

Man AHL Diversified Futures Ltd



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Monthly Report as of 28 September 2018

Inception Date : 13 May 1998 Lead Class Total NAV : USD 156,059,153 ISIN : BMG5777T1099

Fund Risks

Prior to investing in the Fund investors should carefully consider the risks associated with investing, investors should consider the following risks and where appropriate seek professional advice before investing: Market Risk, Counterparty Risk, Currency Risk, Liquidity, Financial Derivatives, Leverage, Emerging Markets, Model and Data Risk and Commodity Risk. More details can be found in the Risk Glossary.

Monthly commentary

Despite pressure from the White House to keep borrowing cost low and escalations in the trade war between the US and China, the Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC) hiked interests again in September, signalling its intention to continue on a path of rates normalisation. Confidence in the growth of the US economy pushed some US equity indices towards new record highs, although there was a marked split between large and small cap returns. Globally, bond yields pushed ever higher, and emerging market economies remained precarious. Against this backdrop, the Fund returned -3.12%, with gains made in commodities and credit outweighed by losses in bonds, FX and equities. On the back of looming U.S. sanctions against Tehran, oil prices continued rising to the benefit of the Fund's long positions, while short positioning in US natural gas were

turned around on a sharp market rally. Shorts in cocoa markets, however, profited from weaker prices in both London and New York. Despite strength in the S&P500, the Fund struggled in equity trading, with losses being driven by longs in the Russell 2000 and the Australian SPI 200, which both retraced from recent highs. The largest positive return in fact came from a long position in the Japanese Nikkei index, which hit levels not seen since the early 1990s. Credit spreads tightened across all credit indices and the short protection generated gains everywhere except for a small loss in the Emerging Market 5yr CDX Index. Early month weakness in the US dollar proved the main negative driver of performance in FX, with the exception of the Japanese yen, which continued its steady decline. Shorts in both emerging and developed market currencies against the greenback suffered with the Canadian dollar and Swedish krone giving back previous gains. Finally, in bonds and rates, as yields rose, the long positions in German and French bonds struggled most, following comments from European Central Bank's chief Mario Draghi highlighting a "vigorous" pick-up in underlying inflation, while the growing short in US treasuries pared the losses.

Net Performance and Risk*

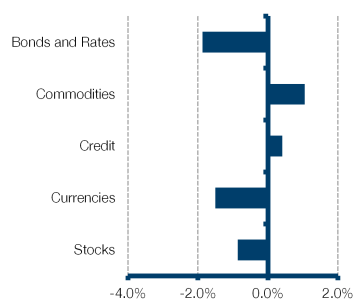
	Product
Last month	-3.12 %
Last 3 months	-1.61 %
Year to date	-7.26 %
Last 12 months	-0.97 %
Last calendar year	5.55 %
Total return	266.60 %
Annualised return	6.58 %
Annualised volatility	14.30 %
Sharpe ratio ¹	0.30
Worst drawdown ²	-29.40 %
Drawdown Length	57 months
No of Drawdowns	22

