

# CANADA LIFE CANADIAN CORE BOND FUND

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## **Interim Management Report of Fund Performance**

*For the Six-Month Period Ended September 30, 2024*

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### **A NOTE ON FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

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## Management Discussion of Fund Performance

This Management Discussion of Fund Performance presents the portfolio management team's view on the significant factors and developments that have affected the performance and outlook of Canada Life Canadian Core Bond Fund (the "Fund") in the six-month period ended September 30, 2024 (the "period"). If the Fund was established during the period, "period" represents the period since inception.

In this report, "CLIML" and "the Manager" refer to Canada Life Investment Management Ltd., which is a subsidiary of The Canada Life Assurance Company ("Canada Life"). The Manager has entered into a fund administration agreement with Mackenzie Financial Corporation ("Mackenzie"), an affiliate of the Manager and Canada Life, for administrative services. In addition, net asset value ("NAV") refers to the value of the Fund as calculated for transaction purposes, on which the discussion of Fund performance is based.

Please read *A Note on Forward-Looking Statements* on the first page of this document.

## Results of Operations

### Investment Performance

The performance of all series in the current and previous periods is shown in the *Past Performance* section of the report. Performance will vary by series primarily because fees and expenses differ between series, or because securities of a series were not issued and outstanding for the entire reporting period. Please refer to the *Fund Formation and Series Information* section of this report for the varying management and administration fees payable by each series. The following comparison to market indices is intended to help investors understand the Fund's performance relative to the general performance of the markets. However, the Fund's mandate may be different from that of the indices shown.

During the period, the Fund's A Series securities returned 5.1% (after deducting fees and expenses paid by the series). This compares with the FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index return of 5.6%. All index and series returns are calculated on a total return basis in Canadian dollar terms. Investors cannot invest in an index without incurring fees, expenses and commissions, which are not reflected in the index returns.

In response to weak economic data, the Bank of Canada reduced its policy rate three times over the period to 4.25% from 5.00%. Bond yields declined in anticipation of a significantly lower policy rate. Canada's unemployment rate rose to 6.4%, highlighting labour market weakness, while wage growth remained elevated. Excess supply put pressure on prices, contributing to falling inflation.

The Fund underperformed the index, with its cash position detracting from performance as fixed income markets rose. Overweight exposure to corporate bonds in the financial sector also detracted from performance.

Conversely, the Fund's holdings in long government bond futures, used to manage duration, contributed to performance.

Over the period, a strategic reallocation by the portfolio management team decreased the Fund's exposure to Canada and increased exposure to higher-yielding non-Canadian issuers.

### Environmental, Social and Governance ("ESG") Integration

The Fund added a new position in a green bond issued by the Government of Canada (3.50%, 03-01-2034). The list of eligible projects has expanded with the government's new green bond framework.

## Net Assets

The Fund's net assets decreased by 10.3% during the period to \$191.2 million. This change was composed primarily of \$10.8 million in net income (including any interest and/or dividend income) from investment performance, after deducting fees and expenses, and a decrease of \$32.7 million due to net securityholder activity (including sales, redemptions and cash distributions).

## Fees and Expenses

The annualized management expense ratio ("MER") for each series during the period ended September 30, 2024, was generally similar to the MER for the year ended March 31, 2024. Total expenses paid vary from period to period mainly as a result of changes in average assets in each series. The MERs for all series are presented in the *Financial Highlights* section of this report.

## Recent Developments

The portfolio management team believes that economic weakness in the period justified the Bank of Canada's policy rate cuts, and that the pace of further economic deterioration will determine the frequency and magnitude of future reductions. Because the team expects accommodative monetary policy to continue in response to declining economic indicators, the team favours having duration exposure (sensitivity to changes in interest rates) in North America.

Effective July 17, 2024, IPC Investment Corporation and IPC Securities Corporation were added as principal distributors for the Fund, alongside Quadrus Investment Services Ltd.

Effective August 15, 2024, I Series securities were created for the Fund.

Effective October 1, 2024, the manager, trustee, portfolio manager and promoter of the Fund, CLIML, amalgamated with Counsel Portfolio Services Inc., whereupon the amalgamated company, named CLIML, continued to serve as the manager, trustee, portfolio manager and promoter of the Fund. This is not a material change for the Fund.

## Related Party Transactions

### Management and Administration Services

For each applicable series, the Fund paid management fees and administration fees to the Manager at the annual rates specified under *Fund Formation and Series Information* in this report and as more fully described in the Simplified Prospectus. In return for the administration fees, the Manager pays all costs and expenses (other than certain specified fund costs) required to operate the Fund that are not included in management fees. See also *Management Fees*.

