

# Credit Suisse Commodity Return Strategy Fund

## December 31, 2018

### Investment Objective

The fund seeks total return.

The fund is designed to achieve positive total return relative to the performance of the Bloomberg Commodity Index Total Return (BCOM Index).

### Fund Statistics<sup>1</sup>

Net Assets (\$ Millions)	2,489
Dividends Paid	Quarterly
Standard Deviation (trailing 3 years) <sup>3</sup>	9.37%
Beta (trailing 3 years) <sup>4</sup>	0.97

### Fixed Income Portfolio Characteristics<sup>1</sup>

US Treasuries	12.83%
US Agencies	71.47%
Cash	0.74%
Subsidiary	14.96%
Other	0.00%
Duration	0.11 yr
Average Maturity	1.66 yr

### Investment Approach

Invests in commodity-linked derivative instruments, backed by a portfolio of short-maturity investment-grade fixed income securities normally having an average duration of one year or less. Invests in futures contracts on individual commodities or a subset of commodities and/or swaps and options on them through investments in a wholly-owned subsidiary of the fund formed in the Cayman Islands. Cash collateral is managed conservatively, using a risk-controlled process that seeks to maintain the diversification qualities of the benchmark.

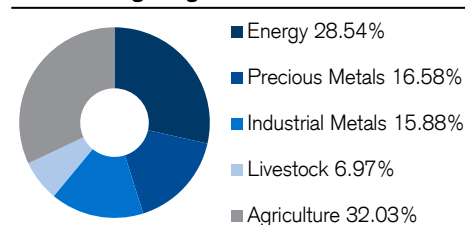
### Quarterly Performance Summary:

- Class I of the Fund returned -9.38% at NAV during the 4th quarter compared to the Bloomberg Commodity Index which returned -9.41%
- Commodity exposure was generally positioned further out along the curve during the quarter
- Curve positioning within the Energy, Agriculture, Industrial Metals and Precious Metals sectors contributed to positive relative performance versus the benchmark
- Fixed income collateral management detracted from relative performance

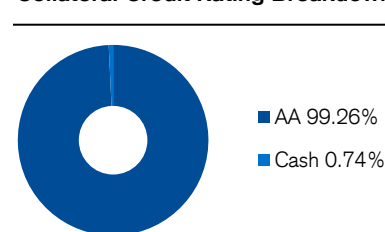
### Top and Bottom Five Quarterly Index Performers<sup>1</sup> (%)

Sugar	8.06%	WTI Crude Oil	-37.49%
Gold	7.24%	Gasoline	-37.40%
Silver	5.36%	Brent Crude Oil	-34.59%
Soybeans	3.36%	Ultra-Low Sulfur Diesel	-27.94%
Corn	2.74%	Nickel	-15.14%

### Bloomberg Commodity Index Total Return Sector Weightings<sup>1,2</sup>



### Collateral Credit Rating Breakdown\*



### Bloomberg Commodity Index Total Return Index Weight Composition<sup>1,2</sup>

Agriculture	32.03%	Precious Metals	16.58%	Industrial Metals	15.88%
Chicago Wheat	4.24%	Gold	12.90%	Aluminum	4.22%
KC Wheat	1.62%	Silver	3.68%	Copper	6.50%
Corn	7.30%			Zinc	2.54%
Soybeans	6.12%	<b>Energy</b>	<b>28.54%</b>	Nickel	2.63%
Sugar	3.14%	Natural Gas	9.28%		
Cotton	1.50%	WTI Crude Oil	6.07%	<b>Livestock</b>	<b>6.97%</b>
Coffee	2.30%	Brent Crude Oil	6.81%	Live Cattle	4.99%
Soybean Oil	2.53%	Gasoline	3.03%	Lean Hogs	1.98%
Soybean Meal	3.26%	ULS Diesel	3.34%		

\*The fund itself has not been rated by an independent rating agency. Credit quality ratings on underlying securities of the fund are received from S&P, Moody's and Fitch and converted to the equivalent S&P major rating category. This breakdown is provided by Credit Suisse and takes the median rating of the three agencies when all three agencies rate a security the lower of the two ratings if only two agencies rate a security and one rating if that is all that is provided. Unrated securities do not necessarily indicate low quality. Below investment-grade is represented by a rating of BB and below. Ratings and portfolio credit quality may change over time.

## Performance

	Class Inception	Gross Expense Ratio**	Net Expense Ratio**	Quarterly Return 12/31/18	YTD Returns	Average Annual Returns (as of 12/31/2018)					Since Class Inception
						1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year		
Class A (without sales charge)	12/30/04	1.03%	1.03%	-9.42%	-11.73%	-11.73%	0.11%	-9.04%	-3.93%	-3.56%	
Class A (with max 4.75% sales charge) <sup>5</sup>	12/30/04	1.03%	1.03%	-13.77%	-15.85%	-15.85%	-1.49%	-9.93%	-4.40%	-3.90%	
Class C (without sales charge)	12/30/04	1.78%	1.78%	-9.75%	-12.48%	-12.48%	-0.72%	-9.72%	-4.64%	-4.27%	
Class C (with max 1.00% sales charge) <sup>5</sup>	12/30/04	1.78%	1.78%	-10.65%	-13.36%	-13.36%	-0.72%	-9.72%	-4.64%	-4.27%	
Class I*	12/30/04	0.78%	0.78%	-9.38%	-11.65%	-11.65%	0.35%	-8.82%	-3.69%	-3.32%	
<b>Bloomberg Commodity Index Total Return<sup>6</sup></b>				<b>-9.41%</b>	<b>-11.25%</b>	<b>-11.25%</b>	<b>0.30%</b>	<b>-8.80%</b>	<b>-3.78%</b>	<b>-3.24%</b>	

