



# CIBC Managed Balanced Growth Portfolio

## Annual Management Report of Fund Performance

for the financial year ended December 31, 2016

All figures are reported in Canadian dollars unless otherwise noted.

This annual management report of fund performance contains financial highlights but does not contain the complete annual financial statements of the investment fund. If you have not received a copy of the annual financial statements with this annual management report of fund performance, you can get a copy of the annual financial statements at your request, and at no cost, by calling us toll-free at 1-800-465-3863, by writing to us at CIBC, 18 York Street, Suite 1300, Toronto, Ontario, M5J 2T8, or by visiting [www.cibc.com/mutualfunds](http://www.cibc.com/mutualfunds) or the SEDAR website at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

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### Management Discussion of Fund Performance

#### Investment Objective and Strategies

**Investment Objective:** CIBC Managed Balanced Growth Portfolio (the *Portfolio*) seeks to create a diversified portfolio by allocating its investments across a balanced blend of asset classes. Within the asset classes, the Portfolio will invest primarily in Mutual Funds including savings, income, and growth funds (the *Underlying Funds*). The Portfolio will focus primarily on long-term capital growth with a secondary focus on income generation.

**Investment Strategies:** The Portfolio employs a long-term strategic asset mix weighting among the Underlying Funds of 35% income and 65% growth funds. While the asset mix of the Portfolio is not generally actively managed, a review and change of the strategic asset mix may be necessary in order to meet the investment objective. The Portfolio may also rebalance the mix of the Underlying Funds to realign the weightings within the strategic asset mix.

#### Risk

The Portfolio is a global equity balanced portfolio that is suitable for medium- to long-term investors who can tolerate low to medium investment risk.

For the period ended December 31, 2016, the Portfolio's overall level of risk remains as discussed in the simplified prospectus.

#### Results of Operations

The portfolio advisor of the Portfolio is CIBC Asset Management Inc. (CAMI or the *Portfolio Advisor*). The commentary that follows provides a summary of the results of operations for the period ended December 31, 2016. All dollar figures are expressed in thousands, unless otherwise indicated.

The Portfolio's net asset value increased by 9% during the period, from \$1,482,257 as at December 31, 2015 to \$1,622,872 as at December 31, 2016. Net sales of \$81,127 and positive investment performance resulted in an overall increase in net asset value.

Class A units of the Portfolio posted a return of 3.7% for the period. The Portfolio's primary benchmark, the MSCI World Index (the *primary benchmark*), returned 4.4% for the same period. The Portfolio's

blended benchmark (the *blended benchmark*) comprises 30% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond Index, 17% S&P/TSX Composite Index, 15% S&P 500 Index, 8% Russell 3000 Value Index, 8% MSCI EAFE Index, 5% Citigroup World Government Bond Index, 5% FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Real Estate Index (Net), 5% MSCI Europe Index, 4% MSCI Emerging Markets Index and 3% MSCI All Country Asia Pacific Index. The blended benchmark returned 6.3% for the same period. The blended benchmark closely reflects the asset classes in which the Portfolio invests. It will provide a more useful comparative to the performance of the Portfolio. The Portfolio's return is after the deduction of fees and expenses, unlike the primary and blended benchmarks. See *Past Performance* for the returns of other classes of units offered by the Portfolio.

The Portfolio has target allocations of 30.0% Canadian fixed income securities, 23.0% U.S. equities, 21.0% international equities, 17.0% Canadian equities, 5.0% global fixed income securities and 4.0% emerging markets equities.

Weak commodity prices and the Fort McMurray, Alberta, wildfires led to disappointing Canadian economic growth. This was exacerbated by a lack of strength in the U.S. business sector. In the Canadian fixed income market, corporate bonds outperformed as investors sought higher-yielding alternatives to government bonds. The Bank of Canada maintained its overnight target rate at 0.50% at its meeting in December as a result of the global uncertainty that continued to negatively affect business confidence and investment.

