

# Hedge Fund Guided Portfolio Solution

## *Hedge Fund GPS*

*The combined capabilities of GCM Grosvenor and the Chief Investment Office (“CIO”)<sup>1,2,3</sup>*

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# Hedge Fund GPS

## A single ticket allocation to an actively managed hedge fund portfolio created by GCM Grosvenor, aligned with CIO guidance<sup>1,2,3</sup>



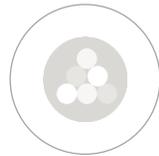
Access to **lower fees** obtained by GCM Grosvenor from its network of hedge funds



**Dynamically invested** across limited number of hedge fund managers



Seeks to provide **differentiated returns** and **asset class outperformance**



**Seeks to complement and diversify exposure** within total portfolio

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# Minimizing Negative Returns – The Journey Matters

## Same Annualized Return – Different Result

Substantial negative returns make it more difficult to recover portfolio value and achieve portfolio growth. Lower volatility can be a useful tool to mitigate losses.

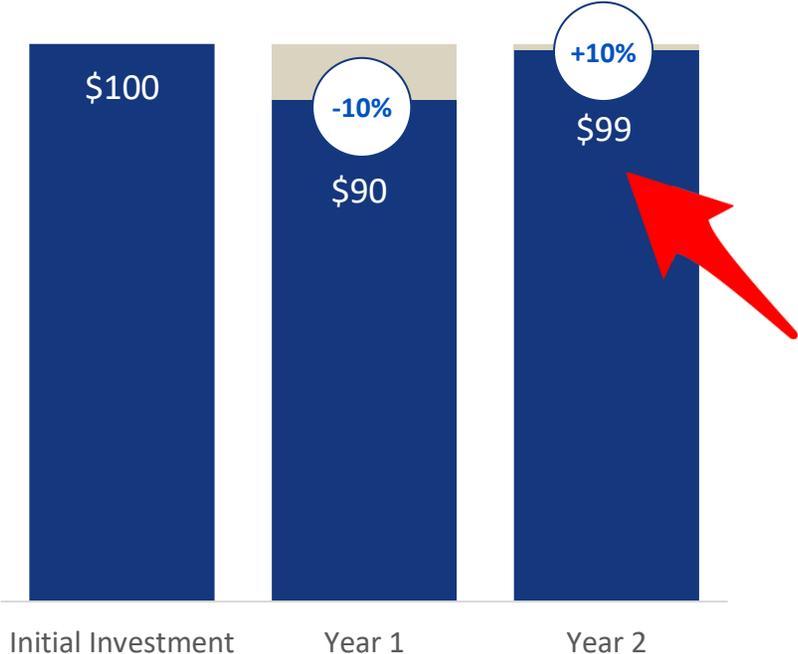
### Portfolio 1 – 0% Average Annual Return

Year 1: 30% Loss | Year 2: 30% Gain  
Starting Total: \$100 | Ending Total: \$91



### Portfolio 2 – 0% Average Annual Return

Year 1: 10% Loss | Year 2: 10% Gain  
Starting Total: \$100 | Ending Total: \$99



For illustrative purposes only. Not meant to imply that any investment will achieve any specific return or avoid losses.

# About Hedge Fund GPS

## Key highlights

### Quarterly liquidity<sup>1</sup>

Upon approximately 65 days' notice

### Favorable fee terms

Sought with underlying funds

### 1099 tax reporting

## Strategy allocation<sup>2,3</sup>

Hedge Fund GPS utilizes a mix of hedge fund strategies

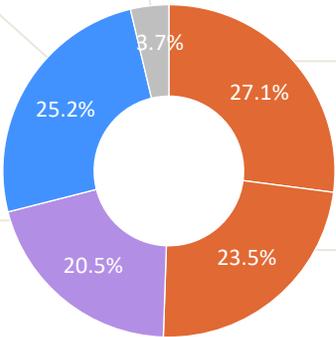
### Cash & Other<sup>4</sup>

### Relative Value

Seek to profit from the spreads in price between similar securities, including stocks, bonds, options and commodities

### Macro

Seek to capitalize on trends across a wide range of asset classes and geographies using macroeconomic data and quantitative models



