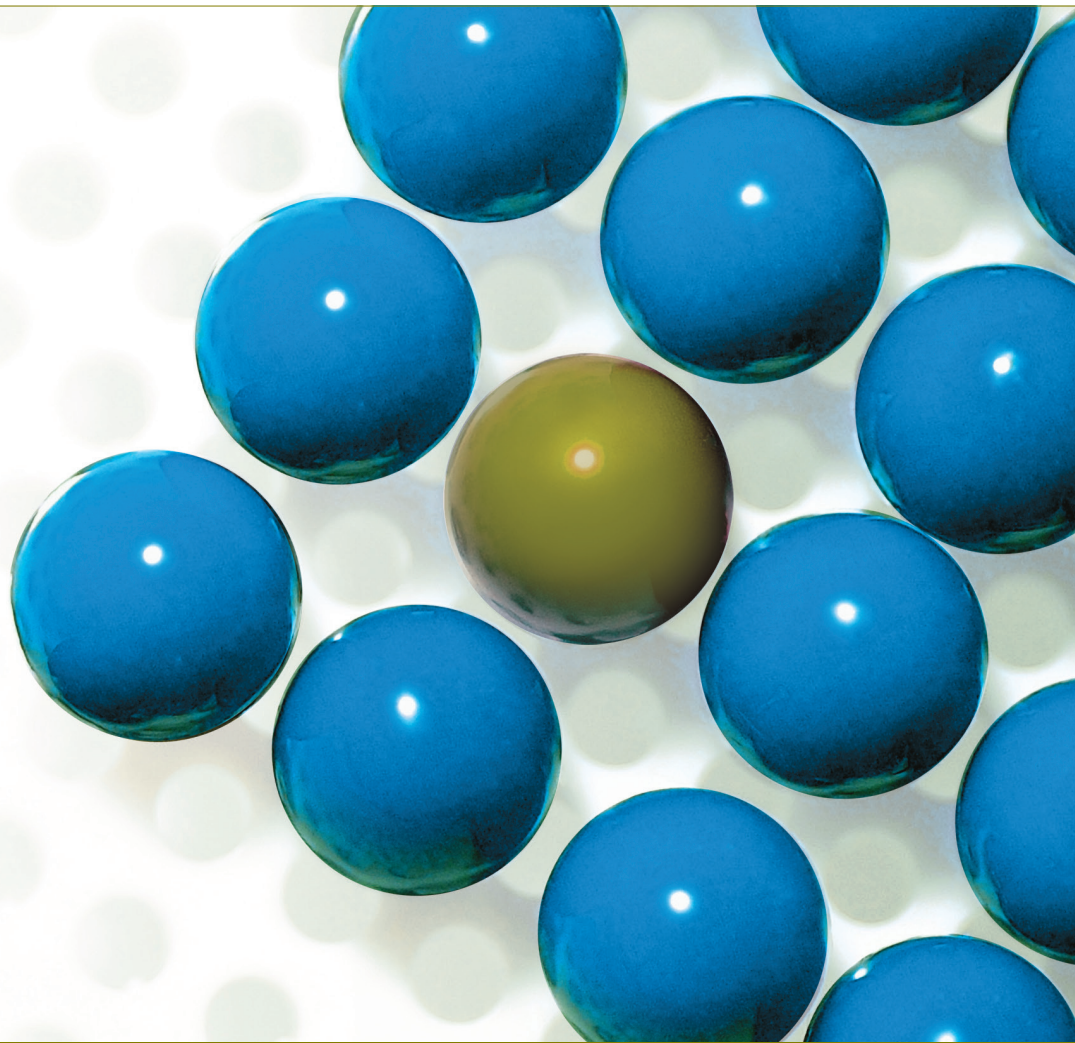


# Grant Park Fund

Class A, B, Legacy 1, Legacy 2, Global 1, Global 2 and Global 3 Units

Monthly Performance Report • December 2018



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## Market Commentary: December 2018

**Currencies:** The U.S. dollar weakened after the U.S. and China agreed to a trade truce which reduced demand for the safe-haven currency. The Canadian dollar weakened on tariffs and falling oil prices. The Japanese yen, euro and the Swiss franc strengthened on U.S. political tensions, trade worries and volatility in the stock markets. The Australian dollar and the New Zealand dollar weakened after the U.S. Federal Reserve decided to raise interest rates.

**Energy:** Crude oil prices fell due to elevated supplies and expectations of weaker demand. Natural gas prices fell over 30% on forecasts for milder weather.