In June, the U.K.'s vote to leave the European Union (*Brexit*) resulted in a brief decline in the U.S. equity market. In November, the outcome of the U.S. presidential election led to a major market rotation in the U.S. equity market, as investors sought stocks more likely to benefit from the new administration's policy initiatives. Value-oriented stocks, particularly those generating high dividends, outperformed growth-oriented stocks by a wide margin.

International equity markets were affected by several events, including the Brexit vote, the Italian referendum and the U.S. presidential election, which contributed to higher volatility and sector rotation.

Higher-risk assets, which tend to be highly correlated with oil prices, rose strongly from their first-quarter lows over the period. International equity markets were led by the energy, materials and industrials sectors.

Late in the year, the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) struck an agreement with some non-OPEC producers to cut oil production for the first time in eight years, causing energy prices to recover from early-year lows. As a result, Canada had the best-performing equity market among the developed economies, led primarily by the materials and energy sectors.

In global fixed income markets, longer-term sovereign bond yields, irrespective of quality, fell leading up to and after the Brexit referendum. In the emerging markets, equities benefited from a weakening U.S. dollar, stabilizing commodity prices and a less negative outlook for the Chinese economy.

From an underlying fund perspective, CIBC U.S. Equity Fund was the most significant detractor from the Portfolio's performance relative to the blended benchmark, followed by CIBC International Equity Fund and CIBC European Equity Fund.

Underlying fund Renaissance Corporate Bond Fund was the most significant contributor to the Portfolio's relative performance, followed by CIBC Canadian Bond Fund and CIBC Global Bond Fund.

### Recent Developments

Effective September 6, 2016, the maximum annual trailing commission was reduced from 1.20% to 1.00% for Class A, Class T4, Class T6 and Class T8 units of the Portfolio.

Effective April 27, 2016, the composition of the Independent Review Committee (IRC) changed. John Crow resigned his position as member and Chair. Marcia Lewis Brown was appointed as member and Don Hunter was appointed as Chair.

### Related Party Transactions

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC) and its affiliates have the following roles and responsibilities with respect to the Portfolio, and receive the fees described below in connection with their roles and responsibilities.

#### Manager

CIBC is the Manager of the Portfolio. The Portfolio holds units of other mutual funds (the *Underlying Funds*), which may also be managed by CIBC or its affiliates. CIBC receives management fees with respect to the day-to-day business and operations of the Portfolio, calculated based on the net asset value of each respective class of units of the Portfolio as described in the section entitled *Management Fees*. The Manager also compensates its wholesalers in connection with their marketing activities regarding the Portfolio. From time to time, CIBC may provide seed capital to the Portfolio.

#### Trustee

CIBC Trust Corporation, a wholly-owned subsidiary of CIBC, is the trustee (the *Trustee*) of the Portfolio. The Trustee holds title to the

property (cash and securities) of the Portfolio on behalf of its unitholders.

#### Portfolio Advisor

The portfolio advisor provides, or arranges to provide, investment advice and portfolio management services to the Portfolio. CAMI, a wholly-owned subsidiary of CIBC, is the portfolio advisor of the Portfolio.

#### Distributor

Dealers and other firms sell the units of the Portfolio to investors. These dealers and other firms include CIBC's related dealers such as the principal distributor, CIBC Securities Inc. (*CIBC SI*), the CIBC Investor's Edge discount brokerage division of CIBC Investor Services Inc. (*CIBC ISI*), the CIBC Imperial Service division of CIBC ISI, and the CIBC Wood Gundy division of CIBC World Markets Inc. (*CIBC WM*). CIBC SI, CIBC ISI, and CIBC WM are wholly-owned subsidiaries of CIBC.

CIBC may pay trailing commissions to these dealers and firms in connection with the sale of units of the Portfolio. These dealers and other firms may pay a portion of these trailing commissions to their advisors who sell units of the Portfolio to investors.

#### Brokerage Arrangements and Soft Dollars

The Portfolio Advisor purchases and sells units of the Underlying Funds on behalf of the Portfolio and, as a result, the Portfolio does not incur any sales charges or brokerage commissions with respect to execution of portfolio transactions of the Underlying Funds.

