A. degree in Economics from Emory University.

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## OUR BACKGROUND

George Weiss began his career on Wall Street in 1965. But instead of finding opportunity and stability on Wall Street, he experienced mostly politics and duplicity.

So, with only a slide ruler and calculator, he launched George Weiss Associates, Inc. in 1978, pledging the highest standards of integrity and fairness, for both his employees and his clients.



George's ethically-minded and successful approach, coupled with his philanthropic efforts, soon became renowned on Wall Street. The firm attracted top-notch clients and talent, and operated in the spirit of true partnership.

One of those like-minded hires was Jordi Visser, who joined the firm in 2005, later becoming CIO in 2008, and President in 2015. Jordi brought a lifelong passion for data analytics to the firm, marrying George's values with advanced data science and technology.

This human + machine model of investing has been the catalyst for a new chapter of growth at the firm, where a new suite of innovative financial products is appealing to a new generation of investors.







## DISCLOSURES

The past performance results described herein are not indicative of any future results that may be achieved with any investment.

The previous benchmark for the Fund was the Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index. Effective July 1, 2021, the benchmark changed to the Bloomberg US Corporate Bond Index in order to more fully emphasize the Adviser's belief that WEISX is a fixed income diversified.

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The growth of \$1 chart illustrates the performance of a hypothetical \$1 investment made in WEISX and the noted indexes since inception (December 2015) through June 30, 2022. Assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains but does not reflect the effect of any applicable sales charge or redemption fees. This chart does not imply any future performance.

Correlations calculated using historical daily returns from December 2015-June 30, 2022 on a rolling 90 day basis.

The WEISX Annual Rate of Return shows the actual net daily return of WEISX from inception in December 2015 to June 30, 2022. The annualized volatility is the trailing 252-day annualized standard deviation, a statistic that measures the dispersion of a dataset relative to its mean and is calculated as the square root of the variance. Risk-Adjusted Return Ratio is the annualized return divided by the annualized volatility.

The Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based flagship benchmark that measures the investment grade, US dollar-denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market. The index includes Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed-rate and hybrid ARM pass-throughs), ABS, and CMBS (agency and non-agency). The Standard and Poor's 500 Index is a capitalization-weighted index of 500 stocks. The index is designed to measure performance of the broad domestic economy through changes in the aggregate market value of 500 stocks representing all major industries.











The US Corporate Bond Index measures the performance of US Dollar-denominated bonds issued in the US investment-grade bond market. The HFRX Global Hedge Fund Index is designed to be representative of the overall composition of the hedge fund universe. It is comprised of all eligible hedge fund strategies; including but not limited to convertible arbitrage, distressed securities, equity hedge, equity market neutral, event driven, macro, merger arbitrage, and relative value arbitrage. The strategies are asset weighted based on the distribution of assets in the hedge fund industry. Hedge Fund Research, Inc. (HFR) utilizes a UCITSIII compliant methodology to construct the HFRX Hedge Fund Indices. The methodology is based on defined and predetermined rules and objective criteria to select and rebalance components to maximize representation of the Hedge Fund Universe.

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