Management Report of Fund Performance for the period/year ended March 31, 2024

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## **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGIES**

The investment objective of the CI Global Core Plus Bond Fund (the Fund) is to provide strong risk-adjusted returns by investing in a diversified portfolio of fixed income instruments. The Fund will invest primarily in a diversified portfolio of government, corporate, and high-yield fixed-income securities, from both Canadian and foreign issuers.

The portfolio advisor selects securities that it believes have fundamental value that is not reflected in their credit rating and yield. In order to pick investments for the Fund, the portfolio advisor uses a combination of techniques such as top down macroeconomic analysis and a bottom up company and security level analysis to assess a company's ability to generate cash and meet interest and principal payment obligations on its debt securities. Up to 25% of the Fund's assets may be invested in high-yield and emerging markets sovereign bonds, and up to 25% may be allocated to investment grade preferred equity.

For a complete discussion of the Fund's investment objective and strategies, please refer to the Fund's most recently filed simplified prospectus.

#### RISK

No changes affecting the overall level of risk associated with investing in the Fund were made during the period/year. The risks of the Fund remain as discussed in the Fund's most recently filed simplified prospectus or its amendments. The Manager reviews the risk rating for the Fund on an annual basis, at a minimum, based on the methodology mandated by the Canadian Securities Administrators to determine the risk level of the Fund. Any change to the risk rating made during the period/year was as a result of such review and was not a result of any change to the investment objective, strategies or management of the Fund.

## **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

The Fund's net assets decreased by \$2.6 million to \$11.1 million from March 31, 2023 to March 31, 2024. The Fund had net redemptions of \$2.8 million during the year. The portfolio's performance increased assets by \$0.6 million. The Fund paid distributions totalling \$0.4 million. Series A units returned 3.8% after fees and expenses for the one-year period ended March 31, 2024. Over the same time period, the Fund's benchmark returned 2.1%. The benchmark is the FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index (the Benchmark or the Index).

The performance of the Fund's other Series is substantially similar to that of Series A units, except for differences in the structure of fees and expenses. For the returns of the Fund's other Series, please refer to the "Past Performance" section.

The U.S. Federal Reserve Board's (Fed) interest rate policy was the market's main preoccupation over the year. The Fed surprised investors with two to three more interest rate increases than anticipated in 2023, and then tempered fourth-quarter enthusiasm when interest rate cuts failed to materialize in the first quarter of 2024. Moderating inflation and strong employment allowed interest rate policy to stabilize, if not peak, which was positive for higher-risk assets and prospective returns for fixed income in general.

The Fund outperformed its benchmark for the year. Security selection within investment-grade and high-yield bonds, coupled with lower-duration (lower sensitivity to interest rates) sovereign debt, contributed to the Fund's performance. Exposure to Government of Canada (GoC) 3.25% Dec. 1, 2033 contributed to performance. The Fund's position in variable rate notes issued by Enbridge Inc. Jul. 15, 2077 contributed to performance driven by the company's improved business risk profile following recent acquisitions, with utility-like cash flows and continued financial discipline.

The Fund's holdings in GoC 2.0% Dec. 1, 2051 and Province of Ontario 2.4% Jun. 2, 2026 detracted from performance. These bonds did not keep pace with market returns.

We added new positions in perpetual notes issued by Royal Bank of Canada 7.4% and JPMorgan Chase & Co. 6.875%. Our financial services exposure remained a key overweight allocation in the Fund, and we continue to expect a positive backdrop for this sector driven by falling interest rates and a robust economy. A new holding in Province of Ontario 3.65% Jun. 2, 2033 was added, while a position in Province of Ontario 2.4% Jun. 2, 2026 was sold, in order to extend the Fund's maturity profile in Province of Ontario debt.

### RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

We expect high borrowing costs to impact each bond issuer differently. Many companies have a combination of fixed-rate and floating-rate debt and are already being affected. Bond coupon rates should increase going forward, but we believe this will be gradual as many issuers took advantage of very low interest rates to refinance debt and extend maturities in 2021.