Decisions that the Portfolio Advisor may make as to brokerage transactions, including the selection of markets and dealers and the negotiation of commissions, would be based on elements such as price, speed of execution, certainty of execution, and total transaction costs.

CIBC WM and CIBC World Markets Corp. may also earn spreads on the sale of securities to the Portfolio. A spread is the difference between the bid and ask prices for a security in the applicable marketplace, with respect to the execution of portfolio transactions. The spread will differ based upon various factors such as the type and liquidity of the security.

Dealers, including CIBC WM and CIBC World Markets Corp., may furnish goods and services, other than order execution, to the Portfolio Advisor in partial exchange for processing trades through them (referred to in the industry as "soft dollar" arrangements). These goods and services are paid for with a portion of the brokerage commissions and assist the Portfolio Advisor with investment decision-making services for the Portfolio or relate directly to the execution of trades on behalf of the Portfolio.

In addition, CIBC may enter into commission recapture arrangements with certain dealers with respect to the Portfolio. Any commission recaptured will be paid to the Portfolio.

During the period, the Portfolio did not pay any brokerage commissions or other fees to CIBC WM or CIBC World Markets Corp.

Spreads associated with fixed income and other securities are not ascertainable and, for that reason, cannot be included when determining these amounts.

*Custodian*

CIBC Mellon Trust Company is the custodian of the Portfolio (the *Custodian*). The Custodian holds all cash and securities for the Portfolio and ensures that those assets are kept separate from any other cash or securities that the Custodian might be holding. The Custodian also provides other services to the Portfolio including record-keeping and processing of foreign exchange transactions. The Custodian may hire sub-custodians for the Portfolio. The fees and spreads for services of the Custodian directly related to the execution of portfolio transactions by the Portfolio are paid by CAMI and/or dealer(s) directed by CAMI, up to the amount of the credits generated under soft dollar arrangements from trading on behalf of the Portfolio during that month. All other fees and spreads for the services of the Custodian are paid by the Manager and charged to the Portfolio on a recoverable basis. CIBC owns a 50% interest in the Custodian.

*Service Provider*

CIBC Mellon Global Securities Services Company (*CIBC GSS*) provides certain services to the Portfolio, including fund accounting and reporting, securities lending, and portfolio valuation. Such servicing fees are paid by the Manager and charged to the Portfolio on a recoverable basis. CIBC indirectly owns 50% interest in CIBC GSS.

## CIBC Managed Balanced Growth Portfolio

### Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Portfolio and are intended to help you understand the Portfolio's financial performance for the period ended December 31.

#### The Portfolio's Net Assets per Unit<sup>1</sup> - Class A Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>	\$ 13.20	\$ 12.44	\$ 12.58	\$ 10.74	\$ 9.85
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>					
Total revenue	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.34	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.28
Total expenses	(0.33)	(0.32)	(0.32)	(0.29)	(0.25)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.34	0.30	1.29	0.07	0.05
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.13	0.46	(0.39)	1.78	0.80
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations<sup>2</sup></b>	\$ 0.51	\$ 0.81	\$ 0.92	\$ 1.84	\$ 0.88
<b>Distributions:</b>					
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.01	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –
From dividends	0.04	0.05	–	–	–
From capital gains	0.05	0.04	1.08	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Total Distributions<sup>3</sup></b>	\$ 0.10	\$ 0.09	\$ 1.08	\$ –	\$ –
<b>Net Assets, end of period</b>	\$ 13.59	\$ 13.20	\$ 12.44	\$ 12.58	\$ 10.74

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<sup>2</sup> Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant time. The total increase (decrease) from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding during the period.

<sup>3</sup> Distributions were paid in cash, reinvested in additional units of the Portfolio, or both.

