

# Wavelength Interest Rate Neutral Fund

February 2018

## Portfolio Commentary

- The portfolio generated meaningful profits of +3.43% in January and capitalized on opportunities after managing downside risks and positioning for the redeployment of capital
- In this context, the fund outperformed the Barclays Global Aggregate Bond Index which returned +1.52%
- Upside was captured in convertible bonds, emerging market debt, and high yield credit, all of which bounced back powerfully as expectations for monetary policy grew more dovish over the month
- Government bonds and inflation-linked exposures also continued their strong rally, and profits were gained from Treasury positions across the US yield curve
- The portfolio is positioned with a structural balance to potential changes for growth and inflation as we seek to be prepared for whatever comes next in an uncertain economic environment

## Performance

	Cumulative Return as of 1/31/2019						Annualized Return as of 12/31/2018			
	January	YTD	1yr	3yr	5yr	Since Inception	1yr	3yr	5yr	Since Inception
<b>WAVLX</b>	<b>3.43%</b>	<b>3.43%</b>	<b>1.20%</b>	<b>16.92%</b>	<b>11.85%</b>	<b>12.44%</b>	<b>-1.47%</b>	<b>3.90%</b>	<b>1.72%</b>	<b>1.60%</b>
Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Bond Index	1.52%	1.52%	-0.88%	9.02%	6.00%	6.65%	-1.20%	2.70%	1.08%	0.94%
S&P BGCantor 0-3 Month US Treasury Bill Index	0.20%	0.20%	1.92%	3.13%	3.18%	3.20%	1.83%	0.97%	0.59%	0.56%

Source: Bloomberg LP

## Correlation Statistics

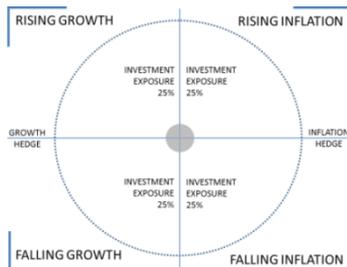
Correlation vs. Government Bonds <sup>1</sup>	0.12	Correlation vs. Real Estate <sup>4</sup>	0.31
Correlation vs. Corporate Credit <sup>2</sup>	0.44	Correlation vs. FI / Credit Hedge Funds <sup>5</sup>	0.33
Correlation vs. Commodities <sup>3</sup>	0.31		

## Investment Approach

### Investment Strategy

The Fund is designed to harvest total return through diversification across instruments linked to the macroeconomic drivers of interest rates.

### Target Portfolio



Notes: <sup>1</sup> Morningstar Global Government Bond Index, <sup>2</sup> Barclays Global High Yield Corp Index, <sup>3</sup> S&P / Goldman Sachs Commodity Index, <sup>4</sup> Bloomberg World Real Estate Index, <sup>5</sup> HFRX Fixed Income - Credit Index

The S&P/BGCantor U.S. Treasury Bill Index is a broad, comprehensive, market-value weighted index that seeks to measure the performance of the U.S. Treasury Bill market. You can not invest directly in the index.

*The performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. Investment returns 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. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Call 1-866-896-9292 or visit [www.wavelengthfunds.com](http://www.wavelengthfunds.com) for current month-end data.*

## About the Fund

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

Seeks total return.

### KEY ADVANTAGES

#### Innovative Research

The Fund's investment strategy is grounded in academic research and uses financial and economic concepts commonly examined by leading academics.

#### Portfolio Hedging

The Fund uses four distinct sub-portfolios built based on the macroeconomic relationships of markets traded and quantitatively balances the portfolio's investment exposure.

#### Disciplined Risk Management

The Fund incorporates risk measures as part of its investment process which seeks to limit outsized sensitivity to any single economic outcome.

