

Annual Management Report of Fund Performance

for the financial year ended December 31, 2022

All figures are reported in Canadian dollars unless otherwise noted.

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Management Discussion of Fund Performance

Investment Objective and Strategies

Investment Objective: CIBC Smart Growth Solution (referred to as the *Portfolio*) primarily focus on long-term capital growth, with a secondary focus on modest income generation, by investing primarily in a diverse mix of Canadian and global fixed income and equity mutual funds, and exchange-traded funds.

Investment Strategies: The Portfolio invests up to 100% of the Portfolio's assets in its Underlying Funds, that include mutual funds and exchange-traded funds, allocated to a target asset mix weight that will generally provide exposure to 90% equity securities and 10% fixed income securities. The asset allocation will generally be maintained within ranges of no more than 15% above or below the target weighting of each asset class.

Risk

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

For the period ended December 31, 2022, the Portfolio's overall level of risk remained as discussed in the simplified prospectus.

Results of Operations

The Portfolio's portfolio advisor is CIBC Asset Management Inc. (referred to as *CAMI* or the *Portfolio Advisor*). The commentary that follows provides a summary of the results of operations for the period ended December 31, 2022. All dollar figures are expressed in thousands, unless otherwise indicated.

The Portfolio's net asset value increased by 7% during the period, from \$1,100,921 as at December 31, 2021 to \$1,179,137 as at December 31, 2022. Net sales of \$205,473 were partially offset by negative investment performance, resulting in an overall increase in net asset value.

Series A units of the Portfolio posted a return of -11.5% for the period. The Portfolio's primary benchmark, the MSCI World Index (referred to as the *primary benchmark*), returned -11.8% for the same period. The Portfolio's blended benchmark, as described in the *Annual Compound Returns* section under *Past Performance*, returned -9.3% for the same period. The blended benchmark closely reflects the asset classes the

Portfolio invests in, and provides a more useful comparative to the Portfolio's performance. The Portfolio's return is after the deduction of fees and expenses, unlike the primary and blended benchmarks' returns. See the section *Past Performance* for the returns of other series of units offered by the Portfolio.

The Portfolio has target allocations of 36% U.S. equities, 24% international equities, 23% Canadian equities, 7% emerging markets equities, 5.2% global fixed income securities, 4.5% Canadian fixed income securities and 0.3% alternative multi-strategy.

While the COVID-19 pandemic continued to affect the global economy and markets, vaccination campaigns meant that each successive wave had less impact on economic activity. After an initial strong recovery driven by post-pandemic reopening, the momentum of economic growth slowed over the year.

Russia's full-scale military invasion of Ukraine in February was answered by severe economic and financial sanctions from the West. The war disrupted agriculture and energy commodity supplies, and the resulting sharp rise in prices contributed to strong inflationary pressures in most countries.

The Chinese economic cycle slowed, as the change in new credit issued as a percentage of gross domestic product (known as the credit impulse) turned negative. The slowdown was amplified by the government's unexpected tightening of regulations for the information technology and real estate sectors.

Meanwhile, inflation increased sharply. Some of the increase was attributable to an easy comparison to prices that were depressed in 2021. Supply-chain bottlenecks also raised prices in many industries.

Many central banks reacted to the building inflationary pressures by raising their policy rates at a faster pace than was expected by markets. The result was a sharp increase in bond yields and a decline in equity markets. The Bank of Canada raised the overnight interest rate seven times over the year, to 4.25% from 0.25%. The U.S. Federal Reserve Board raised the federal funds rate to a target range of

4.25%–4.50%, and also began to reduce the size of its asset-purchase program.

Renaissance Global Small-Cap Fund was the most significant detractor from the Portfolio's performance, followed by CIBC Multi-Asset Absolute Return Strategy and CIBC U.S. Index Fund.

CIBC International Equity Fund was the most significant contributor to the Portfolio's performance, followed by CIBC U.S. Small Companies Fund and CIBC Canadian Equity Fund.

The Portfolio's tactical asset allocation did not materially affect performance.

In the third quarter of the year, the Portfolio Advisor adjusted the Portfolio's allocations. Exposure to Canadian, U.S. and developed international equities was reduced to underweight, while exposure to Canadian bonds and cash was increased to overweight. The Portfolio Advisor believes equities may be challenged by higher inflation and slower economic growth. While price-earnings ratios declined over the year from extremely high levels, the Portfolio Advisor believes equity valuations remain expensive and expects corporate earnings growth to slow.

