

Blackstone Diversified Multi-Strategy Fund

Blackstone

(BXDMSAE: Class A (EUR) Acc.) - A sub-fund of Blackstone Alternative Investment Funds plc, an umbrella fund established as a UCITS with segregated liability between sub funds
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As of November 30, 2017

Fund Net Performance ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾	MTD	QTD	YTD	ITD	ITD STATISTICS			
					St. Dev.	Beta	Alpha	Sharpe
BXDMSAE	(1.43%)	(0.87%)	2.89%	1.93%	2.59%	-	-	0.52
MSCI World TR Index (EUR-Hedged)	2.11%	3.96%	20.14%	15.73%	8.55%	0.16	(1.23%)	1.77
Barclays Gbl Agg Index (EUR-Hedged)	1.00%	0.52%	5.92%	1.05%	5.10%	0.08	1.84%	0.09

Monthly Net Performance⁽¹⁾

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2016	-	-	-	0.30%	0.60%	(0.99%)	0.90%	(0.69%)	1.00%	0.40%	(1.77%)	0.50%	0.20%
2017	1.50%	0.59%	0.59%	0.78%	0.68%	(0.96%)	0.77%	0.19%	(0.38%)	0.58%	(1.43%)	-	2.89%

Investment approach

The Fund's investment objective is to seek capital appreciation. The Fund seeks this objective by allocating its assets among a variety of discretionary sub-advisers with experience managing non-traditional or "alternative" investment strategies. Blackstone is responsible for selecting the strategies, for identifying and retaining sub-advisers, and for determining the amount of Fund assets to allocate to each strategy and to each sub-adviser. Blackstone may also manage a portion of the Fund's assets directly.

Fund highlights

Fund Assets (Mn)	\$2,110.23
NAV per Share	€10.31
Currency	EUR
Fund Inception Date	August 11, 2014
Share Class Inception Date	April 25, 2016
Investment Manager	Blackstone Alternative Investment Advisors LLC
Subscriptions	Daily
Redemptions	Daily
Distributing/Accumulating	Accumulating
Cut-off	3pm (Ireland)
Bloomberg Ticker	BXDMSAE ID
ISIN	IE00BYXDW303

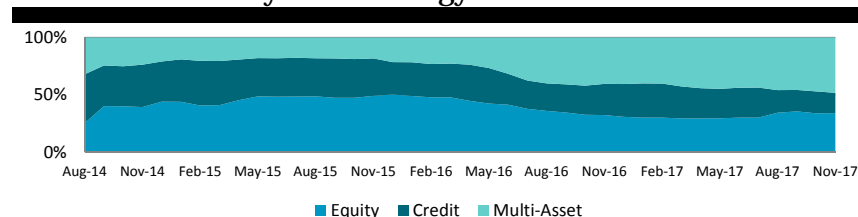
Fund Terms – Share Class A (EUR) Acc.⁽⁴⁾

Minimum Initial Investment	€1,000
Management Fee	1.95%
Performance Fee ⁽⁵⁾	15.00%
Other Expenses ⁽⁶⁾	Capped 0.45%

12 Month Performance Periods – To Last Quarter End⁽³⁾

	9/30/2012-9/30/2013	9/30/2013-9/30/2014	9/30/2014-9/30/2015	9/30/2015-9/30/2016	9/30/2016-9/30/2017
BXDMSAE	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2.87%
MSCI World TR (EUR-Hedged)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	17.58%
Barclays Gbl Agg Index (EUR-Hedged)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	(2.29%)

