

INTERIM MANAGEMENT REPORT OF FUND PERFORMANCE

For the period ended June 30, 2020

Canadian Equity Fund

NBI *SmartBeta* Canadian Equity Fund

Notes on forward-looking statements

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Management Discussion of Fund Performance

Results of Operations

For the six-month period ended June 30, 2020, the NBI *SmartBeta* Canadian Equity Fund's Investor Series units returned -1.84% compared to -7.47% for the Fund's benchmark, the S&P/TSX Composite Index (CAD). Unlike the benchmark, the Fund's performance is calculated after fees and expenses. Please see the *Past Performance* section for the returns of all of the Fund's series, which may vary mainly because of fees and expenses.

The Fund's net asset value rose by 1.68% over the period, from \$314.10 million as at December 31, 2019 to \$319.38 million as at June 30, 2020.

The first half of 2020 was one that saw market volatility reach levels not seen in decades. The year began with equities continuing to appreciate, driven higher by easier monetary policy and signs of improving economic indicators. During February, the S&P/TSX Composite Index stood at an all-time high. Shortly thereafter, COVID-19 began to impact global markets and adding to the market turmoil was an oil price war between Saudi Arabia and Russia. Before the quarter ended, the benchmark was down 37.2% from its all-time high before rebounding to end the quarter down 20.9%.

As the second quarter of 2020 ended, equities experienced some of their best quarterly returns in decades. Following the COVID-19 pandemic-driven market plunge in the first quarter, stocks rebounded sharply during the second quarter. The rally was supported by unprecedented levels of monetary and fiscal stimulus, and by increasing optimism as economies throughout the world began to reopen and the benchmark ended the year-to-date period down 7.47%.

From a sector standpoint, there was a wide performance dispersion. The top performers in the benchmark were Information Technology (up 62.0%), Materials (up 15.2%), and Consumer Staples (up 1.1%), while the worst performers were Health Care (down 33.9%), Energy (down 30.9%), and Real Estate (down 19.8%).

In this environment, the Fund outperformed its benchmark. The Fund's relative outperformance was driven by its risk-based investment approach that led to a large underweight in the Energy sector, one of the worst performing sectors of the benchmark, and a strong outperformance in the Materials sector, the second-best performer in the benchmark. Other areas that contributed to relative outperformance were an overweighting to the Utilities sector and an underweighting to the Financial sector. Sectors that detracted from performance included the Information Technology sector. Other sectors that detracted from relative returns included Consumer Discretionary, Industrials, and Telecommunication Services.

Recent Developments

The Fund rebalances its portfolio on a quarterly basis, utilizing and investment approach that selects stocks with lower-risk characteristics and weights each equally by risk. This results in stocks with lower-risk characteristics receiving larger portfolio weightings, while those stocks with higher-risk characteristics receive smaller portfolio weightings. At the Fund's January rebalance, portfolio changes were modest. However, at the April rebalance, high levels of market volatility led to substantial portfolio changes.

As a systematic risk-based manager, the portfolio manager does not forecast future market events or use expectations of future events to influence or change the strategy. Rather, the portfolio manager consistently and systematically applies a strategy that puts risk management at the heart of the portfolio construction process by selecting stocks with lower risk characteristics, and weighing all stocks so that each contributes an equal amount of risk. The objective of this approach is to seek outperformance with less volatility over a full market cycle relative to market-cap weighted strategies.

On April 30, 2020, the Fund's independent review committee (the "IRC") was reduced to three members when Jacques Valotaire and Jean-François Bernier resigned as IRC members.

Related Party Transactions

National Bank of Canada ("the Bank") and its affiliated companies' roles and responsibilities related to the Fund are as follows:

Trustee, Custodian, and Registrar

Natcan Trust Company ("NTC"), a direct or indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Bank, is the Fund's trustee. In this capacity, it is the legal owner of the Fund's investments.

NTC acts as registrar for the Fund's securities and the names of securityholders. NTC also acts as the Fund's custodian. The fees for NTC's custodial services are based on the standard rates in effect at NTC.