### Other Related Party Transactions

At September 30, 2024, the Fund had \$6.9 million (3.6% of the Fund's NAV) invested in underlying funds managed by Mackenzie. In making the investment(s), the Manager relied on a standing instruction from the Canada Life Funds' Independent Review Committee. The Manager's policies are designed to ensure that any related party transaction (i) is made free from any influence by an entity related to the Manager and without taking into account any considerations relevant to an entity related to the Manager; (ii) represents the business judgment of the Manager, uninfluenced by considerations other than the best interests of the Fund; and (iii) achieves a fair and reasonable result for the Fund.

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Certain other investment funds managed by CLIML and segregated fund policies issued by Canada Life may invest in the Fund on a prospectus-exempt basis in accordance with the investment objectives of those funds. At September 30, 2024, these other investment funds and segregated funds owned 36.3% of the Fund's NAV. All related party transactions are based on the NAV per security on each transaction day. As a result of these investments, the Fund may be subject to large transaction risk as discussed in the Fund's Simplified Prospectus. CLIML manages this risk to reduce the possibility of any adverse effect on the Fund or on its investors, through such processes as requiring advance notice of large redemptions.

At September 30, 2024, Canada Life had an investment of \$0.01 million in the Fund (less than 0.1% of the Fund's NAV).

During the period, the Fund received \$0.004 million in income distributions from investments in exchange-traded funds ("ETFs") managed by Mackenzie to offset fees paid within those ETFs. There is no assurance that these distributions will continue in the future.

During the period, the Fund relied on standing instructions provided by the Canada Life Funds' Independent Review Committee for inter-fund trades that have occurred in the Fund.

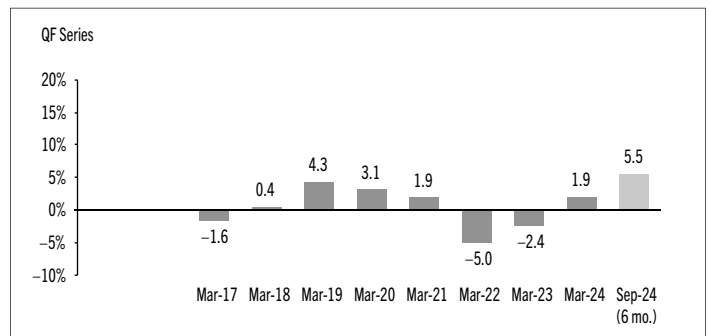
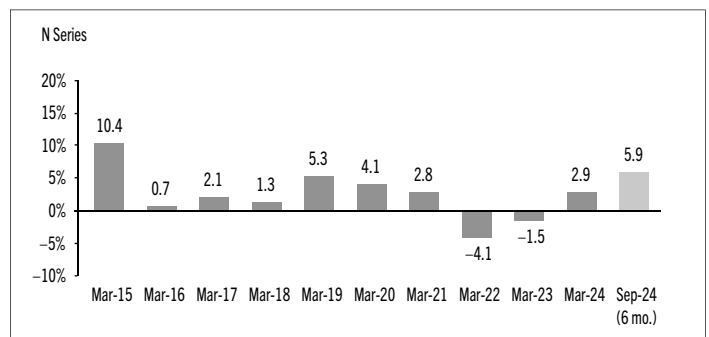
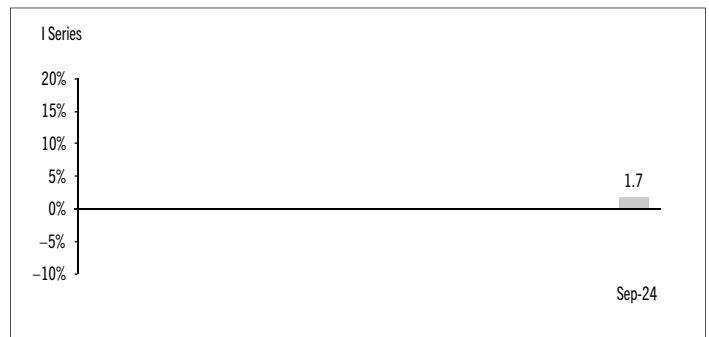
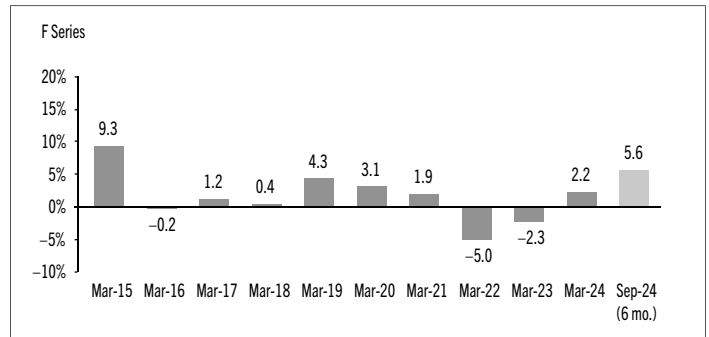
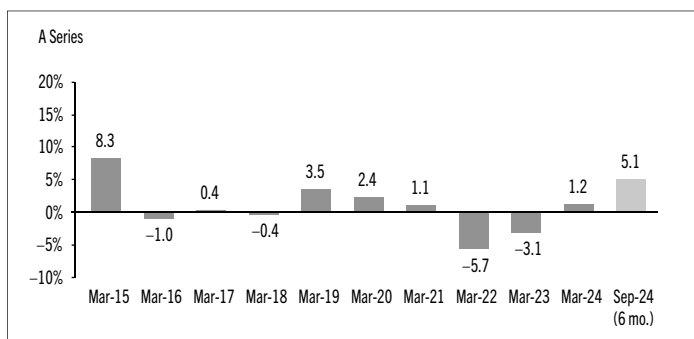
## Past Performance

