

# Palmer Square Income Plus Fund (PSYPX)



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## Investment Objective

- The investment objective of the Palmer Square Income Plus Fund is income.
- A secondary objective of the Fund is capital appreciation.

## Strategy Overview

### Exposure to Palmer Square Expertise in Opportunistic Credit

- Designed to be an opportunistic, high quality, fixed income fund with solid yield and total return potential
- Flexible, actively-managed approach that invests across corporate credit and structured credit
- Strategy has diversification potential and may benefit in a rising rate environment
- Managers utilize a rigorous multi-step fundamental process to manage credit risk
- Senior members of Palmer Square's Investment Team average 20 years credit investing experience

## Firm Overview

Based in Mission Woods, KS, Palmer Square manages approximately \$18.6 billion in assets in mutual funds, separate accounts and private investment funds

- » 40 employees
- » 22 investment professionals

## Portfolio Management Team

### Christopher D. Long

- Founder, Chairman/CEO, 24 years industry experience

### Angie K. Long, CFA

- Chief Investment Officer, 24 years industry experience

### Jon R. Brager, CFA

- Portfolio Manager, 18 years industry experience

## What Makes the Palmer Square Income Plus Fund Unique?

- Access to a flexible approach which invests primarily in an actively-managed portfolio of high quality bonds across corporates, asset-backed securities, and CLOs
  - » Normally investing 70% of assets in Investment Grade Debt Securities
- Expanded set of credit opportunities coupled with low interest rate duration bias provides diversification potential for fixed income portfolios
- Low spread duration positioning should lessen susceptibility to spread widening risk and volatility, while still maintaining solid yield potential

Please see last page for definitions.

Portfolio Characteristics (as of 9/30/2021)		Allocation (as of 9/30/2021)		Q3 2021 Gross Attribution	
Interest Rate Duration	0.49 yrs	CLO Debt	30%	CLO Debt	0.27%
Spread Duration	1.58 yrs	IG Corporate Debt	21%	IG Corporate Debt	0.03%
Average Price	\$100.9	ABS	12%	ABS	0.01%
Current Yield	2.34%	Commercial Paper	11%	Commercial Paper	0.00%
Yield to Maturity	2.11%	Bank Loans	10%	Bank Loans	0.06%
Yield to Expected Call	1.86%	HY Corporate Debt	5%	HY Corporate Debt	0.03%
30-day SEC Yield (net of fees)	1.14%	T-Bills	5%	T-Bills	0.00%
30-day SEC Yield (gross of fees)	1.14%	CMBS	5%	CMBS	0.03%
Gross/Net Expenses <sup>1</sup>	0.85%/0.85%	RMBS	3%	RMBS	0.01%

Please note allocation above is a % of NAV and does not include hedges. Please see Notes and Disclosure.

Attribution above includes certain security level hedges. Please see Notes and Disclosure.

## Fund Performance Net of Fees as of 9/30/2021 (Inception 2/28/2014)

	Sep 2021	YTD 2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
PSYPX	0.13%	1.19%	3.65%	5.29%	1.17%	4.03%	5.24%	1.21%	0.95%
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate 1-3 Year Index	-0.02%	0.41%	3.79%	5.30%	1.56%	1.85%	2.36%	1.00%	0.65%
Excess Return	0.15%	0.78%	-0.14%	-0.01%	-0.39%	2.18%	2.88%	0.21%	0.30%

## Fund Performance Net of Fees as of 9/30/2021

	Q3 2021	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	ITD Annualized
PSYPX	0.33%	3.14%	3.09%	3.44%	2.98%
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate 1-3 Year Index	0.16%	1.09%	3.41%	2.53%	2.22%
Excess Return	0.17%	2.05%	-0.32%	0.91%	0.76%

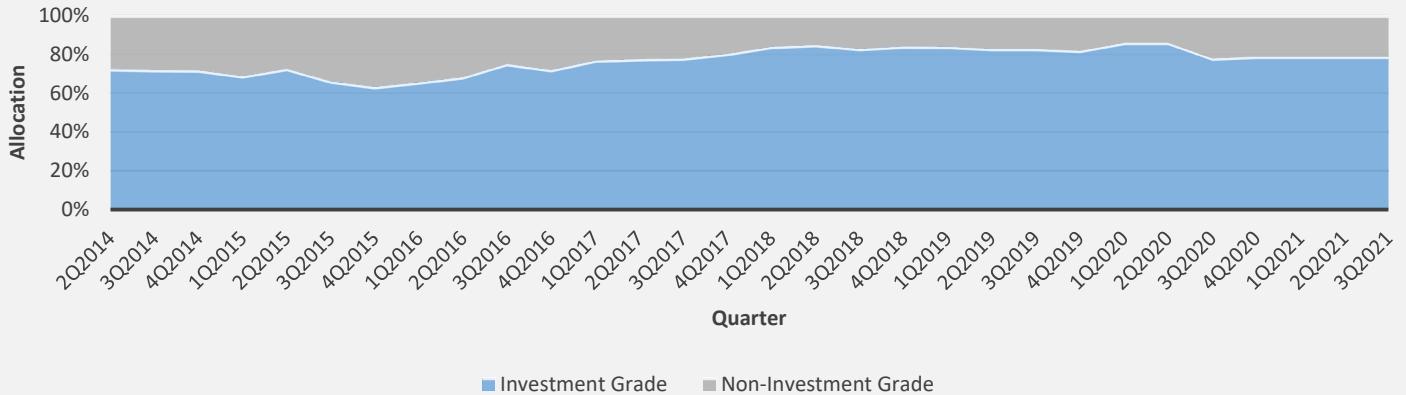
<sup>1</sup>Palmer Square has contractually agreed to waive its fees and/or pay for operating expenses of the Fund to ensure that total annual fund operating expenses (excluding any taxes, leverage interest, brokerage commissions, dividend and interest expenses on short sales, acquired fund fees and expenses (as determined in accordance with Form N-1A), expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization, and extraordinary expenses such as litigation expenses) do not exceed 0.75% of the average daily net assets of the Fund. This agreement is in effect until October 31, 2022, and it may be terminated before that date only by the Trust's Board of Trustees. The Fund's advisor is permitted to seek reimbursement from the Fund, subject to certain limitations, of fees waived or payments made to the Fund for a period of three years from the date of the waiver or payment. Shares of the Fund are available for investment only by clients of financial intermediaries, institutional investors, and a limited number of other investors approved by the Advisor. **The performance data quoted represents past performance and that past performance does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate, so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance information quoted. To obtain performance information current to the most recent month-end please call 866-933-9033.**