Fund Manager

The Fund is managed by National Bank Investments Inc. ("NBII"), which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Bank. Therefore, NBII provides or ensures the provision of all general management and administrative services required by the Fund's current operations, including investment consulting, the arrangement of brokerage contracts for the purchase and sale of the investment portfolio, bookkeeping and other administrative services required by the Fund.

The Manager pays the operating expenses of the Fund other than its "Fund costs" (defined below) (the "variable operating expenses"), in exchange for the Fund's payment to the Manager of annual fixed-rate administration fees with respect to each series of the Fund.

The administration fees are equal to a specified percentage of the net asset value of each series of the Fund, calculated and paid in the same manner as the Fund's management fees. The variable operating expenses payable by the Manager include, but are not limited to: transfer agency and recordkeeping costs; custodial costs; accounting and valuation fees; audit fees and legal fees; costs of preparing and distributing financial reports, simplified prospectuses, annual information forms, Fund Facts, continuous disclosure material and other securityholder communications; and costs of trustee services relating to registered tax plans, as applicable.

In addition to administration fees, the Fund shall also pay certain Fund costs, namely: taxes (including, but not limited to, GST/HST and income taxes); costs of compliance with any changes to existing governmental or regulatory requirements introduced after August 1, 2013; costs of compliance with any new governmental or regulatory requirements, including any new fees introduced after August 1, 2013; interest and borrowing costs; costs related to external services that were not commonly charged in the Canadian mutual fund industry as at August 1, 2013; Independent Review Committee costs, including compensation paid to IRC members, travel expenses, insurance premiums and costs associated with their continuing education; and variable operating expenses incurred outside of the normal course of business of the Fund.

The Manager may, from time to time and at its sole discretion, decide to absorb a portion of a series' management fees, administration fees or Fund costs.

As described under the heading *Management Fees*, the Fund pays annual management fees to NBII as consideration for its services.

Portfolio Manager

The Manager has appointed National Bank Trust Inc. ("NBT"), an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the Bank, as the portfolio manager for the Fund. A flat fee is payable annually to NBT for its management services.

Distribution and Dealer Compensation

NBII acts as principal distributor for the Fund. In this capacity, NBII buys, sells and swaps securities through Bank branches and the National Bank Investments Advisory Service in Canadian provinces and territories, and through external registered representatives. Fund securities are also offered by National Bank Financial Inc. (including its division National Bank Direct Brokerage), CABN Investments (a division of NBII) and other affiliated entities. Brokers may receive, depending on the distributed series, a monthly commission representing a percentage of the average daily value of the securities held by their clients.

Brokerage Fees

The Fund may pay broker's commissions at market rates to a corporation affiliated with NBII. The brokerage fees paid by the Fund for the period are as follows:

	Period ended June 30, 2020
Total brokerage fees	75,225.93
Brokerage fees paid to National Bank Financial	75,225.93

Holdings

As at June 30, 2020, National Bank Investments Inc. held 316.98 Fund securities for a value of \$3,997.70, which represented close to 0.0013% of the net asset value of the Fund at that date. Transactions between National Bank Investments Inc. and the Fund were carried out in the normal course of business and at the Fund's net asset value as at the transaction date.

As at June 30, 2020, National Bank Trust Inc. held 1.07 Fund securities for a value of \$13.67, which represented close to 0.0000% of the net asset value of the Fund at that date. Transactions between National Bank Trust Inc. and the Fund were carried out in the normal course of business and at the Fund's net asset value as at the transaction date.

Independent Review Committee Approvals and Recommendations

The Fund followed the standing instructions of its Independent Review Committee with respect to one or more of the following transactions:

- Purchasing or holding the securities of a related issuer, in particular, those of National Bank of Canada;
- Investing in the securities of an issuer when an entity related to the manager acts as an underwriter for the placement or at any time during the 60-day period after the end of the placement;
- Purchasing or selling securities to another investment Fund managed by the manager or a company in the same group;
- Purchasing or selling debt securities on the secondary market, through related brokers that are main brokers in the Canadian debt securities market (in accordance with an exemption received from the Canadian Securities Administrators);
- Entering into foreign exchange transactions (including both spot transactions and forward transactions) with National Bank of Canada.

