

# CI Canadian Equity Private Pool

Management Report of Fund Performance for the period/year ended September 30, 2024

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## RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The Fund's net assets increased by \$0.8 million to \$12.3 million from March 31, 2024 to September 30, 2024. The portfolio's performance increased assets by \$0.8 million. Series A units returned 7.1% after fees and expenses for the six-month period ended September 30, 2024. Over the same time period, the Fund's benchmark returned 10.0%. The benchmark is the S&P/TSX Composite Index (GTR) (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 following commentary pertains to the results of operations of the CI Canadian Equity Income Private Trust (the Underlying Fund).

Inflation continued to decline during the period due to restrictive monetary policy and higher interest rates. This progress on inflation, combined with weakening in the U.S. labour market, prompted the U.S. Federal Reserve Board to announce in September 2024 its first interest rate reduction since 2020.

Residential real estate activity remained depressed amid higher mortgage rates and weakness within certain pockets of commercial real estate, such as office and retail. U.S. unemployment increased from record-low levels, which eased pressure on wages. Inflation and higher interest rates in mortgage, auto and credit card debt damped consumer spending on discretionary purchases.

The impact of stimulus spending under the U.S. Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA), Inflation Reduction Act (IRA) and CHIPS and Science Act offset moderation in private sector investment. The proliferation of artificial intelligence (AI) spurred an increase in data centre spending. Conflicts in Ukraine and the Middle East renewed concerns about global supply chains and increased defence spending.

The Underlying Fund underperformed its benchmark during the period. Security selection within the energy and information technology sectors detracted from the Underlying Fund's performance. The largest individual detractors from the Underlying Fund's performance were positions in Canadian Natural Resources Ltd., Cenovus Energy Inc., Restaurant Brands International Inc., TFI International Inc., Bank of Montreal, Boyd Group Services Inc., Shopify Inc., Open Text Corp., Andlauer Healthcare Group Inc. and TC Energy Corp.

Stock selection within the industrials and communication services sectors contributed to the Underlying Fund's performance. Top individual contributors to the Underlying Fund's performance included holdings in Brookfield Corp., Element Fleet Management Corp., Royal Bank of Canada, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Cargojet Inc., Constellation Software Inc., Intact Financial Corp., Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd., TMX Group Ltd. and Colliers International Group Inc.

We added a number of new holdings to the Underlying Fund during the period, including Tourmaline Oil Corp., Toromont Industries Ltd., Pembina Pipeline Corp., Loblaw Cos. Ltd., Manulife Financial Corp., Fairfax Financial Holdings Ltd., AltaGas Ltd., The Toronto-Dominion Bank, Barrick Gold Corp. and Accenture PLC. The Underlying Fund's existing positions in Royal Bank of Canada, Brookfield Asset Management Ltd. and TELUS Corp. were increased.

The Underlying Fund's positions in Bank of Montreal, Boyd Group Services Inc., Open Text Corp., iA Financial Corp. Inc., Kinaxis Inc., Brookfield Renewable Partners L.P., Empire Co. Ltd., Andlauer Healthcare Group Inc., UnitedHealth Group Inc., TC Energy Corp., Nuvei Corp. and Lumine Group Inc. were eliminated. The Underlying Fund's holdings in Brookfield Corp., Canadian Natural Resources Ltd., Enbridge Inc., Cenovus Energy Inc., Canadian Pacific Kansas City Ltd., Sun Life Financial Inc., Trisura Group Ltd., Amazon.com Inc. and Alphabet Inc. were trimmed.

Overall, the Fund underperformed its benchmark for the period.

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## RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

We expect inflation will moderate but remain at an elevated level. Therefore, we favour businesses that have sustainable competitive advantages that allow them to exercise pricing power. Lower inflation should cause central banks to ease monetary policy and cut interest rates. This should benefit the valuation of companies that operate in cyclical industries. We are cautious toward companies that sell discretionary goods because consumers remain pressured by inflation in the cost of living. However, we also believe low unemployment and a desire to spend on experiences should support overall consumer spending. Stimulus spending under the IJJA, IRA and CHIPS and Science Act should partially offset slower economic activity in the private sector related to higher interest rates.

We expect adoption of AI to increase, driving demand for semiconductor chips and data centre capacity. The Underlying Fund is also invested in companies that are exposed to higher military and defence spending in response to recent conflicts across the world.

The Underlying Fund is positioned in companies that can endure any economic environment, as well as businesses with short-term challenges that are trading at prices well below our estimate of their intrinsic value. We continue to place an emphasis on balance sheet resilience and liquidity, which enables businesses to continue investing through an economic downturn and ultimately emerge stronger when economic conditions recover.

