

CSOP ETF SERIES* (*This includes synthetic ETFs) (An umbrella unit trust established in Hong Kong)

CSOP ETHER FUTURES ETF Stock Codes: 3068 (HKD counter) (A sub-fund of CSOP ETF Series* (*This includes synthetic ETFs))

Unaudited Semi-Annual Report FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2025



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REPORT OF THE MANAGER TO THE UNITHOLDERS

CSOP Ether Futures ETF (or the "Sub-Fund"), a sub-fund of the CSOP ETF Series, a Hong Kong umbrella unit trust authorized under Section 104 of the Securities and Futures Ordinance (Cap. 571) of Hong Kong. It was launched on 15 December 2022 and commenced trading in HKD under the stock code 3068 on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited (the "SEHK") on 16 December 2022. The investment objective of Sub-Fund is to achieve long-term capital growth by primarily investing in CME Ether Futures adopting an active investment strategy. The Manager of the CSOP Ether Futures ETF is CSOP Asset Management Limited (the "Manager"). The trustee is HSBC Institutional Trust Services (Asia) Limited (the "Trustee").

The CSOP Ether Futures ETF does not invest directly in ether and does not seek to deliver a return of the spot price of ether. The CSOP Ether Futures ETF seeks to achieve its investment objective by primarily investing in standardised, cash-settled ether futures contracts and/or micro ether futures contracts traded on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange (the "CME") (collectively, the "CME Ether Futures").

The CSOP Ether Futures ETF generally intends to "roll" its Ether Futures prior to expiration. In determining whether to roll the CME Ether Futures in which the CSOP Ether Futures ETF invests, the Manager will take into account, among other things, the liquidity, roll spread level and bid-offer spread of the CME Ether Futures, the prevailing market conditions as well as the best interest of the investors.

The Sub-Fund Performance

The CSOP Ether Futures ETF seeks to invest in cash-settled, front-month CME Ether Futures, and may also invest in cash-settled, back-month CME Ether Futures. As of 30 June 2025, the dealing Net Asset Value ("NAV") per unit of the CSOP Ether Futures ETF was USD1.5397 and there were 11,239,500 units outstanding. The dealing NAV of its unlisted class A was USD5.8715 and there were 1,000 units outstanding. The total asset under management was approximately USD17.3 million.

As of 30 June 2025, the dealing NAV of the CSOP Ether Futures ETF performed -28.72%. The dealing NAV of its unlisted class A performed -28.72%.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

As at 30 June 2025

| | 30 June 2025 (Unaudited) <i>USD</i> | 31 December 2024 (Audited) <i>USD</i> |
|--|---|---|
| ASSETS CHIPPENT ASSETS | | |
| CURRENT ASSETS | 2 497 425 | 012 176 |
| Investments Derivative financial instruments | 2,487,435 | 812,176 |
| Bank interest receivable | 522,185 96 | 77,200 168 |
| Other receivable | 15,229 | 42,547 |
| Interest receivable from brokers | 12,485 | 21,156 |
| Deposits with brokers | 7,408,156 | 11,275,226 |
| • | 6,824,444 | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 0,824,444 | 13,594,051 |
| Total assets | 17,270,030 | 25,822,524 |
| | | |
| LIABILITIES | | |
| CURRENT LIABILITIES | | |
| Derivative financial instruments | - | 490,050 |
| Management fee payable | 29,493 | 41,682 |
| License fee payable | · - | 105 |
| Other accounts payable | 23,183 | 33,766 |
| Tax payable | 1,248 | 2,116 |
| Liabilities (excluding net assets attributable to | | |
| unitholders) | 53,924 | 567,719 |
| | | |
| Net assets attributable to unitholders | 17,216,106 | 25,254,805 |
| Represented by: | | |
| Not assets attailentable to unithaldons (at much actus | | |
| Net assets attributable to unitholders (at prospectus value) | 17,312,695 | 25,370,884 |
| Adjustment for establishment costs | (96,589) | (116,079) |
| | | |

Note: Semi-Annual reports have applied the same accounting policies and methods of computation as are applied in the annual reports of the Fund.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