Asset Allocation by Sub-Strategy⁽³⁾



Portfolio Allocation⁽³⁾

SUB-ADVISOR	STRATEGY	SUB-STRATEGY	ALLOCATION
GSIS	Fundamental	Equity (Long/Short)	34%
HealthCor	Fundamental	Equity (Long/Short)	
Cerebellum ⁽⁷⁾	Quantitative	Equity (Market Neutral)	
Two Sigma Advisers	Quantitative	Equity (Market Neutral)	
IPM	Quantitative	Multi-Asset (Macro Systematic)	48%
Emso	Global Macro	Multi-Asset (Macro EM-Credit)	
GSA	Global Macro	Multi-Asset (Macro Systematic)	
H20	Global Macro	Multi-Asset (Discretionary Thematic)	
BAIA-Direct ⁽⁶⁾	Multi-Strategy	Multi-Asset (Multi-Strategy)	
DE Shaw	Multi-Strategy	Multi-Asset (Multi-Strategy)	18%
Chatham	Opportunistic Trading	Credit	
Cerberus ⁽⁷⁾	Opportunistic Trading	Credit (MBS/ABS)	
Bayview	Fundamental	Credit (MBS/ABS)	
Caspian	Fundamental	Credit	
Good Hill	Fundamental	Credit (MBS/ABS)	
Sorin	Fundamental	Credit (MBS/ABS)	18%
Waterfall	Fundamental	Credit (MBS/ABS)	

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(3) The portfolio allocations in the table/chart reflect allocations as of the date of the report. The Fund may shift allocations among sub-advisers, strategies and sub-strategies at any time. Further, Blackstone, on behalf of the Fund, may determine to not employ one or more of the above-referenced sub-advisers, strategies or sub-strategies. Blackstone may also add new sub-advisers, strategies or sub-strategies. Accordingly, the allocations are presented for illustrative purposes only and should not be viewed as predictive of the ongoing composition of the Fund's portfolio (and its sub-advisers), which may change at any time. BXDMSAE launched on 4/25/16, prior allocations are for the share class with the longest track record, BXDMSKE.

(4) The above terms are summarised and qualified in their entirety by the more detailed information set forth in the UCITS prospectus and supplement.

(5) The Fund will pay to Blackstone a performance fee equal to 15% of any returns the relevant class achieves above any losses carried forward from previous periods. The Fund may also pay to Blackstone an additional performance fee equal to the amount of any performance fees owed by Blackstone to the sub-advisers. Any such additional performance fee will be deducted from Blackstone's performance fee before it is paid in subsequent quarterly performance periods. The performance fee together with any additional performance fee are subject to a cap of 4.95% of the NAV of the class.

(6) Blackstone has agreed to reimburse the Fund so that certain of the Fund's "Other Expenses" will not exceed 0.45% annually. Please see important disclosure information at the end of this document for further explanation.

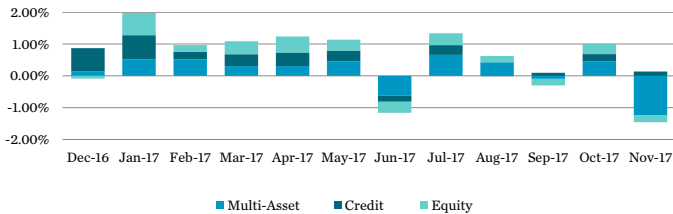
(7) Sub-adviser is not currently managing any Fund assets. Allocations may change at any time without notice.

(8) BAIA manages a portion of the Fund's assets directly. Such investments presently include allocations to BAIA's systematic risk premia trading strategy, a short-only fundamental equity strategy (advised by Gracian Capital on a non-discretionary basis), and may also include opportunistic trades. BAIA's fees on directly managed assets are typically not reduced by a payment to a sub-adviser.

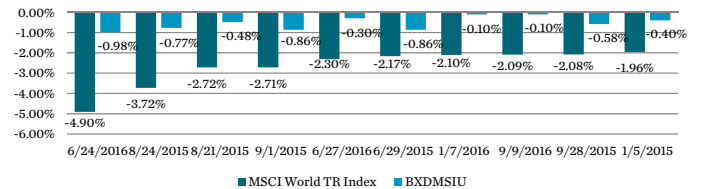
Performance Summary

Sub-Strategy Performance ⁽¹⁾	Allocation at ⁽⁵⁾ 11/30/2017		MTD		QTD		YTD		ITD Cumulative Performance	
	Return	Attribution	Return	Attribution	Return	Attribution	Return	Attribution	Return	Attribution
Equity	34.07%	(0.58%)	(0.22%)	0.25%	0.10%	6.31%	2.30%	13.28%	2.19%	
Credit	17.75%	0.66%	0.14%	1.72%	0.37%	10.70%	3.16%	22.46%	6.47%	
Multi-Asset	48.18%	(2.27%)	(1.23%)	(1.42%)	(0.78%)	3.61%	1.74%	7.91%	1.55%	
Expenses, Hedging and Other			(0.12%)		(0.55%)		(4.31%)		(7.11%)	
Net Return ⁽²⁾			(1.43%)		(0.87%)		2.89%		3.10%	