### Event Driven

Invest around corporate events such as mergers, spin-offs or bankruptcies

### Equity Hedge

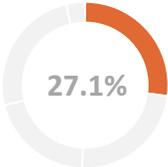
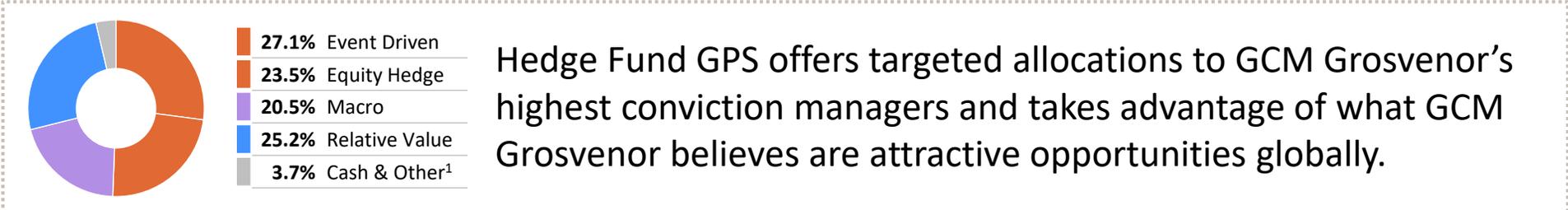
Invest in stocks of publicly traded companies, both on the long and short side

- **Growth AI Strategies:** Pursue growth and capital appreciation
- **Defensive AI Strategies:** Seek stability and consistency of return
- **Diversifying AI Strategies:** May provide diversification benefits due to historically low correlation to traditional equity and fixed income

A full discussion of fees is included in the Fund’s prospectus. Diversification does not ensure a profit or protect against loss in declining markets. “AI” refers to alternative investments.

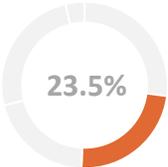
- 1 The Fund will from time to time offer to repurchase Shares pursuant to written tenders by Shareholders at such times, typically quarterly, and on such terms as may be determined by the Board of Trustees in its sole discretion. There is no guarantee that the fund will offer to repurchase shares quarterly. If an offer to repurchase is oversubscribed, the Fund will repurchase only a pro rata portion of the Shares tendered, unless the offer is increased and extended. A Shareholder who tenders for repurchase only a portion of such Shareholder’s Shares will generally be required to continue to own Shares having a net asset value not less than \$10,000. **Repurchases of Shares are subject to restrictions, conditions, and limitations, as more fully described in the Fund’s prospectus.**
- 2 Figures are based on the Fund’s portfolio as of July 1, 2022. Managers and allocations will change over time. **Utilizing these strategies involves investment risks, including the possible loss of principal.**
- 3 Strategy categories source: HFR, Inc. www.HFR.com.
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# Composition of the Portfolio



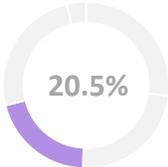
Event Driven

- Aspex Management
- Canyon Capital Advisors
- Diversified Multi-Strategy Manager
- Pentwater Capital Management
- Redmile Group



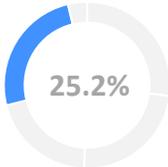
Equity Hedge

- BlackRock, Inc.
- Coatue Management
- Skye Global Management
- Tiger Global Management
- Woodline Partners



Macro

- Alphadyne Asset Management
- Capula Investment Management
- Element Capital Management



Relative Value

- ExodusPoint Capital Management
- Laurion Capital Management
- Magnetar Capital
- Point72 Asset Management
- Renaissance Technologies Corp.

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## One of the world’s largest and most diversified independent alternative asset management firms

**1971** First year of investing

**517** Employees

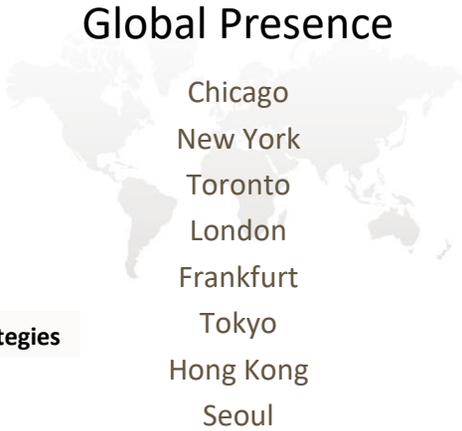
**164** Investment professionals

**95%** Institutional client base



**\$25 bn Absolute Return Strategies**

**\$46 bn Private Markets**



### A leading global provider of investment management services for hedge fund programs

- 53** Investment professionals dedicated to absolute return strategies
- 2000+** Funds tracked on our database:  
Our Investment team maintains strategy peer groups and datasets upon which funds can be quantitatively compared and evaluated
- 1000+** Meetings with managers in 2021:  
Our Research teams are diversified by sector, strategy, and geography
- 187** Invested portfolio funds

Access to capacity-constrained or closed funds

<sup>1</sup> Including \$25 billion in assets managed by Grosvenor Capital Management, L.P., the Fund’s investment adviser.  
Employee data as of July 1, 2022. AUM data as of March 31, 2022. Funds tracked, manager meetings, and invested portfolio funds data as of January 1, 2022.  
The GCM Grosvenor Operational Due Diligence team is included in the Investment professionals count.