The Manager has implemented policies and procedures to make sure that the conditions applicable to each of the above transactions are met. The applicable standing instructions require that these transactions be carried out in accordance with NBII policies, which specify, in particular, that investment decisions pertaining to these related party transactions must be made free from any influence by an entity related to NBII and without taking into account any consideration relevant to an entity related to NBII. Furthermore, the investment decisions must represent the business judgment of the securities advisor, uninfluenced by considerations other than the best interest of the Fund and must achieve a fair and reasonable result for the Fund.

Registered Plan Trust Services

NTC receives a fixed amount per registered account for services provided as trustee for registered plans.

Administrative and Operating Services

The provision of certain services was delegated by the Fund Manager, NBII, to National Bank Trust Inc. ("NBT"), a wholly-owned indirect subsidiary of the Bank. These include accounting, reporting and portfolio valuation services. The fees incurred for these services are paid to NBT by the Fund manager.

Management Fees

The Fund pays annual management fees to the Fund manager for its management services. The fees are calculated based on a percentage of the Fund's daily net asset value before applicable taxes and are paid on a monthly basis. A portion of the management fees paid by the Fund covers maximum annual trailer fees and sales commissions paid to brokers. The remainder of the management fees primarily covers investment management and general administration services. The breakdown of major services provided in consideration of the management fees, expressed as an approximate percentage of the management fees is as follows:

Series	Management Fees	Distribution	Others [†]
Investor Series	1.75%	57.14%	42.86%
Advisor Series*			
Front-end load	1.75%	57.14%	42.86%
Back-end load - 1 to 6 years	1.75%	28.57%	71.43%
Back-end load - 7 years and more	1.75%	57.14%	42.86%
Low load - 1 to 3 years	1.75%	28.57%	71.43%
Low load - 4 years and more	1.75%	57.14%	42.86%
Series F	0.65%	—	100.00%
Series O	N/A**	—	100.00%

^(†) Includes all costs related to management, investment advisory services, general administration and profit.

^(*) Excluding sales commissions paid on the Advisor Series with the low sales charge option and deferred sales charge option, which are not paid for out of the management fees.

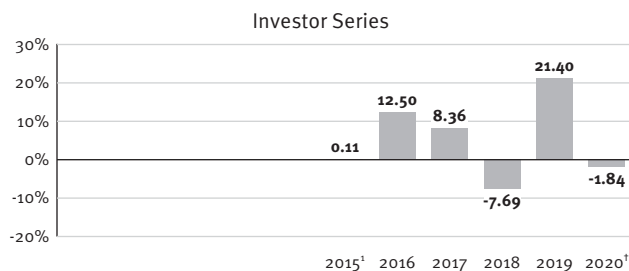
^(**) There are no management fees paid by the Fund with respect to the Series O. Instead, Series O securityholders pay a negotiated administration fee directly to National Bank Investments.

Past Performance

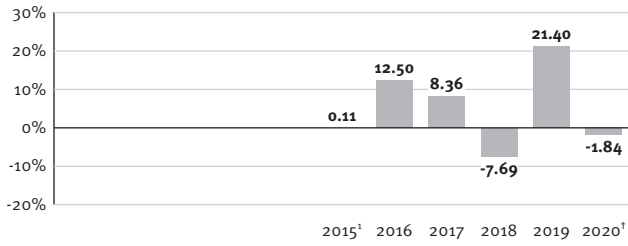
The performance of each series of the Fund is presented below and calculated as at December 31 of each year. It assumes that all distributions made in the periods shown were reinvested in additional securities and does not take into account sales, redemption charges, distributions, or optional charges that would have reduced returns. Past performance of a series of a Fund does not necessarily indicate how it will perform in the future.

Annual Returns

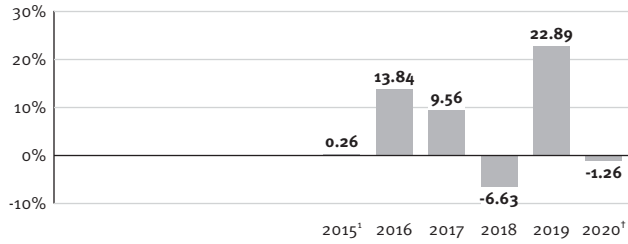
The bar charts indicate the performance for each the Fund's series in existence greater than one year during the years shown, and illustrate how the performance has changed from year to year. They show, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on January 1 (or made commencing from the start of the series) would have grown or decreased by December 31 of that year, or by June 30, as applicable.



