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# Calamos Hedged Equity Fund

### **OVERVIEW**

The fund blends a core long-equity portfolio with an actively managed option overlay. Tactical management creates opportunities to add alpha from option market dynamics and equity market volatility.

### **KEY FEATURES**

- Our investment approach is highly responsive to dynamic market conditions, unlike many lessactive option-based strategies.
- The investment team seeks to take advantage of market opportunities by being favorably positioned for as many outcomes as possible.

#### **PORTFOLIO FIT**

The fund's option-based risk-management strategy can provide upside participation in equity markets while limiting downside exposure, thereby improving the quality of the ride.

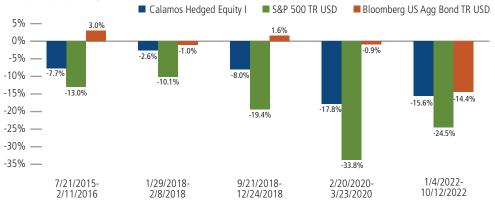
#### FUND TICKER SYMBOLS

A Shares	C Shares	I Shares
CAHEX	CCHEX	CIHEX

## Dynamically Managed with an Aim to Capitalize on Volatility

#### **RETURNS DURING DOWN EQUITY MARKETS**

S&P 500 Index down 10% or more



Source: Morningstar. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Results are before taxes on fund distributions and assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains.

AVERAGE ANNUAL RETURNS (%)	1-YEAR	3-YEAR	5-YEAR	SINCE INCEPTION
Calamos Hedged Equity Fund				
I Shares - at NAV (Inception—12/31/14)	17.52	6.11	7.84	6.58
A Shares - at NAV (Inception—12/31/14)	17.13	5.85	7.56	6.29
A Shares Load adjusted	11.59	4.15	6.52	5.73
S&P 500 Index	29.88	11.49	15.05	12.73
Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index	1.70	-2.46	0.36	1.24
Morningstar Options Trading Category	16.22	6.02	6.78	4.58

Index and Morningstar category data shown reflects full month periods only. If share class inception date is on or before the 15th of the month, the index or category calculation inception date begins on the first day of that month. If share class inception date is after the 15th of the month, the index or category calculation inception date begins on the first day of the following month. Performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Please refer to Important Risk Information. The principal value and return of an investment will fluctuate so that your shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance reflected at NAV does not include the Fund's maximum front-end sales load of 4.75%. Had it been included, the Fund's return would have been lower. You can obtain performance data current to the most recent month end by visiting www.calamos.com. www.calamos.com.

CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (%)	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Calamos Hedged Equity Fund										
I Shares - at NAV (Inception—12/31/14)	5.92	15.88	-11.11	13.31	9.66	14.47	0.89	8.37	5.45	0.76
A Shares - at NAV (Inception—12/31/14)	5.83	15.56	-11.30	13.03	9.29	14.19	0.59	8.02	5.22	0.47
S&P 500 Index	10.56	26.29	-18.11	28.71	18.40	31.49	-4.38	21.83	11.96	1.38

Average annual returns measure net investment income and capital gain or loss from portfolio investments as an annualized average, assuming reinvestment of income and capital gain distributions. In calculating net investment income, all applicable fees and expenses are deducted from the returns. Calendar year returns measure net investment income and capital gain or loss from portfolio investments for each period specified.

The fund also offers Class C shares, the performance of which may vary.

Class I shares are offered primarily for direct investment by investors through certain tax-exempt retirement plans and by institutional clients, provided such plans or clients have assets of at least \$1 million. For eligibility requirements and other available share classes see the prospectus and other Fund documents at www.calamos.com.

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#### KEY

FUND: Calamos Hedged Equity Fund BENCHMARK: S&P 500 Index

FUND INFORMATION	CLASS A SHARES	CLASS C SHARES	CLASS I SHARES	
Inception Date	12/31/14	12/31/14	12/31/14	
Ticker Symbol	CAHEX	CCHEX	CIHEX	
CUSIP Number	128120698	128120680	128120672	
Min. initial investment/	\$2500	\$2500	\$1 million	
Subsequent investment	\$50	\$50	\$0	
IRA initial investment	\$500	\$500	N/A	
Sales Load/Maximum Sales Charge	Front-End/4.75%	Level-Load/1.00%	N/A	
Gross Expense Ratio <sup>†</sup>	1.17%	1.92%	0.92%	
Distribution	Quarterly dividends; annual capital gains			