Performance greater than one year is annualized. Source: State Street Bank and Trust Company; Bloomberg LP

From time to time, the fund's investment adviser and co-administrators may waive some fees and/or reimburse some expenses at any time, without which performance would be lower. Waivers and/or reimbursements are subject to change. Returns represent past performance and include change in share price and reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.** The current performance of the fund may be lower or higher than the figures shown. The fund's yield, returns and share price will fluctuate, and redemption value may be more or less than original cost. Performance information current to the most recent month-end is available at [www.credit-suisse.com/us/funds](http://www.credit-suisse.com/us/funds).

\* Class I shares are offered to (1) investors in employee retirement, stock, bonus, pension or profit sharing plans, (2) investment advisory clients of Credit Suisse, (3) employees of Credit Suisse or its affiliates and current and former Directors and Trustees of funds advised by Credit Suisse or its affiliates, (4) Credit Suisse or its affiliates and (5) any corporation, partnership, association, joint-stock company, trust, fund or any organized group of persons whether incorporated or not that has a formal or informal consulting or advisory relationship with Credit Suisse or a third party through which the investment is made. Class I shares also are offered to clients of financial intermediaries (including broker-dealers and registered investment advisers (RIAs)) who charge such clients an ongoing fee for advisory, investment, consulting or similar services. The aggregate value of such accounts with respect to each financial intermediary must be at least \$250,000 (or be anticipated by the principal underwriter to reach \$250,000). With respect to employees of Credit Suisse or its affiliates, the minimum initial investment for Class I shares is \$2,500.

\*\* Estimated fees and expenses are taken from the prospectus dated 02/28/2018. Credit Suisse Commodity Strategy Funds (the Trust) and Credit Suisse Asset Management, LLC (Credit Suisse) have entered into a written contract limiting operating expenses to 1.05% of the fund's average daily net assets for Class A shares, 1.80% of the fund's average daily net assets for Class C shares and 0.80% of the fund's average daily net assets for Class I share at least through February 28, 2019. The Trust is authorized to reimburse Credit Suisse for management fees previously limited and/or for expenses previously paid by Credit Suisse, provided, however, that any reimbursements must be paid at a date not more than three years after the end of the fiscal year during which such fees were limited or expenses were paid by Credit Suisse and the reimbursements do not cause a class to exceed the applicable expense limitation in the contract at the time the fees were limited or expenses were paid. This contract may not be terminated before February 28, 2019.

## Share Class Information

	Class A	Class C	Class I
Ticker Symbol	CRSAX	CRSCX	CRSOX
CUSIP	22544R107	22544R206	22544R305
NAV on 12/31/2018	\$4.30	\$4.04	\$4.39
52 Week High	\$5.13 05/23/2018	\$4.81 05/23/2018	\$5.24 05/23/2018
52 Week Low	\$4.30 12/31/2018	\$4.04 12/31/2018	\$4.39 12/31/2018
Maximum Sales Charge	4.75%	1.00%	–
Redemption Fee	–	–	–

Source: Credit Suisse Asset Management, LLC, Bloomberg

**Footnotes** <sup>1</sup> Percentages and characteristics are as of 12/31/2018 and may have changed subsequently. This is not a recommendation to purchase or sell securities. <sup>2</sup> Group weightings are based on index classification. <sup>3</sup> Standard deviation is a statistical measurement of dispersion around an average, which depicts how widely the returns varied over a certain period of time. Based on Class I shares. Other share classes may differ. <sup>4</sup> Beta is a quantitative measure of the volatility of the fund relative to the fund's benchmark. The beta shown is correlated to the Bloomberg Commodity Index Total Return. The measurements shown are for the trailing three years for Class I shares. Other share classes may differ. <sup>5</sup> The current maximum initial sales charge for Class A shares is 4.75%. The initial sales charge is reduced for larger purchases. Purchases over \$1,000,000 or more are not subject to an initial sales charge but may be subject to a 0.50% CDSC on redemptions made within 12 months of purchase. The current maximum CDSC for Class C shares is 1.00% during the first year. <sup>6</sup> The Bloomberg Commodity Index Total Return is composed of futures contracts on 22 physical commodities. Investors cannot invest directly in an index.

*This fund is non-diversified, which means it may invest a greater proportion of its assets in the securities of a smaller number of issuers than a diversified fund and may therefore be subject to greater volatility. Exposure to commodity markets should only form a small part of a diversified portfolio. Investment in commodity markets may not be suitable for all investors. The fund's investment in commodity-linked derivative instruments may subject the fund to greater volatility than investment in traditional securities.*

**The use of derivatives such as swaps, commodity-linked structured notes and futures entails substantial risks, including risk of loss of a significant portion of their principal value, lack of a secondary market, increased volatility, correlation risk, liquidity risk, interest-rate risk, market risk, credit risk, valuation risk and tax risk. Gains and losses from speculative positions in derivatives may be much greater than the derivative's cost. At any time, the risk of loss of any individual security held by the fund could be significantly higher than 50% of the security's value. For a detailed discussion of these and other risks, please refer to the fund's Prospectus, which should be read carefully before you invest. The fund offers investors easy access to the broad commodity markets, currently by investing in a combination of commodity-linked structured notes and swaps.**

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