The Fund's performance information assumes all distributions made by the Fund in the periods presented are reinvested in additional securities of the relevant series of the Fund. The performance information does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution or other optional charges, or income taxes payable by any investor that would have reduced returns or performance. The past performance of the Fund is not necessarily an indication of how it will perform in the future.

If you hold this Fund outside of a registered plan, income and capital gains distributions paid to you increase your income for tax purposes whether paid to you in cash or reinvested in additional securities of the Fund. The amount of reinvested taxable distributions is added to the adjusted cost base of the securities that you own. This would decrease your capital gain or increase your capital loss when you later redeem from the Fund, thereby ensuring that you are not taxed on this amount again. Please consult your tax advisor regarding your personal tax situation.

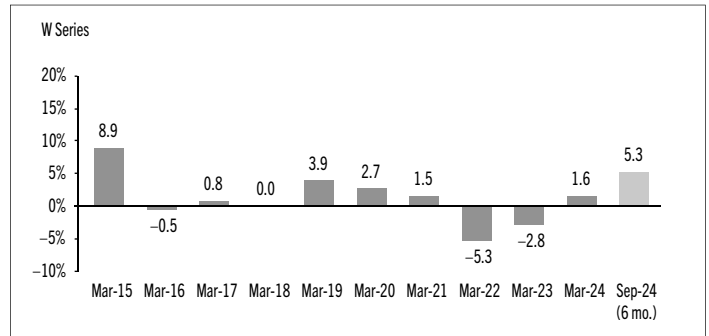
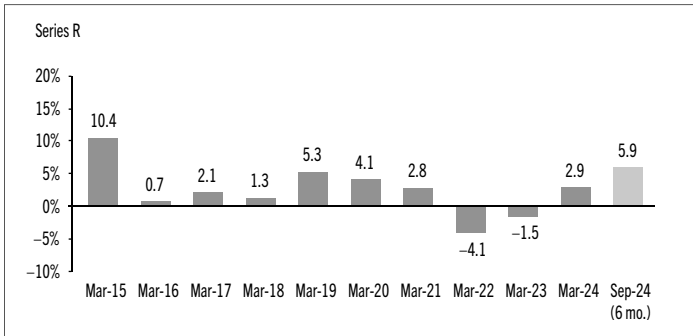
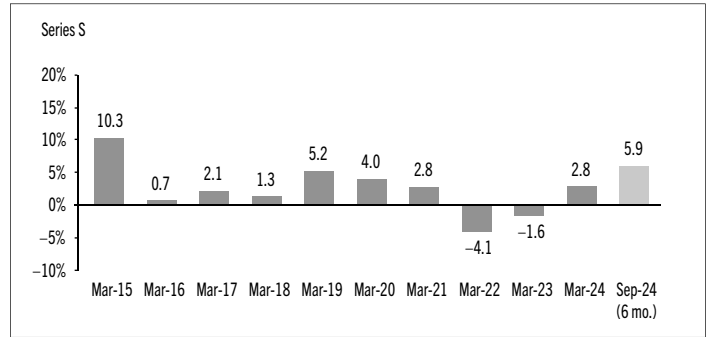
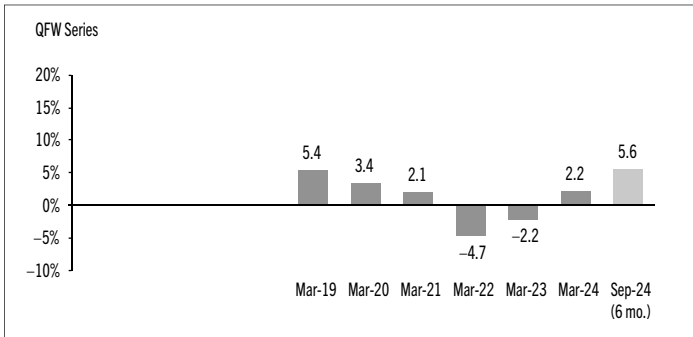
## Year-by-Year Returns