#### Ratios and Supplemental Data - Class A Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Total Net Asset Value (000s)<sup>4</sup></b>	\$ 1,616,669	\$ 1,476,608	\$ 1,264,603	\$ 1,064,920	\$ 815,675
<b>Number of Units Outstanding<sup>4</sup></b>	118,966,219	111,854,644	101,641,552	84,644,381	75,960,671
<b>Management Expense Ratio<sup>5</sup></b>	2.46%	2.46%	2.46%	2.46%	2.45%
<b>Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions<sup>6</sup></b>	2.55%	2.55%	2.56%	2.59%	2.91%
<b>Trading Expense Ratio<sup>7</sup></b>	0.12%	0.12%	0.11%	0.10%	0.11%
<b>Portfolio Turnover Rate<sup>8</sup></b>	5.16%	4.23%	61.75%	3.29%	7.31%
<b>Net Asset Value per Unit</b>	\$ 13.59	\$ 13.20	\$ 12.44	\$ 12.58	\$ 10.74

<sup>4</sup> This information is presented as at December 31 of the period(s) shown.

<sup>5</sup> Management expense ratio is based on the total expenses of the fund (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs), incurred by or allocated to a class of units for the period shown, expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value of that class during the period.

<sup>6</sup> The decision to waive and/or absorb management fees and operating expenses is at the discretion of the Manager. The practice of waiving and/or absorbing management fees and operating expenses may continue indefinitely or may be terminated at any time without notice to unitholders.

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<sup>8</sup> The portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the portfolio advisor and/or portfolio sub-advisor manages the portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to a fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher a portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by a 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.

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### The Portfolio's Net Assets per Unit<sup>1</sup> - Class T4 Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>	\$ 11.32	\$ 11.01	\$ 11.48	\$ 10.13	\$ 9.66
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>					
Total revenue	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.30
Total expenses	(0.27)	(0.28)	(0.29)	(0.26)	(0.25)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.30	0.26	1.16	0.07	0.06
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.08	0.41	(0.34)	1.66	0.73
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations<sup>2</sup></b>	\$ 0.43	\$ 0.71	\$ 0.83	\$ 1.73	\$ 0.84
<b>Distributions:</b>					
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.01	\$ 0.03	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –
From dividends	0.04	0.41	–	–	–
From capital gains	0.41	–	1.31	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	0.38	0.38
<b>Total Distributions<sup>3</sup></b>	\$ 0.46	\$ 0.44	\$ 1.31	\$ 0.38	\$ 0.38
<b>Net Assets, end of period</b>	\$ 11.28	\$ 11.32	\$ 11.01	\$ 11.48	\$ 10.13

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<sup>2</sup> Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant time. The total increase (decrease) from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding during the period.

<sup>3</sup> Distributions were paid in cash, reinvested in additional units of the Portfolio, or both.

### Ratios and Supplemental Data - Class T4 Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Total Net Asset Value (000s)<sup>4</sup></b>	\$ 3,081	\$ 2,713	\$ 2,434	\$ 1,967	\$ 1,522
<b>Number of Units Outstanding<sup>4</sup></b>	273,206	239,631	221,033	171,364	150,238
<b>Management Expense Ratio<sup>5</sup></b>	2.45%	2.45%	2.46%	2.46%	2.47%
<b>Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions<sup>6</sup></b>	2.63%	2.63%	2.63%	2.59%	3.09%
<b>Trading Expense Ratio<sup>7</sup></b>	0.12%	0.12%	0.11%	0.10%	0.11%
<b>Portfolio Turnover Rate<sup>8</sup></b>	5.16%	4.23%	61.75%	3.29%	7.31%
<b>Net Asset Value per Unit</b>	\$ 11.28	\$ 11.32	\$ 11.01	\$ 11.48	\$ 10.13