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Strength in broad fixed income markets continues to be driven by moderating inflation and a robust employment picture. However, we expect the current high interest rate environment to impact consumers, mortgage holders and corporate borrowers as we move through 2024. Incoming economic data remains healthy, and the market's expectation for interest rate cuts has been delayed and muted, in line with our expectation for a measured Fed interest rate policy. This expectation should broadly support valuations for higher-risk assets and businesses with long-lived assets and solid cash flows, which populate the Fund. In addition, lower government bond yields, which could materialize in second half of 2024, should be positive for the Fund.

## **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

## Manager, Portfolio Adviser, Trustee and Registrar

CI Investments Inc. is the Manager, Portfolio Adviser, Trustee and Registrar of the Fund. CI Investments Inc. is a subsidiary of CI Financial Corp. The Manager, in consideration for management fees, provides management services required in the day-to-day operations of the Fund. The Manager bears all of the operating expenses of the Fund (other than taxes, borrowing costs and new governmental fees) in return for an administration fee.

Management fee and administration fee rates as at March 31, 2024, for the Series/Class or for each of the Series/Classes, as applicable, is/are shown below:

	Annual management fee rate (%):	Annual administration fee rate (%):
Series A	1.150	0.17
Series E	1.050	0.15
Series EF	0.550	0.15
Series F	0.600	0.17
Series I	Paid directly by investor	Paid directly by investor
Series 0	Paid directly by investor	0.15
Series P	Paid directly by investor	0.17
Series W	Paid directly by investor	0.11

The Manager received \$0.1 million in management fees and \$0.02 million in administration fees for the year.

#### Management Fees

Approximately 26% of total management fees were used to pay for sales and trailing commissions. The remaining 74% of management fees were used to pay for investment management and other general administration.

### Inter Fund Trading

Inter fund trading occurs when a Fund purchases or sells a security of any issuer from or to another Fund managed by the Manager. These transactions are executed through market intermediaries and under prevailing market terms and conditions. The Independent Review Committee (IRC) reviews such transactions during scheduled meetings. During the period/year ended March 31, 2024, the Fund executed inter fund trades.

### Independent Review Committee

The Manager, in respect of the Fund, received the following standing instructions from the IRC with respect to related party transactions:

The applicable standing instructions require, amongst others, that related party transactions be conducted in accordance with the Manager's policies and procedures and applicable law and that the Manager reports related party transactions periodically to the IRC and advise the IRC of any material breach of such policies. The Manager's policies and procedures require that investment decisions in respect of related party transactions (a) are free from any influence by an entity related to the Manager and without taking into account any consideration relevant to an entity related to the Manager; (b) represent the business judgment of the Manager, uninfluenced by considerations other than the best interests of the Fund; (c) do not exceed the limitations of the applicable legislation; and (d) achieve a fair and reasonable result for the Fund.

Except as otherwise noted above under Related Party Transactions section, the Fund was not a party to any related party transactions during the period/year ended March 31, 2024. If the Fund invested in related party transactions, it relied on the IRC's standing instructions regarding related party transactions during this reporting period/year.

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## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The following table/tables shows/show selected key financial information about the Fund and is/are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the past five period(s)/year(s), as applicable.