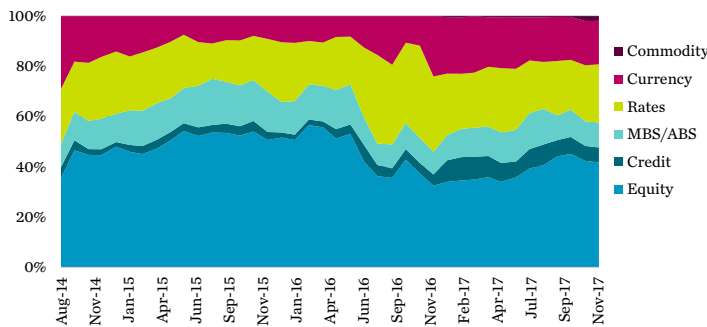
Trailing 12 months performance contribution by Sub-Strategy⁽³⁾



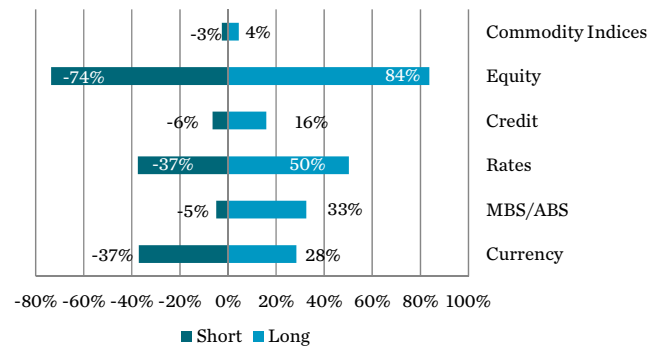
Downside Protection: Worst 10 Days for MSCI World vs BXDMS Fund Since Inception⁽⁶⁾⁽⁸⁾



Asset Class Gross Historical Exposure⁽⁴⁾⁽⁵⁾⁽⁷⁾



Asset Class Exposure⁽⁴⁾



Fund Geographic Exposure⁽⁴⁾

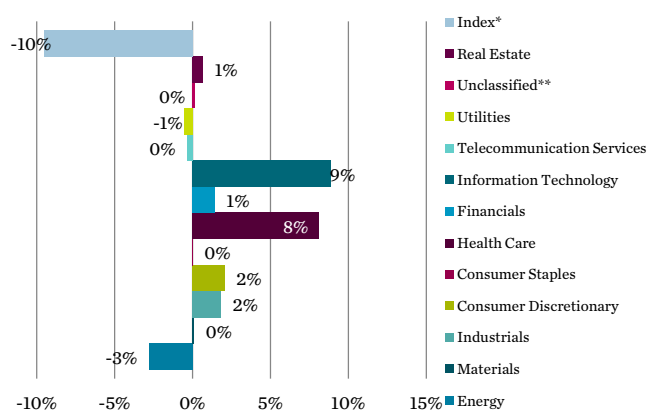
Region	Long	Short	Net
US/Canada	125.68%	97.64%	28.03%
Latin America/Caribbean	5.41%	1.41%	3.99%
Core Europe	44.81%	24.63%	20.18%
Peripheral Europe	4.06%	0.23%	3.83%
Middle East/Africa	1.57%	1.43%	0.13%
China/HK/Taiwan	1.49%	4.57%	-3.08%
Asia general	16.95%	10.85%	6.11%
Japan	15.41%	21.23%	-5.82%
Total	215.38%	162.00%	53.38%

Currency Exposure⁽⁴⁾

Region	Long	Short	Net
US/Canada	4.94%	5.58%	-0.64%
Latin America	1.65%	1.46%	0.12%
Core Europe	5.22%	18.44%	-9.34%
Peripheral Europe	0.46%	-	0.41%
Middle East/Africa	0.59%	0.10%	0.52%
China/HK/Taiwan	0.50%	3.74%	-3.20%
Asia general	9.55%	5.53%	4.01%
Japan	4.70%	3.67%	1.03%
Total	27.62%	38.52%	-7.08%