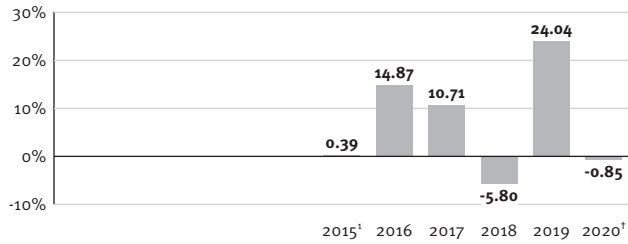
Advisor Series



Series F



Series O



⁽¹⁾ Returns for the period from October 30, 2015 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2015.

^(†) Returns for the period from January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020.

Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the accounting periods shown.

Investor / Advisor Series

Net Assets per Unit⁽¹⁾

Commencement of operations: October 30, 2015

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Net Assets, Beginning of Accounting Period Shown ⁽⁴⁾	12.53	10.56	11.56	11.06	10.00	10.00
Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$)						
Total revenue	0.16	0.36	0.33	0.32	0.28	0.09
Total expenses	(0.13)	(0.25)	(0.24)	(0.25)	(0.24)	(0.05)
Realized gains (losses)	(0.85)	0.28	(0.03)	0.37	0.28	0.04
Unrealized gains (losses)	0.56	1.96	(0.96)	0.48	0.85	(0.36)
Total Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$) ⁽²⁾	(0.26)	2.35	(0.90)	0.92	1.17	(0.28)
Distributions (\$)						
From net investment income (excluding dividends)	—	—	—	—	—	—
From dividends	—	0.12	0.11	0.08	—	—
From capital gains	—	0.17	—	0.34	0.19	0.01
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Annual Distributions (\$) ⁽³⁾	—	0.29	0.11	0.42	0.19	0.01
Net Assets, End of Accounting Period Shown (\$) ⁽⁴⁾	12.30	12.53	10.56	11.56	11.06	10.00

Ratios and Supplemental Data

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Total net asset value (ooo's of \$) ⁽⁵⁾	2,450	2,303	2,258	3,265	3,485	379
Number of units outstanding ⁽⁵⁾	199,128	183,749	213,912	282,416	315,101	37,881
Management expense ratio (%) ⁽⁶⁾	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.13	2.12
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%)	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.13	2.22
Trading expense ratio (%) ⁽⁷⁾	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.55
Portfolio turnover rate (%) ⁽⁸⁾	62.94	54.02	108.16	111.29	72.68	8.07
Net asset value per unit (\$)	12.30	12.53	10.56	11.56	11.06	10.00

Series F

Net Assets per Unit⁽¹⁾

Commencement of operations: October 30, 2015

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Net Assets, Beginning of Accounting Period Shown ⁽⁴⁾	12.66	10.66	11.72	11.21	10.01	10.00
Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$)						
Total revenue	0.16	0.37	0.33	0.32	0.29	0.10
Total expenses	(0.05)	(0.11)	(0.11)	(0.12)	(0.12)	(0.03)
Realized gains (losses)	(0.79)	0.28	0.04	0.38	0.28	0.03
Unrealized gains (losses)	0.60	1.94	(0.95)	0.48	0.61	(0.47)
Total Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$) ⁽²⁾	(0.08)	2.48	(0.69)	1.06	1.06	(0.37)
Distributions (\$)						
From net investment income (excluding dividends)	—	—	—	—	—	—
From dividends	—	0.27	0.28	0.22	0.05	—
From capital gains	—	0.17	—	0.34	0.14	0.01
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Annual Distributions (\$) ⁽³⁾	—	0.44	0.28	0.56	0.19	0.01
Net Assets, End of Accounting Period Shown (\$) ⁽⁴⁾	12.50	12.66	10.66	11.72	11.21	10.01