The following bar charts present the performance of each series of the Fund for each of the fiscal periods shown. The charts show, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on the first day of each fiscal period, or on the series inception or reinstatement date, as applicable, would have increased or decreased by the last day of the fiscal period presented. Series inception or reinstatement dates can be found under *Fund Formation and Series Information*.



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## Summary of Investment Portfolio at September 30, 2024

PORTFOLIO ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
Bonds	95.1
Bonds	93.6
Long bond futures*	1.5
Short bond futures*	–
Exchange-traded funds/notes	3.6
Cash and cash equivalents	0.7
Other assets (liabilities)	0.6

REGIONAL ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
Canada	81.7
United States	14.0
United Kingdom	0.8
Cash and cash equivalents	0.7
Other assets (liabilities)	0.6
Ireland	0.4
Mexico	0.3
Australia	0.3
Japan	0.2
Chile	0.2
Germany	0.2
Other	0.1
Brazil	0.1
France	0.1
China	0.1
Italy	0.1
Netherlands	0.1

SECTOR ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
Corporate bonds	56.8
Provincial bonds	22.4
Federal bonds	12.6
Exchange-traded funds/notes	3.6
Foreign government bonds	2.9
Cash and cash equivalents	0.7
Other assets (liabilities)	0.6
Mortgage backed	0.4

BONDS BY CREDIT RATING**	% OF NAV
AAA	12.1
AA	15.0
A	25.4
BBB	24.1
Less than BBB	6.7
Unrated	10.3

\* Notional values represent 1.4% of NAV for long bond futures and –4.4% of NAV for short bond futures.

\*\* Credit ratings and rating categories are based on ratings issued by a designated rating organization.

## TOP 25 LONG POSITIONS

Issuer/Underlying Fund	% OF NAV
Province of Ontario 4.15% 06-02-2034	7.0
Government of Canada 2.75% 12-01-2055	4.0
Government of Canada 3.00% 06-01-2034	3.4
Province of Quebec 4.40% 12-01-2055	3.3
Mackenzie Canadian Aggregate Bond Index ETF	2.6
Cash and cash equivalents	2.1
Province of Quebec 4.45% 09-01-2034	1.9
Province of Alberta 3.10% 06-01-2050	1.9
United States Treasury 0.12% 04-15-2025 Inflation Indexed	1.7
Canada Housing Trust 1.25% 06-15-2026	1.2
Mackenzie Canadian All Corporate Bond Index ETF	1.0
United States Treasury 2.13% 02-15-2054	1.0
Enbridge Inc. 5.37% 09-27-2077 Callable 2027	1.0
Province of Ontario 4.60% 12-02-2055	1.0
Government of Canada 2.25% 12-01-2029	0.9
TransCanada Trust F/R 05-18-2077 Callable 2027	0.8
Government of Canada 0.50% 12-01-2050	0.8
Province of Ontario 4.05% 02-02-2032	0.7
Government of Canada 3.50% 03-01-2034	0.6
Province of British Columbia 4.15% 06-18-2034	0.6
Verizon Communications Inc. 2.38% 03-22-2028	0.6
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce 4.95% 06-29-2027	0.6
Province of Manitoba 3.20% 03-05-2050	0.5
The Bank of Nova Scotia 5.50% 12-29-2025	0.5
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce 2.00% 04-17-2025	0.5

Top long positions as a percentage of total net asset value **40.2**

## TOP 25 SHORT POSITIONS

Issuer	% OF NAV
CME Ultra Long-Term U.S. Treasury Bond Futures	–

Top short positions as a percentage of total net asset value **–**

For the prospectus and other information about the underlying fund(s) held in the portfolio, visit [www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca). The manager of Mackenzie funds is related to the Manager.

The investments and percentages may have changed since September 30, 2024, due to the ongoing portfolio transactions of the Fund. Quarterly updates of holdings are available within 60 days of the end of each quarter except for March 31, the Fund's fiscal year-end, when they are available within 90 days. The quarterly updates are available by visiting [www.canadalifeinvest.ca](http://www.canadalifeinvest.ca).