## 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 September 30, 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	1.650	0.15
Series F	0.650	0.15
Series I	Paid directly by investor	Paid directly by investor

The Manager received \$0.1 million in management fees and \$0.01 million in administration fees for the period.

### Management Fees

Approximately 25% of total management fees were used to pay for sales and trailing commissions. The remaining 75% 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, 2024, 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, 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 six period(s)/year(s), as applicable.

Net Assets per Unit (\$)	Increase (decrease) from operations:					Distributions:					Net assets at the end of the period/year shown	
	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	From net investment income (excluding dividends)	From dividends	From capital gains	Return of capital		Total distributions
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Series A</b> <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)</sup>												
Commencement of operations October 29, 2018												
Sept. 30, 2024	12.12	-	(0.12)	-	1.00	0.88	-	-	-	-	-	12.98
Mar. 31, 2024	11.56	0.28	(0.24)	0.57	0.90	1.51	-	(0.22)	(0.68)	-	(0.90)	12.12
Mar. 31, 2023	12.12	0.19	(0.22)	0.57	(0.77)	(0.23)	-	-	(0.88)	-	(0.88)	11.56
Mar. 31, 2022	12.85	0.26	(0.27)	2.68	(1.60)	1.07	-	(0.01)	(2.24)	-	(2.25)	12.12
Mar. 31, 2021	8.56	0.24	(0.22)	(0.21)	4.48	4.29	-	-	-	-	-	12.85
Mar. 31, 2020	10.19	0.31	(0.21)	0.29	(1.76)	(1.37)	-	(0.08)	-	-	(0.08)	8.56
<b>Series F</b> <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)</sup>												
Commencement of operations October 29, 2018												
Sept. 30, 2024	12.10	-	(0.05)	-	0.93	0.88	-	-	-	-	-	13.03
Mar. 31, 2024	11.55	0.30	(0.11)	0.64	0.88	1.71	-	(0.26)	(0.79)	-	(1.05)	12.10
Mar. 31, 2023	12.13	0.19	(0.10)	0.56	(0.78)	(0.13)	-	-	(1.15)	-	(1.15)	11.55
Mar. 31, 2022	12.89	0.24	(0.12)	2.71	(1.46)	1.37	-	(0.01)	(2.43)	-	(2.44)	12.13
Mar. 31, 2021	8.49	0.20	(0.09)	(0.70)	5.74	5.15	-	-	-	-	-	12.89
Mar. 31, 2020	10.11	0.28	(0.09)	0.26	(1.64)	(1.19)	-	(0.20)	-	-	(0.20)	8.49
<b>Series I</b> <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)</sup>												
Commencement of operations October 29, 2018												
Sept. 30, 2024	12.11	-	-	-	1.00	1.00	-	-	-	-	-	13.10
Mar. 31, 2024	11.57	0.06	-	0.09	2.46	2.61	-	(0.29)	(0.88)	-	(1.17)	12.11
Mar. 31, 2023	12.14	0.19	-	0.58	(0.76)	0.01	-	-	(1.33)	-	(1.33)	11.57
Mar. 31, 2022	12.92	0.24	-	2.49	(1.05)	1.68	-	(0.01)	(2.57)	-	(2.58)	12.14
Mar. 31, 2021	8.44	0.12	-	(3.05)	10.83	7.90	-	-	-	-	-	12.92
Mar. 31, 2020	10.05	0.31	-	0.27	(1.94)	(1.36)	-	(0.29)	-	-	(0.29)	8.44

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

(2) 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.

(3) Distributions are automatically reinvested in additional units of the Fund.

(4) This information is provided for the period(s)/year(s) ended September 30, 2024 and March 31.

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## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (cont'd)