Ratios and Supplemental Data

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Total net asset value (ooo's of \$) ⁽⁵⁾	6,149	5,497	4,937	11,878	12,218	332
Number of units outstanding ⁽⁵⁾	491,721	434,232	463,319	1,013,269	1,089,989	33,199
Management expense ratio (%) ⁽⁶⁾	0.87	0.91	0.98	0.98	0.98	0.98
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%)	0.87	0.91	0.99	0.99	0.98	1.07
Trading expense ratio (%) ⁽⁷⁾	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.55
Portfolio turnover rate (%) ⁽⁸⁾	62.94	54.02	108.16	111.29	72.68	8.07
Net asset value per unit (\$)	12.50	12.66	10.66	11.72	11.21	10.01

Series O

Net Assets per Unit⁽¹⁾

Commencement of operations: October 30, 2015

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Net Assets, Beginning of Accounting Period Shown ⁽⁴⁾	12.92	10.77	11.80	11.17	10.00	10.00
Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$)						
Total revenue	0.16	0.38	0.35	0.33	0.30	0.07
Total expenses	—	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)
Realized gains (losses)	(0.85)	0.28	(0.07)	0.38	0.27	0.03
Unrealized gains (losses)	0.57	1.81	(0.96)	0.49	0.75	(0.33)
Total Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$) ⁽²⁾	(0.12)	2.46	(0.69)	1.19	1.31	(0.24)
Distributions (\$)						
From net investment income (excluding dividends)	—	—	—	—	—	—
From dividends	—	0.29	0.30	0.28	0.15	0.02
From capital gains	—	0.15	0.04	0.29	0.17	0.02
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Annual Distributions (\$) ⁽³⁾	—	0.44	0.34	0.57	0.32	0.04
Net Assets, End of Accounting Period Shown (\$) ⁽⁴⁾	12.81	12.92	10.77	11.80	11.17	10.00

Ratios and Supplemental Data

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Total net asset value (000's of \$) ⁽⁵⁾	297,194	296,354	168,397	142,439	109,368	7,909
Number of units outstanding ⁽⁵⁾	23,194,862	22,942,403	15,635,606	12,073,598	9,788,242	790,827
Management expense ratio (%) ⁽⁶⁾	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%)	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.03
Trading expense ratio (%) ⁽⁷⁾	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.55
Portfolio turnover rate (%) ⁽⁸⁾	62.94	54.02	108.16	111.29	72.68	8.07
Net asset value per unit (\$)	12.81	12.92	10.77	11.80	11.17	10.00

Private Series*

^(*) Please note that this Series is offered by way of private placement.

Net Assets per Unit⁽¹⁾

Commencement of operations: December 1, 2015

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Net Assets, Beginning of Accounting Period Shown ⁽⁴⁾	12.39	10.29	11.52	10.88	9.63	10.00
Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$)						
Total revenue	0.16	0.37	0.38	0.32	0.30	0.04
Total expenses	(0.05)	(0.10)	(0.10)	(0.10)	(0.10)	(0.01)
Realized gains (losses)	(0.87)	0.26	(0.36)	0.41	0.18	0.02
Unrealized gains (losses)	0.75	1.57	(1.00)	0.37	0.13	(0.39)
Total Increase (Decrease) from Operations (\$) ⁽²⁾	(0.01)	2.10	(1.08)	1.00	0.51	(0.34)
Distributions (\$)						
From net investment income (excluding dividends)	—	—	—	—	—	—
From dividends	—	0.15	0.07	0.14	0.03	0.01
From capital gains	—	0.12	0.40	0.28	0.07	0.02
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Annual Distributions (\$) ⁽³⁾	—	0.27	0.47	0.42	0.10	0.03
Net Assets, End of Accounting Period Shown (\$) ⁽⁴⁾	12.25	12.39	10.29	11.52	10.88	9.63

Ratios and Supplemental Data

Accounting Period Ended	2020 June 30	2019 December 31	2018 December 31	2017 December 31	2016 December 31	2015 December 31
Total net asset value (000's of \$) ⁽⁵⁾	13,593	9,943	2,928	362	124	1
Number of units outstanding ⁽⁵⁾	1,109,968	802,168	284,547	31,405	11,412	100
Management expense ratio (%) ⁽⁶⁾	0.83	0.84	0.83	0.83	0.83	0.76
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%)	0.83	0.84	0.83	0.84	0.88	25.81
Trading expense ratio (%) ⁽⁷⁾	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.06	0.10	0.55
Portfolio turnover rate (%) ⁽⁸⁾	62.94	54.02	108.16	111.29	72.68	8.07
Net asset value per unit (\$)	12.25	12.39	10.29	11.52	10.88	9.63

