

#### **NET ASSET VALUE**

Class A

NAV Per Unit \$10.06

Beta 0.75

Total Holdings 155

Total Net Assets of Fund \$11.05 Million

# FUND FACTS

Asset Class Alternative Merger

Arbitrage

Fund Inception September 2021

Valuations Daily

Eligibility Canada-wide, Registered

**Plans** 

Distributions DRIP Annually, Cash

**Optional** 

#### **FUND INFO**

MERs at 2025-06-30 before perfomance fee.

Class	Code	MER	MGMT Fee
Α	PGF 2100	2.42%	1.80%
F	PGF 2110	1.46%	0.80%
Н	PGF 2140	2.09%	1.50%
1	PGF 2150	1.25%	0.65%

#### PERFORMANCE FEE

15% of the amount by which the total return of the class of units exceeds its high water mark.

The Fund is subject to a performance fee, refer to penderfund.com for the 'MER including performance fee'.

# MINIMUM INVESTMENT

Class	Initial Investment	Subsequent Investment
Α	\$500	\$0
F	\$500	\$0
Н	\$100,000	\$0
1	\$100,000	\$0

#### **FUND OVERVIEW**

Legal Counsel Lawson Lundell LLP Fund Admin CIBC Mellon Auditor KPMG LLP

# LIQUID ALTERNATIVE

August 31, 2025 / Class A

# Pender Alternative Arbitrage Fund

The Pender Alternative Arbitrage Fund aims to produce consistent and low volatility absolute returns by investing primarily in merger arbitrage opportunities. This low-risk strategy can be used to provide diversification benefits to clients with low correlation to traditional equity and fixed income investments.

