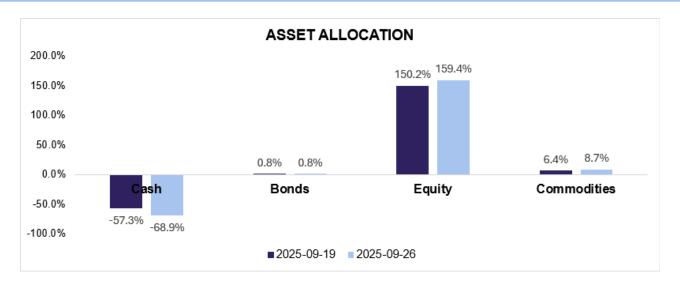
# ARROW LONG/SHORT ALTERNATIVE FUND commentary - Week ending September 26, 2025





Weekly performance, macro context, current positioning, and future expectations.

#### **Performance**

September 26, 2025

# Arrow Long/Short Alternative Fund (Series F):

WTD 2.08%

MTD 4.29%

YTD 6.10%

# S&P TSX Composite

WTD -0.01%

MTD 4.38%

YTD 22.73%

#### S&P 500:

WTD -0.30%

MTD 2.95%

YTD 14.05%

# **Fund Commentary**

US equities ended the week slightly weaker, with a clear theme in price action being weakness in momentum stocks and strength in commodities. Energy equities stood out, with XLE gaining +3.9% on the week, driven by firmer oil prices which rose about 5%. Even though the fundamental backdrop isn't especially clean for many energy names, price action has been notably stronger of late. Other commodities were also broadly firmer—natural gas, uranium, copper, and precious metals—with breadth particularly impressive given that the USD strengthened by 50bps on the week.

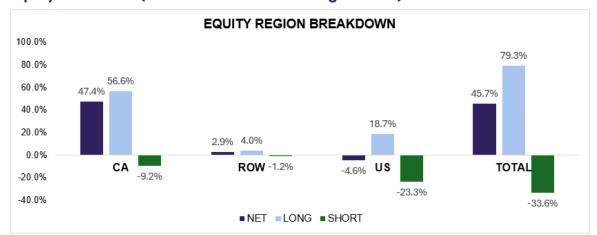
Two idiosyncratic developments in commodities drew attention. The first was the surprise disruption at Grasberg, one of the world's largest copper mines, after a massive mudflow forced shutdowns at underground operations. Grasberg accounts for around 3% of global copper supply. Full production recovery is not expected until 2027, with phased restarts beginning in 2026. Copper equities rallied sharply on the news. The second major development was speculation that the US government could take an equity stake in Lithium Americas, owner of the Thacker Pass lithium project in Nevada.

The company has been in talks with the DOE over a \$2.3B loan, and given this administration's history of taking equity stakes (e.g., MP Materials, Intel), investors bid LAC shares up 94% on the week.

Canadian small-cap M&A also remained active as Dental Corp (DNTL) was acquired for a 30% premium. This is consistent with the ongoing theme of increased M&A this year, where private buyers are clearly seeing greater value than public markets. As shareholders of DNTL, we view the deal as a recognition of the company's underlying value. We expect the merger to close without issue with a low likelihood of a competing bid.

Looking ahead, attention turns to September employment data this week. With odds of a US government shutdown at 80% on Kalshi, there is a real possibility that the payrolls release on October 1 could be delayed. While shutdowns have been resolved before, markets may react to any interruption in such a critical data release, especially given its importance for shaping expectations around the Fed's rate-cut trajectory.

# Equity Allocation (% Total Portfolio including Futures)



# Sector Exposures (% Long / Short Portfolio of individual companies)



We look forward to reporting back next week.

Thanks,
Arrow Investment Team

# Historical Performance – As of August 31, 2025

1-Year 3-Year 5-Year 10-Year ALSAF - Series F 8.28% 4.06% 9.34% 7.17%

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