**Equities:** Global equity markets declined on fears of a global economic slowdown, continued trade tensions and domestic political uncertainty.

**Fixed Income:** Global fixed income markets, particularly in Germany and shorter-term interest rate markets, moved higher due to lower expectations about tightening monetary policy during 2019 and increased investor uncertainty.

**Grains/Foods:** Corn markets rose on expectations of increased demand from China due to a 90-day truce in trade disagreements. Wheat markets fell after Russia increased its export forecast. Sugar prices declined on continued excess supply and a weaker Brazilian real. Cocoa markets rose over 12% as dry weather in the Ivory coast and Ghana, top producers, tightened supplies. Lean hog prices rose on expectations of increased demand from China due to swine fever that has affected their hog supply as well as the trade truce.

**Metals:** Gold and silver prices rose slightly as volatility in global stock markets increased demand for safe-haven assets. Copper and base metal prices declined due to concerns of an economic slowdown.

### A Units (Closed to New Investments)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	7.89%	-11.74%	-1.13%	1.08%	-3.19%	1.98%	0.20%	0.01%	-0.67%	-3.56%	-0.65%	0.54%	<b>-9.92%</b>
	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
	10.97%	7.00%	15.25%	20.03%	-7.58%	-3.44%	9.11%	12.63%	19.91%	-9.23%	4.45%	-12.95%	-6.13%
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017								
	-3.84%	6.66%	-12.41%	-0.78%	-3.12%								

### B Units (Closed to New Investments)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	7.83%	-11.79%	-1.19%	1.02%	-3.24%	1.92%	0.14%	-0.04%	-0.72%	-3.61%	-0.70%	0.49%	<b>-10.50%</b>
	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
	7.66%	-8.40%	-4.25%	8.28%	11.76%	18.88%	-9.87%	3.80%	-13.52%	-6.74%	-4.44%	6.07%	-12.97%
	2016	2017											
	-1.48%	-3.75%											

### Legacy 1 Units

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	8.04%	-11.51%	-0.94%	1.27%	-3.00%	2.17%	0.39%	0.21%	-0.47%	-3.38%	-0.46%	0.73%	<b>-7.80%</b>
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017				
	-3.39%	6.09%	-11.00%	-3.96%	-1.75%	8.64%	-10.44%	1.41%	-0.86%				

### Legacy 2 Units

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	7.98%	-11.49%	-0.96%	1.25%	-3.02%	2.15%	0.37%	0.19%	-0.49%	-3.40%	-0.48%	0.71%	<b>-8.03%</b>
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017				
	-3.55%	5.73%	-11.45%	-4.26%	-1.95%	8.55%	-10.66%	1.14%	-1.10%				

### Global 1 Units

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	7.73%	-10.84%	-0.90%	1.32%	-2.96%	2.22%	0.44%	0.25%	-0.43%	-3.34%	-0.41%	0.78%	<b>-6.95%</b>
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017				
	-4.32%	2.88%	-11.18%	-3.30%	-1.22%	9.34%	-10.46%	2.58%	-0.40%				

### Global 2 Units

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	7.97%	-11.09%	-0.92%	1.30%	-2.98%	2.20%	0.42%	0.23%	-0.45%	-3.35%	-0.43%	0.76%	<b>-7.19%</b>
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017				
	-4.64%	2.56%	-11.43%	-3.55%	-1.44%	9.14%	-10.64%	2.51%	-0.62%				

### Global 3 Units

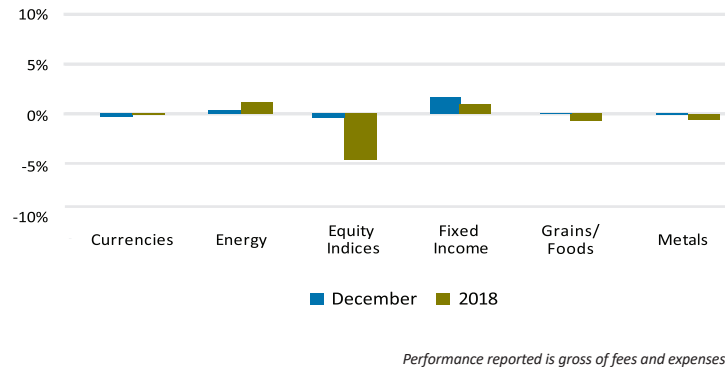
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	7.81%	-11.23%	-1.06%	1.15%	-3.12%	2.05%	0.27%	0.10%	-0.59%	-3.50%	-0.58%	0.61%	<b>-8.82%</b>
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017				
	-6.04%	0.68%	-13.05%	-5.19%	-3.06%	7.46%	-12.16%	0.80%	-2.34%				

