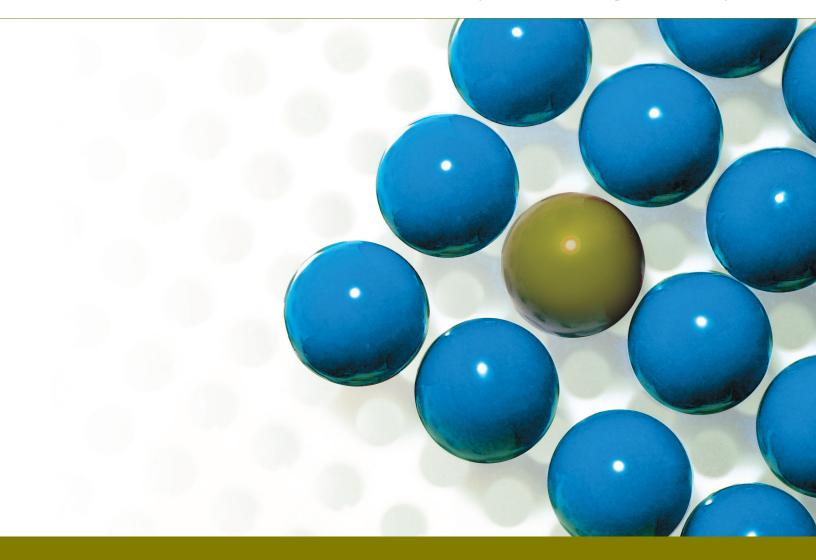
# **Grant Park Fund**

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

Monthly Performance Report • February 2019



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### **Market Commentary: February 2019**

**Currencies:** The U.S. dollar strengthened on hopes for progress in trade talks between the U.S. and China. The Australian and New Zealand dollars weakened after Australia's central bank considered a possible rate cut as it acknowledged growing economic risks. The Japanese yen fell following data of weakening economic performance. The British pound strengthened after Prime Minister Theresa May said Parliament will be allowed to vote on a "no-deal" Brexit or delay.

**Energy:** Crude oil prices rose due to new U.S. imposed sanctions on Venezuela, reduced output by OPEC and a continued slowdown in U.S. drilling activity. Heating oil prices moved higher on lower inventories.

**Equities:** Global equity markets rose on reports of progress in trade talks between the U.S. and China and a boost in energy stocks amid rising oil prices.

**Fixed Income:** Global fixed income markets declined slightly on optimism for a U.S.-China trade deal and easing Brexit fears.

**Grains/Foods:** Wheat and corn markets fell on muted demand and abundant supplies. Coffee prices declined over 10% due to excess supplies and a weaker Brazilian real. Cocoa markets moved higher as demand increased and concerns arose about poor weather conditions in the Ivory Coast. Cotton markets moved higher on optimism about a possible trade deal between the U.S. and China.

**Metals:** Gold and silver markets moved lower as a stronger dollar reduced demand for the safe-haven assets. Copper and other base metal prices rose on firming demand and hopes of a U.S.-China trade deal.

### A Units (Closed to New Investments)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	-1.33%	0.80%											-0.55%
	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	2018							
	-3.84%	6.66%	-12.41%	-0.78%	-3.12%	-9.92%							

### **B Units** (Closed to New Investments)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	-1.39%	0.74%											-0.65%
	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	2018										
	-1.48%	-3.75%	-10.50%										

### **Legacy 1 Units**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	-1.14%	0.99%											-0.16%
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018			
	-3.39%	6.09%	-11.00%	-3.96%	-1.75%	8.64%	-10.44%	1.41%	-0.86%	-7.80%			

### **Legacy 2 Units**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	-1.16%	0.97%											-0.20%
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018			
	-3.55%	5.73%	-11.45%	-4.26%	-1.95%	8.55%	-10.66%	1.14%	-1.10%	-8.03%			