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## 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 each of the fiscal periods presented below. If during the period a fund or series was established or reinstated, "period" represents the period from inception or reinstatement to the end of that fiscal period. Series inception or reinstatement dates can be found under *Fund Formation and Series Information*.

### THE FUND'S NET ASSETS PER SECURITY (\$)¹

A Series	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	10.47	10.54	11.07	11.88	11.88	11.76
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.22	0.39	0.34	0.32	0.34	0.36
Total expenses	(0.08)	(0.16)	(0.17)	(0.19)	(0.20)	(0.19)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.38)	(0.47)	(0.91)	(0.14)	0.33	–
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.76	0.33	0.34	(0.59)	(0.33)	0.08
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	0.52	0.09	(0.40)	(0.60)	0.14	0.25
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.14)	(0.19)	(0.17)	(0.14)	(0.13)	(0.16)
From Canadian dividends	–	(0.01)	–	–	–	–
From capital gains	–	–	–	(0.01)	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	(0.14)	(0.20)	(0.17)	(0.15)	(0.13)	(0.16)
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	10.86	10.47	10.54	11.07	11.88	11.88
<b>F Series</b>	<b>Sep. 30 2024</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2024</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2023</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2022</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2021</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2020</b>
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	10.45	10.51	11.03	11.85	11.86	11.75
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.22	0.39	0.34	0.32	0.33	0.36
Total expenses	(0.03)	(0.07)	(0.07)	(0.09)	(0.10)	(0.09)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.37)	(0.39)	(0.71)	(0.18)	0.21	(0.02)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.76	0.33	0.34	(0.59)	(0.33)	0.08
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	0.58	0.26	(0.10)	(0.54)	0.11	0.33
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.17)	(0.28)	(0.26)	(0.24)	(0.24)	(0.26)
From Canadian dividends	(0.01)	(0.01)	–	–	–	–
From capital gains	–	–	–	(0.01)	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	(0.18)	(0.29)	(0.26)	(0.25)	(0.24)	(0.26)
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	10.84	10.45	10.51	11.03	11.85	11.86

I Series	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	10.00	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.04	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Total expenses	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Realized gains (losses) for the period	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.13	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	0.17	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.03)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
From Canadian dividends	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
From capital gains	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Return of capital	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	(0.03)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	10.14	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>N Series</b>	<b>Sep. 30 2024</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2024</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2023</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2022</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2021</b>	<b>Mar. 31 2020</b>
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	9.35	9.40	9.87	10.59	10.58	10.46
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.20	0.35	0.30	0.28	0.30	0.32
Total expenses	–	–	–	–	–	–
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.35)	(0.39)	(0.84)	(0.12)	0.22	–
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.68	0.29	0.30	(0.52)	(0.29)	0.07
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	0.53	0.25	(0.24)	(0.36)	0.23	0.39
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.18)	(0.31)	(0.30)	(0.29)	(0.29)	(0.31)
From Canadian dividends	(0.01)	(0.01)	–	–	–	–
From capital gains	–	–	–	(0.01)	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	(0.19)	(0.32)	(0.30)	(0.30)	(0.29)	(0.31)
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	9.69	9.35	9.40	9.87	10.59	10.58

(1) These calculations are prescribed by securities regulations and are not intended to be a reconciliation between opening and closing net assets per security. This information is derived from the Fund's unaudited interim financial statements and audited annual financial statements. The net assets per security presented in the financial statements may differ from the net asset value per security calculated for fund pricing purposes. An explanation of these differences, if any, can be found in the *Notes to Financial Statements*.

(2) Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of securities outstanding at the relevant time. The increase/decrease from operations is based on the weighted average number of securities outstanding over the fiscal period.

(3) Distributions were paid in cash/reinvested in additional securities of the Fund, or both.

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## THE FUND'S NET ASSETS PER SECURITY (\$)¹ (cont'd)

QF Series	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	8.62	8.68	9.12	9.79	9.79	9.69
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.18	0.32	0.28	0.26	0.28	0.29
Total expenses	(0.04)	(0.07)	(0.07)	(0.08)	(0.09)	(0.08)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.32)	(0.39)	(0.77)	(0.11)	0.25	(0.02)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.63	0.27	0.28	(0.48)	(0.27)	0.07
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	<b>0.45</b>	<b>0.13</b>	<b>(0.28)</b>	<b>(0.41)</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>0.26</b>
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.13)	(0.22)	(0.21)	(0.19)	(0.19)	(0.20)
From Canadian dividends	(0.01)	(0.01)	-	-	-	-
From capital gains	-	-	-	(0.01)	-	-
Return of capital	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	<b>(0.14)</b>	<b>(0.23)</b>	<b>(0.21)</b>	<b>(0.20)</b>	<b>(0.19)</b>	<b>(0.20)</b>
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>8.94</b>	<b>8.62</b>	<b>8.68</b>	<b>9.12</b>	<b>9.79</b>	<b>9.79</b>