Net Assets per Unit (\$) *	_	Increase (decrease) from operations:					Distributions:					-
	Net assets at the beginning of period/ year	Total revenue	Total expenses (excluding distributions)	gains (losses) for the period/ year		Total increase (decrease) from operations	From net investment income (excluding dividends)	From dividends	From capital gains	Return of capital		Nassets the end the perious yes
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Series A (1)(2)(3)(4)	2015											
Commencement of operations December 21		0.40	(0.14)	(0.44)	0.40	0.01	(0.10)	(0.04)		(0.04)	(0.04)	0
Mar. 31, 2024	8.67	0.40	(0.14)	(0.44)	0.49	0.31	(0.16)	(0.04)	-	(0.04)	(0.24)	8.
Mar. 31, 2023	9.35	0.36	(0.14)	(0.35)	(0.35)	(0.48)	(0.20)	(0.03)		(0.03)	(0.26)	8.
Mar. 31, 2022	10.00	0.33	(0.15)	0.01	(0.54)	(0.35)	(0.14)	(0.04)	-	(0.06)	(0.24)	9.
Mar. 31, 2021	9.37	0.35	(0.16)	0.22	0.51	0.92	(0.16)	(0.04)	-	(0.05)	(0.25)	10.
Mar. 31, 2020	9.64	0.36	(0.15)	0.28	(1.10)	(0.61)	(0.18)	(0.04)	-	(0.04)	(0.26)	9.
Series E (1)(2)(3)(4)												
Commencement of operations December 21			(0.40)	(0.44)	(0.04)	(0.40)	(0.00)	(0.04)		(0.04)	(0.00)	
Mar. 31, 2024	8.56	0.39	(0.12)	(0.41)	(0.04)	(0.18)	(0.20)	(0.04)	-	(0.04)	(0.28)	8.
Mar. 31, 2023	9.26	0.37	(0.13)	(0.35)	(0.23)	(0.34)	(0.22)	(0.04)	-	(0.04)	(0.30)	8.
Mar. 31, 2022	9.93	0.35	(0.14)	-	(0.61)	(0.40)	(0.15)	(0.04)	-	(0.09)	(0.28)	9.
Mar. 31, 2021	9.33	0.37	(0.14)	0.22	0.55	1.00	(0.17)	(0.04)	-	(80.0)	(0.29)	9.
Mar. 31, 2020	9.63	0.39	(0.14)	0.40	(0.65)	-	(0.20)	(0.04)	-	(0.05)	(0.29)	9.
Series EF (1)(2)(3)(4)												
Commencement of operations December 21	•											
Mar. 31, 2024	8.54	0.39	(80.0)	(0.43)	0.50	0.38	(0.24)	(0.05)	-	(0.05)	(0.34)	8.
Mar. 31, 2023	9.24	0.36	(0.08)	(0.35)	(0.28)	(0.35)	(0.27)	(0.05)	-	(0.04)	(0.36)	8.
Mar. 31, 2022	9.91	0.33	(0.08)	0.06	(0.46)	(0.15)	(0.20)	(0.06)	-	(0.09)	(0.35)	9.
Mar. 31, 2021	9.31	0.35	(0.08)	0.22	0.76	1.25	(0.22)	(0.05)	-	(80.0)	(0.35)	9.
Mar. 31, 2020	9.61	0.41	(80.0)	0.47	(0.64)	0.16	(0.25)	(0.05)	-	(0.05)	(0.35)	9.
Series F (1)(2)(3)(4)												
Commencement of operations December 21	, 2015											
Mar. 31, 2024	8.55	0.39	(0.08)	(0.40)	0.54	0.45	(0.23)	(0.05)	-	(0.05)	(0.33)	8.
Mar. 31, 2023	9.26	0.36	(0.09)	(0.35)	(0.28)	(0.36)	(0.26)	(0.04)	-	(0.04)	(0.34)	8.
Mar. 31, 2022	9.93	0.34	(0.09)	-	(0.51)	(0.26)	(0.19)	(0.06)	-	(0.09)	(0.34)	9.
Mar. 31, 2021	9.33	0.36	(0.09)	0.22	0.51	1.00	(0.21)	(0.05)	-	(80.0)	(0.34)	9.
Mar. 31, 2020	9.62	0.36	(0.09)	0.26	(1.09)	(0.56)	(0.24)	(0.05)	-	(0.05)	(0.34)	9.
Series I (1)(2)(3)(4)												
Commencement of operations December 21	, 2015											
Mar. 31, 2024	8.56	0.39	(0.01)	(0.42)	0.63	0.59	(0.29)	(0.06)	-	(0.06)	(0.41)	8.
Mar. 31, 2023	9.27	0.36	(0.01)	(0.35)	(0.29)	(0.29)	(0.32)	(0.06)	-	(0.05)	(0.43)	8.
Mar. 31, 2022	9.94	0.33	-	0.12	(0.26)	0.19	(0.25)	(0.07)	-	(0.09)	(0.41)	9.
Mar. 31, 2021	9.33	0.35	(0.01)	0.25	0.53	1.12	(0.28)	(0.06)	-	(80.0)	(0.42)	9.
Mar. 31, 2020	9.63	0.55	-	0.39	(0.39)	0.55	(0.31)	(0.06)	-	(0.05)	(0.42)	9.
Series 0 (1)(2)(3)(4)												
Commencement of operations December 21	, 2015											
Mar. 31, 2024	8.53	0.39	(0.03)	(0.43)	0.43	0.36	(0.28)	(0.06)	-	(0.06)	(0.40)	8.
Mar. 31, 2023	9.25	0.36	(0.03)	(0.34)	(0.42)	(0.43)	(0.32)	(0.05)	-	(0.05)	(0.42)	8.
Mar. 31, 2022	9.92	0.33	(0.02)	0.02	(0.53)	(0.20)	(0.25)	(0.07)	-	(0.09)	(0.41)	9.
Mar. 31, 2021	9.32	0.35	(0.02)	0.22	0.50	1.05	(0.27)	(0.06)	-	(80.0)	(0.41)	9.
Mar. 31, 2020	9.62	0.38	(0.02)	0.46	(0.65)	0.17	(0.30)	(0.06)	_	(0.05)	(0.41)	9.