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### The Portfolio's Net Assets per Unit<sup>1</sup> - Class T6 Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>	\$ 9.89	\$ 9.81	\$ 10.42	\$ 9.40	\$ 9.15
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>					
Total revenue	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.25
Total expenses	(0.23)	(0.25)	(0.26)	(0.24)	(0.23)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.20	0.22	1.17	0.06	0.05
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.27	0.42	(0.46)	1.52	0.60
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations<sup>2</sup></b>	\$ 0.49	\$ 0.67	\$ 0.74	\$ 1.61	\$ 0.67
<b>Distributions:</b>					
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.01	\$ 0.04	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –
From dividends	0.02	0.55	–	–	–
From capital gains	0.56	–	1.37	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	0.55	0.55
<b>Total Distributions<sup>3</sup></b>	\$ 0.59	\$ 0.59	\$ 1.37	\$ 0.55	\$ 0.55
<b>Net Assets, end of period</b>	\$ 9.66	\$ 9.89	\$ 9.81	\$ 10.42	\$ 9.40

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### Ratios and Supplemental Data - Class T6 Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Total Net Asset Value (000s)<sup>4</sup></b>	\$ 1,146	\$ 1,362	\$ 644	\$ 423	\$ 188
<b>Number of Units Outstanding<sup>4</sup></b>	118,733	137,700	65,628	40,581	19,990
<b>Management Expense Ratio<sup>5</sup></b>	2.41%	2.45%	2.48%	2.44%	2.49%
<b>Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions<sup>6</sup></b>	2.49%	2.54%	2.60%	2.54%	3.86%
<b>Trading Expense Ratio<sup>7</sup></b>	0.12%	0.12%	0.11%	0.10%	0.11%
<b>Portfolio Turnover Rate<sup>8</sup></b>	5.16%	4.23%	61.75%	3.29%	7.31%
<b>Net Asset Value per Unit</b>	\$ 9.66	\$ 9.89	\$ 9.81	\$ 10.42	\$ 9.40

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### The Portfolio's Net Assets per Unit<sup>1</sup> - Class T8 Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>	\$ 8.84	\$ 8.95	\$ 9.71	\$ 8.94	\$ 8.87
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>					
Total revenue	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.25
Total expenses	(0.21)	(0.23)	(0.24)	(0.23)	(0.22)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.23	0.21	1.10	0.06	0.05
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	0.07	0.32	(0.48)	1.45	0.70
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations<sup>2</sup></b>	\$ 0.34	\$ 0.56	\$ 0.65	\$ 1.55	\$ 0.78
<b>Distributions:</b>					
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ —	\$ 0.05	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
From dividends	0.03	0.67	—	—	—
From capital gains	0.71	—	1.46	—	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	0.71	0.71
<b>Total Distributions<sup>3</sup></b>	\$ 0.74	\$ 0.72	\$ 1.46	\$ 0.71	\$ 0.71
<b>Net Assets, end of period</b>	\$ 8.40	\$ 8.84	\$ 8.95	\$ 9.71	\$ 8.94

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### Ratios and Supplemental Data - Class T8 Units

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
<b>Total Net Asset Value (000s)<sup>4</sup></b>	\$ 1,976	\$ 1,574	\$ 1,380	\$ 924	\$ 497
<b>Number of Units Outstanding<sup>4</sup></b>	235,273	178,188	154,206	95,120	55,546
<b>Management Expense Ratio<sup>5</sup></b>	2.47%	2.48%	2.47%	2.47%	2.46%
<b>Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions<sup>6</sup></b>	2.58%	2.59%	2.60%	2.58%	3.26%
<b>Trading Expense Ratio<sup>7</sup></b>	0.12%	0.12%	0.11%	0.10%	0.11%
<b>Portfolio Turnover Rate<sup>8</sup></b>	5.16%	4.23%	61.75%	3.29%	7.31%
<b>Net Asset Value per Unit</b>	\$ 8.40	\$ 8.84	\$ 8.95	\$ 9.71	\$ 8.94

<sup>4</sup> This information is presented as at December 31 of the period(s) shown.

<sup>5</sup> Management expense ratio is based on the total expenses of the fund (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs), incurred by or allocated to a class of units for the period shown, expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value of that class during the period.

<sup>6</sup> The decision to waive and/or absorb management fees and operating expenses is at the discretion of the Manager. The practice of waiving and/or absorbing management fees and operating expenses may continue indefinitely or may be terminated at any time without notice to unitholders.