QFW Series	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	9.27	9.33	9.78	10.49	10.48	10.37
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.19	0.35	0.30	0.28	0.30	0.32
Total expenses	(0.03)	(0.06)	(0.06)	(0.07)	(0.07)	(0.07)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.32)	(0.38)	(0.80)	(0.19)	0.30	(0.16)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.68	0.29	0.30	(0.52)	(0.29)	0.07
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	<b>0.52</b>	<b>0.20</b>	<b>(0.26)</b>	<b>(0.50)</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>0.16</b>
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.15)	(0.25)	(0.24)	(0.22)	(0.22)	(0.24)
From Canadian dividends	(0.01)	(0.01)	-	-	-	-
From capital gains	-	-	-	(0.01)	-	-
Return of capital	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	<b>(0.16)</b>	<b>(0.26)</b>	<b>(0.24)</b>	<b>(0.23)</b>	<b>(0.22)</b>	<b>(0.24)</b>
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>9.61</b>	<b>9.27</b>	<b>9.33</b>	<b>9.78</b>	<b>10.49</b>	<b>10.48</b>

Series R	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	10.05	10.11	10.61	11.39	11.37	11.25
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.21	0.38	0.32	0.31	0.31	0.34
Total expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.40)	(0.43)	(1.07)	(0.15)	(0.07)	0.03
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.73	0.31	0.32	(0.56)	(0.30)	0.08
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	<b>0.54</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>(0.43)</b>	<b>(0.40)</b>	<b>(0.06)</b>	<b>0.45</b>
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.20)	(0.34)	(0.33)	(0.31)	(0.31)	(0.33)
From Canadian dividends	(0.01)	(0.01)	-	-	-	-
From capital gains	-	-	-	(0.01)	-	-
Return of capital	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	<b>(0.21)</b>	<b>(0.35)</b>	<b>(0.33)</b>	<b>(0.32)</b>	<b>(0.31)</b>	<b>(0.33)</b>
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>10.42</b>	<b>10.05</b>	<b>10.11</b>	<b>10.61</b>	<b>11.39</b>	<b>11.37</b>

Series S	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	10.16	10.22	10.73	11.51	11.50	11.37
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.21	0.38	0.32	0.31	0.33	0.34
Total expenses	-	-	-	-	-	-
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.28)	(0.41)	(1.04)	(0.20)	0.28	0.03
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.74	0.32	0.33	(0.57)	(0.32)	0.08
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	<b>0.67</b>	<b>0.29</b>	<b>(0.39)</b>	<b>(0.46)</b>	<b>0.29</b>	<b>0.45</b>
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.20)	(0.33)	(0.33)	(0.31)	(0.32)	(0.33)
From Canadian dividends	(0.01)	(0.02)	-	-	-	-
From capital gains	-	-	-	(0.01)	-	-
Return of capital	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	<b>(0.21)</b>	<b>(0.35)</b>	<b>(0.33)</b>	<b>(0.32)</b>	<b>(0.32)</b>	<b>(0.33)</b>
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>10.54</b>	<b>10.16</b>	<b>10.22</b>	<b>10.73</b>	<b>11.51</b>	<b>11.50</b>

W Series	Sep. 30 2024	Mar. 31 2024	Mar. 31 2023	Mar. 31 2022	Mar. 31 2021	Mar. 31 2020
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	9.13	9.18	9.63	10.33	10.32	10.21
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.19	0.34	0.29	0.28	0.29	0.31
Total expenses	(0.06)	(0.11)	(0.12)	(0.13)	(0.14)	(0.13)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.32)	(0.37)	(0.78)	(0.11)	0.31	(0.04)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.66	0.28	0.30	(0.51)	(0.29)	0.07
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	<b>0.47</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>(0.31)</b>	<b>(0.47)</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>0.21</b>
<b>Distributions:</b>						
From net investment income (excluding Canadian dividends)	(0.13)	(0.19)	(0.18)	(0.15)	(0.15)	(0.17)
From Canadian dividends	-	(0.01)	-	-	-	-
From capital gains	-	-	-	(0.01)	-	-
Return of capital	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	<b>(0.13)</b>	<b>(0.20)</b>	<b>(0.18)</b>	<b>(0.16)</b>	<b>(0.15)</b>	<b>(0.17)</b>
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>9.47</b>	<b>9.13</b>	<b>9.18</b>	<b>9.63</b>	<b>10.33</b>	<b>10.32</b>

