Exponential Opportunities Equity Metals Fund



Market Review

Gold continued its rally following the breakout well into October, reaching a new all-time high of \$4'398 on October 20. Shortly thereafter, a sharp wave of selling set in, pushing the price down to \$3'901. This marked both the first significant correction since May of this year and, on October 21, the weakest single day ever in USD terms with a \$250 drop and the largest percentage decline in more than a decade. Gold ended the month at \$3'996, representing a gain of 3.2%. We expect a longer sideways consolidation ahead, similar to the one seen between April and August of this year.

A very similar picture emerged in silver. With a peak at \$53.77, silver also set a new all-time high before retreating to \$45.50. It closed the month at \$48.16, still up 3.2%

Performance Data as of October 31, 2025

Unit Class	NAV	Monthly	QTD	YTD	Since
		Performance	Performance	Performance	Inception*
Class A USD	101.80	-2.64%	-2.64%	140.74%	1.80%
Class A CHF	87.74	-1.77%	-1.77%	113.24%	-12.26%
Class B USD	84.99	-2.72%	-2.72%	139.33%	-15.01%
Class B CHF	81.54	-1.85%	-1.85%	112.00%	-18.46%
* Class A USD & Class A CHF: 31.03.2021 / Class B CHF: 05.05.2021 / Class B USD: 26.05.2021					

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For October, the fund is down -2.64% for the A-USD class, -1.77% for the A-CHF class, down -2.72% for the B-USD, while the B-CHF class is down -1.85%.

October was one of the most volatile months for precious metals in recent memory. During the first three weeks, we witnessed an exponential continuation of September's rally, with silver lease rates spiraling out of control (35% for 1-month, 20% for 3-month). And, as is so often the case, just when everyone was talking about silver shortages and running out of stock, the market peaked.

The subsequent correction was sharp (see Market Review in the left column) but stabilized quickly at still elevated levels. We expect this corrective phase to last for several more weeks, possibly even months. However, as long as gold remains above the breakout level of \$3,500, this should be viewed merely as another pause within the broader long-term uptrend.

Following the strong run earlier this year, we anticipate that precious metal equities will see notable profit-taking during this consolidation period. Accordingly, over the past four weeks we have significantly reduced our exposure into this exponential rise, primarily trimming positions in holdings that failed to meet expectations over the past six months.

We view this corrective phase with composure and look forward to using our cash position in the coming months to hunt for attractive opportunities.

Based on performance and subscriptions / redemptions, assets under management decreased by -7.6% from \$6.97m to \$6.44m in October.

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