

# Global X S&P 500 Annual Buffer UCITS ETF® (SPAB)

## FUND OBJECTIVE

The investment objective of the Fund is to provide investment results that closely correspond, before fees and expenses, generally to the price and yield performance of the CBOE S&P 500® Annual 15% Buffer Protect Index.

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Index Provider:  
S&P

## KEY FEATURES



Manage  
Risk



Growth  
Potential



Potential Risk  
Reduction

## CBOE S&P 500 ANNUAL 15% BUFFER PROTECT INDEX

The Cboe S&P 500 Annual 15% Buffer Protect Index ("SPBFA Index") with ticker symbol 'SPBFA' is designed to track the performance of a "long" exposure to the S&P 500 Index and a long S&P 500 Index (SPX) put spread vs. short call expiring annually on the last business day of December.

The strategy aims to provide protection against up to a 15% decline in the S&P 500 Index while providing participation up to a capped level.

## INDEX COMPONENT

The long S&P 500 Index component and the short call option component are held in equal notional amounts, i.e., the short position in the call option is "covered" by the long S&P 500 Index component.

### S&P 500 Index Component

- Comprised of the constituents of the S&P 500 Index, which measures the total return of 500 of the largest domestic companies listed on The Standard & Poor's Stock Market based on market capitalization.
- Follows the weighting scheme that governs the S&P 500 Index.
- Reconstituted as per the S&P 500 Index annual rebalance schedule. If at any time during the year, a constituent no longer meets the Continued Eligibility Criteria, or is otherwise determined to have become ineligible for continued inclusion, it is replaced with the next largest market capitalization issuer not currently in the Index and meeting the Initial Eligibility criteria.
- Reviewed for qualified new issue of common equities annually as per the S&P 500 Index schedule.

### "Covered Call" Option Component

- The SPBFA Index requires that each S&P 500 Index call option in the hypothetical portfolio be held to maturity, annually.
- The strike price of the new call option is the S&P 500 Index call option listed with the closest strike price at or above the last value of the S&P 500 Index reported before 11:00 a.m. ET.
  - For example, if the last S&P 500 Index value reported before 11:00 a.m. ET is 901.10 and the closest listed S&P 500 Index call option strike price at or above 901.10 is 905, then the 905 strike S&P 500 Index call option is selected as the new call option to be incorporated into the SPBFA Index.
- Once the strike price of the new call option has been identified, the new call option is deemed sold at a price equal to the time-weighted average of the traded prices ("TWAP") of the new call option during the two-hour period beginning at 11:30 a.m. ET.



*For more information on the Index, please visit CBOE's website.*

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Investment in the UCITS ETFs concern the purchase of shares in the UCITS ETFs and not in a given underlying asset such as a building or shares of a company, as these are only the underlying assets that may be owned by the UCITS ETFs.

A UCITS ETF's shares purchased on the secondary market cannot usually be sold directly back to a UCITS ETF. Investors must buy and sell shares on a secondary market with the assistance of an intermediary (e.g. a stockbroker) and may incur fees for doing so. In addition, investors may pay more than the current net asset value when buying shares and may receive less than the current net asset value when selling them. Changes in exchange rates may have an adverse effect on the value price or income of the UCITS ETF.

Past performance of a UCITS ETF does not predict future returns. Future performance is subject to taxation which depends on the personal situation of each investor, and which may change in the future. Neither past experience nor the current situation are necessarily accurate guides to the future growth in value or rate of return of a UCITS ETF.

Investment may be subject to sudden and large falls in value, and, if it is the case, the investor could lose the total value of the initial investment. Income may fluctuate in accordance with market conditions and taxation arrangements. The difference at any one time between the sale and repurchase price of a share in the UCITS ETF means that the investment should be viewed as medium term to long term.

Any investment in a UCITS ETF may lead to a financial loss. The value of an investment can reduce as well as increase and, therefore, the return on the investment will be variable.

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