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## RATIOS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

	Sep. 30	Mar. 31	Mar. 31	Mar. 31	Mar. 31	Mar. 31
	2024	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
<b>A Series</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	33,212	33,727	40,510	49,344	69,389	70,116
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	3,059	3,222	3,842	4,459	5,840	5,904
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	1.64	1.64	1.64	1.64	1.64	1.65
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	1.64	1.64	1.64	1.64	1.64	1.65
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	10.86	10.47	10.54	11.07	11.88	11.88
<b>F Series</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	5,749	5,372	4,704	3,296	3,914	3,715
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	531	514	447	299	330	313
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.66	0.66	0.72	0.89	0.88	0.89
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.66	0.67	0.72	0.89	0.88	0.89
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	10.84	10.44	10.51	11.03	11.85	11.86
<b>I Series</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	1	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Net asset value per security (\$)	10.14	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
<b>N Series</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	45,803	48,462	49,369	62,701	87,628	84,466
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	4,725	5,188	5,250	6,355	8,276	7,986
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	–	–	–	–	–	–
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.01	0.01	0.01	–	–	–
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	9.69	9.34	9.40	9.87	10.59	10.58
<b>QF Series</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	6,934	7,755	9,646	12,607	17,826	17,376
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	776	900	1,111	1,383	1,821	1,775
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.91	0.91	0.91	0.91	0.91	0.91
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.92	0.92	0.92	0.91	0.91	0.91
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	8.94	8.62	8.68	9.12	9.79	9.79

	Sep. 30	Mar. 31	Mar. 31	Mar. 31	Mar. 31	Mar. 31
	2024	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
<b>QFW Series</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	4,950	4,436	4,405	3,571	3,243	4,455
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	515	479	472	365	309	425
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.67	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.65
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.67	0.67	0.66	0.66	0.66	0.65
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	9.61	9.26	9.33	9.78	10.49	10.48
<b>Series R</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	68,329	88,123	95,494	190,741	242,592	79,332
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	6,555	8,773	9,444	17,978	21,307	6,976
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	–	–	–	–	–	–
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.01	0.01	–	–	–	–
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	10.42	10.04	10.11	10.61	11.39	11.37
<b>Series S</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	1,169	619	627	1,047	1,119	1,052
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	111	61	61	98	97	92
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	10.54	10.15	10.22	10.73	11.51	11.50
<b>W Series</b>						
Total net asset value (\$000) <sup>1</sup>	25,091	24,617	24,601	29,377	43,870	44,220
Securities outstanding (000) <sup>1</sup>	2,651	2,698	2,679	3,050	4,246	4,285
Management expense ratio (%) <sup>2</sup>	1.28	1.28	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>2</sup>	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29	1.29
Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>3</sup>	–	–	0.01	0.01	–	–
Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>4</sup>	150.83	78.83	94.29	65.72	63.20	10.53
Net asset value per security (\$)	9.47	9.12	9.18	9.63	10.33	10.32

- This information is provided as at the end of the fiscal period shown.
- Management expense ratio ("MER") is based on total expenses, excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs, income taxes and withholding taxes, for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets during the period, except as noted. In the period a series is established, the MER is annualized from the date of inception to the end of the period. Where the Fund directly invests in securities of another fund (including exchange-traded funds or "ETFs"), the MERs presented for the Fund include the portion of MERs of the other fund(s) attributable to this investment. Any income distributions received from ETFs managed by affiliates of the Manager, with the intention of offsetting fees paid within those ETFs but which are not considered to be duplicative fees under regulatory requirements, are treated as waived expenses for MER purposes. The Manager may waive or absorb operating expenses at its discretion and stop waiving or absorbing such expenses at any time without notice.
- The trading expense ratio ("TER") represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs incurred as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets during the period. Where the Fund invests in securities of another fund (including ETFs), the TERs presented for the Fund include the portion of TERs of the other fund(s) attributable to this investment.
- 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 period. The higher the Fund's portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a fund. The portfolio turnover rate is not provided when the Fund is less than one year old. The value of any trades to realign the Fund's portfolio after a fund merger, if any, is excluded from the portfolio turnover rate.