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- Performance contribution represents the contribution of each strategy or sub-strategy to the Fund's total return. Performance contribution is shown gross of all fees and expenses. In the case of non-interest rate instruments, exposure data represents the delta adjusted market value.
- In the case of interest rate products, exposure data is represented by the 10-year equivalent instrument. Positions of unknown type (if any) are excluded from exposure data. Data is obtained from State Street Fund Services (Ireland) Limited, the administrator for the Fund. The Fund does not guarantee the accuracy of such data.
- Sub-strategy allocations exclude exposures to Fund level cash, hedging and expenses and are adjusted pro-rata to equal 100%.
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- Information prior to the inception of this share class is for BXDMSKE.
- Please see the additional disclosure on the last page for additional index definitions. The average daily return for BXDMSIU for the 10 best MSCI World TR days is 0.34%, while the average return of MSCI World TR for the 10 best MSCI World TR days was 2.07%.

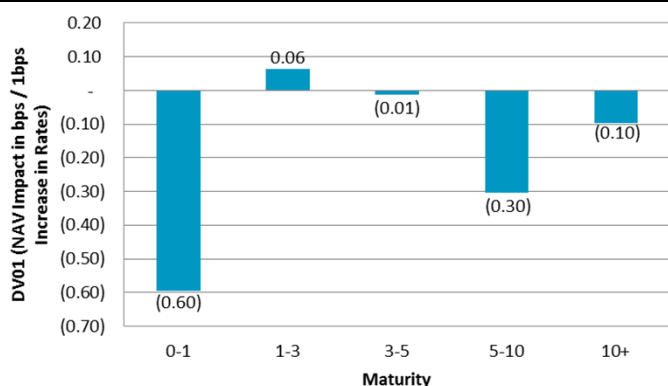
Equity Exposure – Net Sector Breakdown⁽¹⁾



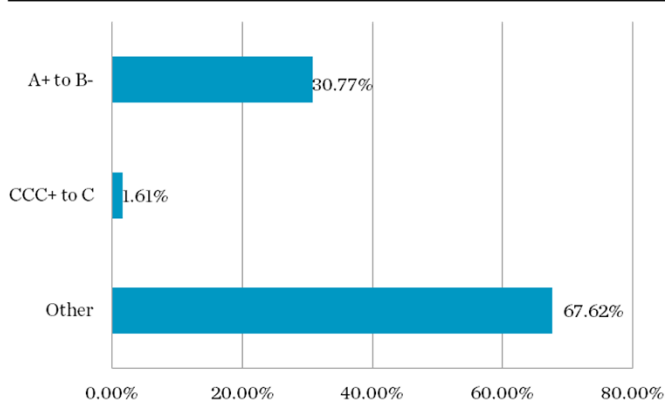
Equity Exposure – Sector Breakdown⁽¹⁾

	Long	Short	Net
Energy	1.22%	4.01%	-2.79%
Materials	2.06%	1.94%	0.12%
Industrials	5.33%	3.50%	1.84%
Consumer Discretionary	8.62%	6.55%	2.07%
Consumer Staples	2.80%	2.77%	0.03%
Health Care	15.45%	7.34%	8.11%
Financials	5.30%	3.84%	1.46%
Real Estate	1.11%	0.41%	0.69%
Information Technology	14.18%	5.29%	8.89%
Telecommunication Services	0.15%	0.50%	-0.35%
Utilities	0.98%	1.52%	-0.54%
Index*	26.36%	35.91%	-9.56%
Unclassified**	0.15%	0.00%	0.15%
Total	83.70%	73.59%	10.12%