For the period ended 30 June 2025

| | Period from 1 January 2025 to 30 June 2025 (Unaudited) | Period from 1 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 (Unaudited) |
|---|---|---|
| 73,002,57 | USD | USD |
| INCOME | 20.072 | 22.702 |
| Interest income from bank deposits | 29,973 | 33,792 |
| Interest income from deposits with broker | 91,200 | 154,160 |
| Net (loss)/gain on investments and derivative financial instruments | (6,802,528) | 3,948,025 |
| Other income | (0,802,328) | 42,826 |
| Other meonic | | |
| Total net income | (6,681,355) | 4,178,803 |
| | | |
| EXPENSES | | |
| Management fee Note 2 | (176,171) | (214,926) |
| Transaction costs on investments | (25,709) | (25,090) |
| Audit fee | (9,193) | (10,243) |
| Bank charges Note 1 | (1,765) | (1,535) |
| Legal and other professional fee | - | (58) |
| Interest expenses | (144) | - |
| License fee | (14,876) | (14,793) |
| Other operating expenses Note 1 | (14,622) | (14,761) |
| Total operating expenses | (242,480) | (281,406) |
| | | |
| Operating (loss)/profit before taxation | (6,923,835) | 3,897,397 |
| | (0.700) | (14.700) |
| Taxation | (8,720) | (14,722) |
| (Decrease)/in coroses in mode agged attached to the late and the late | ((,022,555) | 2 002 (75 |
| (Decrease)/increase in net asset attributable to unitholders | (6,932,555) | 3,882,675 |

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Continued)

For the period ended 30 June 2025

Note 1: During the period ended 30 June 2025 and 2024, other respective amounts paid to the Trustee/connected persons of Trustee were as follows:

| | Period from 1 January 2025 to 30 June 2025 (Unaudited) <i>USD</i> | Period from 1 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 (Unaudited) <i>USD</i> |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| Bank charges Other operating expenses | 1,765 6,588 | 1,535 6,718 |

Note 2: During the period ended 30 June 2025 and 2024, other than Management fees that paid to the Manager, no other amounts paid to the Manager/connected person of Manager.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO UNITHOLDERS For the period ended 30 June 2025

| | Period from 1 January 2025 to 30 June 2025 (Unaudited) USD | Period from 1 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 (Unaudited) USD |
|---|--|--|
| Net assets attributable to unitholders at the beginning of the period | 25,254,805 | 8,792,380 |
| Issue of units Redemption of units | 8,139,427 (9,245,571) | 21,061,610 (13,649,698) |
| Net (decrease)/increase from unit transactions | (1,106,144) | |
| (Decrease)/increase in net asset attributable to unitholders | (6,932,555) | 3,882,675 |
| Net assets attributable to unitholders at the end of the period | 17,216,106 | |
| The movements of the redeemable units for the periods ended 30 Jun | e 2025 and 2024 are as follo | ows: |
| | Period from 1 January 2025 to 30 June 2025 (Unaudited) Units | Period from 1 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 (Unaudited) Units |
| Listed Class | | |
| Number of units in issue at the beginning of the period Units issued Units redeemed | 11,739,500 5,500,000 (6,000,000) | 5,239,500 9,500,000 (6,000,000) |
| Number of units in issue at the end of the period | 11,239,500 | 8,739,500 |
| Unlisted Class A | | |
| Number of units in issue at the beginning of the period Units issued Units redeemed | 1,000 - - | 1,000 |
| Number of units in issue at the end of the period | 1,000 | 1,000 |

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the period ended 30 June 2025

| | Period from 1 January 2025 to 30 June 2025 (Unaudited) <i>USD</i> | Period from 1 January 2024 to 30 June 2024 (Unaudited) <i>USD</i> |
|---|---|---|
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES | (4.655.455) | |
| Payments for purchase of investments | (1,657,155) | 4 105 675 |
| Net (payments)/receipts from derivative activities | (7,755,668) | 4,195,675 |
| Interest income from bank deposits received | 30,045 | 33,624 |
| Interest income from deposits with broker received | 99,871 | 148,334 |
| Decrease in other receivables | 42,546 | (107.202) |
| Management fee paid | (188,359) | (197,203) |
| Transaction costs paid Taxation paid | (25,709) (9,588) | (25,090) (14,139) |
| Interest paid | (144) | (14,139) |
| Decrease/(increase) in deposits with brokers | 3,867,070 | (3,501,379) |
| License fee paid | (30,210) | (3,301,377) |
| Other operating expenses paid | (36,162) | (37,453) |
| Net cash (used in)/generated from operating activities | (5,663,463) | 602,369 |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Proceeds on issue of units | 8,139,427 | 21,061,610 |
| Payments on redemption of units | (9,245,571) | (13,649,698) |
| Net cash (used in)/generated from financing activities | (1,106,144) | 7,411,912 |
| Net (decrease)/increase in cash and cash equivalents | (6,769,607) | 8,014,281 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the period | 13,594,051 | 2,766,634 |
| Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the period | 6,824,444 | 10,780,915 |
| Analysis of balances of cash and cash equivalents Bank balances | 6,824,444 | 10,780,915 |

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO (Unaudited)

