Ticker: REIT

# **ALPS Active REIT ETF**

#### ACTIVE AND FLEXIBLE INVESTMENT APPROACH

Quarterly Insights | Q2 2025

### Key Takeaways

- The ALPS Active REIT ETF (Ticker: REIT) returned -2.75% for the quarter, underperforming its benchmark, the S&P US REIT Index, which returned -1.15%.
- Over the past three years, the ALPS Active REIT ETF has outperformed its mutual fund peer group median (106 basis points (bps) annualized) and ETF peer group median (106 bps annualized), and continues to outperform the MSCI US IMI Real Estate 25/50 Index (the largest REIT benchmark by AUM) by 86 bps annualized over that period.
- REITs ended the quarter attractively valued vs the S&P 500. Using earnings yield spread (S&P Earnings per Share (EPS) Yield minus REIT Adjusted Funds from Operations (AFFO) Yield), REITs continue to trade at near-historic lows.
- Real estate property sector returns were asymmetric for Q2. Technology was a strong performer, with Hotel and Net Lease slightly positive for the quarter. All other sectors were negative. Diversified Healthcare Trust (DHC), a Health Care REIT, was the top performer for the quarter at 49.38%, while Office Properties Income Trust (OPI), an Office REIT, was the weakest performer at -43.52%.
- The top five contributors for the ALPS Active REIT ETF for the quarter were Digital Realty (DLR), Smartstop Self Storage (SMA), Host Hotels and Resorts (HST), Boston Properties/BXP Inc (BXP) and Vici Properties (VICI). The bottom five and negative contributors included First Industrial (FR), Prologis (PLD), Americold (COLD), Ventas (VTR) and Elme Communities (ELME).

### ALPS Active REIT ETF Performance as of 6/30/2025

		Cumulative			Annualized		
Total Returns	1 M	3 M	YTD	1Y	3 Y	SI <sup>†</sup>	
NAV (Net Asset Value)	-0.97%	-2.75%	-2.14%	6.52%	4.54%	5.25%	
Market Price	-0.97%	-2.90%	-2.25%	6.39%	4.56%	5.25%	
S&P US REIT Index - TR	-0.55%	-1.15%	-0.22%	8.59%	5.28%	5.50%	

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Market Price is based on the midpoint of the bid/ask spread at 4 p.m. ET and does not represent the returns an investor would receive if shares were traded at other times.

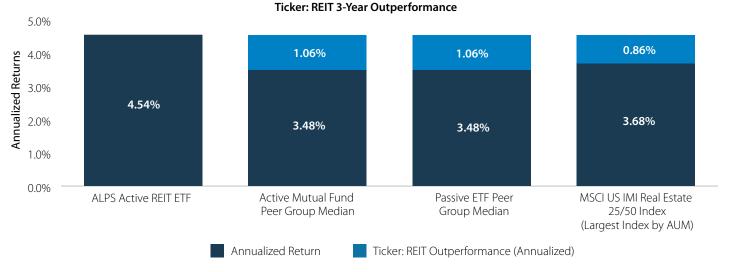
<sup>†</sup> Fund inception date: 2/25/2021

Total Operating Expenses: **0.68%** 

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### Ticker: REIT Performance Overview

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Source: ETF Action, 7/1/2022 - 6/30/2025

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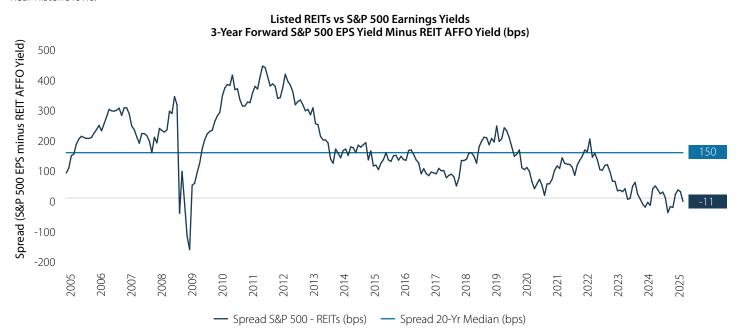
ETF Action Equity Sector Real Estate Category. Includes all REIT/real estate-focused mutual funds and ETFs. The Funds ranking is based on total return during the specified time period (7/1/2022 - 6/30/2025). The Funds return reflects fee waivers and expense reimbursements.

Total funds in Category for the period was 348.

ETF Action Active Mutual Fund Real Estate Peer Group: Actively managed REIT/real estate-focused mutual funds, 317 funds in the group as of 6/30/2025. ETF Action Passive ETF Real Estate Peer Group: Passively managed (index based) REIT/real estate-focused ETFs, 32 funds in the group as of 6/30/2025. See page 1 for standardized performance of the ALPS Active REIT ETF.