Performance chart 13 May 1998 to 28 September 2018*

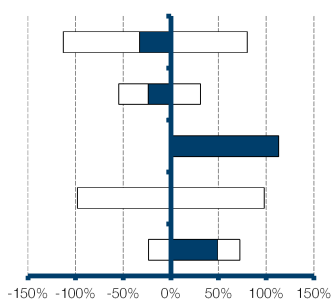


VaR (99%)	1.55 %
Expected Shortfall (99%) ³	1.78 %
Leverage ⁴	6.84

Gross Performance Contribution⁵



Sector Exposure⁶

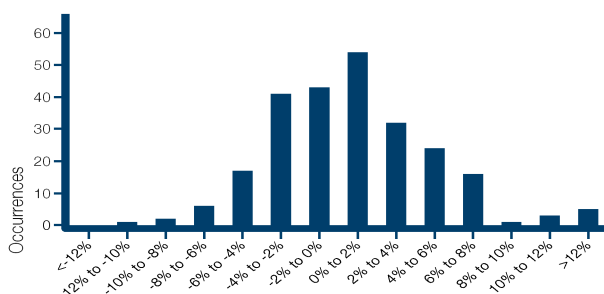


Exposure and VaR (99%)⁶

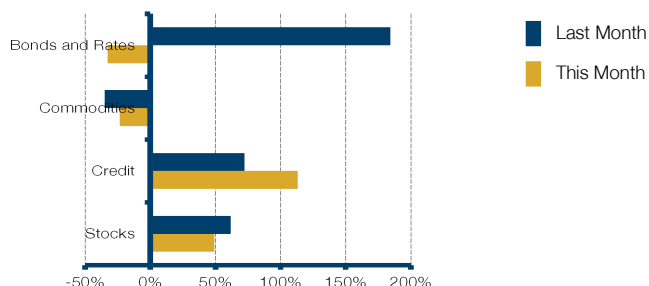
	Short	Long	Net	VaR
Bonds and Rates	-112.88	80.07	-32.81	0.45
Commodities	-54.71	31.06	-23.66	0.68
Credit	0.00	113.15	113.15	0.24
Currencies	-98.04	98.04	N/A	0.90
Stocks	-23.44	72.35	48.91	0.61

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Distribution of Monthly Returns 13 May 1998 to 28 September 2018



Net Exposure Monthly Comparison



Top 5 Markets ⁷

	MTD	EOM Position ⁸
Japanese Yen/US Dollar	0.67 %	Short
Crude Oil - WTI	0.41 %	Long
Crude Oil - Brent	0.36 %	Long
Cocoa	0.36 %	Short
Nikkei	0.34 %	Long

Commodities Net Exposure

Energies	21.37 %
Metals	-20.56 %
Agriculturals	-24.47 %

Sovereign Bond Net Exposure

Non G10	16.42 %
G10	-57.55 %

Top 5 Currency Exposure

USD	144.25 %
EUR	-33.69 %
JPY	-31.25 %
AUD	-27.17 %
PLN	10.41 %

Bottom 5 Markets ⁷

	MTD	EOM Position ⁸
Euro-BUND	-0.35 %	Long
Natural Gas - US	-0.32 %	Short
Canadian Dollar/US Dollar	-0.31 %	Short
Euribor	-0.27 %	Long
Swedish Krona/US Dollar	-0.25 %	Short

Sector

	CS01 ⁹	DV01 ¹⁰
Credit	-0.05 %	0.00 %
Bonds and Rates	0.00 %	0.03 %

Equity Sector Exposure

Communication Services	0.20 %
Broad Market Indices	35.52 %
Consumer Discretionary	0.20 %
Consumer Staples	2.08 %
Energy	0.49 %
Financials	-0.04 %
Health Care	6.05 %
Industrials	4.17 %
Information Technology	1.59 %
Materials	-2.51 %
Real Estate	-0.10 %
Utilities	1.25 %