<sup>\*</sup>Footnotes for the tables are found at the end of the Net Assets per Unit section of the Financial Highlights.

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FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (cont'd)													
Net Assets per Unit (\$)	_	Increase (decrease) from operations:				Distributions:							
	Net assets at the beginning of period/ year	Total revenue	Total expenses (excluding distributions)	Realized gains (losses) for the period/ year	Unrealized gains (losses) for the period/ year	Total increase (decrease) from	(	From net nvestment income excluding dividends)	From dividends	From capital gains	Return of capital		Net assets at the end of the period/ year shown
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Series P (1)(2)(3)(4)													
Commencement of operations May 01, 2017													
Mar. 31, 2024	8.65	0.39	(0.03)	(0.45)	0.08	(0.01)		(0.26)	(0.05)	-	(0.06)	(0.37)	8.71
Mar. 31, 2023	9.35	0.36	(0.03)	(0.36)	(0.25)	(0.28)		(0.29)	(0.05)	-	(0.05)	(0.39)	8.65
Mar. 31, 2022	10.01	0.33	(0.02)	0.01	(0.60)	(0.28)		(0.25)	(0.07)	-	(0.06)	(0.38)	9.35
Mar. 31, 2021	9.38	0.35	(0.03)	0.20	0.54	1.06		(0.27)	(0.06)	-	(0.05)	(0.38)	10.01
Mar. 31, 2020	9.66	0.38	(0.02)	0.41	(0.67)	0.10		(0.28)	(0.06)	-	(0.04)	(0.38)	9.38
Series W (1)(2)(3)(4)													
Commencement of operations September 27,	2019												
Mar. 31, 2024	8.83	0.40	(0.01)	(0.45)	0.53	0.47		(0.27)	(0.05)	-	(0.06)	(0.38)	8.91
Mar. 31, 2023	9.52	0.37	(0.02)	(0.36)	(0.28)	(0.29)		(0.30)	(0.05)	-	(0.05)	(0.40)	8.83
Mar. 31, 2022	10.17	0.34	(0.01)	0.01	(0.62)	(0.28)		(0.25)	(0.07)	-	(0.06)	(0.38)	9.52
Mar. 31, 2021	9.51	0.36	(0.01)	0.13	2.08	2.56		(0.27)	(0.06)	-	(0.04)	(0.37)	10.17
Mar. 31, 2020	10.00	0.18	(0.01)	0.10	(0.57)	(0.30)		(0.14)	(0.02)	(0.04)	-	(0.20)	9.51

<sup>(1)</sup> This information is derived from the Fund's audited annual financial statements.

<sup>(2)</sup> Net assets per unit and distributions per unit are based on the actual number of units outstanding for the relevant Series/Class at the relevant time. The increase (decrease) in net assets from operations per unit is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding for the relevant Series/Class over the fiscal period/year.

<sup>(3)</sup> Distributions are automatically reinvested in additional units of the Fund.

<sup>(4)</sup> This information is provided for the period(s)/year(s) ended March 31.

