

# **Bain Capital Equity Opportunities Equity Fund, L.P.**

The Equity Opportunities Fund (the "Fund") utilizes a concentrated long equity strategy that combines rigorous fundamental research and a robust risk framework with analytical portfolio construction, seeking to identify and capitalize on opportunities in the global equity markets. The Fund's investment objectives are to generate attractive absolute and relative equity returns over a multi-year cycle, accepting moderate near-term volatility as a mechanism to achieve long-term results.

Performance Summary (April 30, 2025)									
MTD QTD YTD ITD									
Equity Opportunities Fund	1.49%	1.49%	(3.65%)	(4.90%)					
MSCI World (USD)	0.89%	0.89%	(0.92%)	(0.95%)					
S&P 500 Index	(0.68%)	(0.68%)	(4.92%)	(3.72%)					

<sup>\*</sup>Equity Opportunities Fund Inception October 28, 2024. Class 2 shares have an estimated gross expense ratio of 1.7% before any fee waiver and/or expense reimbursement agreements.

Investors should consider the investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses of the Fund before investing. The prospectus contains this and other information

about the Fund and should be read carefully before investing. The prospectus may be obtained at 877-322-0576.

			Exposu	re Information			
SUBSECTOR Consumer Financials Healthcare	Long 22.4% 20.6%	GEOGRAPHY North America Europe Asia ex Japan	<b>Long</b> 61.3% 38.7%	MARKET CAP Small Cap (<\$10B) Mid Cap (\$10-50B)	Long 0.0% 33.2%	CONCENTRATION Top 5 positions Top 10 positions	<b>Long</b> 35.6% 62.9%
Media / Telco Technology	0.0% 4.0% 29.3%	Japan Rest of World	0.0% 0.0% <u>0.0%</u>	Large Cap (\$50-200B) Mega Cap (>\$200B)	50.5% <u>16.3%</u> <b>100.0%</b>	Top 20 positions	100.0%
Industrials Other	23.7% 0.0% 100.0%		100.0%	Median Market Cap \$M Fund % not in S&P 500	\$76,563 66%	Number of Holdings	20

	Equity Opportunities Fund Monthly Returns												
Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2025	3.7%	(2.0%)	(6.6%)	1.5%									(3.7%)
2024										0.0%	3.6%	(4.7%)	(1.3%)

Data as of April 2025. Past performance is not indicative of future results. Actual results may vary. See endnotes for information regarding pro forma methodologies. These returns do not represent the aggregate return of the Fund.

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AUM (\$M)* Key Service Providers							
Equity Opportunities Fund	\$7.4	Audit	RSM				
Global Long Equity Strategy	\$1,708	Legal	Thompson Hine				
		Fund Administrator	Ultimus Fund Solutions				
Bain Capital Public Equity	\$2,962	Prime Brokers & Custodia	ns GS, MS				

<sup>\*</sup>All AUM information is estimated as of April 30, 2025

Complete Fund Holdings						
	% of Equity	Issue	r Name	% of Equity		
1. Rolls-Royce Holdings PLC	9.1%					
2. Cadence Design Systems Inc	7.5%					
3. SAP SE	6.9%					
4. DSV PANALPINA A/S	6.4%					
5. TransDigm Group Inc	5.8%					
6. London Stock Exchange Group PLC	5.7%					
7. Okta Inc	5.5%					
8. Microsoft Corporation	5.4%					
9. Performance Food Group Co	5.4%					
10. Haleon PLC	5.2%					
11. AutoZone Inc	5.1%					
12. Charles Schwab Corp/The	4.9%					
13. Banco Santander SA	4.3%					
14. Berkshire Hathaway Inc	4.0%					
15. KKR & Co.	4.0%					
16. Liberty Media Corp-Liberty Formula Or	1 4.0%					
17. Marks & Spencer Group PLC	3.8%					
18. Dollarama Inc	2.8%					
19. Rheinmetall AG	2.4%					
20. Capital One Financial Corp	1.7%					

Performance Summary (March 31, 2025)								
	MTD	QTD	YTD	ITD				
Equity Opportunities Fund	(6.58%)	(5.07%)	(5.07%)	(6.30%)				
MSCI World (USD)	(4.45%)	(1.79%)	(1.79%)	(1.82%)				
S&P 500 Index	(5.63%)	(4.27%)	(4.27%)	(3.07%)				