<sup>7</sup> The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs before income taxes expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value during the period. Spreads associated with fixed income securities trading are not ascertainable and, for that reason, are not included in the trading expense ratio calculation.

<sup>8</sup> The portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the portfolio advisor and/or portfolio sub-advisor manages the portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to a fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher a portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by a 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.

## Management Fees

The Portfolio, either directly or indirectly, pays an annual management fee to CIBC to cover the costs of managing the Portfolio. Management fees are based on the net asset value of the Portfolio and are calculated daily and paid monthly. Management fees are paid to CIBC in consideration for providing, or arranging for the provision of, management, distribution, and portfolio advisory services. Advertising and promotional expenses, office overhead expenses, trailing commissions, and the fees of the portfolio sub-advisor(s) are paid by CIBC out of the management fees received from the Portfolio. The Portfolio is required to pay applicable taxes on the management fees paid to CIBC. Refer to the Simplified Prospectus for the maximum annual management fee rate for each class of units.

The following table shows a breakdown of the services received in consideration of the management fees, as a percentage of the management fees collected from the Portfolio for the period ended December 31, 2016. These amounts do not include waived fees or absorbed expenses.

	Class A Units	Class T4 Units	Class T6 Units	Class T8 Units
Sales and trailing commissions paid to dealers	9.27%	3.18%	19.15%	12.08%
General administration, investment advice, and profit	90.73%	96.82%	80.85%	87.92%

## Past Performance

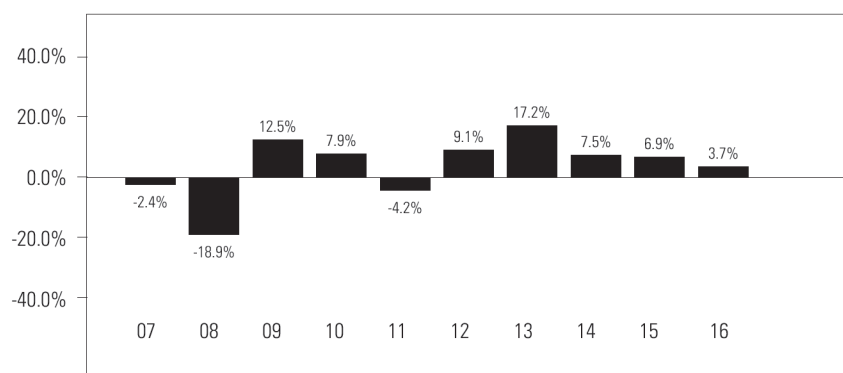
The performance data provided assumes reinvestment of distributions only and does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution, or other optional charges payable by any unitholder that would have reduced returns. Past performance does not necessarily indicate how a fund will perform in the future.

The Portfolio's returns are after the deduction of fees and expenses, and the difference in returns between classes of units is primarily due to differences in the management expense ratio. See the section entitled *Financial Highlights* for the management expense ratio.

## Year-by-Year Returns

These bar charts show the annual performance of each class of units of the Portfolio for each of the periods shown, and illustrate how the performance has changed from period to period. These bar charts show, in percentage terms, how an investment made on January 1 would have increased or decreased by December 31, unless otherwise indicated.