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## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (cont'd)

Ratios and Supplemental Data \*

	Total net assets	Number of units outstanding	Management expense ratio before taxes	Harmonized sales tax	Management expense ratio after taxes	Effective HST rate for the period/ year	Trading expense ratio	Portfolio turnover rate
	\$000's	000's	%	%	%	%	%	%
Series A (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations December 21, 2015								
Mar. 31, 2024	7,468	854	1.34	0.16	1.50	11.77	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	8,485	979	1.33	0.15	1.48	11.61	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	11,182	1,196	1.32	0.15	1.47	11.69	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	14,958	1,496	1.32	0.15	1.47	11.66	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	16,099	1,718	1.32	0.16	1.48	12.27	0.10	155.11
Series E (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations December 21, 2015								
Mar. 31, 2024	112	13	1.22	0.16	1.38	12.99	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	511	60	1.22	0.16	1.38	12.99	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	463	50	1.20	0.14	1.34	11.92	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	542	55	1.20	0.14	1.34	11.86	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	655	70	1.20	0.14	1.34	11.95	0.10	155.11
Series EF (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations December 21, 2015								
Mar. 31, 2024	51	6	0.72	0.04	0.76	5.00	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	51	6	0.72	0.04	0.76	5.00	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	55	6	0.70	0.04	0.74	5.00	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	105	11	0.70	0.07	0.77	10.10	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	201	22	0.70	0.08	0.78	11.77	0.10	155.11
Series F (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations December 21, 2015								
Mar. 31, 2024	2,498	291	0.79	0.09	0.88	11.53	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	3,763	440	0.79	0.10	0.89	12.44	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	5,227	565	0.77	0.10	0.87	12.65	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	7,155	721	0.77	0.10	0.87	12.75	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	7,810	837	0.78	0.09	0.87	9.73	0.10	155.11
Series I (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations December 21, 2015								
Mar. 31, 2024	200	23	0.02	-	0.02	-	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	74	9	0.02	-	0.02	-	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	79	9	-	-	-	-	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	383	39	-	-	-	-	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	566	61	-	-	-	-	0.10	155.11
Series 0 (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations December 21, 2015								
Mar. 31, 2024	673	79	0.17	0.01	0.18	7.58	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	770	90	0.16	0.01	0.17	7.98	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	1,174	127	0.15	0.01	0.16	7.68	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	1,288	130	0.15	0.01	0.16	8.30	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	1,280	137	0.15	0.01	0.16	8.55	0.10	155.11

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**Ratios and Supplemental Data** 

			Management		Management	Effective	<b>-</b>	B .( !!
	Total net	Number of units	expense ratio before	Harmonized	expense ratio after	HST rate for the period/	Trading	Portfolio
	assets	outstanding	taxes	sales tax		year	expense ratio	turnover rate
	\$000's	000's	%	% Suice tax		%	%	%
Series P (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations May 01, 2017								
Mar. 31, 2024	70	8	0.19	0.02	0.21	13.82	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	76	9	0.19	0.02	0.21	14.11	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	77	8	0.17	0.02	0.19	13.27	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	80	8	0.17	0.02	0.19	13.00	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	38	4	0.17	0.02	0.19	13.00	0.10	155.11
Series W (1)2(3)(4)(5)								
Commencement of operations September 27, 2019								
Mar. 31, 2024	1	-	0.13	0.01	0.14	13.00	0.08	59.77
Mar. 31, 2023	1	-	0.12	0.01	0.13	13.00	0.07	51.08
Mar. 31, 2022	1	-	0.11	0.01	0.12	13.00	0.05	49.15
Mar. 31, 2021	1	-	0.11	0.01	0.12	13.00	0.05	114.75
Mar. 31, 2020	10	1	0.11	0.01	0.12	13.00	0.10	155.11

<sup>(1)</sup> This information is derived from the Fund's audited annual financial statements.

(5) This information is provided for the period(s)/year(s) ended March 31.

<sup>(2)</sup> Management expense ratio is calculated based on expenses charged to the Fund (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets for the period/year, including the Fund's proportionate share of any underlying fund(s) expenses, if applicable. The Effective HST tax rate is calculated using the attribution percentage for each province based on unitholder residency and can be different from 13%.

<sup>(3)</sup> The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets during the period/year, including the Fund's proportionate share of such expenses of any underlying fund(s), if applicable.

