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## BBH Select Series - Large Cap Fund

## Monthly Fund Update / May 2022

The S&P 500's modest gain of 0.18% for May obscures a more volatile period in which the benchmark briefly touched bear market territory, declining 20% on a year-to-date basis, before staging a partial recovery. The Federal Reserve faces the challenge of taming inflation without extinguishing growth following the disconnect between a robust economic backdrop and poor equity returns.

For the month, the BBH Select Series - Large Cap Fund ("the Fund") declined -0.90%. The Fund's top contributor was auto insurer Progressive (PGR), gaining 11.20%, and the largest detractor was warehouse club retailer Costco (COST), declining 12.32%. Materials and Information Technology were the leading sector contributors, while Consumer Discretionary and Staples were the largest sector detractors. During the period we initiated a new position in digital media software provider Adobe (ADBE) and sold specialty coffee retailer Starbucks (SBUX). The Fund ended the period with 30 positions and 1.27% in cash.

Insurance holdings Berkshire Hathaway (BRK.B), Arthur J. Gallagher (AJG), and Progressive have been strong portfolio performers over the past year. Progressive, being the top Fund contributor on a one month, year-to-date and trailing 12-month basis, reflects this best-in-class insurer's recovering underwriting profitability.

Shares of Costco and other major retailers came under pressure mid-month when Target (TGT) and Walmart (WMT) reported disappointing results exhibiting margin pressure and changing consumer behavior. While Costco's business is not immune to these factors, their inventory management and membership driven business model position it well on a relative basis.

We initiated a position in Adobe, a software provider that plays a critical role in enabling the economy's digital transformation, content proliferation, marketing, and e-commerce with industry-leading unit economics. Adobe's front-office software enjoys excellent margins, strong free cash flow generation, and attractive returns on invested capital.

We exited our investment in Starbucks primarily due to an unexpected and protracted leadership transition. Additionally, an uncertain backdrop driven by labor, increasing investments, and the resurgence of strict COVID restrictions in China are further challenges the business must navigate in the near term leading to a wider range of outcomes than we had anticipated.

		Perfor	mance					
	Total Returns				Average Annual Total Returns			
As of 05/31/2022	1 Mo.*	3 Mo.*	YTD*	1 Yr.	3 Yr.	5 Yr.	10 Yr.	Since Inception
BBH Select Series - Large Cap Fund (Class I)	-0.90%	-4.71%	-15.27%	-2.84%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.86%
S&P 500	0.18%	-5.16%	-12.76%	-0.30%	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.64%
BBH Select Series - Large Cap Fund (Retail Class)	-0.91%	-4.75%	-15.39%	-3.19%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.39%
S&P 500	0.18%	-5.16%	-12.76%	-0.30%	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.64%
As of 03/31/2022	1 Mo.*	3 Mo.*	YTD*	1 Yr.	3 Yr.	5 Yr.	10 Yr.	Since Inception
BBH Select Series - Large Cap Fund (Class I)	3.69%	-7.81%	-7.81%	14.20%	N/A	N/A	N/A	13.14%
S&P 500	3.71%	-4.60%	-4.60%	15.65%	N/A	N/A	N/A	19.78%
BBH Select Series - Large Cap Fund (Retail Class)	3.64%	-7.94%	-7.94%	13.76%	N/A	N/A	N/A	12.62%
S&P 500	3.71%	-4.60%	-4.60%	15.65%	N/A	N/A	N/A	19.78%
Class I: Net/Gross Expense Ratio (%) 0.70 / 0.70							All performan	ice is net of fees

Retail Class: Net/Gross Expense Ratio (%) 1.05 / 2.68

\* Returns are not annualized

The Investment Adviser has contractually agreed to limit the Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses for Retail Class shares to 0.80% until March 1, 2023. After exclusions, total net operating expenses for Retail Class shares will be 1.05%. The Expense Limitation Agreement may only be terminated during its term with approval of the Fund's Board of Trustees (the "Board"). Funds redeemed within 30 days of purchase are subject to a redemption fee of 2%.

Performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results, and current performance may be lower or higher than the past performance data quoted. The investment return and principal value will fluctuate, and shares, when sold, may be worth more or less than the original cost. For performance current to the most recent month-end please call 1-800-625-5759.

The S&P 500 is an unmanaged weighted index of 500 stocks providing a broad indicator of stock price movements. The composition of the index is materially different than the Fund's holdings. The index is not available for direct investment.

BBH Fund Information Service: (800) 625-5759

Sources: BBH & Co. and S&P

		Share Class Overview As of May 31, 2022		
	Ticker	Inception Date	Total Net Assets (mil)	NAV
Class I	BBLIX	09/09/2019	\$405.2	\$12.15
Retail Class	BBLRX	09/09/2019	\$1.1	\$12.04

Equity Weighting As of May 31, 2022	
Common Stock	98.7%
Cash and Cash Equivalents	1.3%
Total	100.0%

Fund Facts As of May 31, 2022	
Number of Securities Held	30
Average P/E	26.3
Average Market Cap (bil)	\$287.9
Turnover (Rolling 12-Months)	19.86%
Exclude cash equivalents	

Sector Weightin As of May 31, 20	
Communication Services	6.7%
Consumer Discretionary	13.5%
Consumer Staples	7.3%
Energy	0.0%
Financials	20.0%
Health Care	13.5%
Industrials	10.7%
Information Technology	17.7%
Materials	10.7%
Real Estate	0.0%
Utilities	0.0%
Total	100.0%
Reported as a percentage of portfoli excluding Cash and Cash Equivalent	

Top 10 Companies As of May 31, 2022	
Alphabet Inc	6.6%
Berkshire Hathaway Inc	6.3%
Mastercard Inc	5.9%
Arthur J Gallagher & Co	4.8%
Linde PLC	4.6%
Amazon.com Inc	3.9%
Microsoft Corp	3.9%
Progressive Corp	3.9%
Alcon Inc	3.8%
Zoetis Inc	3.8%
Total	47.6%
Reported as a percentage of total portfolio.	

Holdings are subject to change. Totals may not sum due to rounding.

Price/Earnings (P/E) ratio is a company's current share price divided by earnings per-share.

Turnover ratio is the rate of trading in a portfolio; higher values imply more frequent trading.

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## **RISKS**

Investors in the Fund should be able to withstand short-term fluctuations in the equity markets and fixed income markets in return for potentially higher returns over the long term. The value of portfolios changes every day and can be affected by changes in interest rates, general market conditions and other political, social and economic developments.

The Fund is 'non-diversified' and may assume large positions in a small number of issuers which can increase the potential for greater price fluctuation.

International investing involves special risks including currency risk, increased volatility, political risks, and differences in auditing and other financial standards.

For more complete information, visit www.bbhfunds.com for a prospectus. You should consider the fund's investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses carefully before you invest. Information about these and other important subjects is in the fund's prospectus, which you should read carefully before investing.

Shares of the Fund are distributed by ALPS Distributors, Inc. and is located at 1290 Broadway, Suite 1000, Denver, CO 80203.

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