In the Portfolio Advisor's view, while high inflation and policy tightening by central banks may lead to higher bond yields, the expectation of an economic slowdown – or a recession – argues for lower bond yields. Based on the yield curve (the difference between U.S. two-year and 10-year Treasury yields), the Portfolio Advisor believes the bond market is signalling that the odds of a recession are already standing as high as they were prior to previous recessions. The bond market could experience another move upwards if economic data is stronger than expected. But the higher that yields rise, the more they risk slowing the economy and, thus, setting the stage for lower yields. The Portfolio's allocation to cash was increased with the goal of protecting capital.

The higher portfolio turnover rate can be attributed to repositioning of the portfolio in response to recent asset mix changes.

Recent Developments

During the period, the Portfolio's strategic asset mix was adjusted to align with investor's objectives.

The COVID-19 pandemic and the Russia-Ukraine war have disrupted the global economy and financial markets in unprecedented and unpredictable ways. This has resulted in significant volatility and uncertainty in financial markets. It is unclear what further actions may be taken by governments and the resulting impact on global economies, businesses and financial markets. Inflation has increased in many markets across the globe, leading central banks to raise interest rates in order to counter rapidly rising prices. These factors may adversely affect the performance of the Portfolio. The Manager continues to monitor ongoing developments and the impact to investment strategies.

Related Party Transactions

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (referred to as *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 Portfolio's manager (referred to as the *Manager*). The Portfolio holds units of other mutual funds (the *Underlying Funds*), which may also be managed by CIBC or its affiliates. CIBC will receive management fees with respect to the Portfolio's day-to-day business and operations, calculated based on the net asset value of each respective series of units of the Portfolio as described in the section entitled *Management Fees*. The Manager compensates its wholesalers in connection with their marketing activities regarding the Portfolio. From time to time, CIBC may invest in units of the Portfolio.

Trustee

CIBC Trust Corporation, a wholly-owned subsidiary of CIBC, is the Portfolio's trustee (referred to as the *Trustee*). The Trustee holds title to the Portfolio's property (cash and securities) 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's portfolio advisor.

Distributor

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

During the period, the Portfolio paid brokerage commissions and other fees of \$78,181 to CIBC WM; the Portfolio did not pay any brokerage commissions or other fees to 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.

Portfolio Transactions

The Portfolio may enter into one or more of the following transactions (referred to as the *Related Party Transactions*) in reliance on the standing instructions issued by the IRC:

- invest in or hold equity securities of CIBC or issuers related to a portfolio sub-advisor;
- invest in or hold non-exchange-traded debt securities of CIBC or an issuer related to CIBC, with terms-to-maturity of 365 days or more, issued in a primary offering and in the secondary market;
- invest in or hold debt securities of CIBC or issuers related to a portfolio sub-advisor purchased in the secondary market;
- make an investment in the securities of an issuer for which CIBC WM, CIBC World Markets Corp., or any affiliate of CIBC (referred to as a *Related Dealer* or the *Related Dealers*) acts as an underwriter during the offering of the securities or at any time during the 60-day period following the completion of the offering of the securities (in the case of a “private placement” offering, in accordance with the exemptive relief order granted by the Canadian securities regulatory authorities and in accordance with the policies and procedures relating to such investment);
- purchase equity or debt securities from or sell them to a Related Dealer, where it is acting as principal;
- undertake currency and currency derivative transactions where a Related Dealer is the counterparty;
- purchase securities from or sell securities to another investment fund or a managed account managed by the Manager or an affiliate; and
- engage in in-specie transfers by receiving portfolio securities from, or delivering portfolio securities to, a managed account or another investment fund managed by the Manager or an affiliate, in respect of a purchase or redemption of units in the fund, subject to certain conditions.

At least annually, the IRC reviews the Related Party Transactions for which they have issued standing instructions. The IRC is required to advise the Canadian securities regulatory authorities, after a matter has been referred or reported to the IRC by the Manager, if it determines that an investment decision was not made in accordance

with a condition imposed by securities legislation or the IRC in any Related Party Transactions requiring its approval.

Custodian

CIBC Mellon Trust Company is the Portfolio's custodian (referred to as 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 (referred to as *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.

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 Unit¹ - Series A Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 12.81	\$ 11.92	\$ 10.91	\$ 10.00 ^b
Increase (decrease) from operations:				
Total revenue	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.31
Total expenses	(0.22)	(0.24)	(0.21)	(0.20)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.24)	0.53	0.01	0.16
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(1.20)	0.61	1.23	0.64
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$ (1.39)	\$ 1.19	\$ 1.27	\$ 0.91
Distributions:				
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.04	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.06
From dividends	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.03
From capital gains	—	0.28	—	0.08
Return of capital	—	—	—	—
Total Distributions³	\$ 0.04	\$ 0.33	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.17
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 11.29	\$ 12.81	\$ 11.92	\$ 10.91

^a Information presented is for the period from January 21, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

^b Initial offering price.