<sup>(4)</sup> The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio advisor manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the fiscal period/year. The higher a Fund's portfolio turnover rate in a period/year, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund in the period/year, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the period/year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a higher turnover rate and the performance of a Fund. Portfolio turnover rate is calculated by dividing the lesser of the cost of purchases and the proceeds of sales of portfolio securities for the period/year, and excluding cash and short-term investments maturing in less than one year, and before assets acquired from a merger, if applicable, by the average of the monthly fair value of investments during the period/year.

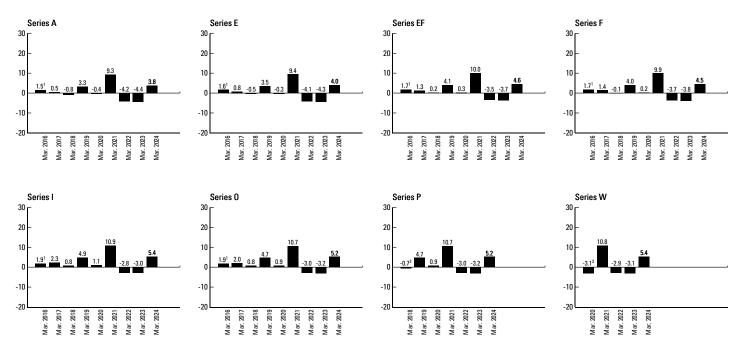
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## PAST PERFORMANCE

This section describes how the Fund has performed in the past. Remember, past returns do not indicate how the Fund will perform in the future. The information shown assumes that distributions made by the Fund in the period(s)/year(s) shown were reinvested in additional units of the Fund or relevant Series/Class of the Fund, as applicable. In addition, the information does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution or other optional charges that would have reduced returns or performance.

## Year-by-Year Returns

The following chart/charts shows/show the Fund's annual performance for each of the period(s)/year(s) shown and illustrates/illustrate how the Fund's performance has changed from period/year to period/year. In percentage terms, the chart/charts shows/show how much an investment made on the first day of each financial period/year would have grown or decreased by the last day of each financial period/year, except where noted.



- 1 2016 return is for the period from December 21, 2015 to March 31, 2016.
- 2 2018 return is for the period from May 01, 2017 to March 31, 2018.
- 3 2020 return is for the period from September 27, 2019 to March 31, 2020.

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## **Annual Compound Returns**

The following table shows the Fund's annual compound returns for each year indicated, compared to the FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index.

The FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index is a market capitalization weighted index that measures the performance of the Canadian investment-grade fixed income market. The Index consists of fixed rate bonds denominated in Canadian dollars, with a remaining effective term to maturity of at least one year, rated BBB or higher. The Index is comprised of four main credit or borrower categories: bonds issued by the Government of Canada (including Crown Corporations), Provincial bonds (including provincially-guaranteed securities), Municipal bonds and Corporate bonds. The Corporate sector is further divided into sub-sectors based on major industry groups: Financial, Communication, Industrial, Energy, Infrastructure, Real Estate and Securitization. The Corporate sector is also divided into sub-indices based on credit rating: a combined AAA/AA sector, a single A sector and a BBB sector.

A discussion of the performance of the Fund as compared to the benchmark is found in the Results of Operations section of this report.

	One Year (%)	Three Years (%)	Five Years (%)	Ten Years (%)	Since Inception (%)
Series A	3.8	(1.7)	0.7	n/a	0.9
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	0.3	n/a	1.3
Series E	4.0	(1.5)	0.8	n/a	1.1
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	0.3	n/a	1.3
Series EF	4.6	(0.9)	1.4	n/a	1.7
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	0.3	n/a	1.3
Series F	4.5	(1.1)	1.3	n/a	1.6
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	0.3	n/a	1.3
Series I	5.4	(0.2)	2.2	n/a	2.5
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	0.3	n/a	1.3
Series 0	5.2	(0.4)	2.0	n/a	2.4
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	0.3	n/a	1.3
Series P	5.2	(0.4)	2.0	n/a	2.0
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	0.3	n/a	1.0
Series W	5.4	(0.3)	n/a	n/a	1.4
FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index	2.1	(1.5)	n/a	n/a	(0.5)