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#### Discussion of Returns

- 1. Performance Summary return information has been calculated using the time-weighted rate of return method. Time-weighted results weigh the investment returns in each quarter equally. The returns shown include all returns generated by reinvested distributions. If such returns were not included, the returns shown would be lower.
- Gross returns shown do not reflect origination fees, advisory fees, performance allocations, taxes, transaction costs incurred in connection with the disposition of investments and
  other expenses to be borne by investors, which will have the effect of reducing returns and in the aggregate, are expected to be substantial. The compounding effect of fees on a
  portfolio reduce performance returns of an account.
- 3. Fund-level returns presented for the Fund represent a composite return of all unaffiliated investors within a particular share class as of the Fund's inception date. The returns presented above reflect a 1.25% management fee.

### **Bain Capital Assets under Management Calculations**

1. AUM for Bain Capital Public Equity represents the aggregate net asset value of the Funds advised by Public Equity.

#### **Indices Information**

- The S&P 500 Index is a market capitalization-weighted index of common stocks of large capitalization companies. Companies in the S&P 500 Index have market capitalizations of at least \$4 billion.
- 2. The MSCI World (Local) Index is a developed market equity index denominated in local currency. This index assumes dividends are reinvested net of withholding taxes retained at the source for foreigners who do not benefit from a double taxation treaty.
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General Risks of Investments. The Fund will have broad discretion in making investments. The Fund's investments will generally consist of securities and assets that have significant risks as a result of business, financial, market or legal uncertainties. There can be no assurance that the General Partner will correctly evaluate the nature and magnitude of the various factors that could affect the value of and return on the Fund's investments.

Equity Securities. The Fund invests substantially in equity securities. The value of equity securities held by the Funds will generally be adver sely affected by actual or perceived negative events relating to the issuer of such securities, the industry or geographic areas in which such issuer operates or the financial markets generally. However, equity securities are typically even more susceptible to such events given their subordinate position in the issuer's capital structure. As such, equity securities generally have greater price volatility than fixed income securities, and the market price of equity securities owned by the Fund is more susceptible to moving up or down in a rapid or unpredictable manner.

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Pre-IPO Investments. The Fund makes investments in late stage or mature issuers to provide financing in anticipation of an initial public offering. None of the Fund, the adviser or any of their affiliates will have control over whether any such pre-IPO issuer engages in an initial public offering of its shares, or the timing of such offering. Noassurancecan be provided that any such pre-IPO issuer will engage in an initial public offering of its shares, and even if it does, due to the timing or nature of the offering, the Fund may elect not to or be unable to participate in the offering.

Swaps. The Fund enters into swap agreements, including, but not limited to, single stock swaps, basket swaps, index swaps, credit de fault swaps and contracts for differences. A swap is an agreement to exchange the return generated by one instrument for interest based on a predetermined notional amount. Entering into swap agreements involves, to varying degrees, elements of liquidity, credit and market risk. Such risks involve the possibility that there is no liquid market for these agreements, the counterparty to the agreement may default on its obligation to perform and there may be unfavorable changes in the fluctuation of interest rates and market value.

Frequent Trading and Turnover. The Fund makes frequent trades in securities and other investments. Frequent trades typically result in high transaction costs, which could have an adverse effect on the performance of the Fund.

Risks Relating to Investments in Money Market and Other Liquid Instruments. The Fund may, from time to time, hold cash, cash equivalents, U.S. Treasuries, and other short-term securities, or money market funds to attempt to minimize volatility caused by adverse market, economic, or other conditions, pending investment, in order to fund anticipated withdrawals or expenses, or for such other reasons as determined by the General Partner in its sole discretion. Any such temporary or defensive positions could prevent the Fund from achieving its investment objectives.

Highly Volatile Instruments. The prices of certain financial instruments, including credit default swaps, forward contracts, swaps and options, in which the Fund expects to invest are highly volatile. Price movements of forward contracts and other derivative contracts in which the Fund's assets can be invested are influenced by, among other things, interest rates, changing supply and demand relationships, trade, fiscal, monetary and exchange control programs and policies of governments, and nationaland international political and economic events and policies.

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