*Class A Units*

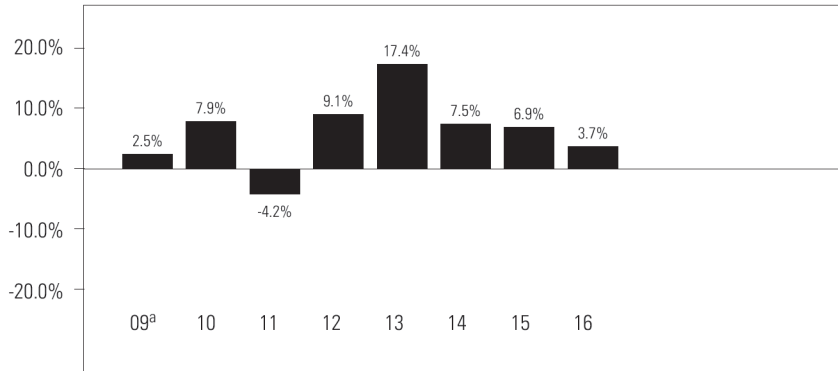




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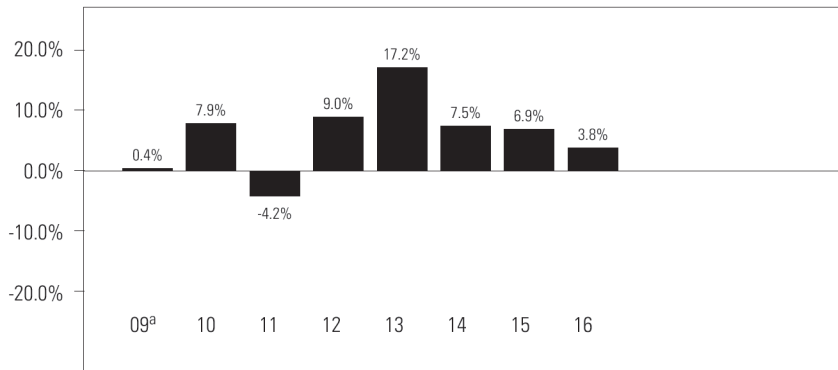
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**Class T4 Units**



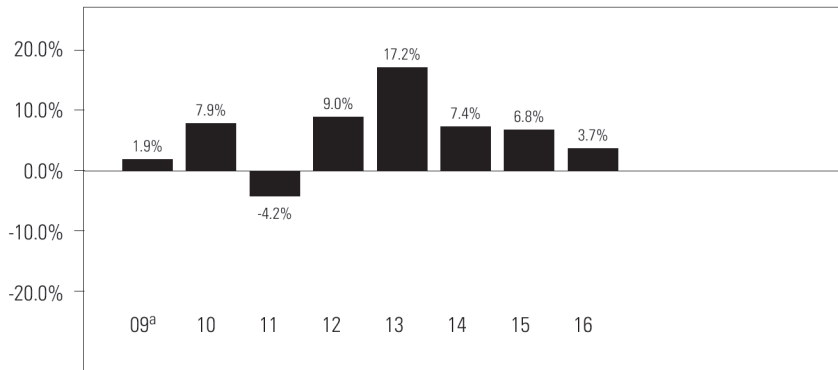
<sup>a</sup> 2009 return is for the period from November 5, 2009 to December 31, 2009.

**Class T6 Units**



<sup>a</sup> 2009 return is for the period from November 16, 2009 to December 31, 2009.

**Class T8 Units**



<sup>a</sup> 2009 return is for the period from November 16, 2009 to December 31, 2009.

**Annual Compound Returns**

This table shows the annual compound return of each class of units of the Portfolio for each indicated period ended on December 31, 2016. The annual compound total return is also compared to the Portfolio's benchmark(s).

The Portfolio's primary benchmark is the MSCI World Index.

The Portfolio's blended benchmark (*Blended Benchmark*) is comprised of the following:

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- 30% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond Index
- 17% S&P/TSX Composite Index
- 15% S&P 500 Index
- 8% MSCI EAFE Index
- 8% Russell 3000 Value Index
- 5% Citigroup World Government Bond Index
- 5% FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Real Estate Index (Net)
- 5% MSCI Europe Index
- 4% MSCI Emerging Markets Index
- 3% MSCI All Country Asia Pacific Index

	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years*	or	Since Inception*	Inception Date
Class A units	3.7%	6.0%	8.8%	3.4%			February 1, 2002
MSCI World Index	4.4%	12.8%	17.3%	5.9%			
Blended Benchmark	6.3%	9.1%	10.6%	5.4%			
Class T4 units	3.7%	6.0%	8.8%			6.9%	November 5, 2009
MSCI World Index	4.4%	12.8%	17.3%			12.8%	
Blended Benchmark	6.3%	9.1%	10.6%			9.0%	
Class T6 units	3.8%	6.0%	8.8%			6.6%	November 16, 2009
MSCI World Index	4.4%	12.8%	17.3%			12.4%	
Blended Benchmark	6.3%	9.1%	10.6%			9.0%	
Class T8 units	3.7%	6.0%	8.7%			6.8%	November 16, 2009
MSCI World Index	4.4%	12.8%	17.3%			12.4%	
Blended Benchmark	6.3%	9.1%	10.6%			9.0%	

\* If a class of units has been outstanding for less than 10 years, the annual compound return since inception is shown.

