Management Report of Fund Performance for the period/year ended September 30, 2023

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Securityholders may also contact us using one of these methods to request a copy of the investment fund's proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record, or quarterly portfolio disclosure.

## **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

As at March 31, 2022 to September 30, 2023, the Fund's net assets were \$0.1 million. Series A shares returned -6.5% after fees and expenses for the six-month period ended September 30, 2023. Over the same time period, the Fund's benchmark returned -6.5%. The benchmark is a combination of the FTSE Canada Real Return Bond Total Return Index - 55% and the FTSE Canada All Government Bond Total Return Index - 45% (the Benchmark or the Index).

The performance of the Fund's other Series is substantially similar to that of Series A shares, 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 following commentary pertains to the results of operations of the CI Real Mid Term Income Trust (the Underlying Fund).

As the global economy turns into the homestretch of 2023 the data, for the most part, is meeting our expectations. However, the market response is slightly at odds with that data. Inflation is moderating, manufacturing is modestly contracting, industrial production is rolling over, labour markets are beginning to loosen and consumers are turning more cautious. Yet, developed market yield curves continue to bearishly steepen.

In June the Bank of Canada (BoC) increased short-term rates by 25bps, with another 25bps hike in July, but held them steady at the September and October meetings. The BOC's overnight interest rate now sits at 5.00%.

The Underlying Fund performed in line with its benchmark for the period. The Underlying Fund's shorter duration (sensitivity to interest rates) than the benchmark contributed to performance in a rising interest rate environment. An overweight allocation to federal real return bonds (RRB) also contributed to the Underlying Fund's performance as these outperformed those in the benchmark. Top individual contributors to the Underlying Fund's performance included holdings in Government of Canada (GoC) RRB 3.00%, Dec. 1, 2036 and GoC RRB 4.00%, Dec. 1, 2031.

We trimmed the Underlying Fund's holding in GoC RRB 3.00%, Dec. 1, 2036 to manage liquidity.

Overall, the Fund performed in line with its benchmark for the period.

### **RECENT DEVELOPMENTS**

Economic conditions continue to unfold as expected. While labour markets and consumer spending remain stronger than expected, economic data continues to weaken as higher interest rates take hold. Lending conditions are tightening, and higher interest rates are starting to drive delinquencies and bankruptcies higher.

Our interpretation of the Bank of Canada's (BoC's) most recent statement was that it remains uncomfortable with the level of inflation while acknowledging the downtick in economic activity. Interest rates are likely to stay higher for longer to tame inflation, which poses a risk of recession. We believe the BoC will remain on hold regarding hiking interest rates as the lagged impact of higher borrowing costs begins to impact consumer behaviour. We look for further declines in consumer discretionary spending, job gains and wage pressure.

## **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

#### Manager, Portfolio Adviser and Registrar

CI Investments Inc. is the Manager, Portfolio Adviser 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 borrowing and interest costs, investor meeting costs (as permitted by Canadian securities regulation), the fees and expenses of the Independent Review Committee, the fees, costs and expenses associated with compliance with any new governmental and regulatory requirements imposed on or after February 16, 2018 and new governmental fees or with any changes to existing governmental and regulatory requirements imposed on or after February 16, 2018, any new types of costs, expenses or fees not incurred prior to February 16, 2018, including those arising from new government or regulatory requirements or related to those external services that were not commonly charged in the Canadian mutual fund industry as of February 16, 2018, and operating expenses that were or are outside the normal course of business of the Fund on or after February 16, 2018) in return for an administration fee.

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Management fee and administration fee rates as at September 30, 2023, 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	1.350	0.17
Series F	0.650	0.17
Series P	Paid directly by investor	0.15

The Manager received a nominal amount in management fees for the period.

#### 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.

### **Related Fund Trading**

Related fund trading occurs when a Fund purchases or sells units/shares of another Fund managed by the Manager. During the period/year ended September 30, 2023, the Fund engaged in related fund trading or held position(s) in related fund(s) at the end of the period/year.

### Independent Review Committee

The Manager, in respect of the Fund, received the following standing instructions from the Independent Review Committee (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 September 30, 2023. 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 six period(s)/year(s), as applicable.