\*All historical performance is available at [www.grantparkfunds.com](http://www.grantparkfunds.com)

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## A, B and Legacy Units

### Trading Performance by Sector

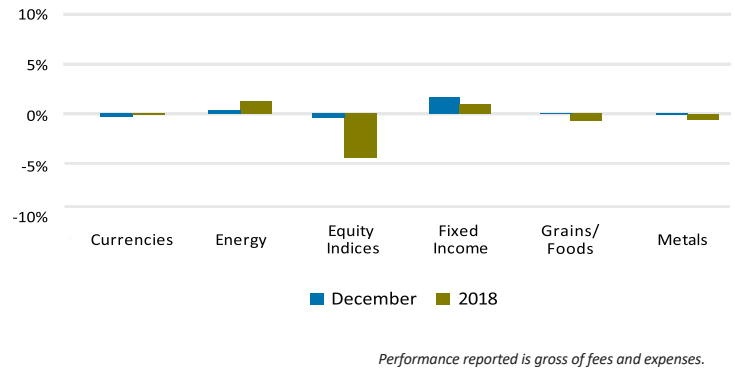


### Monthly Exposure by Sector

Currencies	Energy	Equity Indices	Fixed Income	Grains/Foods	Metals
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## Global Units

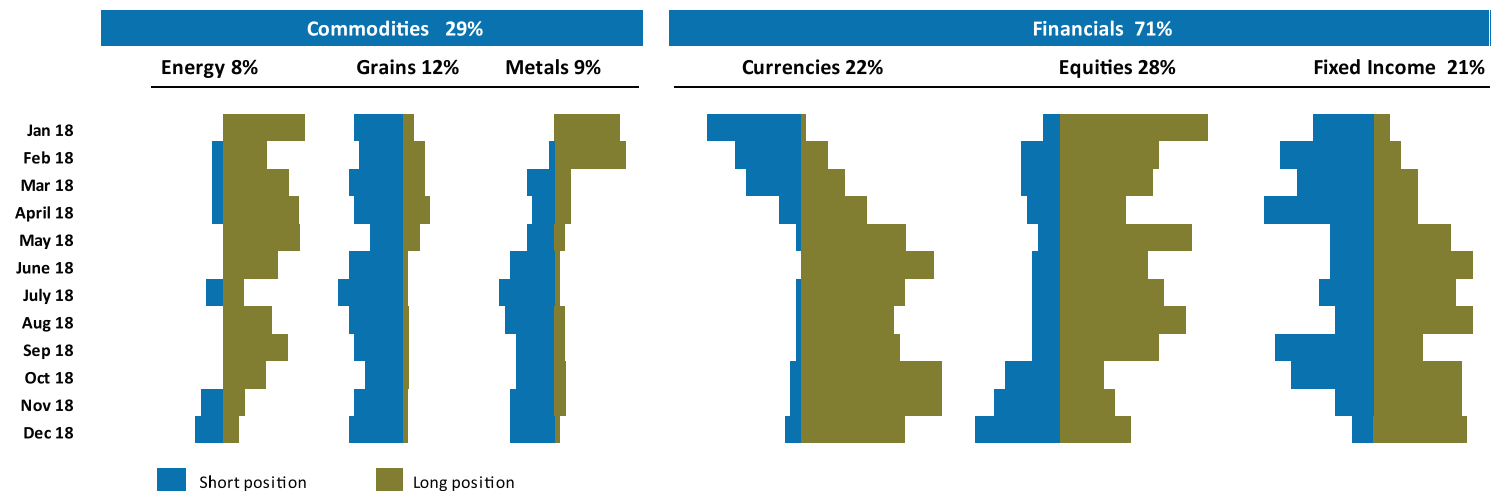
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### Sector Positions at Month-End



## Understand your Risks

- Performance can be volatile and you could lose all or substantially all of your investment in the Grant Park Fund.
- No secondary market exists for Grant Park. Additionally, redemptions are prohibited for three months following subscription and may result in early redemption fees during the first year for some units.
- Trading in the futures markets, from a macro perspective, results in a zero-sum economic outcome, in that every gain is offset by an equal and opposite loss. Grant Park therefore bears the risk that, on every trade, whether long or short, it will incur the loss.
- Commodity futures trading may be illiquid.
- An investment in Grant Park is speculative and leveraged; as a result of this leverage, the velocity of potential losses may accelerate and cause you to incur significant losses.
- Grant Park pays substantial fees and expenses, including fees to its trading advisors, which must be offset by trading profits and interest income.
- Grant Park invests in foreign securities, which are subject to special risks, such as currency fluctuations, different financial and regulatory standards, and political instability.
- Grant Park's use of multiple trading advisors may result in Grant Park taking offsetting trading positions, thereby incurring additional expenses with no net change in holdings.
- You will have no right to participate in the management of Grant Park.
- The structure and operation of Grant Park involves several conflicts of interest.
- Your annual tax liability may exceed cash distributions to you.