Total return with lower volatility than equity markets

#### <sup>†</sup>As of prospectus dated 3/1/2024.

Objective

SECTOR WEIGHTINGS <sup>1</sup>	FUND %	BENCHMARK %
Information Technology	29.8	29.6
Financials	13.1	13.2
Health Care	12.8	12.4
Consumer Discretionary	10.5	10.3
Communication Services	9.3	9.0
Industrials	9.1	8.8
Consumer Staples	6.1	6.0
Energy	4.1	3.9
Materials	2.3	2.4
Real Estate	2.1	2.3
Utilities	2.0	2.2
Other	-2.3	0.0

## RISK/REWARD STATISTICS SINCE INCEPTION

	BENCHMARK %
FUND %	BEINCHIVIARK %
0.03%	N/A
0.50	1.00
8.05%	15.66%
0.98	1.12
0.63	0.72
-15.38%	-23.87%
3.58%	13.42%
2.09%	8.06%
	0.50 8.05% 0.98 0.63 -15.38% 3.58%

FUND FACTS	FUND	BENCHMARK
Number of Holdings	264	503
Total Net Assets	N/A	
TARGET PORTFOLIO STA	FUND	
Number of Holdings	200-300	
% of Portfolios in Calls Wi	60-100%	
Calls Out of the Money	0-5%	
% of Portfolios in Puts Pu	20-60%	
Puts Out of the Money		0-10%

<sup>1</sup>Sector Weightings are calculated as a percentage of net assets and exclude cash or cash equivalents, any government / sovereign bonds or broad-based index hedging securities the portfolio may hold. The Sector table Other row includes securities that do not have a sector classification. You can obtain a complete listing of holdings by visiting www.calamos.com. Portfolios are managed according to their respective strategies which may differ significantly in terms of security holdings, industry weightings and asset allocation from those of the benchmark(s). Portfolio performance, characteristics and volatility may differ from the benchmark(s) shown. Please refer to Important Risk Information.

Alpha is a measurement of performance on a risk-adjusted basis. A positive alpha shows that performance of a portfolio was higher than expected given the risk. A negative alpha shows that the performance was less than expected given the risk.

Annualized standard deviation is a statistical measure of the historic volatility of a mutual fund or portfolio. Beta is a measure of the volatility, or systematic risk, of a security or a portfolio in comparison to the market as a whole.

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Downside semivariance is a measure of downside risk based on losses dispersed below a mean value. Max drawdown is a statistical measure that shows the maximum loss occurring during any sub-period over the time period listed. Sharpe ratio is a calculation that reflects the reward per each unit of risk in a portfolio. The higher the ratio, the better the portfolio's risk-adjusted return is. Sortino ratio is the excess return over the risk-free rate divided by the downside semi-variance, and so it measures the return to "bad" volatility. (Volatility caused by negative returns is considered bad or undesirable by an investor, while volatility caused by positive returns is good or acceptable.)

Upside semivariance is a measure of upside potential based on gains dispersed above a mean value. S&P 500 Index is generally considered representative of the US

stock market.

Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based flagship benchmark that measures the investment grade, US dollar-denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market. The index includes Treasuries, government related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed-rate and hybrid ARM pass-throughs), ABS and CMBS (agency and non-agency).

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volatility. The Fund(s) also has specific principal risks, which are described below. More detailed information regarding these risks can be found in the Fund's prospectus. The principal risks of investing in the **Calamos Hedged Equity Fund** include: covered call writing risk, options risk, equity securities risk, correlation risk mid-sized company risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, liquidity risk, portfolio turnover risk, portfolio selection risk, foreign securities risk. American depository receipts, and REITs risks.

receipts, and REITs risks. Options risk - The Fund's ability to close out its position as a purchaser or seller of an over-the-counter or exchange-listed put or call option is dependent, in part, upon the liquidity of the options market. There are significant differences between the securities and options markets that could result in an imperfect correlation among these markets, causing a given transaction not to achieve its objectives. The Fund's ability to utilize options successfully will depend on the ability of the Fund's investment adviser to predict pertinent market movements, which cannot be assured. assured.

# Before investing, carefully consider the fund's investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses. Please see the prospectus and summary prospectus containing this and other information which can be obtained by calling 1-866-363-9219. Read it carefully before investing.

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