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## Management Fees

The management fee for each applicable series is calculated and accrued daily as a percentage of its NAV. The Fund's management fees were used by the Manager in part to pay Mackenzie, an affiliate of the Manager, for investment advisory services, including managing the investment portfolio of the Fund and/or the underlying fund(s), as applicable, including providing investment analysis and recommendations, making investment decisions and making brokerage arrangements for the purchase and sale of the investment portfolio.

The Manager is responsible for paying certain administrative costs and all sales commissions, trailing commissions and any other compensation (collectively, "distribution-related payments") to registered dealers whose clients invest in the Fund. As principal distributors for the Fund, Quadrus Investment Services Ltd. ("Quadrus"), IPC Investment Corporation and IPC Securities Corporation (collectively, the "Principal Distributors," individually, a "Principal Distributor"), each an affiliate of the Manager, are paid trailing commissions out of the management fees.

The Manager used approximately 38% of the total management fee revenues received from all Canada Life Mutual Funds during the period to fund distribution-related payments to Principal Distributors and authorized dealers. In comparison, such distribution-related payments for the Fund represented on average 31% of the management fees paid by all applicable series of the Fund during the period. The actual percentage for each series may be higher or lower than the average depending on the level of trailing commissions and sales commissions paid for that series.

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## Fund Formation and Series Information

The Fund may have undergone a number of changes, such as a reorganization or a change in manager, mandate or name. A history of the major changes affecting the Fund in the last 10 years can be found in the Fund's Simplified Prospectus.

Date of Formation: August 17, 1999

The Fund may issue an unlimited number of securities of each series. The number of issued and outstanding securities of each series is disclosed under *Financial Highlights*.

A Series securities are offered to investors investing a minimum of \$500.

F Series securities are offered to investors investing a minimum of \$500, who are enrolled in a fee-for-service or wrap program sponsored by a Principal Distributor and who are subject to an asset-based fee.

I Series securities are offered to investors investing a minimum of \$25,000, who are participating in the Canada Life Constellation Managed Portfolios Program, and who have entered into an I Series Account Agreement with CLIML and Quadrus which specifies the fees applicable to this account.

N Series securities are offered to investors investing a minimum of \$500, who have eligible minimum total holdings of \$500,000, and who have entered into an N Series Account Agreement with CLIML and a Principal Distributor.

QF Series securities are offered to retail investors investing a minimum of \$500. Investors are required to negotiate their advisor service fee, which cannot exceed 1.25%, with their advisor.

QFW Series securities are offered to high net worth investors investing a minimum of \$500 who have eligible minimum total holdings of \$500,000. Investors are required to negotiate their advisor service fee, which cannot exceed 1.25%, with their advisor.

Series R securities are offered only to other funds managed by CLIML on a non-prospectus basis in connection with fund-of-fund arrangements.

Series S securities are offered to The Canada Life Assurance Company and certain other mutual funds, but may be sold to other investors as determined by CLIML.

W Series securities are offered to investors investing a minimum of \$500 who have eligible minimum total holdings of \$500,000.

An investor in the Fund may choose among different purchase options that are available under each series. These purchase options are a sales charge purchase option, a redemption charge purchase option,<sup>†</sup> a low-load purchase option<sup>†</sup> and a no-load purchase option. The charges under the sales charge purchase option are negotiated by investors with their dealers. The charges under the redemption charge and low-load purchase options are paid to CLIML if an investor redeems securities of the Fund during specific periods. Not all purchase options are available under each series of the Fund, and the charges for each purchase option may vary among the different series. For further details on these purchase options, please refer to the Fund's Simplified Prospectus and Fund Facts.

Series	Inception/ Reinstatement Date	Management Fee	Administration Fee
A Series	September 7, 1999	1.30%	0.17%
F Series	January 15, 2001	0.45%	0.15%
I Series	August 30, 2024	— <sup>(1)</sup>	— <sup>(1)</sup>
N Series	October 24, 2011	— <sup>(1)</sup>	— <sup>(1)</sup>
QF Series	July 12, 2016	0.65%	0.17%
QFW Series	August 7, 2018	0.45%	0.15%
Series R	July 3, 2007	n/a	n/a
Series S	October 24, 2008	— <sup>(2)</sup>	0.02%
W Series	October 4, 2011	1.00%	0.15%

<sup>†</sup> The redemption charge purchase option and the low-load purchase option are no longer available for purchase, including those made through systematic purchase plans such as pre-authorized contribution plans. Switching from securities of a Canada Life Fund previously purchased under the redemption charge or low-load purchase options to securities of another Canada Life Fund, under the same purchase option, will continue to be available.

(1) This fee is negotiable and payable directly to CLIML by investors in this series through redemptions of their securities.

(2) This fee is negotiable and payable directly to CLIML by investors in this series.