#### **Global 1 Units**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	-1.10%	1.04%											-0.07%
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018			
	-4.32%	2.88%	-11.18%	-3.30%	-1.22%	9.34%	-10.46%	2.58%	-0.40%	-6.95%			

#### **Global 2 Units**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	-1.12%	1.02%											-0.11%
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018			
	-4.64%	2.56%	-11.43%	-3.55%	-1.44%	9.14%	-10.64%	2.51%	-0.62%	-7.19%			

## **Global 3 Units**

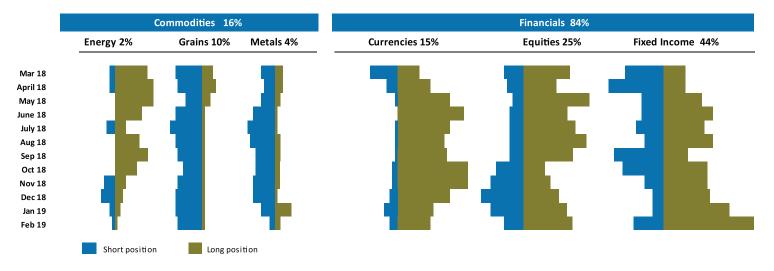
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2019	-1.26%	0.87%											-0.40%
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018			
	-6.04%	0.68%	-13.05%	-5.19%	-3.06%	7.46%	-12.16%	0.80%	-2.34%	-8.82%			

<sup>\*</sup>All historical performance is available at www.grantparkfunds.com

#### A, B and Legacy Units **Trading Performance by Sector** 10% 5% 0% -5% -10% Equity Fixed Grains/ Currencies Energy Metals Indices Income Foods February 2019 Performance reported is gross of fees and expenses. Monthly Exposure by Sector Currencies **Equity Indices** Fixed Income Grains/Foods Metals 15% 10%



#### 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.

#### **Grant Park Fund At-A-Glance**

Product	Legacy	y Units		Global Units		A and B Units
Class	1	2	1	2	3	
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	trend-trading philo	, medium-to long-term sophy employed by he past 20 years.		c, medium-to long-term stematic, pattern recogn shorter timeframes.	trend-trading philosophy ition model focused on	
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	Closed to New
Penalty	No	No	No	No	1.5% on a declining scale 0.5% per quarter	Investment
Sectors Traded	6	6	6	6	6	
Eligibility	net worth or \$70k net wo investor should invest mo	, but not less than \$250k orth and \$70k income. No re than 10% of his/her net rth.	Eligibility varies by sta worth and \$70k inco			

### **Statistics**

Statistics Since Inception - Class A Units <sup>1</sup> January 1989 - February 2019	
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Total Fund Assets (A,B, Legacy, Global)	\$75M
12-Month Return	-5.92%
Average 12-Month Return	12.33%
36-Month Cumulative Return	-19.78%
60-Month Cumulative Return	-16.51%
Compounded Annualized ROR	8.63%
3-Year Compounded Annualized ROR	-7.08%
5-Year Compounded Annualized ROR	-3.54%
10-Year Compounded Annualized ROR	-4.83%
Worst Drawdown (12/08 - 1/19)	-40.54%
Worst Drawdown Last 5 Years (12/08 - 1/19)	-40.54%
Average 1-month Gain	5.59%
Average 1-month Loss	-3.88%
# of Winning Months	184
# of Losing Months	178

	Correlation Analysis: Class A Units <sup>1</sup> and S&P Total Return In January 2009 - December 2018	ıdex²
<b>♣</b> ₹	Moved in Opposite Directions	45%
<b>1</b>	Positive Results for Both	35%
++	Negative Results for Both	20%

### **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.

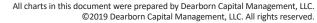
Compounded Annualized Rate of Return (ROR): This is the geometric 12-month mean that assumes the same rate of return for each 12-month period to arrive at the equivalent compound growth rate reflected in the actual return data.

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.







 $<sup>^{\</sup>rm 1}$  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>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> It is not possible to directly invest in an index.