

# / Alger SICAV - Alger Dynamic Opportunities Fund



3rd Quarter 2021 As of 30 September 2021

## Advisor

Fred Alger Management, LLC

## Sub-Advisor

Weatherbie Capital, LLC

## Investment Strategy

Hedged equity strategy seeking long term capital appreciation and lower volatility by primarily investing in long and short positions in equity securities.

## Portfolio Managers

### Dan Chung, CFA

Chief Executive Officer, Chief Investment Officer  
27 Years Investment Experience

### Gregory Adams, CFA

Senior Vice President  
34 Years Investment Experience

### H. George Dai, Ph.D.

Chief Investment Officer, Senior Portfolio Manager  
22 Years Investment Experience

### Joshua D. Bennett, CFA

Chief Operating Officer, Senior Portfolio Manager  
21 Years Investment Experience

### Daniel J. Brazeau, CFA

Managing Director, Portfolio Manager  
21 Years Investment Experience

## Benchmark

S&P 500

Class	ISIN	CUSIP	SEDOL
A EU	LU1232088200	L0163W406	BF1FXZ4
A EUH	LU2249582003	L0168S186	BNG6Z63
I EUH	LU2249582185	L0168S194	BNG6Z85
I-3EU	LU1232088382	L0163W414	BF1FY17

EU: Euro EUH: Euro Hedged

## Who We Are

Founded in 1964, Alger is widely recognized as a pioneer of growth-style investment management. Headquartered in New York City with affiliate offices in Boston and London, Alger provides U.S. and non-U.S. institutional investors and financial advisors access to a suite of growth equity separate accounts, mutual funds, and privately offered investment vehicles. The firm's investment philosophy, discovering companies undergoing Positive Dynamic Change, has been in place for over 50 years. In March 2017, Weatherbie Capital, LLC, a Boston-based investment adviser specializing in small and mid-cap growth equity investing, became a wholly-owned subsidiary of Alger.

## Multi-Manager Approach

Investors can access two premier growth equity managers through this multi-manager approach. These are proven teams with complementary approaches combined into a single strategy.



- Founded in 1964
- Growth equity pioneer
- Investing in dynamic change



- Founded in 1995; acquired by Alger in 2017
- Growth equity specialists
- Investing in Smaller Companies

## Process

### RESEARCH

Our fundamental, bottom-up research incorporates detailed financial analysis and field research as the Investment Teams proactively look for new investment ideas.

### DIALOGUE

Before ideas enter into a portfolio, Portfolio Managers test the conviction of the Analyst to ensure the new idea is worthy of a place in the portfolio. This dialogue continues if additional research is needed.

### PORTFOLIO CONSTRUCTION

Each discrete portfolio management team constructs a portfolio of the best growth-oriented long and short ideas in their respective universe. The combined portfolio is a diversified portfolio of long/short equities up and down the market cap spectrum.

### MONITORING

The Portfolio Managers regularly discuss the overall portfolio, optimal gross and net exposures, individual positions and allocation of portfolio assets.

### RISK MANAGEMENT

Risk Management is a critical component to the success of a long/short strategy. We continuously monitor and manage risk at the industry, sector and overall portfolio level using qualitative and quantitative methods.



**Average Annual Total Returns (%)** (as of 30 September 2021)

	1 Month	3 Months	YTD	1Year	3 Years	5Years	Since Inception
<b>Class A EU</b> (Incepted 08 June 2015)	1.20	5.62	16.79	23.74	15.06	14.29	10.46
<b>Class I-3EU</b> (Incepted 08 June 2015)	1.31	5.91	17.62	24.98	16.58	15.87	11.90
<b>S&amp;P 500 Index EUR</b>	-2.88	2.92	22.38	31.54	16.08	16.18	(Since 08/06/15) 13.82
<b>HFRI Equity Hedge (Total) Index EUR</b>	-0.42	-0.64	10.79	26.68	8.61	7.35	—

**Total Annual Operating Expenses by Class**  
(KIID most recently dated 20 August 2021)

A EU: 2.19% I-3EU: 1.15%

The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is not an indication or a guarantee of future results. Investment return 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. Fund returns include change in share price and reinvested distributions, as applicable, and do not reflect the deduction of any applicable taxes. Returns are calculated in U.S. dollars.

Only periods greater than 12 months are annualized.

**Monthly Net Returns (%)** (as of 30 September 2021 for Class I-3EU)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
<b>2021</b>	1.40	4.25	1.15	2.67	-3.38	4.70	-0.05	4.60	1.31	-	-	-	17.62
<b>2020</b>	6.59	-0.62	-3.27	9.41	6.98	1.03	0.27	0.95	4.03	0.65	2.95	2.55	35.58
<b>2019</b>	8.70	4.35	3.17	1.13	-1.04	-0.16	4.20	1.16	-5.14	-3.64	4.11	-2.18	14.74
<b>2018</b>	0.10	-0.68	-0.88	2.47	8.30	0.45	-0.89	8.59	0.74	-7.04	-1.76	-5.20	3.12
<b>2017</b>	0.71	3.62	-0.29	-0.97	0.10	-1.47	-1.29	0.50	1.41	4.75	-2.46	-0.58	3.85
<b>2016</b>	-5.33	-0.88	-1.11	-1.46	4.23	-0.88	2.10	-0.32	0.76	-1.29	6.78	1.13	3.24
<b>2015</b>	-	-	--	-	-	-	2.49	-7.28	-1.20	4.30	4.87	-3.43	0.53