### Ticker

WAVLX

### Inception Date

9/30/2013

### Investment Minimum\*

\$100,000

### 12b-1 Fee

None

### Gross Expense Ratio

1.85%

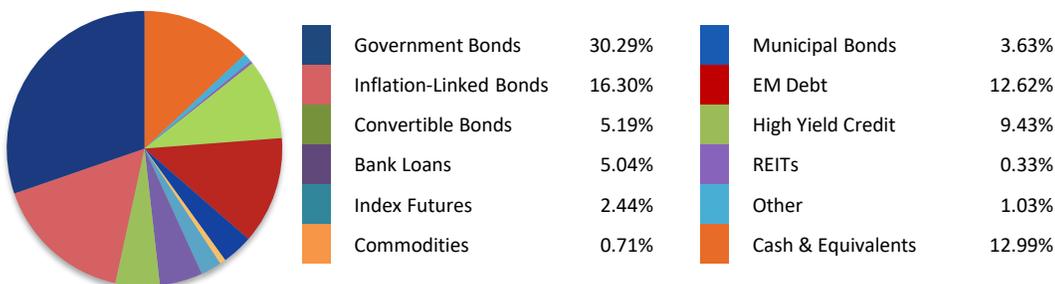
### Net Expense Ratio\*\*

1.29%

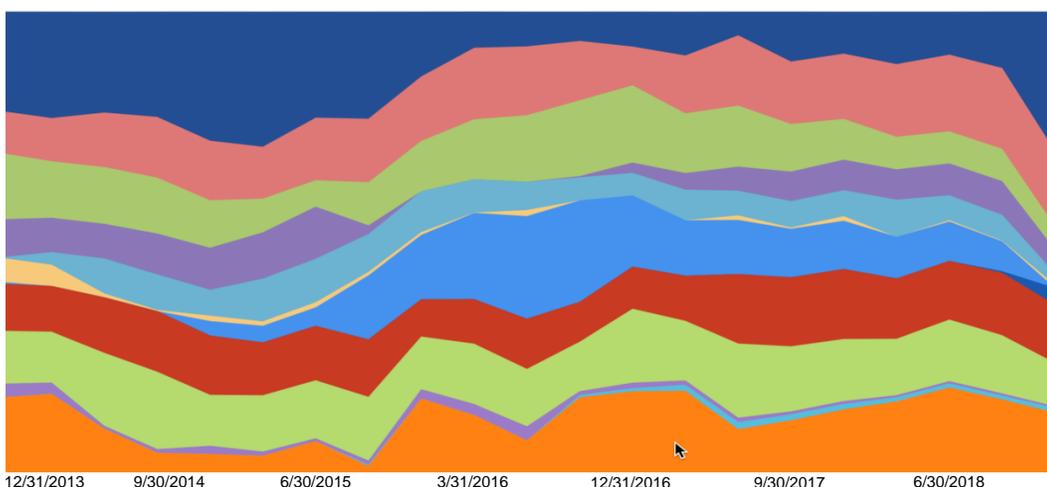
\*Investment minimums waived for fee-based advisors and certain other investors. See Prospectus for additional details.

\*\*Adviser contractually agreed until at least October 1, 2019 to waive management fee and/or reimburse expenses of Fund to the extent necessary to maintain total annual fund operating expenses at 0.99% of average daily net assets, exclusive of certain expenses such as those related to short sales and borrowing costs.

### Sector Allocation (as of 12/31/2018)



### Historical Sector Allocation (as of 12/31/2018)



*Portfolio holdings are subject to change and should not be considered a recommendation to buy or sell securities.*

#### PRINCIPAL RISKS:

The use of derivatives, forward and futures contracts, and commodities exposes the Fund to additional risks including increased volatility, lack of liquidity, and possible losses greater than the Fund's initial investment as well as increased transaction costs. Concentration generally will lead to greater price volatility.

This Fund enters into a short sale by selling a security it has borrowed. If the market price of a security increases after the Fund borrows the security, the Fund will suffer a potentially unlimited loss when it replaces the borrowed security at the higher price. Short sales also involve transaction and other costs that will reduce potential Fund gains and increase potential Fund losses. Diversification does not eliminate risk. An investor considering the Fund should be able to tolerate potentially wide price fluctuations. The Fund is subject to high portfolio turnover risk as a result of frequent trading, and thus, will incur a higher level of brokerage fees and commissions, and cause a higher level of tax liability to shareholders in the Fund. The Fund may attempt to increase its income or total return through the use of securities lending, and they may be subject to the possibility of additional loss as a result of this investment technique.

This Fund is a non-diversified fund. Because the fund may invest in securities of smaller numbers of issuers, the Fund may be more exposed to the risks associated with and developments affecting an individual issuer than a fund that invests more widely, which may, therefore, have a greater impact on the Fund's performance.

This Fund is not suitable for all investors.

**Investors should carefully consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of the Fund before investing. To obtain a prospectus containing this and other important information, please call 1-866-896-9292 or visit [www.wavelengthfunds.com](http://www.wavelengthfunds.com) to view or download a prospectus online. Read the prospectus carefully before you invest. There are risks involved with investing including the possible loss of principal. Past performance does not guarantee future results. Wavelength Funds are distributed by Ultimus Fund Distributors, LLC.**

### Wavelength Principals



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#### About Wavelength Capital Management

Wavelength Capital Management is an alternative investment management firm that provides research, advisory, and fund management services to institutional and individual investors. The firm's investment philosophy is based on the macroeconomic drivers of asset prices and its investment strategies are designed to generate consistent risk-adjusted returns uncorrelated with traditional asset classes over long-term macroeconomic cycles