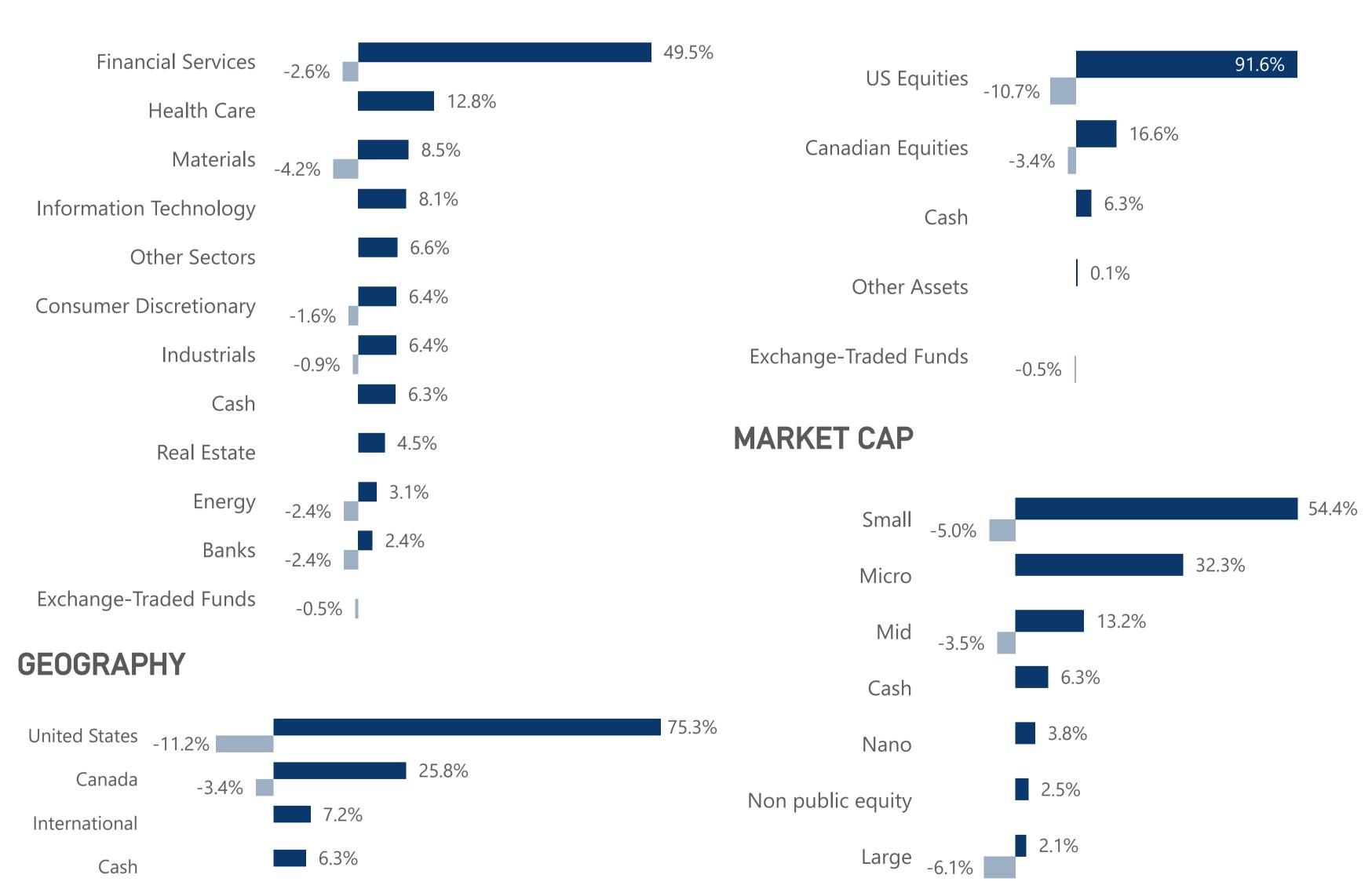
#### **PERFORMANCE**

1 Mo.	3 Mo.	6 Mo.	1 Yr.	2 Yr.	3 Yr.	5 Yr.	10 Yr.	Since Inception
-0.2%	0.7%	3.1%	4.5%	3.9%	2.7%	-	-	3.1%
ANNUAL PE	RFORMA	NCE						
2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD
_	_	_	_	_	2.8%	0.5%	2.7%	4.1%

Since Inception returns are from September 2021. All returns greater than a year are annual compounded returns.

#### **SECTOR ALLOCATION**

#### **ASSET ALLOCATION**



#### **GROWTH OF \$10K**



#### TOP 10 HOLDINGS (LONG)

Mercer Park Opportunities Corp.	5.3%
Launch One Acquisition Corp.	3.6%
AvidXchange Holdings, Inc.	2.3%
WonderFi Technologies Inc.	2.2%
Horizon Copper Corp.	2.1%
RF Capital Group Inc.	2.1%
Sandstorm Gold Ltd.	2.1%
Valuence Merger Corp. I	2.1%
Chart Industries, Inc.	2.0%
Couchbase, Inc.	1.9%

# PORTFOLIO MANAGER(S)

#### **Amar Pandya, CFA**

Amar is a Portfolio Manager of several of Pender's alternative investment funds and began his investment career in 2011 in the Portfolio Management Training Program at a large global financial services company. He moved to pursue his passion for equities becoming an APM at a large-cap equity value firm before being drawn to Pender and the west coast in 2017. As an advocate of a contrarian value investing approach, Amar has expertise in event driven special situations with a primary focus on M&A and balance sheet driven special situations. He holds a Bachelor of Commerce degree in Finance (Honours) from the University of Manitoba. He earned his Chartered Financial Analyst designation in 2015.

#### **TOP 10 HOLDINGS (SHORT)**

Royal Gold, Inc.	-2.1%
Palo Alto Networks Inc	-1.6%
Rocket Companies, Inc.	-1.6%
McEwen Inc.	-1.5%
Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc.	-1.2%
Apollo Global Management, Inc.	-1.1%
Keyera Corp.	-1.1%
Crescent Energy Company	-1.0%
Torex Gold Resources Inc.	-0.6%
iShares Bitcoin Trust ETF	-0.5%

### **About Pender**

Pender was founded in 2003 and is an independent, employee-owned investment firm located in Vancouver, British Columbia. Our goal is to protect and grow wealth for our investors over time. We have a talented investment team of expert analysts, security selectors and independent thinkers who actively manage our suite of differentiated investment funds, exploiting inefficient parts of the investing universe to achieve our goal.

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