OCT VanEck U.S. Equity Buffer ETF - October

As of October 31, 2026

Fund Details

10/31/2026	
Fund Ticker	OCT
Reference Asset	SPY
Total Net Assets ($M)	$5.51
Options	No
Exchange	NYSE Arca
Inception Date	09/30/26
Outcome Period Reset	Annual

Fund Data

Number of Holdings	5
Currency	USD
30-Day SEC Yield	-0.49
NAV: 52 Week High/Low	$30.97/$30.51

30-Day SEC Yield is a standard yield calculation developed by the Securities and Exchange Commission that allows for fairer comparisons among funds. It is based on the most recent 30-day period. This yield figure reflects the interest earned during the period after deducting the fund's expenses for the period. It does not reflect the yield an investor would have received if they had held the fund over the last twelve months assuming the most recent NAV. Distributions may vary from time to time.

Fees and Expenses*

Management Fee	0.50%
Other Expenses	--
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses	--
Gross Expense Ratio	0.50%
Fee Waivers and Expense Reimbursement	--
Net Expense Ratio	0.50%

*Van Eck Absolute Return Advisers Corporation (the "Adviser") will pay all expenses of the Fund, except for the fee payment under the investment management agreement, acquired fund fees and expenses, interest expense, offering costs, trading expenses, taxes and extraordinary expenses. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Adviser has agreed to pay the offering costs until at March 1, 2028. "Other Expenses" are based on estimated amounts for the current fiscal year.

VanEck U.S. Equity Buffer ETF - October seeks to provide the price return of the SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust (SPY), up to a predetermined cap, while providing a buffer against the first 15% to 20%* of losses over an approximately one-year outcome period. Both the cap and the buffer are set at the start of each outcome period based on prevailing market conditions at that time. The ETF can be held indefinitely, with outcome periods resetting annually each October.

** The Fund's buffer is set at the start of each outcome period and is expected to fall within a range of 15% to 20%. The buffer is measured before fees and expenses; the Fund's 0.50% management fee and any other fund expenses reduce it, so a shareholder's actual buffer over an outcome period is less than the stated level. Losses beyond the buffer are borne by the investor on a one-to-one basis, so a decline exceeding the buffer by 10 percentage points would translate to roughly a 10% loss for the fund. Because the buffer may change from one outcome period to the next, an investor holding across multiple outcome periods may not receive the same buffer in each period. The buffer is a target, not a guarantee.*

Buffered outcome ETFs use investment strategies that differ from more typical products and may not be suitable for all investors. Before investing, please carefully read the prospectus to understand the fund's strategy and associated risks.

Average Annual Total Returns* (%)

Month End as of 10/31/26	1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	LIFE 09/30/26
OCT (NAV)	0.35	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.35
OCT (Market Price)	-0.14	--	--	--	--	--	--	-0.14
S&P 500 INDEX (Price Return)	-0.93	1.21	10.73	10.82	21.81	10.48	13.56	--

Quarter End as of 09/30/26	1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	LIFE 09/30/26
OCT (NAV)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
OCT (Market Price)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
S&P 500 INDEX (Price Return)	-0.45	2.03	11.77	14.40	21.29	12.18	13.44	--

*Returns less than one year are not annualized.

The performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance may be lower or higher than performance data quoted. Please call 800.826.2333 or visit vaneck.com for performance current to the most recent month ended.

The "Net Asset Value" (NAV) of a Fund is determined at the close of each business day, and represents the dollar value of one share of the fund; it is calculated by taking the total assets of the fund, subtracting total liabilities, and dividing by the total number of shares outstanding. The NAV is not necessarily the same as the ETF 's intraday trading value. Investors should not expect to buy or sell shares at NAV.

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The Fund seeks to provide a buffer against the first portion of Underlying ETF losses and a cap on upside returns, but there is no guarantee these outcomes will be achieved, and an investor may lose their entire investment. Investors who purchase or sell Shares during an Outcome Period, rather than holding for the entire period, may experience returns very different from those the Fund seeks to provide.

The Fund will not terminate after the conclusion of an Outcome Period. It is expected that, after the conclusion of an Outcome Period, a new Outcome Period will begin. The Outcomes may only be realized by investors who continuously hold Shares from the commencement of the Outcome Period until its conclusion.

The Cap is likely to rise or fall from one Outcome Period to the next. If the Outcome Period has begun and the Fund has increased in value to a level near the Cap, an investor purchasing Shares at that price has little or no ability to achieve gains but remains vulnerable to downside risks. If the Outcome Period has begun and the Fund has decreased in value beyond the pre-determined Buffer, an investor purchasing Shares at that price may not benefit from the Buffer. Similarly, if the Outcome Period has begun and the Fund has increased in value, an investor purchasing Shares at that price may not benefit from the Buffer until the Fund's value has decreased to its value at the commencement of the Outcome Period. ***An investment in the Fund is only appropriate for shareholders willing to bear those losses.***

An investment in the Fund may be subject to risks which include, but are not limited to, risks related to the Fund's defined outcome strategy, FLEX Options, option contracts, derivatives, clearing member default, counterparty, underlying ETF, correlation, concentration, investment objective, liquidity, market, tax, investing in ETFs, active management, sub-adviser, affiliated fund investment, operational, authorized participant concentration, new fund, cash transactions, no guarantee of active trading market, trading issues, fund shares trading, premium/discount, liquidity of fund shares, non-diversified and valuation risks, all of which may adversely affect the Fund. The Fund's defined outcome strategy may entail other risks, such as buffered loss, capped upside return, outcome period, upside participation, cap change and buffer change risks. Underlying ETFs may entail other risks, such as equity securities, information technology sector and large-capitalization companies risks.

FLEX Options Risk. *FLEX Options are customizable exchange-traded option contracts guaranteed for settlement by the Options Clearing Corporation (the "OCC"). The Fund bears the risk that the OCC will be unable or unwilling to perform its obligations under the FLEX Options contracts, and in the unlikely event the OCC becomes insolvent or is otherwise unable to meet its settlement obligations, the Fund could suffer significant losses. FLEX Options may also be less liquid than certain other securities, such as standardized options, and the Fund may have difficulty closing out certain FLEX Options positions at desired times and prices, which may adversely affect the value of your investment.*

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