# Palos-Mitchell Alpha Fund – Series O

Performance as of July 31, 2025



# **Fund Description**

The Palos-Mitchell Alpha Fund (the "Fund") is an open-ended trust established on January 19, 2019. The Fund's objectives are to 1) protect capital and 2) deliver superior long-term returns by investing in a core portfolio of primarily large and mid-capitalization global equities.

The Fund is actively managed and uses a fundamental, thematic and price-event-driven approach. Additionally, hedging strategies may be employed to mitigate risk, increase convexity, or monetize volatility at the Manager's discretion. Since 2024, tail-risk mitigation strategies have also been implemented, leveraging expertise in derivatives and risk management to help protect the portfolio against adverse market conditions. The Fund favors North American-listed securities and U.S.-traded depositary receipts (ADRs) to benefit from greater liquidity, time-zone alignment, and a strong regulatory framework.

# TACTICAL CORE TAIL

### CORE

Quality-focused core portfolio provides a strong foundation for long-term capital growth.

### **TACTICAL**

Our tactical sleeve allows us to mitigate risk and capitalize on volatility.

### TAIL

Tail risk hedging protects the portfolio against extreme market events and downturns.

# Growth of \$1,000 Since Inception\*



Returns by P	eriod (after fund	d fees)									
	Annualized*										
	1 Month	3 Month	6 Month	1 Year*	3 Year*	5 Year*	10 Year	Inception*			
Fund	0.05%	17.04%	18.08%	29.26%	18.43%	20.90%	-	14.21%			

# **Fund Details**

Fund Type Trust

**Distribution Frequency** Periodically, as required **Registered Accounts** Yes (RRSP, TFSA, etc.)

Base Currency CAD

Investible Universe MSCI World Index

Minimum Investment \$25,000 or at the discretion of

the manager

### Series O

FundSERV Code PAL300 Series Inception Date 29-Jan-19 Unit Price \$13.54

Management Fee Charged at the account level

Hurdle Rate Absolute 5%

Performance Fee 20% of returns above Hurdle

High Water Mark Yes

Valuation Weekly (on Tuesdays)\*\*

Number of stocks held 42

# **Top 10 Equity Holdings**

Nebius Group	5.3%
Advanced Micro Devices	5.2%
NVIDIA	4.7%
Shopify	4.0%
Applied Materials	3.5%
Palo Alto Networks	3.4%
Propel Holdings	3.4%
Equitable Holdings	3.4%
Celestica	3.3%
MEG Energy	3.2%

# **Fund Management Team**

William Mitchell, CIM®

Portfolio Manager

Alexandre Frenette, CIM<sup>®</sup>, CAIA™

Portfolio Manager

Ryan J. Mitchell

Coordinator, Business Development

Fund Administrator: SGGG Fund Services Inc.
Auditor: PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
Custodian: National Bank Independent Network
Legal Counsel: Fasken Martineau DuMoulin LLP

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	YTD
2025	1.63%	-0.89%	0.70%	1.08%	7.35%	8.97%	0.05%						20.01
2024	-0.03%	4.17%	2.73%	-1.52%	1.70%	-0.76%	2.19%	-1.63%	2.87%	1.78%	3.50%	1.04%	17.05
2023	12.20%	-0.61%	5.03%	0.33%	-1.88%	5.47%	9.23%	-0.09%	-4.01%	-3.53%	1.62%	4.32%	30.28
2022	-6.10%	5.86%	3.99%	-10.82%	2.48%	-18.42%	12.57%	-1.48%	-11.68%	10.56%	4.73%	-9.92%	-21.26
2021	5.67%	5.89%	-2.20%	3.95%	-0.23%	9.55%	-5.91%	4.06%	1.01%	6.37%	-6.36%	2.44%	25.48
2020	-3.13%	-6.60%	-31.34%	15.35%	2.06%	4.20%	6.09%	9.60%	-2.26%	7.13%	13.67%	9.52%	15.50
2019	N/A	3.38%	2.00%	2.65%	-9.11%	3.49%	0.70%	-7.27%	8.03%	-1.41%	5.71%	6.10%	13.57
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Note to the Reader regarding methodology: On February 1, 2025, amendments were introduced such that the Fund's primary objective to protect capital and deliver superior long-term returns can be reached by investing in a selected portfolio of global securities of companies based in developed markets, as defined by the MSCI World Index, rather than focused on North American equities.

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