Fixed Income Interest Rate Sensitivity⁽²⁾



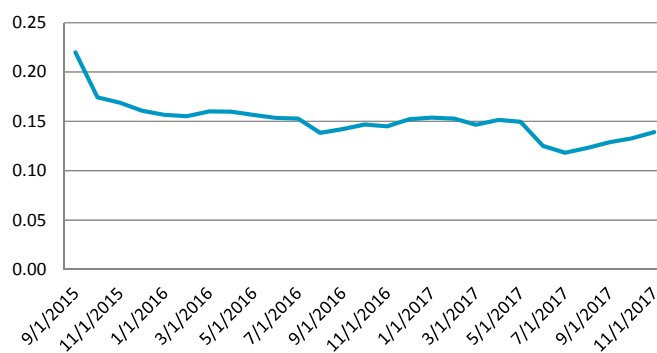
Fixed Income Ratings⁽¹⁾



VaR Analysis⁽³⁾

Date	VaR
11/30/17	2.68%

12 months rolling beta against MSCI World⁽⁴⁾



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- (2) Dv01 represents the estimated change in NAV for the fund, expressed in basis points, for a 1 basis point increase in interest rates across each of the maturity ranges shown. Fixed income instruments are typically held across a number of different currencies.
- (3) Value at Risk ("VaR") is calculated at a 99% confidence level for a one month holding period (20 business days) using a model based on historical Fund data. Please see the Glossary of Terms for a further explanation of VaR.
- (4) Betas are calculated using the MSCI World TR index. The calculated betas use returns daily returns for BXDMS Share Class I Acc from 9/11/2014-11/30/2017. The volatility of the index presented may be materially different from that of the performance of the fund. In addition, the index employs different investment guidelines and criteria than the fund; as a result, the holdings in the fund may differ significantly from the securities that comprise the index. The performance of the index has not been selected to represent an appropriate benchmark to compare to the performance of the fund, but rather is disclosed to allow for comparison of the fund's performance to that of a well-known and widely recognized index. A summary of the investment guidelines for the index presented is available upon request.

*Comprised of index futures, options on index futures, ETFs, and ETF options

**Underlying instruments do not have a corresponding GICS sector assignment

November Market Commentary

In November, Global equity markets continued their upward march for the year, returning 2.22% for the month and 21.39%¹ for the year. However, despite this broader trend, we saw dispersion at the regional level, with U.S. equities performing well, up 3.07%², but European equity markets losing 1.53%³ during the month. In Europe, political uncertainty, ranging from unproductive coalition talks in Germany to turmoil in Spain around the Catalonia referendum, dampened investor sentiment. In the U.S., we saw progress towards tax reform, as both chambers of Congress passed their respective versions of the tax bill, which, if signed into law, would be the most sweeping tax overhaul since President Reagan's tax cuts in the 1980s. This could have meaningful implications for broader markets, including the opportunity for U.S. companies to repatriate trapped foreign funds to pay for share buybacks and other activities.

One interesting market dynamic that had an outsized impact on the performance in November was a sharp factor reversal towards the end of the month. Momentum – a factor premised upon the tendency for assets' relative performance to continue for a certain period of time – gave up gains, and value – a factor defined by systematic comparison of some measure of an asset's fundamental value to its price – outperformed. To understand what drove this reversal, we dug a layer deeper into the underlying components of widely used 'momentum' and 'value' indices. Looking at the constituent sectors of each, we found that, while they are similar (Consumer Discretionary, Financial Services, and Information Technology make up 50-60% of each index), the weighted-average effective tax rate for companies within the value index is 26%, over 1.5x the 17% for companies within the momentum index. This could explain, at least in part, the performance reversal that occurred in the last week of trading.

In last month's commentary, we discussed our view that market valuations appear stretched, and highlighted events that could potentially rattle markets to the downside should they occur. This month, we wanted to revisit several key signposts – themes we touched on earlier in the year – which we are monitoring to assess a potential slowdown in the economy:

The first signpost is retail. It is common knowledge that the sector is under pressure from a few angles. E-commerce and the internet are materially impacting "big box" retail and traditional shopping malls. We expect that some retailers are going to survive and have already seen many shopping malls reinvent their business models in pretty interesting ways in order to attract and retain consumers (e.g., high-end restaurants, experiential activities, etc.). The changing environment for traditional retail is not the surprising story here. What we find interesting is that when you look at the employment data, retail jobs are at record highs. This is counterintuitive, but it suggests that a large number of jobs could be eliminated if the downward trend in retail continues and such job elimination would have a negative impact on the economy.

The second signpost we are monitoring is auto delinquencies given the increase in subprime auto loans. We're now at 2008 levels in terms of the dollar amounts of subprime auto loans that are delinquent. A quarter of total auto sales are driven by such loans, and the loan characteristics are not reassuring. The prospect of autonomous vehicles in the coming years could further impact this space.