#### **REIT Valuations Q2 2025**

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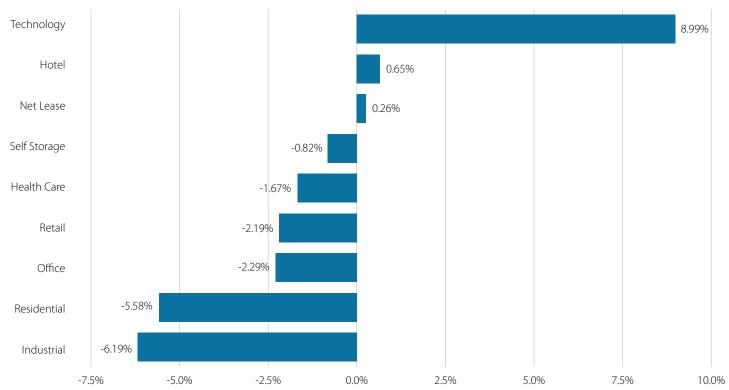


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Sources: SS&C ALPS Advisors, Bloomberg, 3/31/2025 - 6/30/2025

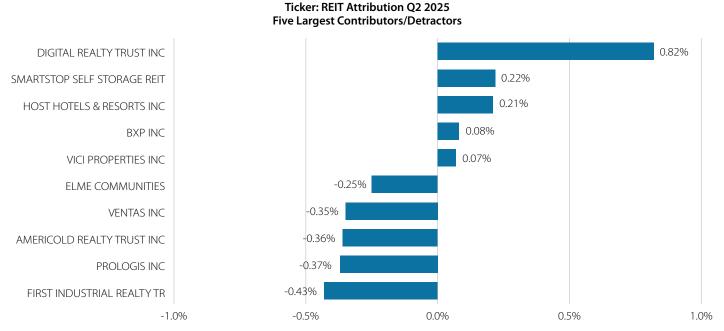
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# Ticker: REIT Performance Attribution Q2 2025

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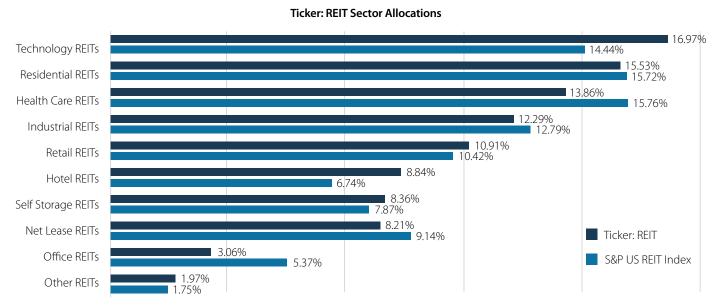
Sources: SS&C ALPS Advisors, Morningstar, Bloomberg, 3/31/2025 - 6/30/2025

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### Ticker: REIT Sector Allocation Highlights

The ALPS Active REIT ETF ended the quarter overweight Technology, Retail, Hotel and Self Storage and underweight Residential, Health Care, Net Lease and Office. The top five sectors – Technology, Residential, Health Care, Industrial and Retail comprise 69.56% of the portfolio, an overweight of 43 bps vs weights in the benchmark for these sectors.



Sources: SS&C ALPS Advisors, Bloomberg, as of 6/30/2025 "Other" includes cash and other specialty REITs.

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#### Ticker: REIT Top 10 Holdings

EQUINIX INC	9.77%
WELLTOWER INC	7.58%
PROLOGIS INC	7.14%
DIGITAL REALTY TRUST INC	4.90%
VICI PROPERTIES INC	4.81%

VENTAS INC	4.20%
ESSEX PROPERTY TRUST INC	4.16%
REALTY INCOME CORP	4.01%
FIRST INDUSTRIAL REALTY TRUST	3.89%
SIMON PROPERTY GROUP INC	3.89%

Source: SS&C ALPS Advisors, as of 6/30/2025, subject to change

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Diversification does not eliminate the risk of experiencing investment losses.

Ownership of real estate is subject to fluctuations in the value of underlying properties, the impact of economic conditions on real estate values, the strength of specific industries renting properties and defaults by borrowers or tenants. Real estate is a cyclical business, highly sensitive to general and local economic conditions and developments, and characterized by intense competition and periodic overbuilding. Credit and interest rate risk may affect real estate companies' ability to borrow or lend money.

The Fund will primarily invest in publicly traded common equity securities of US REITs. The Fund may also invest a portion of its assets in publicly traded common equity of US real estate operating companies (not structured as REITs), publicly traded preferred equity of US REITs and real estate operating companies, and cash and cash equivalents.

Adjusted Funds From Operations (AFFO): a measure of the financial performance of a REIT; measures a real estate company's recurring/normalized Funds From Operations (FFO) after deducting capital improvement funding.

Basis Point (bps): a unit that is equal to 1/100th of 1% and is used to denote the change in a financial instrument.

FTSE NAREIT Equity Data Centers Index: a subsector index of the FTSE NAREIT US Real Estate Index containing all Data Center REITs in the parent index.

FTSE NAREIT US Real Estate Index: tracks the performance of the US REIT industry at both an industry-wide level and on a sector-by-sector basis.

MSCI US IMI Real Estate 25/50 Index: designed to capture the large, mid and small cap segments of the US equity universe. All securities in the index are classified in the Real Estate sector as per the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS). The Index also applies certain investment limits to help ensure diversification - limits that are imposed on regulated investment companies, or RICs, under the current US Internal Revenue Code.

PHLX Semiconductor Sector Index: designed to track the performance of a set of companies engaged in the design, distribution, manufacture and sale of semiconductors.

Real Estate Investment Trust (REIT): companies that own or finance income-producing real estate across a range of property sectors. Listed REITs have characteristics of both the income potential of bonds and growth potential of stocks.

S&P 500 Index: widely regarded as the best single gauge of large-cap US equities. The index includes 500 leading companies and covers approximately 80% of available market capitalization.

S&P US REIT Index: defines and measures the investable universe of publicly traded real estate investment trusts (REITs) domiciled in the United States.

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