# GCM Grosvenor Investment Process

Portfolio design	Sourcing	Due diligence	Portfolio construction	Active portfolio management	Ongoing updates to Merrill
<p><b>Reflective of CIO<sup>1,2</sup> investment guidelines<sup>3</sup></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Based on investment strategy developed by the Chief Investment Office for Merrill and GCM Grosvenor</li> <li>› Best ideas portfolio</li> <li>› Diversified across hedge fund strategies</li> <li>› Flexible framework based on the Chief Investment Office for Merrill's long-term outlook while allowing for tactical tilts</li> </ul>	<p><b>Strategy and regional verticals</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Deep, global coverage teams</li> <li>› 53 investment professionals with 11 years' average of experience</li> <li>› Frequent meetings for idea generation</li> </ul>	<p><b>Small and nimble Investment Committee</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Manager meetings &amp; calls</li> <li>› Qualitative assessment and quantitative analysis</li> <li>› Reference checks and background investigations</li> </ul>	<p><b>Investment structuring and execution</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Ability to create customized mandates</li> <li>› Seek to achieve preferred economics with managers</li> <li>› Investment selection &amp; sizing</li> <li>› Portfolio risk analytics</li> </ul>	<p><b>Dedicated portfolio teams</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Monthly portfolio review and rebalancing</li> <li>› Ongoing due diligence of hedge fund managers and funds</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>› Monthly performance reporting</li> <li>› Quarterly Merrill / GCM Grosvenor calls</li> <li>› Onsite due diligence meetings</li> <li>› Quarterly investment commentary</li> <li>› Strategy outlook</li> </ul>

## Competitive advantages

**Sourcing expertise** Access to what GCM Grosvenor considers the most attractive investment opportunities with some of the most skilled managers, globally, including capacity-constrained or closed managers

**Independent due diligence** Separate due diligence processes for investment, risk and operations, with two-pronged approval by GCM Grosvenor's Investment Committee and Operations Committee

**Balanced approach** Top-down asset allocation combined with deep, bottom-up investment, fund and manager due diligence

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# Terms

Eligible investors	Accredited Investors <sup>1</sup>	
Tax reporting	1099 Regulated Investment Company	
Subscriptions frequency	Monthly	
Minimum investment	\$25,000	
Redemptions <sup>2</sup>	Quarterly tenders, subject to board discretion (approximately 65 days' notice)	
Lock-up period	None	
Fund structure	Delaware Trust	
Professional relationships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Administrator: BNY Mellon Investment Servicing (U.S.) Inc.</li> <li>▪ Legal Counsel: K&amp;L Gates LLP</li> <li>▪ Auditor: PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP</li> </ul>	
Advisory, servicing and distribution fees <sup>3</sup>	<u>Class A Shares (Brokerage)</u> 1.40%	<u>Class I Shares (Advisory)</u> 0.65%

1 "Accredited Investors" is defined in Regulation D under the Securities Act of 1933.

2 The Fund will from time to time offer to repurchase Shares pursuant to written tenders by Shareholders at such times, typically quarterly, and on such terms as may be determined by the Board of Trustees in its sole discretion. There is no guarantee that the fund will offer to repurchase shares quarterly. If an offer to repurchase is oversubscribed, the Fund will repurchase only a pro rata portion of the Shares tendered, unless the offer is increased and extended. A Shareholder who tenders for repurchase only a portion of such Shareholder's Shares will generally be required to continue to own Shares having a net asset value not less than \$10,000. **Repurchases of Shares are subject to restrictions, conditions, and limitations, as more fully described in the Fund's prospectus.**

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The Fund bears reasonable expenses incurred in connection with the Fund's organization. The Fund also bears its operational costs, including GCM Grosvenor's out-of-pocket expenses associated with identifying, making and monitoring investments, as well as costs associated with insurance, reporting, taxes (if any), legal and accounting costs, and the costs of any audits.

Appendix

# Notes and disclosures

# Hedge Fund Guided Portfolio Solution (1 of 2)

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