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Historical performance*

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD ¹¹
2018	6.48 %	-10.95 %	-0.51 %	-1.23 %	-0.24 %	1.42 %	-3.14 %	4.85 %	-3.12 %				-7.26 %
2017	0.48 %	0.82 %	-3.00 %	-0.63 %	2.71 %	-3.19 %	3.74 %	3.45 %	-5.13 %	7.02 %	-0.58 %	0.36 %	5.55 %
2016	4.10 %	3.44 %	-1.88 %	-5.57 %	-3.57 %	2.85 %	1.42 %	-3.30 %	-3.11 %	-3.26 %	0.11 %	1.63 %	-7.44 %
2015	6.20 %	-0.66 %	1.42 %	-2.10 %	-2.36 %	-6.01 %	4.36 %	0.14 %	2.51 %	-5.55 %	4.18 %	-3.32 %	-2.03 %
2014	-1.92 %	1.13 %	-2.10 %	1.33 %	6.44 %	3.34 %	1.14 %	5.88 %	1.88 %	0.85 %	7.07 %	2.13 %	30.20 %
2013	1.69 %	-0.96 %	2.38 %	6.54 %	-9.21 %	-4.21 %	-1.83 %	-3.03 %	-2.21 %	5.59 %	1.57 %	-1.64 %	-6.18 %
2012	-0.25 %	2.64 %	-2.73 %	-1.75 %	-2.44 %	2.56 %	0.71 %	-2.84 %	-0.17 %	-3.54 %	1.11 %	0.48 %	-6.29 %
2011	-2.84 %	1.14 %	-4.61 %	4.00 %	-1.47 %	-1.65 %	0.24 %	3.64 %	0.18 %	-6.58 %	1.01 %	-2.14 %	-9.21 %
2010	-2.05 %	-0.98 %	4.98 %	1.82 %	-1.27 %	0.66 %	-2.70 %	6.16 %	0.74 %	6.37 %	-6.60 %	4.80 %	11.63 %
2009	-1.88 %	-0.17 %	-4.91 %	-3.38 %	0.26 %	-3.04 %	0.40 %	-0.78 %	1.86 %	-1.59 %	2.15 %	-6.34 %	-16.41 %
2008	5.10 %	2.40 %	4.74 %	0.16 %	2.08 %	-0.10 %	-5.55 %	-3.45 %	-0.84 %	13.07 %	0.85 %	5.24 %	24.93 %
2007	6.02 %	-2.42 %	-6.06 %	6.34 %	2.35 %	4.55 %	-2.50 %	-2.83 %	4.40 %	7.34 %	4.13 %	-3.46 %	18.04 %
2006	2.96 %	-0.67 %	-1.50 %	7.57 %	-2.32 %	-1.10 %	-4.39 %	0.84 %	1.30 %	0.11 %	0.25 %	2.70 %	5.36 %
2005	-4.96 %	3.43 %	-1.03 %	-1.92 %	2.18 %	5.70 %	-0.29 %	2.35 %	3.59 %	0.97 %	5.51 %	0.11 %	16.19 %
2004	4.88 %	-0.93 %	-0.90 %	-3.70 %	-2.68 %	-4.18 %	-1.82 %	1.46 %	2.69 %	5.34 %	4.58 %	0.34 %	4.57 %
2003	7.09 %	8.01 %	-6.59 %	-0.83 %	10.57 %	-3.49 %	-0.46 %	-0.79 %	0.47 %	1.96 %	-2.88 %	6.31 %	19.43 %
2002	-3.49 %	-4.70 %	-2.02 %	-1.93 %	-0.20 %	12.98 %	5.77 %	2.43 %	7.00 %	-9.86 %	-4.69 %	10.60 %	9.76 %
2001	1.21 %	2.19 %	10.19 %	-5.48 %	-2.43 %	0.64 %	1.08 %	0.31 %	14.09 %	0.82 %	-3.97 %	-2.44 %	15.58 %
2000	0.87 %	0.08 %	-1.73 %	-4.17 %	6.27 %	-4.64 %	-2.23 %	3.38 %	-0.82 %	4.03 %	3.01 %	14.36 %	18.36 %
1999	-4.28 %	1.72 %	-1.69 %	4.99 %	-3.36 %	2.12 %	-1.74 %	2.37 %	1.98 %	-4.53 %	4.24 %	2.36 %	3.62 %
1998					1.40 %	2.27 %	0.19 %	12.99 %	-1.62 %	0.61 %	1.46 %	2.97 %	21.40 %

NAV Table ¹²

Class	NAV	ISIN	Bloomberg	Institutional or Distribution	Last month %	2015 Return	2016 Return	2017 Return
A&B USD Class	36.66	BMG5777T1099	EDFDFTA BH	D	-3.12 %	-2.03 %	-7.44 %	5.55 %

Key Facts ¹³

Performance fee	20%	Redemption notification	Before 17:00 (Hong Kong) 1 business day prior to the dealing day
Investment manager	AHL Partners LLP	Minimum investment	USD 10,000 and minimum additional subscriptions of USD 10,000
Tranche A Bloomberg ticker	EDFDFTA BH	Minimum redemption	200 shares
Bloomberg ticker Tranche B	EDFDLI BH	Introducing Broker fee	1% per annum
Valoren	18478953	Management fee	3% per annum
Dealing frequency	Daily, on the first business day following a valuation day	Incentive fee	Calculated at the rate of 20% of any net increase in net asset value per share and may only be payable if the net increase in value exceeds a previously attained value (high watermark). The incentive fee is accrued daily and payable annually in arrears.
Valuation point	Every business day	Tranche A sales charge	Up to 5% may be charged on new applications by the relevant distributor. Please refer to the prospectus for other charges and fees.
Financial year end	September 30	Tranche B sales charge	Not applicable. Tranche B Shares are not open for new applications.
Subscription notification	Before 17:00 (Hong Kong) 1 business day prior to the dealing day	Tranche B redemption fee	Tranche B redemption fee - Up to 4%

