Leith Wheeler Corporate Advantage Fund



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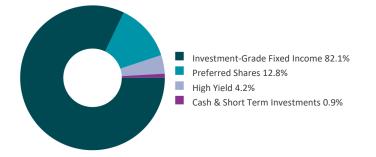
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#### **FUND DETAILS**

Asset Class	Investment-Grade Fixed Income
Total Fund Assets	\$207.3 million
Series	F
Series Inception Date	August 28, 2015
Fund Inception Date	May 29, 2014
Minimum Investment (\$)	\$5,000 initial; \$1,000 subsequent
Registered Account Eligibility	Yes
Number of Holdings	163
Benchmark	Blended <sup>1</sup>
Distribution Frequency	Monthly
Fees	MER 0.56%
Fund Code	LWF032
Effective Yield	5.38%

1. 50% FTSE Canada Mid Term Corporate Bond; 50% FTSE Canada Short Term Corporate Bond

## **ASSET ALLOCATION (% OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO)**



## **FUND OBJECTIVE**

To provide a relatively stable source of monthly income. The Fund will invest in fixed income securities (including corporate bonds, preferred shares, high yield bonds, loans, convertible debt and guaranteed mortgages).

#### **INVESTMENT STYLE**

The Fund invests in a mix of assets to provide a source of income. The asset mix includes investment grade fixed income securities, providing the lower risk portion of the portfolio, and preferred shares, high yield debt, loans, convertible debt and guaranteed mortgages, which provide additional income with less liquidity and potentially more credit risk. The allocation of investments in the Fund is determined by the Manager to optimize the income and balance the risk of the portfolio.

The Fund primarily invests in a range of Canadian securities aand may lso invest in foreign securities. The Fund will also invest in a broad range of compnies and is not restricted by capitlization or industry sector, although portfolio diversification is a consideration in the selection of securities of the Fund. We seek to earn risk-adjusted income by identifying opportunities to shift investments amongst various maturities and issuers, so long as those purchases would not exceed 10% of this Fund s assets and would comply with the other investment restrictions that govern this Fund. Up to 20% of the assets of the fund may be invested in foreign securities.

## WHO IS THIS FUND FOR?

- You want a relatively stable source of monthly income
- You are comfortable with low to medium investment risk

## **TOP 10 HOLDINGS (% OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO)**

LW PREFERRED SHARE FUND SERIES A	13.0%
LW MULTI CREDIT FUND SERIES A	4.7%
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA 1.833% Jul/31/28	1.5%
MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORP FF 5.409% Mar/10/33	1.5%
CHOICE PROPERTIES REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST 3.532% Jun/11/29	1.4%
JPMORGAN CHASE AND CO FF 1.896% Mar/05/28	1.4%
TORONTO-DOMINION BANK THE FF 3.105% Apr/22/30	1.4%
INTER PIPELINE LTD 6.59% Feb/09/34	1.3%
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA THE 1.85% Nov/02/26	1.1%
DOLLARAMA INC 2.443% Jul/09/29	1.1%
% of Overall Portfolio	28.5%



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#### **ANNUALIZED RETURNS (NET OF FEES)\***

	1 month	3 months	YTD	1 year	3 years	4 years	5 years	10 years	Since Inception (Sep 10, 2015)**
Fund	1.1%	2.0%	2.0%	7.4%	1.0%	4.3%	2.6%	-	2.8%
Benchmark***	0.7%	0.5%	0.5%	5.4%	0.4%	2.3%	2.1%	-	2.5%

\* Performance periods greater than 1 year have been annualized.

\*\* Performance calculation start date is September 10, 2015, which is the date of first unitholder contribution to the Series.

## **CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (NET OF FEES)**

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Fund	7.9 %	-8.5 %	2.1 %	7.4 %	6.1 %	-0.7 %	3.2 %	4.7 %	-	_
Benchmark***	7.6 %	-7.2 %	-1.0 %	8.7 %	6.5 %	1.5 %	1.8 %	3.3 %	-	_

On March 31, 2021, the Fund formally adopted an investment performance benchmark you can use to assess the relative performance of your investments versus a blend of published indices. We have chosen a blended benchmark that has similar risk and return characteristics and asset classes to the Fund. However, the characteristics of the benchmark will not match that of the Fund due to our active management of the Fund and because the Fund does not use a fixed ratio identical to the benchmark. The benchmark is being presented retroactively to help you better assess the Fund's past performance. The blended benchmark is 50% FTSE Canada Short Term Corporate Bond Index and 50% FTSE Canada Mid Term Corporate Bond Index.

#### **FIXED INCOME DETAILS**

Average Credit Quality	А
Modified Duration	3.6 Years
Average Term	5.1 Years

## **CREDIT RATING PROFILE (% OF FIXED INCOME)**

ААА	1.9%
AA	2.3%
A	40.5%
BBB	49.6%
BB	4.0%
В	1.6%
CC	0.0%
NR	0.1%

# MATURITY (% OF FIXED INCOME)

0-3 Years	18.6%
3-5 Years	21.1%
5-10 Years	55.8%
>10 Years	4.5%

#### **SECTOR ALLOCATION (% OF FIXED INCOME)**

Investment Grade Corporates	92.6%
High Yield Corporates	3.1%
Maples	2.5%
High Yield Senior Loans	1.7%

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Fund Profile as of March 31, 2024

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