The third signpost is the potential for a repeal of Obamacare. The U.S. Congressional Budget Office, a nonpartisan entity, has predicted that millions of Americans could lose healthcare if Obamacare is repealed. Healthcare is not only an individual's concern; it also impacts a nation's GDP. Healthcare spending has contributed to U.S. GDP growth over the past several years and it is actually twice as high today relative to multi-decade averages. As a result, a reduction in healthcare spending on a standalone basis could drag down GDP. This GDP reduction could be offset elsewhere in the economy but, nonetheless, it is important to monitor.

Our final primary signpost is the potential for reduction in global tourism. Half of international tourist arrivals to the U.S. come through California, New York, and Florida. This tourism buoys the local economies of these regions and unfortunately these arrivals are declining. New York City is officially forecasting the first decline in arrivals since 2008. That has huge implications across a number of sectors, and it's not geographically homogenous across the country.

We remain cautious of long-only exposure to traditional stocks and bonds, and we continue to espouse the value proposition of alternative investments. In spite of inherent uncertainty of financial markets and what the future holds, we remain confident in investment strategies that are both diversified and hedged by nature, and that offer alpha generation potential through active security selection and strategic asset allocation.

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1. As represented by the MSCI World Index.
 2. As represented by the S&P 500 Index.
 3. As represented by the MSCI Europe (ex-UK) Index.

Review of November Fund Performance

The investment objective of the Blackstone Diversified Multi-Strategy Fund (the ‘Fund’) is to seek capital appreciation. The Fund aims to achieve its objective by allocating assets among a variety of investment sub-advisers, each with experience managing non-traditional or “alternative” investment strategies or by managing assets directly (via BAIA⁴). In November, the Fund’s Class I share class⁵ returned -1.28%⁶ net of fees and expenses versus 3.07% and 2.22% for the S&P 500 and MSCI World indices, respectively, and versus 1.11% for the Barclays Global Aggregate Bond Index⁷.

Equity Strategies

Equity strategies detracted from performance in November. Losses were largely driven by negative alpha, where hedges outperformed their respective long or short position. Long exposure to certain tech names declined, driven by re-pricing following disappointing Q3 earnings results. The factor reversal mentioned previously was a headwind for certain of the Fund’s Equity sub-advisers who employ quantitative models, with losses at the end of the month offsetting gains made earlier in the month.

Credit Strategies

Credit strategies generated gains in November. Exposures to government-sponsored enterprise (“GSE”) credit risk transfer (“CRT”) bonds drove performance, with spreads on older vintages continuing to tighten. As we discussed last month, these exposures have benefitted from increasing perceived creditworthiness as they (i) have built a track record of steady payments over time, and (ii) have received ratings on certain portions of their underlying collateral from the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (‘NAIC’). Other positive contributions came from exposures to high yield, despite the selloff during the first half of the month, where mark-to-market gains in certain media names helped generate positive performance.

Multi-Asset Strategies

As the largest allocation in the portfolio with close to 50% of the Fund’s assets, Multi-Asset strategies were the largest detractor from performance during November. Much of this underperformance can be attributed to the aforementioned factor reversal, which caused meaningful performance dispersion between momentum and value – with momentum producing losses, and value gains – reversing trends that had persisted for most of the year. Several of the Fund’s sub-advisers employ systematic strategies with the objective of isolating specific risk premia – sources of return with intuitive economic underpinnings, such as momentum or value described above – across asset classes and geographies. Some of the trading models employed by these sub-advisers take shorter-term views, factoring in recent market moves to inform positioning, but most are formulated around medium-to-long-term trends, which means they aim to capture more persistent risk premia over longer time frames. Accordingly, these models are less likely to adapt to short-term swings in market factors, and in a month like November, where longer-term trends reversed suddenly, they did not adjust positioning dramatically and thus experienced losses. As long-term investors, we retain our conviction in risk premia as a strategy, and believe that the diversification benefits and potential to harvest differentiated sources of return over time outweigh the month-to-month fluctuations that may at times detract from performance.

On the positive side, idiosyncratic healthcare exposures contributed gains, offsetting some of the losses mentioned above. Additionally, exposure to a South American currency through short duration local sovereign bonds benefitted from a rate hike by the country’s Central Bank enacted during the month. The rate hike on short-term securities, the second such measure taken in the last three months, is a part of the Central Bank’s attempt to keep inflation at bay.