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¹ Sharpe ratio is calculated using a risk-free rate in the appropriate currency over the period analysed. Where an investment has underperformed the risk-free rate, the Sharpe ratio will be negative. Because the Sharpe ratio is an absolute measure of risk-adjusted return, negative Sharpe ratios are not shown as they can be misleading. The risk-free rate used for Sharpe ratio calculation is the 3 month USD Libor. ² The drawdown is the percentage drop in the price of an investment from its last peak price. The worst drawdown represents the greatest peak to trough decline over the life of an investment. ³ Expected Shortfall is defined as the average of all losses which are greater than or equal to VaR. ⁴ Leverage displayed here is calculated using the sum of gross exposure from each sector traded by the AHL Programme and therefore does not include leverage from FX hedging or cash management and in no way reflects regulatory leverage calculations. Exposure calculations used are the same as detailed in the exposure reference note with exposures netted at the underlying security level. ⁵ The figures are estimated and generated on a fund level and do not take into account the fees/interest/commission charges on any particular account. Differences may also occur due to slippage variation, portfolio changes, FX movements and post execution adjustments. Therefore the sum total of these sector indications will not necessarily equate to the reported performance for the month in question. ⁶ Exposure values represent the delta notional value of positions expressed as a percentage of fund capital. Where applicable, fixed income exposures are adjusted to a 10 year bond equivalent. Currency exposure within this table only reflects that of the Currency sector traded by Man AHL and does not include FX hedging or cash management. For credit default swaps, a short position represents buying protection and a long position represents selling protection. ⁷ The organisations and/or financial instruments mentioned are for reference purposes only. The content of this material should not be construed as a recommendation for their purchase or sale. ⁸ End of month (EOM) position. ⁹ CS01 is the impact on the fund in response to a one basis point increase in credit spreads. ¹⁰ DV01 is the impact on the fund in response to a one basis point increase in interest rates. ¹¹ When 12 months of performance data is unavailable for a calendar year, partial year to date is shown. ¹² The performance data is based on the reporting share class of the Fund (shown in blue in the NAV table). ¹³ Introducing Broker Fee: The fee is payable to Man Investments AG which has been appointed as the Introducing Broker and is responsible for recommending appropriate Brokers to the Fund as well as actively managing these relationships, ensuring appropriate service levels as well as an adequate diversification of Brokers. For full details of fees and expenses which may be incurred by the Fund, including fees payable to members of Man Group, refer to the Fees and Expenses section of the Prospectus or any relevant Prospectus Supplement. Redemption Fee: Not applicable to Tranche A Shares. Redemptions of Tranche B Shares will be subject to the following fee if shares are redeemed on a dealing day before they have been in issue for 2, 4 and 6 years. The respective fees per shares are 4%, 2.5% and 1% of redemption price per share. There will be no redemption fee for Tranche B shares which are redeemed after they have been in issue for 6 years after their initial issuance.

Risk Glossary

Market Risk: The Fund is subject to normal market fluctuations and the risks associated with investing in international securities markets and therefore the value of your investment and the income from it may rise as well as fall and you may not get back the amount originally invested.

Counterparty Risk: The Fund will be exposed to credit risk on counterparties with which it trades in relation to on-exchange traded instruments such as futures and options and where applicable, 'over-the-counter' ("OTC", "non-exchange") transactions. OTC instruments may also be less liquid and are not afforded the same protections that may apply to participants trading instruments on an organised exchange.

Currency Risk: The value of investments designated in another currency may rise and fall due to exchange rate fluctuations. Adverse movements in currency exchange rates may result in a decrease in return and a loss of capital. It may not be possible or practicable to successfully hedge against the currency risk exposure in all circumstances.

Liquidity: The Fund may make investments or hold trading positions in markets that are volatile and which may become illiquid. Timely and cost efficient sale of trading positions can be impaired by decreased trading volume and/or increased price volatility.

Financial Derivatives: The Fund will invest in financial derivative instruments ("FDI") (instruments whose prices are dependent on one or more underlying asset) to achieve its investment objective. The use of FDI involves additional risks such as high sensitivity to price movements of the asset on which it is based. The extensive use of FDI may significantly multiply the gains or losses.

Leverage: The Fund's use of FDI may result in increased leverage which may lead to significant losses.

Emerging Markets: The Fund may invest a significant proportion of its assets in securities with exposure to emerging markets which involve additional risks relating to matters such as the illiquidity of securities and the potentially volatile nature of markets not typically associated with investing in other more established economies or markets.

Model and Data Risk: The Fund's Investment Manager relies on quantitative trading models and data supplied by third parties. If models or data prove to be incorrect or incomplete, the Fund may be exposed to potential losses. Models can be affected by unforeseen market disruptions and/or government or regulatory intervention, leading to potential losses.

Commodity Risk: The Fund may have exposure to commodities, the value of which can be volatile and may carry additional risk. Commodity prices can also be influenced by the prevailing political climate and government stability in commodity producing nations.

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