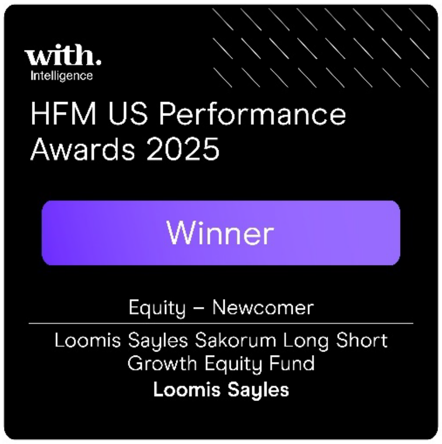
LOOMIS SAYLES SAKORUM LONG SHORT GROWTH EQUITY FUND RECOGNIZED AT HFM US PERFORMANCE AWARDS

BOSTON (6 NOVEMBER 2025) – Loomis, Sayles & Company is proud to share that the Loomis Sayles Sakorum Long Short Growth Equity Fund was honored earlier this month at the HFM US Performance Awards with the Equity – Newcomer Award.



The Fund is among a suite of offerings, including US domestic, global and international strategies, managed by Aziz V. Hamzaogullari, founder, chief investment officer and portfolio manager of the Loomis Sayles Growth Equity Strategies (GES) Team. The GES Team has $97.4 billion in total assets under management as of 30 September 2025.

A singular differentiated investment philosophy – supported by a proprietary seven-step research framework – underpins the GES Team's long-term, private equity approach, as well as decision-making in both long and short positions. The team seeks to invest in those few high-quality businesses with sustainable competitive advantages and profitable growth only when they trade at a discount to the GES estimate of intrinsic value and to avoid—or possibly short—those companies that fail to meet its quality threshold.

The GES Team believes a focus on the quality of a manager's investment philosophy, process and decision-making is essential for assessing the probability of future success. **The GES alpha thesis** encapsulates a deeply held system of persistent beliefs, a rigorous, repeatable investment process and substantive proof points.

The Loomis Sayles Sakorum Long Short Growth Equity Fund was launched to capture the short alpha insights that are an organic outcome of the GES Team's investment philosophy and process.

Learn more here about the Loomis Sayles Growth Equity Strategies Team and here about the HFM US Performance Awards categories and criteria.

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ABOUT LOOMIS SAYLES

Since 1926, Loomis, Sayles & Company has helped fulfill the investment needs of institutional and mutual fund clients worldwide. The firm's performance-driven investors integrate deep proprietary research and risk analysis to make informed, judicious decisions. Teams of portfolio managers, strategists, research analysts and traders collaborate to assess market sectors and identify investment opportunities wherever they may lie, within traditional asset classes or among a range of alternative investments. Loomis Sayles has the resources, foresight and the flexibility to look far and wide for value in broad and narrow markets in its commitment to deliver attractive, risk-adjusted returns for clients. This rich tradition has earned Loomis Sayles the trust and respect of clients worldwide, for whom it manages $425.4 billion* in assets (as of 30 September 2025).

**Includes the assets of both Loomis, Sayles & Co., LP, and Loomis Sayles Trust Company, LLC. ($52.0 billion for the Loomis Sayles Trust Company). Loomis Sayles Trust Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Loomis, Sayles & Company, L.P.*