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### PSYPX Historical Credit Quality (IG vs. Non-IG)



#### Portfolio Credit Quality (as of 9/30/2021)

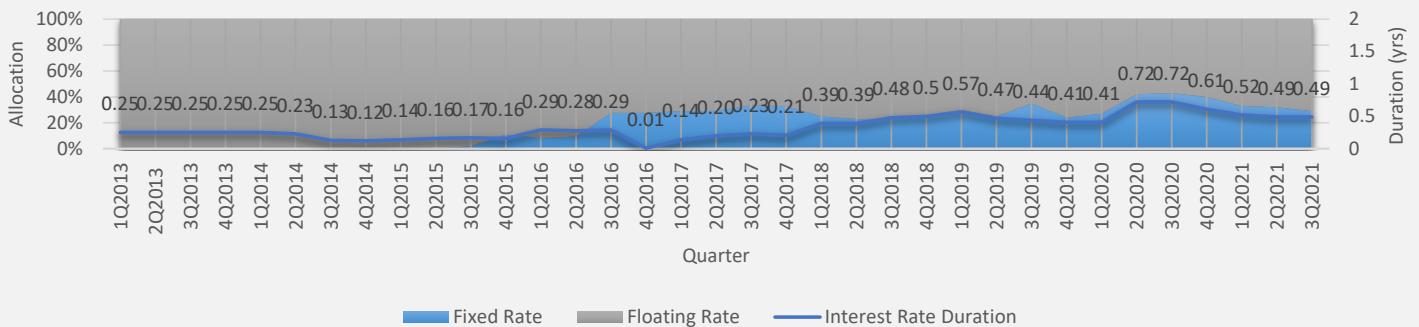
AAA	31%
AA	4%
A	15%
BBB	29%
BB	15%
B	4%
NR	2%

#### Fund Details

Inception	2/28/2014
Distributions	Quarterly Dividend/Annual Capital Gains
Ticker/CUSIP	PSYPX/46141P388
Minimum Investment	\$250,000 (subject to discretion)
Management Fee	0.49%

Please note credit quality distribution above is a % of the investment portfolio and does not include cash, hedges, and options. NR = not rated. Please see Notes and Disclosure.

### Income Plus Strategy Fixed vs. Floating Rate



#### Low Interest Rate Sensitivity

- Seeks to maintain return potential when rates rise
- Manage price volatility

#### Not Taking High Spread Duration

- Invest in high quality portfolio to help manage risk should credit spreads widen

#### Diversify Income Sources to Help Generate Income/ Total Return

- Primarily Investing in:
- Asset-backed securities
  - CLOs
  - High quality corporates
  - Bank loans

#### What We Believe to be a UNIQUE Portfolio Opportunity

- Choice as compared to traditional Barclays Aggregate focused universe

## Palmer Square Income Plus Fund

### Disclosures

**Interest rate duration** measures a portfolio's sensitivity to changes in interest rates. The longer a security's duration, the more sensitive its price will be to changes in interest rates. **Spread duration** measures a portfolio's sensitivity to changes in spreads, and is the percentage price change of a bond's price given a 1% change in the yield spread. **Spread widening** refers to an increase in the yield spread. **Yield To Maturity** is the rate of return anticipated on a bond if held until the end of its lifetime. **Current Yield** is annual income divided by price paid. **30-Day SEC Yield** represents net investment income earned by the Fund over the 30-day period, expressed as an annual percentage rate based on the Fund's share price at the end of the 30-day period. **Weighted average price** calculated by adding up the dollars traded and dividing by the total shares traded. **Yield to Expected Call** is a Yield to Call metric that assumes callable bonds are not called on their call date, but at some later date prior to maturity. Yield to Expected Call considers contractual terms in a bond's indenture or other similar governing document. A bond may be called before or after this date, which has the potential to increase or decrease the Yield to Expected Call calculation. All else equal, when a bond's price is below par, Yield to Expected Call is a more conservative yield metric than Yield to Call. If a bond is not callable, Yield to Expected Call calculates the bond's Yield to Maturity.

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