

FACTSHEET

Performance Returns

Conquest STAR UCITS Fund returned +0.23% in March for the USD Institutional Founder class.

Investment Objective & Strategy

Systematic absolute return strategy focused on capturing independent alpha from short-term trading opportunities regardless of the risk environment in both "risk-seeking" and "risk averse" regimes. The fund employs 4 sub-strategies using a dynamic risk allocation based on the Conquest Risk Aversion Index. The strategy provides geographic and asset class diversification by trading in over 30 liquid global futures markets including currencies, equity indices, and fixed income with no correlation to traditional portfolios, hedge fund portfolios, and CTA portfolios.

Monthly Commentary

The first quarter of 2018 has shown to behave quite the opposite of last year. The return of a higher volatility environment, as we discussed may soon occur in previous commentaries, has been driven by market participants becoming much more reactionary to negative news regarding geopolitical uncertainty, hyper-extended valuations, and Fed interest rate hikes compared to how the market shrugged off such potential possibilities throughout 2017. The S&P 500 Index ended the month down over 2.71%. The yield curve slope between the 2-year and 10-year Treasury notes flattened to 48 bps, the lowest since August 2007 after the FOMC voted unanimously to raise the Fed funds rate to 1.5%-1.75%.

Conquest STAR UCITS Fund Performance

Conquest STAR systems continue to adjust to the new volatility regime and while overall returns for March were close to zero, the protective aspects of short-term trading are beginning to make themselves evident within the equity part of the portfolio. STAR UCITS generated +2.07% in equity trading as the S&P declined -2.56% for March. STAR exhibited a daily correlation of -51% to the S&P 500 while the SG Short-term Index had a +34% correlation and the SG CTA Index had a +66% correlation to the S&P. The one sub-strategy that was not profitable in equities was risk-capture, although exposures were reduced as our risk index entered a risk-averse period.

Trading outside of stocks offset these returns however as FX trading was characterized by misdirection with very little net change, causing a -1.09% loss to the short-term trading and a -0.42% loss to trend-following in that asset class. March would also see fixed income reverse higher, causing a -0.67% loss for that asset class, heavily concentrated in trend-following. Together, these results obscured STAR's performance in equities. The below table shows the March gross attribution estimates for March.

Conquest STAR is an all-weather product that should outperform longer-term strategies over time in volatile periods, but part of the alpha generation process involves not reacting tick-for-tick to market movements. If the STAR portfolio had been calibrated in that manner, its performance in 2017 and earlier would have suffered. STAR is designed to adjust to changing market conditions but it is not a high-frequency strategy. We have already seen some evidence of this strategy adjustment as systems were able to identify the changing environment based both on price analysis and risk index analysis and capitalize on the equity weakness that re-materialized in March.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Y-T-D
2018	4.16%	-6.09%	0.23%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-1.96%
2017	-	-	0.07%	0.19%	0.49%	-2.42%	-2.61%	3.75%	0.00%	0.50%	-0.15%	-0.28%	-0.59%

The performance figures quoted above represent the performance of the Conquest STAR UCITS Fund since launch on 6th March 2017. These performance figures refer to the past and past performance is not a guarantee of future performance or a reliable guide to future performance.

THE MANAGER



Marc Malek

Founder and Portfolio Manager

Mr. Malek founded Conquest and began his role as Portfolio Manager in 1999 after departing UBS as the Global Head of FX and Derivatives Proprietary trading in Europe and the Americas. While at UBS, Mr. Malek held several senior positions, including leading the global group in exotic derivatives in Foreign exchange. Prior to his tenure at UBS he worked at a hedge fund trading currency options and developing proprietary trading models. Mr. Malek began his career in 1992 at Salomon Brothers in New York as a Financial Analyst in the Financial Strategy Group.

Jason Ruspini

Portfolio Manager

Mr. Ruspini is a Portfolio Manager who joined Conquest in 2003. Prior to joining Conquest, Mr. Ruspini worked as a Quantitative Analyst and Floor Trader on the NYMEX under Mark Fisher, at which time he began developing systematic strategies. From 1999 - 2002, Mr. Ruspini worked at Goldman Sachs where he served as a senior analyst in firm-wide and fixed-income technology for over three years.

