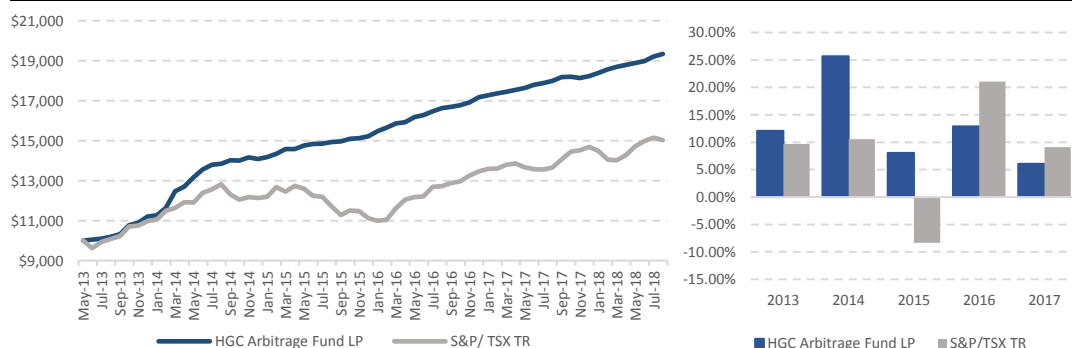


The HGC Arbitrage Fund LP (the "Fund") is an Arbitrage strategy that specializes in the North American small and mid-cap market. Strategies within the Fund include Traditional Merger Arbitrage, Subscription Receipts, and Special Purpose Acquisition Corporations. The Fund seeks to provide a low volatility return profile while producing superior risk adjusted returns.

Summary of Returns Inception Date: June 12, 2013 – F Class Units Net of all Fees*

	YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD *	INCEP**
HGC LP	2018	0.90%	0.96%	0.67%	0.50%	0.57%	0.47%	1.28%	0.68%					6.19%	93.40%
HGC LP	2017	0.56%	0.51%	0.46%	0.51%	0.61%	0.88%	0.49%	0.60%	1.07%	0.12%	-0.42%	0.54%	6.09%	
HGC LP	2016	1.67%	1.19%	1.32%	0.43%	1.56%	0.64%	1.13%	0.96%	0.46%	0.46%	0.88%	1.50%	12.90%	
HGC LP	2015	0.71%	1.14%	1.59%	0.09%	1.14%	0.58%	0.11%	0.47%	0.28%	0.79%	0.26%	0.61%	8.03%	
HGC LP	2014	0.54%	3.19%	7.14%	1.97%	3.68%	2.95%	1.75%	0.30%	1.28%	-0.11%	1.19%	-0.59%	25.66%	
HGC LP	2013						0.52%	0.39%	1.09%	1.23%	4.29%	1.19%	2.86%	12.10%	
HFRI****	2018	1.05%	0.17%	-1.05%	-0.12%	1.38%	1.26%	-0.33%	0.57%					2.94%	20.35%
TSX ***	2018	-1.39%	-3.02%	-0.16%	1.82%	3.12%	1.69%	1.15%	-0.82%					2.27%	50.26%



Portfolio Metrics	
Category	% of Portfolio
Deal Type:	
Definitive Merger Arb	100.00%
Hostile Deals	0.00%
Spin Offs	0.00%
Alpha Shorts	0.00%
Pairs	0.00%
Industry Overview:	
Basic Materials	1.65%
Communications	0.00%
Consumer, Cyclical	0.00%
Consumer, Non-cyclical	2.65%
Diversified	92.83%
Energy	0.00%
Financial	1.96%
Industrial	0.00%
Technology	0.00%
Utilities	0.87%

The HGC Arbitrage Fund LP Class "F" units returned +0.68% in August vs -0.82% for the TSX Total Return.

Cannabis M&A and SPAC announcements continue to be a major theme for 2018.

This time it was industry leader Canopy Growth Corporation (WEED.TSX) further consolidating the Cannabis space as they closed their all-share purchase of Hiku Brands Company Ltd. (HIKU.CSE) over month end. The deal was of a retail nature for Canopy as it looks to add high quality brands to its recreational consumer roster. The continued volatility in the sector caused this spread to trade at an attractive level for what we believed to be a very safe deal.

On the SPAC portion of the portfolio, Kayne Anderson Acquisition Corp. (KAAC:NASDAQ) announced its qualifying transaction, combining with APACHE Corporation's (APA.NYSE) midstream natural gas assets creating Altus Midstream. This was only the second time we have seen a SPAC execute a carve out with a public company, and with such a strong sponsor group teaming up with a well known public company it seems to further legitimize SPAC's as a vehicle to bring companies public. The transaction was well received by the market, with KAAC trading to a premium of its trust value.

Regards,

Sean Kallir

Performance Statistics				Portfolio Analytics at Month End		Contact
Ann. Return since Inception	13.39%	Average Monthly Return	1.06%	Duration (Average Days to Close – M&A)	9	HGC Investment Management Inc. 366 Adelaide St West #601 Toronto, ON Tel: (647) 776.2189 blindros@hgcinvest.com
Positive Months	95%	Highest Monthly Return	7.14%	Percent in Large Cap (+\$1B)	3%	
Negative Months	5%	Lowest Monthly Return	-0.59%	Leverage (debt:equity)	72%	
Largest Draw Down	-0.59%	Sharpe Ratio (Annual)	2.94	Net Long Exposure	162%	

* Performance returns for 2013-2014 are of the lead series of Class A units
 ++ 2015 – Present. Performance returns are of the lead series of Class F units
 ** Inception June 12, 2013

*** S&P/TSX Comp Total Return Index - The TSX Total Return Index is a widely-known equity index of Canadian large-cap companies. Investing in US and Canadian equities long and short is the primary strategy for HGC as part of the merger arbitrage strategy but HGC does not invest in all or necessarily any of the securities that compose the market indexes. Reference to the indexes does not imply that HGC will achieve returns similar to the indexes.

**** Hedge Fund Research Inc. : Merger Arbitrage Index - Performance is subject to minor variances due to independent Manager trailing reporting

++ Duration is calculated without including SPAC positions

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