### Ratios and Supplemental Data

	Total net assets \$000's	Number of units outstanding 000's	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 %
<b>Series A</b> <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)</sup>								
Commencement of operations October 29, 2018								
Sept. 30, 2024	7,192	554	1.80	0.20	2.00	10.85	-	8.47
Mar. 31, 2024	6,200	512	1.80	0.19	1.99	10.73	-	16.51
Mar. 31, 2023	5,133	444	1.80	0.19	1.99	10.66	-	2.89
Mar. 31, 2022	5,357	442	1.80	0.18	1.98	9.83	-	17.41
Mar. 31, 2021	3,469	270	1.80	0.15	1.95	8.27	0.01	66.92
Mar. 31, 2020	2,198	257	1.80	0.13	1.93	7.30	-	24.95
<b>Series F</b> <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)</sup>								
Commencement of operations October 29, 2018								
Sept. 30, 2024	5,111	392	0.80	0.09	0.89	11.55	-	8.47
Mar. 31, 2024	5,279	436	0.80	0.09	0.89	11.64	-	16.51
Mar. 31, 2023	3,903	338	0.80	0.09	0.89	11.39	-	2.89
Mar. 31, 2022	3,285	271	0.80	0.07	0.87	8.60	-	17.41
Mar. 31, 2021	2,104	163	0.80	0.07	0.87	8.99	0.01	66.92
Mar. 31, 2020	3,870	456	0.80	0.06	0.86	8.03	-	24.95
<b>Series I</b> <sup>(1)(2)(3)(4)(5)</sup>								
Commencement of operations October 29, 2018								
Sept. 30, 2024	44	3	-	-	-	-	-	8.47
Mar. 31, 2024	40	3	-	-	-	-	-	16.51
Mar. 31, 2023	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.89
Mar. 31, 2022	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.41
Mar. 31, 2021	1	-	-	-	-	-	0.01	66.92
Mar. 31, 2020	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	24.95

(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 unitholder 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, 2024 and March 31.

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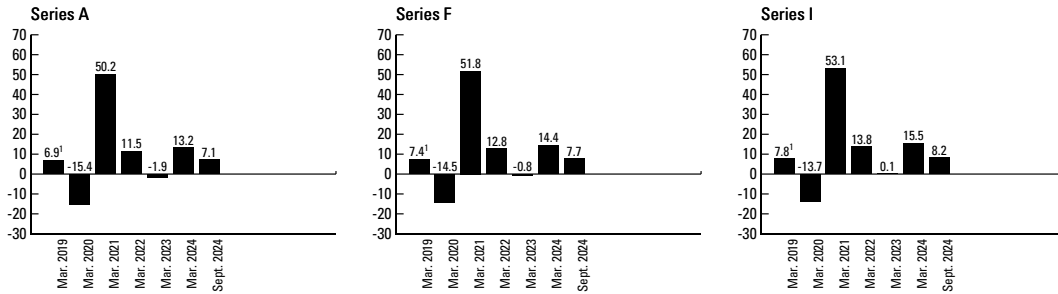
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## PAST PERFORMANCE

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 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 2019 return is for the period from October 29, 2018 to March 31, 2019.

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## SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO as at September 30, 2024

Category*	% of Net Assets	Category*	% of Net Assets	Category*	% of Net Assets
<b>Country allocation</b>		<b>Sector allocation</b>		<b>Asset allocation</b>	
Canada .....	89.6	Financials .....	35.1	Common Equities .....	99.6
U.S.A. ....	8.2	Industrials .....	12.9	Cash & Cash Equivalents .....	0.2
Ireland .....	1.8	Information Technology .....	12.6	Other Net Assets (Liabilities) .....	0.2
Cash & Cash Equivalents .....	0.2	Energy .....	11.3		
Other Net Assets (Liabilities) .....	0.2	Communication Services .....	6.3		
		Consumer Staples .....	4.6		
		Consumer Discretionary .....	4.6		
		Materials .....	4.5		
		Utilities .....	3.9		
		Real Estate .....	3.8		
		Cash & Cash Equivalents .....	0.2		
		Other Net Assets (Liabilities) .....	0.2		

\*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.

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## SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO as at September 30, 2024 (cont'd)

Top 25 Holdings*	% of Net Assets
Brookfield Corp., Class A .....	4.6
Element Fleet Management Corp. ....	4.1
Royal Bank of Canada .....	4.1
WSP Global Inc. ....	3.6
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce .....	3.4
Constellation Software Inc. ....	3.0
CGI Inc. ....	2.8
Cargojet Inc. ....	2.6
Toronto-Dominion Bank (The) .....	2.6
Enbridge Inc. ....	2.6
Intact Financial Corp. ....	2.6
Restaurant Brands International Inc. ....	2.5
Brookfield Infrastructure Partners LP .....	2.5
Shopify Inc., Class A .....	2.5
Sun Life Financial Inc. ....	2.5
Manulife Financial Corp. ....	2.5
Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc. ....	2.4
Colliers International Group Inc. ....	2.4
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd. ....	2.4
Canadian Pacific Kansas City Ltd. ....	2.3
TMX Group Ltd. ....	2.3
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd. ....	2.3
Trisura Group Ltd. ....	2.2
Barrick Gold Corp. ....	2.2
Loblaw Cos., Ltd. ....	2.2
<b>Total Net Assets (in \$000's)</b>	<b>\$12,347</b>

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### 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.