Harold Feder

Chief Financial Officer & Compliance Officer

Mr. Feder joined Conquest in 2004. Prior to joining Conquest, Mr. Feder worked in public accounting for seven years, most recently as an audit manager at Grant Thornton's Financial Services Industry Group. While at Grant Thornton, Mr. Feder was in charge of auditing various hedge funds, private equity partnerships and broker dealers.

FUND FACTS

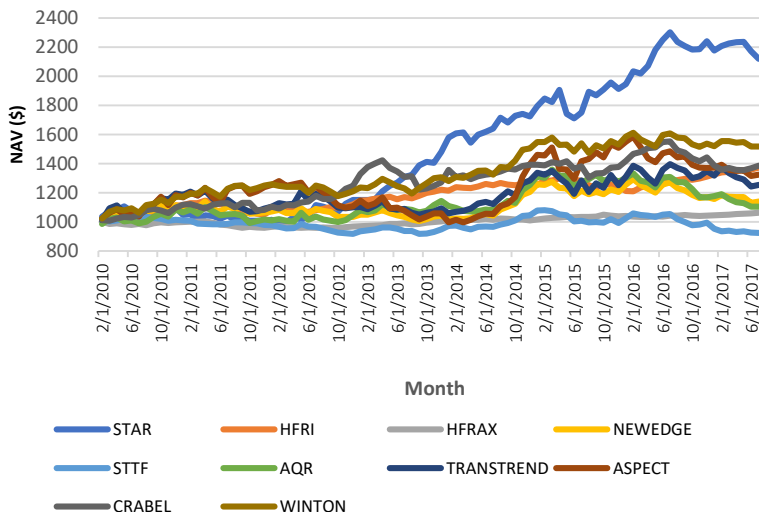
Structure	UCITS Fund
Domicile	Ireland
Liquidity	Daily
Fund AUM	\$75 million
Strategy AUM	\$80 million
Inception	6 th March 2017
Share Class	Institutional Founder/Institutional
Currency	EUR/GBP/CHF/USD
Mgt. Fee	1.25%/1.5%
Perf. Fee	15%/20%
Min Init. Sub.	10,000,000/100,000
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Share Class	Institutional Founder Pooled/Retail Pooled
Currency	EUR/GBP/CHF/USD
Mgt. Fee	1.25%/2%
Perf. Fee	15%/20%
Min Init. Sub.	10,000,000/10,000
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CONQUEST STAR PERFORMANCE & STATISTICAL ANALYSIS*

Conquest STAR Performance vs. Other Alternative Strategies *

NAV Growth Conquest STAR Since Inception (February 2010)



*The above performance pertains to the Conquest STAR and is not representative of the Conquest STAR UCITS Fund, UCITS Funds have to abide by onerous investment restrictions and consequently the performance of the Conquest STAR UCITS Fund may not be similar to that presented above.

**The statistical analysis for 2017 includes the Conquest STAR strategy (Non-UCITS) for the first two months of the year (January and February 2017) before the launch of STAR UCITS in March 2017. Inclusive of January and February, the net return of for the full year for 2017 was (1.23)%.

Statistical Analysis and Annual Returns *

Annual Returns				
	Conquest STAR	Newedge CTA Index	HFRI Comp Index	S&P 500
2018	-1.96%	-2.93%	-0.65%	-0.76%
2017**	-0.59%	2.34%	8.52%	21.83%
2016*	18.37%	-2.87%	5.46%	11.96%
2015*	12.50%	0.03%	-1.11%	1.38%
2014*	18.26%	15.67%	2.98%	13.69%
2013*	29.05%	0.73%	9.13%	32.39%

Risk Statistics				
	Conquest STAR	Newedge CTA Index	HFRI Comp Index	S&P 500
Sharpe Ratio (0.25%)	0.95	0.21	0.85	1.15
Standard Deviation	10.49%	8.01%	4.81%	12.00%
Sortino Ratio (0.25%)	1.62	0.21	0.85	1.15
Upside Deviation	8.98%	5.99%	3.89%	10.63%
Downside Deviation	6.09%	5.29%	3.05%	6.76%
Correlation		0.33	0.18	0.11

Return				
	Conquest STAR	Newedge CTA Index	HFRI Comp Index	S&P 500
Compounded Annual Return	10.19%	1.89%	4.35%	14.02%
Cumulative Return	120.83%	16.56%	41.60%	192.04%
% of Positive Months	61.22%	54.08%	66.33%	70.41%

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