- ⁽¹⁾ This information is derived from the Fund's Annual Audited Financial Statements and Interim Unaudited Financial Statements. The net assets per unit presented in the financial statements might differ from the net asset value calculated for fund pricing purposes. The differences are explained in the notes to the financial statements.
- ⁽²⁾ Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant time. The increase or decrease from operations is based on the average number of units outstanding over the accounting period. For the Investor Series, Advisor Series, Series F, O and Private Series, the detailed calculation of the total Increase (Decrease) from Operations as at December 31, 2015 has been adjusted to reflect the proper allocation between the following items: Total revenue, Total expenses, Realized gain (losses) and/or Unrealized gain (losses). It is a non-material correction related to a programming error in the ratio calculation.
- ⁽³⁾ Distributions were paid in cash or reinvested in additional units of the Fund, or both.
- ⁽⁴⁾ The net assets are calculated in accordance with IFRS.
- ⁽⁵⁾ This information is provided as at the last day of the accounting period shown.
- ⁽⁶⁾ Management expense ratio is based on total expenses including sales taxes for the accounting period indicated (excluding commission, other portfolio transaction costs and withholding taxes) and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net value during the accounting period. For Series Investor, Advisor, F and O, the management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions as at December 31, 2015 has been adjusted to reflect a non-material correction related to a programming error in the ratio calculation. And for the Private Series, the ratio changed from 0.93 to 25.81 to reflect an adequate annualization.
- ⁽⁷⁾ The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the accounting period. The trading expense ratio includes, if necessary, the trading expenses from its underlying funds, as described in Article 15.2 of Regulation 81-106. Since calculating an average daily allocation of the trading expenses would take considerable effort, an average monthly allocation has been used instead for the accounting periods prior to 2016. For series created before 2016, the trading expense ratio as at December 31, 2015 has been adjusted to reflect a non-material correction related to a programming error in the ratio calculation.
- ⁽⁸⁾ The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund portfolio's manager 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 accounting period. The higher a Fund's portfolio turnover rate in an accounting period, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund in the accounting period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the accounting period. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a Fund.

Summary of Investment Portfolio

As of June 30, 2020

Portfolio Top Holdings

	% of Net Asset Value
Blackberry Ltd.	2.6
Wheaton Precious Metals Corp.	2.5
Constellation Software Inc.	2.4
Enghouse Systems Ltd.	2.4
Kinaxis Inc.	2.4
TMX Group Ltd.	2.3
Maple Leaf Foods Inc.	2.2
Descartes Systems Group Inc.	2.2
Franco-Nevada Corp.	2.2
Metro Inc.	2.1
Dollarama Inc.	2.0
Toromont Industries Ltd.	1.9
Waste Connections Inc.	1.9
Centerra Gold Inc.	1.8
Empire Company Ltd., Class A	1.8
Equinox Gold Corp.	1.8
Fairfax Financial Holdings Ltd.	1.8
Agnico-Eagle Mines Ltd.	1.8
Morneau Shepell Inc.	1.8
Stantec Inc.	1.8
Tourmaline Oil Corp.	1.8
Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc., Class B	1.7
Cogeco Communications Inc.	1.7
IGM Financial Inc.	1.7
Cash, Money Market and Other Net Assets	0.3
	48.9

Net asset value \$319,384,956

Asset Mix

	% of Net Asset Value
Canadian Equity	96.6
Exchange Traded Funds	1.6
International Equity	1.5
Cash, Money Market and Other Net Assets	0.3

Sector Allocation

	% of Net Asset Value
Materials	27.2
Information Technology	15.1
Consumer Staples	13.7
Industrials	13.5
Communication Services	8.0
Financials	7.2
Utilities	5.0
Energy	3.5
Consumer Discretionary	2.0
Exchange Traded Funds	1.6
Health Care	1.5
Real Estate	1.4
Cash, Money Market and Other Net Assets	0.3

The above table shows the top 25 positions held by the Fund. In the case of a Fund with fewer than 25 positions, all positions are indicated.

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