As at 30 June 2025

| Investments and derivative financial instruments (17.48%) | Holdings | Fair value <i>USD</i> | % of net assets |
|---|-----------|--------------------------|-----------------|
| Listed investment fund (14.45%) | | | |
| Hong Kong (3.03%) CSOP US DOLLAR MONEY MARKET ETF | 21,000 | 2,487,435 | 14.45 |
| Total listed investment fund | | 2,487,435 | 14.45 |
| Listed futures contracts (3.03%) | Contracts | | |
| United States of America (3.03%) CME ETHER FUTURE 25 JULY 2025 | 136 | 522,185 | 3.03 |
| | | 522,185 | 3.03 |
| Total investments and derivative financial instruments | | 3,009,620 | 17.48 |
| Other net assets | | 14,206,486 | 82.52 |
| Net assets attributable to unitholders as at 30 June 2025 | | 17,216,106 | 100.00 |
| Total investments and derivative financial instruments, at cost | | 2,390,588 | |

STATEMENT OF MOVEMENTS IN INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO (Unaudited)

For the period ended 30 June 2025

| | % of net asset value 30 June 2025 | % of net asset value 31 December 2024 |
|--|---|---|
| Listed investment fund | 14.45 | 2.22 |
| Hong Kong | 14.45 | 3.22 |
| | 14.45 | 3.22 |
| Listed futures contracts | | |
| United States of America | 3.03 | (1.64) |
| | | |
| Total investments and derivative financial instruments | 17.48 | 1.58 |
| Other net assets | 82.52 | 98.42 |
| Net assets attributable to unitholders | 100.00 | 100.00 |

DETAILS IN RESPECT OF FINANCIAL DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS (Unaudited) *As at 30 June 2025*

The financial derivative instruments held by the Sub-Fund as at 30 June 2025 are summarised below:

Futures contracts

The details of futures contracts held by the Sub-Fund as at 30 June 2025 are as follows:

| Description | Expiration date | Underlying assets | Position | Counterparty | Fair value <i>USD</i> |
|---|--------------------|----------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Financial assets: | | | | | |
| CME ETHER FUTURE 25 JULY 2025 CME ETHER FUTURE 25 | 25 July 2025 | Ether | Long | Macquarie Bank Ltd | 277,685 |
| JULY 2025 CME ETHER FUTURE 25 | 25 July 2025 | Ether | Long | Marex Group Plc Phillip Nova Pte. | 105,450 |
| JULY 2025 | 25 July 2025 | Ether | Long | Limited | 139,050 |
| | | | | | 522,185 |

PERFORMANCE RECORD (Unaudited)

Net asset value

| | Net asset value of the Sub-Fund* <i>USD</i> | Net asset value per unit <i>USD</i> |
|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| At the end of financial period/year dated | | |
| 30 June 2025* Listed class Unlisted class A | 17,306,823 5,872 | 1.5398 5.8721 |
| 31 December 2024* Listed class Unlisted class A | 25,362,645 8,239 | 2.1605 8.2394 |
| 31 December 2023** Listed class | 8,947,870 | 1.7078 |
| Highest and lowest net asset value per unit | | |
| | Highest issue price per unit USD | Lowest redemption price per unit USD |
| Financial period/year ended | | |
| 30 June 2025 Listed class Unlisted class A | 2.3736 9.0521 | 0.9179 3.5004 |
| 31 December 2024 Listed class Unlisted class A | 2.8982 10.2727 | 1.5305 5.8374 |
| 31 December 2023 (since 14 December 2022 (date of inception)) Listed class | 1.7723 | 0.9227 |

^{*}The dealing net asset value of the Sub-Fund disclosed is calculated in accordance with the Trust's Prospectus.

^{**}The net asset value of the Sub-Fund disclosed is on a non-dealing day and is calculated in accordance with the Trust's Prospectus

INVESTMENT LIMITATION AND PROHIBITIONS UNDER THE SFC CODE (Unaudited)

There was one security (31 December 2024: nil) which is a collective investment scheme authorised by the SFC that individually accounted for more than 10% but less than 30% of the net asset value of the Sub-Fund as at 30 June 2025 and 31 December 2024.

| | Fair Value <i>USD</i> | % of net asset value |
|---|--------------------------|----------------------|
| As at 30 June 2025 CSOP US DOLLAR MONEY MARKET ETF | 2,487,435 | 14.45 |

For the period ended 30 June 2025, the CME CF Ether-Dollar Reference Rate decreased by 28.00% (31 December 2024: increased by 45.10%) while the net asset value per unit of the listed share class decreased by 28.73% (31 December 2024: 28.16%) and the net asset value per unit of the unlisted share class A decreased by 28.73% (31 December 2024: 17.98%).

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