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## Grant Park Fund At-A-Glance

Product	Legacy Units		Global Units			A and B Units
Class	1	2	1	2	3	Closed to New Investment
Account Type	Fee-based	Fee-based	Fee-based	Fee-based	Commission-based	
Minimum Investment	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$5,000	
Retirement Account	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	
Trading Strategy	Traditional, systematic, medium-to long-term trend-trading philosophy employed by Grant Park for the past 20 years.		Traditional, systematic, medium-to long-term trend-trading philosophy combined with a systematic, pattern recognition model focused on shorter timeframes.			
Breakeven Level	3.11%	3.39%	2.51%	2.78%	6.21%	
Redemptions	Monthly after 90 days	Monthly after 90 days	Monthly after 90 days	Monthly after 90 days	Monthly after 90 days	
Penalty	No	No	No	No	1.5% on a declining scale 0.5% per quarter	
Sectors Traded	6	6	6	6	6	
Eligibility	Eligibility varies by state, but not less than \$250k net worth or \$70k net worth and \$70k income. No investor should invest more than 10% of his/her net worth.		Eligibility varies by state, but not less than \$250k net worth or \$70k net worth and \$70k income. No investor should invest more than 10% of his/her net worth.			

## Statistics

Statistics Since Inception - Class A Units <sup>1</sup> January 1989 - December 2018	
Total Fund Assets (A,B, Legacy, Global)	\$78M
12-Month Return	-9.92%
Average 12-Month Return	12.47%
36-Month Cumulative Return	-13.41%
60-Month Cumulative Return	-19.10%
Compounded Annualized ROR	8.70%
3-Year Compounded Annualized ROR	-4.69%
5-Year Compounded Annualized ROR	-4.15%
10-Year Compounded Annualized ROR	-4.94%
Worst Drawdown (12/08 - 11/18)	-40.06%
Worst Drawdown Last 5 Years (12/08 - 11/18)	-40.06%
Average 1-month Gain	5.61%
Average 1-month Loss	-3.89%
# of Winning Months	183
# of Losing Months	177

Correlation Analysis: Class A Units <sup>1</sup> and S&P Total Return Index <sup>2</sup> January 2009 - December 2018		
 	Moved in Opposite Directions	45%
 	Positive Results for Both	35%
 	Negative Results for Both	20%

<sup>1</sup> Class A Units are closed to new investment. New investors are expected to invest in the Legacy or Global units, which have lower fees and expenses.

<sup>2</sup> It is not possible to directly invest in an index.

## Glossary

The following glossary may assist prospective investors in understanding certain terms used in this presentation; please refer to Appendix E in the prospectus for a more complete glossary of additional terms relevant to this offering:

**Average 12-Month Return:** The average (arithmetic mean) return of all rolling 12-month periods over the investment track record. This is calculated by summing all 12-month period returns and then dividing by the number of 12-month periods. This simple average does not take into account the compounding effect of investment returns.

**Compounded Annualized Rate of Return (ROR):** This is the geometric 12-month mean that assumes the same rate of return for each 12-month period to arrive at the equivalent compound growth rate reflected in the actual return data.

**Correlation:** This is the tendency for the returns of two assets, such as a portfolio and an index, to move together relative to their average. The measurement of this statistic (the correlation coefficient) can range from -1 (perfect negative correlation, one goes up the other down) to 1 (perfect positive correlation, both moving in the same direction). A correlation of 0 means no relationship can be found between the movement in the index and the movement in the portfolio's performance.

**Drawdown:** A drawdown is any losing period during an investment's performance history. It is defined as the percent retrenchment from an equity peak to an equity valley. Maximum drawdown is simply the largest percentage drawdown that has occurred during the specified time frame. Grant Park's drawdowns are computed based on month-end equity values.

**Net Asset Value per Unit:** This is the total net asset value of a class of units divided by the aggregate number of units of such class outstanding as of the date noted.

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