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## SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO as at March 31, 2024

Category	% of Net Assets	Category	% of Net Assets
Country allocation		Sector allocation	
Canada	73.6	Corporate Bonds	55.2
U.S.A	12.4	Provincial Bonds	18.6
Exchange-Traded Fund(s)	6.2	Canadian Government Bonds	9.0
Other Net Assets (Liabilities)	2.4	Exchange-Traded Fund(s)	6.2
U.K	2.1	Financials	3.0
Ireland	1.4	Other Net Assets (Liabilities)	2.4
Belgium	0.5	Asset-Backed Securities	2.3
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.4	Energy	1.3
India	0.3	Communication Services	0.8
Australia	0.2	Utilities	0.6
Zambia	0.2	Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.4
Macau	0.2	Real Estate	0.2
Japan	0.1	Foreign Government Bonds	0.1
Switzerland	0.1	Consumer Staples	0.1
Germany	0.1	Term Loans	0.0
Foreign Currency Forward Contract(s)	(0.2)	Foreign Currency Forward Contract(s)	(0.2)

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## SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO as at March 31, 2024 (cont'd)

Top 25 Holdings	% of Net Assets
iShares J.P. Morgan USD Emerging Markets Bond ETF	6.2
Province of Ontario, 2.65%, December 02, 2050	5.0
Province of Ontario, 3.65%, June 02, 2033	3.8
Government of Canada, 3.25%, December 01, 2033	2.9
Province of New Brunswick, 3.05%, August 14, 2050	2.6
Government of Canada, 1.75%, December 01, 2053	2.3
Province of Ontario, 2.9%, June 02, 2049	1.6
Enbridge Inc., Convertible, Variable Rate, July 15, 2077	1.6
Government of Canada, 4.5%, February 01, 2026	1.4
Province of Ontario, 3.75%, June 02, 2032	1.3
Province of Manitoba, 2.05%, September 05, 2052	1.3
Canadian Western Bank, Series 1, Variable Rate, April 30, 2081	1.0
Government of Canada, 4%, March 01, 2029	0.9
Government of Canada, Real Return Bond, 4.25%, December 01, 2026	0.9
Pembina Pipeline Corp., 4.74%, January 21, 2047	0.9
Province of Alberta, 3.1%, June 01, 2050	0.7
Province of Saskatchewan, 3.75%, March 05, 2054	0.7
Enbridge Inc., Convertible, Variable Rate, September 27, 2077	0.7
FortisAlberta Inc., 4.27%, September 22, 2045	0.7
Canadian Western Bank, Variable Rate, July 31, 2081	0.7
407 International Inc., 5.96%, December 03, 2035	0.6
Province of Saskatchewan, 2.8%, December 02, 2052	0.6
George Weston Ltd., 6.69%, March 01, 2033	0.6
Manulife Financial Corp., Variable Rate, February 24, 2032	0.6
Province of British Columbia, 3.2%, June 18, 2044	0.6
Total Net Assets (in \$000's)	\$11,073

The summary of investment portfolio may change due to ongoing portfolio transactions of the Fund and updates will be available on a quarterly basis.

## A NOTE ON FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This report may contain forward-looking statements about the Fund, its future performance, strategies or prospects, and possible future Fund action. The words "may," "could," "should," "would," "suspect," "outlook," "believe," "plan," "anticipate," "estimate," "expect," "intend," "forecast," "objective," and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance. Forward-looking statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties, both about the Fund and general economic factors, so it is possible that predictions, forecasts, projections and other forward-looking statements will not be achieved. We caution you not to place undue reliance on these statements as a number of important factors could cause actual events or results to differ materially from those expressed or implied in any forward-looking statement made by the Fund. These factors include, but are not limited to, general economic, political and market factors in Canada, the United States and internationally, interest and foreign exchanges rates, global equity and capital markets, business competition, technological changes, changes in laws and regulations, judicial or regulatory judgments, legal proceedings and catastrophic events.

The above list of important factors that may affect future results is not exhaustive. Before making any investment decisions, we encourage you to consider these and other factors carefully. All opinions contained in forward-looking statements are subject to change without notice and are provided in good faith but without legal responsibility.