**Citigroup World Government Bond Index** is intended to represent the global government bond market. Currently it consists of fixed interest securities (bonds) issued by governments in various developed countries.

**FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Real Estate Index (Net)** is designed to track the performance of listed real estate companies and REITS worldwide.

**FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond Index** is comprised of marketable Canadian bonds intended to reflect the performance of the broad Canadian investment-grade bond market. Returns are calculated daily and are weighted by market capitalization.

**MSCI All Country Asia Pacific Index** measures the performance of stock markets in 15 Pacific region countries, including Australia, China, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, Malaysia, New Zealand, Pakistan, the Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka, Taiwan and Thailand.

**MSCI EAFE Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index of stocks of companies of developed market equity indices covering 21 different countries in Europe, Australia, and the Far East.

**MSCI Emerging Markets Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is intended to represent the emerging countries equity market. It includes stocks from emerging countries in Asia, Latin America, Europe, Africa, and the Middle East.

**MSCI Europe Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure developed market equity performance in Europe.

**MSCI World Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index composed of companies representative of the market structure of developed market countries in North America, Europe and the Asia/Pacific region.

**Russell 3000 Value Index** measures the performance of the broad value segment of U.S. equity value universe. It includes those Russell 3000 companies with lower price-to-book ratios and lower forecasted growth values.

**S&P 500 Index** is a capitalization-weighted index of 500 stocks, designed to measure performance of the broad U.S. economy representing all major industries.

**S&P/TSX Composite Index** is intended to represent the Canadian equity market and includes the largest companies listed on the TSX.

A discussion of the relative performance of the Portfolio compared to its primary benchmark(s) can be found in *Results of Operations*.

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### Summary of Investment Portfolio (as at December 31, 2016)

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This Portfolio invests in units of its Underlying Funds. You can find the prospectus and additional information about the Underlying Funds by visiting [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

The summary of investment portfolio may change due to ongoing portfolio transactions of the investment fund. A quarterly update is available by visiting [www.cibc.com/mutualfunds](http://www.cibc.com/mutualfunds). The Top Positions table shows a fund's 25 largest positions. For funds with fewer than 25 positions in total, all positions are shown.

<i>Portfolio Breakdown</i>	<i>% of Net Asset Value</i>
Canadian Bond Mutual Funds	29.6
International Equity Mutual Funds	24.3
U.S. Equity Mutual Funds	23.7
Canadian Equity Mutual Funds	17.6
International Bond Mutual Funds	4.7
Cash	0.1

<i>Top Positions</i>	<i>% of Net Asset Value</i>
CIBC Canadian Bond Fund, Class 'O'	14.8
Renaissance Corporate Bond Fund, Class 'O'	14.8
CIBC Canadian Equity Value Fund, Class 'O'	9.3
Renaissance U.S. Equity Income Fund, Class 'O'	8.3
Renaissance Canadian Growth Fund, Class 'O'	8.3
CIBC U.S. Equity Fund, Class 'O'	8.2
CIBC International Equity Fund, Class 'O'	7.8
CIBC U.S. Broad Market Index Fund, Class 'O'	7.2
Renaissance Global Real Estate Fund, Class 'O'	4.9
CIBC European Equity Fund, Class 'O'	4.9
CIBC Global Bond Fund, Class 'O'	4.7
CIBC Emerging Markets Fund, Class 'O'	3.9
CIBC Asia Pacific Fund, Class 'O'	2.8
Cash	0.1

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