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 9. For a summary of Fund performance of other share classes, please refer to the Fund’s website: <http://www.blackstone.com/bxdms>
 10. Performance is shown net of the Gross Expense Ratio less waived expenses for Class I shares (USD). Performance data quoted represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. The 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 and current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data above. Information is estimated and unaudited.
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All investors should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of Blackstone Diversified Multi-Strategy Fund (BXDMS) before investing. The Key Investor Information Document (‘KIID’), Prospectus and Supplement contain this and other information about BXDMS and are available on the Blackstone website at www.blackstone.com/BXDMS. All KIIDs are available in English, and certain share class specific KIIDs are available in French, German, Dutch, Danish, Finnish, Swedish, Norwegian, Spanish and Italian as indicated on the Blackstone website. All investors are urged to carefully read the Prospectus, Supplement and KIID in their entirety before investing.

Glossary of Terms:

Beta: A measure of the volatility, or systemic risk, of a security or a portfolio in comparison to the market as a whole.

Standard Deviation: A measure of the dispersion of a set of data from its mean. The more spread apart the data, the higher the deviation. Standard deviation is calculated as the square root of variance.

Alpha: A risk-adjusted performance measure that represents the average return on a portfolio over and above that predicted by the capital asset pricing model (CAPM), given the portfolio’s beta and the average market return.

Sharpe Ratio: A ratio to measure risk-adjusted performance. The Sharpe Ratio is calculated by subtracting the risk-free rate – such as that of the 10-year U.S. Treasury bond – from the rate of return for a portfolio and dividing the result by the standard deviation of the portfolio returns. The greater a portfolio’s Sharpe Ratio, the better its risk-adjusted performance has been.

Delta: The ratio comparing the change in the price of the underlying asset to the corresponding change in the price of a derivative.

Gross Exposure: Reflects the aggregate of long and synthetic short investment positions in relation to the net asset value. For example, if BXDMS has 60% long exposure and 50% synthetic short exposure to a particular asset class, then BXDMS has 110% gross exposure to that asset class. The gross exposure is one indication of the level of leverage in a portfolio.

Net Exposure: This is the difference between long and synthetic short investment positions in relation to the net asset value. For example, if BXDMS has 60% long exposure and 50% synthetic short exposure to a particular asset class, then BXDMS is 10% net exposure to that asset class.

Long: A long position occurs when an individual owns securities.

Synthetic Short: Short selling an underlying security through the use of derivatives. Synthetic Short positions can generate returns when the price of the underlying security declines.

VaR: A statistical technique used to measure and quantify the level of financial risk within a firm or investment portfolio over a specific time frame. Value at risk is used by risk managers in order to measure and control the level of risk which the firm undertakes. The risk manager’s job is to ensure that risks are not taken beyond the level at which the firm can absorb the losses of a probable worst outcome.

Glossary of Indices:

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- General economic and market conditions can affect the price and volatility of investments.
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- Sub-advisers may make investment decisions which conflict with each other; for example, sub-advisers may hold economically offsetting positions or may purchase or sell the same security at the same time without aggregating their transactions. This may result in unnecessary brokerage and other expenses and the Fund may incur losses as a result.
- Some of the sub-advisers selected may hold only a small number of investments, or assets that move closely in line with assets held by other sub-advisers.
- The Fund’s investments will include shares, bonds and FDI. Each of these will be exposed to the risks specific to the type of asset in question. In particular, the use of FDI may result in substantial gains or losses that are greater in magnitude than the original amount invested.
- The Fund may invest in countries with a weak legal or financial framework where it can be hard to enforce ownership rights or repatriate funds.
- The Fund may invest in currencies other than its base currency. The success of measures to protect the Fund or a Class against currency movements cannot be certain.
- Changes in exchange rates may have an adverse effect on the value price or income of the product.
- The Fund may invest in FDI that derive their value from other assets in the expectation of making a profit if the price of the assets falls; theoretically, this could result in an infinite loss.
- The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Low trading volumes, lack of buyers, large positions or legal restrictions may limit or prevent the Fund from selling particular assets quickly and/or at desirable prices.

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