

# Counsel Focus Balanced Portfolio Series A

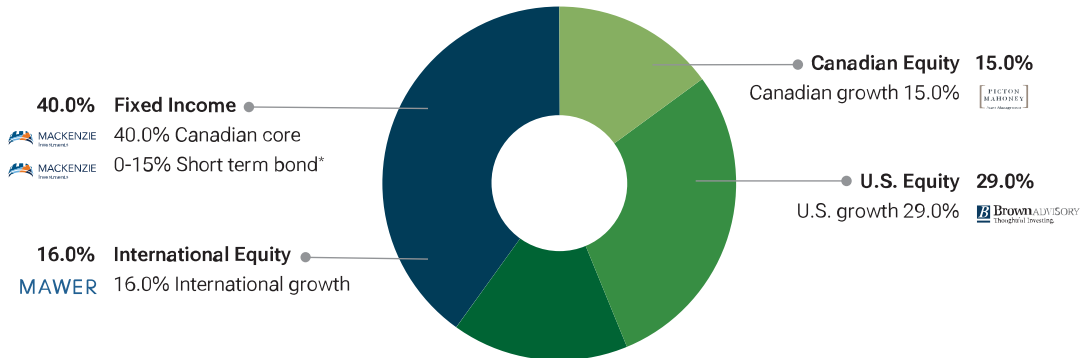
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A diversified portfolio that seeks to provide investors with a portfolio designed to achieve a balance of long-term capital appreciation and income. The portfolio will invest either directly, or through securities of other investment funds, in equity and fixed-income securities of a variety of Canadian, U.S. and international issuers.

## Is this portfolio right for you?

- Provides access to global neutral balanced fund that is designed to provide long-term growth potential through a concentrated selection of globally diversified, high conviction, growth-oriented large-cap equities.
- Fixed income allocation provides stability.
- Monthly distributions.

## Neutral portfolio allocation<sup>1</sup>



\*Target range is shown for these allocations because the neutral weight is 0%.

## Annualized performance (%)

Period	1 mth	3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr	Inception return
Series A	-0.2	1.6	8.4	20.5	2.1	-	-	4.0

## Performance (%) calendar year returns

Period	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD
Series A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8.6	-17.4	14.7	10.2

## Historical performance (%) Current value of \$10,000



## Key data

Fund type	Global Neutral Balanced
Fund code	CGF434
Inception date	October 19, 2020
Mgmt. fee	1.80%
Admin. fee	0.15%
MER	2.21%

## Distribution frequency

Income	Monthly
Capital gains	Annual
Distributions	\$0.09

Distributions represent the annual distributions paid during 2023

## Risk tolerance

Low to Medium

## Portfolio characteristics

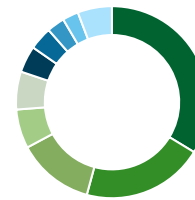
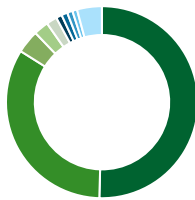
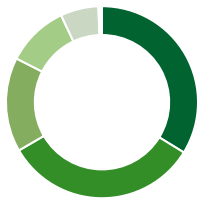
Dividend yield	2.2%
Yield to maturity	3.9%
Duration (years)	7.2
Average credit rating	A

## Investment

Min.	Subsq.	RRSP eligible
\$500	\$100	Yes

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How the fund is invested<sup>2</sup> as at Aug 31, 2024



Asset allocation	(%)	Geographic allocation	(%)	Sector allocation	(%)
Domestic Bonds	33.8	Canada	50.5	Fixed Income	33.8
US Equity	32.9	United States	33.5	Technology	20.6
International Equity	15.9	United Kingdom	3.9	Financial Services	13.0
Canadian Equity	10.5	Japan	2.5	Healthcare	6.6
Cash and Equivalents	6.4	Netherlands	1.8	Cash and Cash Equivalent	6.4
Income Trust Units	0.3	Denmark	1.0	Consumer Services	4.5
Foreign Bonds	0.1	Ireland	1.0	Industrial Services	3.9
Other	0.2	France	0.9	Basic Materials	3.0
		Italy	0.8	Energy	2.7
		Other	4.2	Other	5.8

## Top holdings

Underlying funds/holdings	(%) of NAV
Counsel Canadian Core Fixed Income	35.1
Counsel U.S. Growth Equity	33.3
Counsel International Growth	16.5
Counsel Canadian Growth	12.0
Counsel Short Term Bond	3.3

Top equity holdings	(%) of NAV
NVIDIA Corp	2.7
Microsoft Corp	2.3
Amazon.com Inc	2.0
ServiceNow Inc	1.5
Intuit Inc	1.5
Visa Inc Cl A	1.3
KKR & Co Inc	1.3
Alphabet Inc Cl A	1.2
Progressive Corp	1.2
Monolithic Power Systems Inc	1.2

Top fixed income holdings	(%) of NAV
Ontario Province 4.15% 02-Jun-2034	2.6
Canada Government 3.00% 01-Jun-2034	1.7
Canada Government 2.75% 01-Dec-2055	1.2
Quebec Province 4.40% 01-Dec-2055	1.0
Quebec Province 4.45% 01-Sep-2034	1.0
Canada Government 0.50% 01-Dec-2050	0.8
Alberta Province 3.10% 01-Jun-2050	0.7
Canada Government 2.75% 01-Jun-2033	0.6
Canada Housing Trust No 1 1.90% 15-Sep-2026	0.6
Ontario Province 4.60% 02-Dec-2055	0.5

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