Net Assets per Share (\$)		Increase (decrease) from operations:						Dividends:					-
	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 operations	inves ii (exc	om net stment ncome luding dends)	From dividends	From capital gains	Return of capital	Total dividends	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Series A (1)(2)(3)(4)													
Commencement of operations July 04, 2016													
Sept. 30, 2023	9.49	-	(0.08)	(0.30)	(0.23)	(0.61)		-	-	-	-	-	8.88
Mar. 31, 2023	9.96	0.05	(0.18)	(0.10)	(0.26)	(0.49)		-	-	-	-	-	9.49
Mar. 31, 2022	10.15	0.48	(0.18)	(0.10)	(0.22)	(0.02)		-	-	-	-	-	9.96
Mar. 31, 2021	9.85	0.27	(0.18)	0.23	(0.01)	0.31		-	-	-	-	-	10.15
Mar. 31, 2020	9.72	0.14	(0.17)	(0.02)	0.15	0.10		-	-	-	-	-	9.85
Mar. 31, 2019	9.50	0.28	(0.14)	(0.05)	0.17	0.26		-	-	-	-	-	9.72
Series F (1)(2)(3)(4)													
Commencement of operations July 04, 2016													
Sept. 30, 2023	10.03	-	(0.04)	(0.27)	(0.28)	(0.59)		-	-	-	-	-	9.42
Mar. 31, 2023	10.44	0.05	(0.11)	(0.11)	(0.25)	(0.42)		-	-	-	-	-	10.03
Mar. 31, 2022	10.55	0.59	(0.10)	(0.10)	(0.46)	(0.07)		-	-	-	-	-	10.44
Mar. 31, 2021	10.16	0.20	(0.10)	0.17	0.37	0.64		-	-	-		-	10.55
Mar. 31, 2020	9.94	0.43	(0.09)	(0.04)	(0.04)	0.26		-	-	-		-	10.16
Mar. 31, 2019	9.64	0.28	(0.09)	(0.05)	0.15	0.29		-	-	-	-	-	9.94
Series P (1)(2)(3)(4)													
Commencement of operations July 04, 2016													
Sept. 30, 2023	10.57	-	-	(0.34)	(0.26)	(0.60)		-	-	-	-	-	9.97
Mar. 31, 2023	10.90	0.05	(0.02)	(0.12)	(0.25)	(0.34)		-	-	-	-	-	10.57
Mar. 31, 2022	10.93	0.61	(0.01)	(0.13)	(0.50)	(0.03)		-	-	-	-	-	10.90
Mar. 31, 2021	10.43	0.13	(0.01)	0.11	1.19	1.42		-	-	-	-	-	10.93
Mar. 31, 2020	10.14	0.48	(0.02)	(0.04)	(0.12)	0.30		-	-	-	-	-	10.43
Mar. 31, 2019	9.75	0.28	(0.04)	(0.05)	0.19	0.38		-	-	-	-	-	10.14

(1) This information is derived from the Fund's semi-annual and annual financial statements.

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

(3) Dividends are automatically reinvested in additional shares of the Fund.

(4) This information is provided for the period(s)/year(s) ended September 30, 2023 and March 31.

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# FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (cont'd)

**Ratios and Supplemental Data** 

	Total net assets \$000's	Number of shares outstanding 000's	Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions after taxes %	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 %
Series A <sup>(1)(2CI)(4)(5)</sup>	2000 S	000 \$	70	70	70	70	70	70	70
Commencement of operations July 04, 2016									
Sept. 30, 2023	21	2	1.72	1.52	0.20	1.72	13.00	-	
Mar. 31, 2023	23	2	1.72	1.52	0.20	1.72	13.00	0.15	0.47
Mar. 31, 2022	28	3	1.72	1.52	0.20	1.72	13.00	0.18	5.32
Mar. 31, 2021	42	4	1.72	1.52	0.20	1.72	13.26	0.03	2.19
Mar. 31, 2020	42	4	1.72	1.52	0.20	1.72	13.36	-	5.57
Mar. 31, 2019	196	20	4.26	1.70	0.20	1.90	13.28	-	6.18
Series F <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)</sup>									
Commencement of operations July 04, 2016									
Sept. 30, 2023	86	9	0.91	0.82	0.09	0.91	10.72	-	-
Mar. 31, 2023	116	12	0.90	0.82	0.08	0.90	9.72	0.15	0.47
Mar. 31, 2022	131	13	0.90	0.82	0.08	0.90	10.19	0.18	5.32
Mar. 31, 2021	175	17	0.90	0.82	0.08	0.90	10.28	0.03	2.19
Mar. 31, 2020	289	28	0.91	0.82	0.09	0.91	10.76	-	5.57
Mar. 31, 2019	367	37	3.45	1.00	0.08	1.08	10.88	-	6.18
Series P <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)</sup>									
Commencement of operations July 04, 2016									
Sept. 30, 2023	1	-	0.17	0.15	0.02	0.17	13.00	-	-
Mar. 31, 2023	1	-	0.17	0.15	0.02	0.17	13.00	0.15	0.47
Mar. 31, 2022	1	-	0.17	0.15	0.02	0.17	13.00	0.18	5.32
Mar. 31, 2021	1	-	0.17	0.15	0.02	0.17	13.00	0.03	2.19
Mar. 31, 2020	10	1	0.18	0.15	0.03	0.18	13.00	-	5.57
Mar. 31, 2019	10	1	2.75	0.35	0.03	0.38	13.00	-	6.18

(1) This information is derived from the Fund's semi-annual and annual financial statements.

(2) 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 shareholder residency and can be different from 13%.

(3) 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.

(4) 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.

(5) This information is provided for the period(s)/year(s) ended September 30, 2023 and March 31.

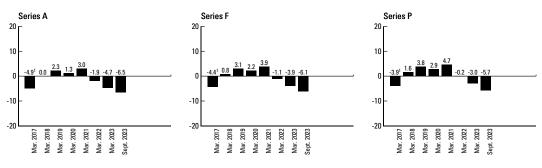
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# PAST PERFORMANCE

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 dividends made by the Fund in the period(s)/year(s) shown were reinvested in additional shares of the Fund or relevant Series/Classes 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 semi-annual and 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 2017 return is for the period from July 04, 2016 to March 31, 2017.

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# SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO as at September 30, 2023

Category*	% of Net Assets	Category*	% of Net Assets
Country allocation		Sector allocation	
Canada		Canadian Government Bonds	
Other Net Assets (Liabilities)	1.5	Other Net Assets (Liabilities)	1.5

Top Holdings*	% of Net Assets		
Government of Canada, Real Return Bond, 3%,			
December 01, 2036	57.2		
Government of Canada, Real Return Bond, 4%,			
December 01, 2031	41.3		
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.0		
Total Net Assets (in \$000's)	\$108		

\*These are holdings and the breakdown of the underlying fund. 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.