**Characteristics** (as of 30 September 2021)

	Long	Short
<b>Equity Holdings</b>	125	71
<b>Market Cap (Median—\$Bn)</b>	\$13.16	\$2.66
<b>Market Cap (Wtd Average—\$Bn)</b>	\$171.49	\$16.18
<b>Price/Book (Wtd Average)</b>	12.72	4.73
<b>P/E Ratio</b>	40.45	21.73
<b>Return on Equity (Median) (%)</b>	17.90	-1.66
<b>EPS Growth (3-5 Yr Forecasted) (%)</b>	17.70	8.80

**Statistics** (3 Years as of 30 September 2021 for Class I-3EU)

	Alger Dynamic Opportunities Fund	S&P 500 Index
<b>Alpha</b>	7.17	—
<b>Beta</b>	0.51	1.00
<b>Standard Deviation</b>	13.24	18.81
<b>Sharpe Ratio</b>	1.06	0.83
<b>R-Squared</b>	0.47	1.00
<b>Downside Capture (%)</b>	32.79	—

## 3rd Quarter 2021

## Top Holdings (%) (as of 30 September 2021)

Long	
Upstart Holdings, Inc.	6.57
Chegg, Inc.	3.53
Natera, Inc.	3.30
Microsoft Corporation	3.15
Paylocity Holding Corp.	3.12
Short	
Russell 2000 Growth	-9.78
Russell 2500 Growth	-4.46
Russell 1000 Growth Index	-3.62
Latch Inc	-1.50
Omega Healthcare Investors, Inc.	-1.36

## Market Capitalization (as of 30 September 2021)

>\$50B	-9.41	19.46
\$15B-\$50B	-15.61	34.37
\$7.5B-\$15B	-8.05	15.87
\$1.5B-\$7.5B	-58.82	24.10
\$750M-\$1.5B	-3.48	5.13
<\$750M	-4.62	1.08

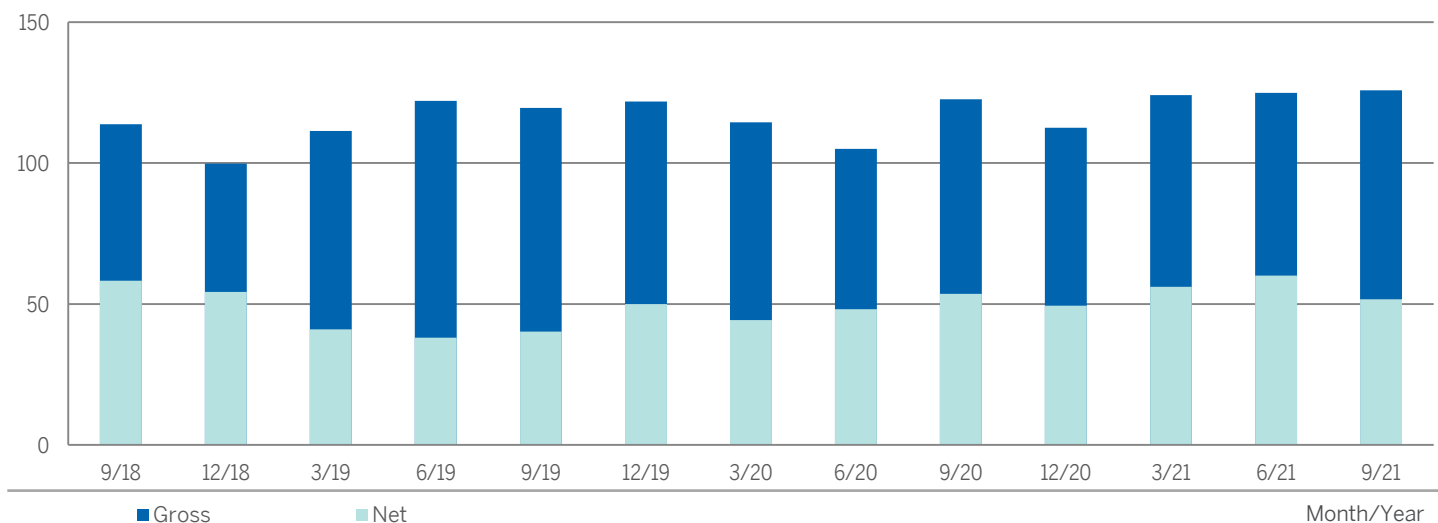
## Sector Allocation (%) (as of 30 September 2021)

■ Long ■ Short

Information Technology	-4.69	23.37
Health Care	-1.67	21.01
Financials	-1.57	13.27
Consumer Discretionary	-2.50	11.99
Industrials	-1.69	10.02
Communication Services	-1.32	3.65
Real Estate	-3.78	3.57
Energy	-0.10	1.44
Materials	-1.43	0.46
Market Indices	-14.24	0.00
Consumer Staples	-0.47	0.00
Utilities	0.00	0.00

■ Short ■ Long

## Fund Exposure (%) (as of 30 September 2021)



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