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² 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.

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

Ratios and Supplemental Data - Series A Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Total Net Asset Value (000s)⁴	\$ 625,364	\$ 593,201	\$ 313,050	\$ 158,765
Number of Units Outstanding⁴	55,387,660	46,299,820	26,271,705	14,556,179
Management Expense Ratio⁵	1.91%	1.93%	1.93%	1.97%*
Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions⁶	2.12%	2.14%	2.14%	2.18%*
Trading Expense Ratio⁷	0.05%	0.10%	0.20%	0.12%*
Portfolio Turnover Rate⁸	43.34%	6.95%	9.21%	1.72%
Net Asset Value per Unit	\$ 11.29	\$ 12.81	\$ 11.92	\$ 10.91

^a Information presented is for the period from January 21, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

* Ratio has been annualized.

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

⁵ 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 series of units for the period shown, expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value of that series during the period. The management expense ratio includes the fees attributable to exchange traded funds, where applicable.

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⁷ 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.

⁸ 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 Unit¹ - Series T5 Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 11.59	\$ 11.03	\$ 10.56	\$ 10.00 ^b
Increase (decrease) from operations:				
Total revenue	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.26
Total expenses	(0.19)	(0.22)	(0.20)	(0.19)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.19)	0.90	0.02	0.13
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(1.25)	(0.20)	1.06	0.68
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$ (1.40)	\$ 0.93	\$ 1.12	\$ 0.88
Distributions:				
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.01	\$ 0.02	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.10
From dividends	0.02	0.01	0.04	0.05
From capital gains	—	0.07	—	0.13
Return of capital	0.55	0.45	0.44	0.22
Total Distributions³	\$ 0.58	\$ 0.55	\$ 0.53	\$ 0.50
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 9.68	\$ 11.59	\$ 11.03	\$ 10.56

^a Information presented is for the period from January 25, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

^b Initial offering price.

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

Ratios and Supplemental Data - Series T5 Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Total Net Asset Value (000s)⁴	\$ 1,737	\$ 2,063	\$ 209	\$ 117
Number of Units Outstanding⁴	179,493	178,060	18,983	11,047
Management Expense Ratio⁵	1.93%	1.96%	1.94%	1.98% *
Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions⁶	2.14%	2.17%	2.15%	2.19% *
Trading Expense Ratio⁷	0.05%	0.10%	0.20%	0.12% *
Portfolio Turnover Rate⁸	43.34%	6.95%	9.21%	1.72%
Net Asset Value per Unit	\$ 9.68	\$ 11.59	\$ 11.03	\$ 10.56

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The Portfolio's Net Assets per Unit¹ - Series F Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 13.48	\$ 12.16	\$ 11.02	\$ 10.00 ^b
Increase (decrease) from operations:				
Total revenue	\$ 0.34	\$ 0.49	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.17
Total expenses	(0.10)	(0.10)	(0.03)	(0.08)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.39)	0.99	0.05	0.09
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.71)	(0.62)	0.78	0.84
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$ (0.86)	\$ 0.76	\$ 1.02	\$ 1.02
Distributions:				
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.05	\$ —
From dividends	0.08	0.02	0.04	—
From capital gains	—	0.01	—	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—
Total Distributions³	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.09	\$ —
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 11.89	\$ 13.48	\$ 12.16	\$ 11.02

^a Information presented is for the period from February 4, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

^b Initial offering price.

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² 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.

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

Ratios and Supplemental Data - Series F Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Total Net Asset Value (000s)⁴	\$ 6,046	\$ 575	\$ 42	\$ —
Number of Units Outstanding⁴	508,412	42,633	3,418	1
Management Expense Ratio⁵	0.82%	0.79%	0.86%	0.84% *
Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions⁶	1.03%	0.99%	1.06%	1.05% *
Trading Expense Ratio⁷	0.05%	0.10%	0.20%	0.12% *
Portfolio Turnover Rate⁸	43.34%	6.95%	9.21%	1.72%
Net Asset Value per Unit	\$ 11.89	\$ 13.48	\$ 12.16	\$ 11.02

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The Portfolio's Net Assets per Unit¹ - Series FT5 Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 11.91	\$ 11.14	\$ 10.57	\$ 10.00 ^b
Increase (decrease) from operations:				
Total revenue	\$ 0.22	\$ 0.21	\$ 0.19	\$ 0.17
Total expenses	(0.07)	(0.10)	(0.07)	(0.08)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.26)	0.43	—	0.09
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.43)	0.76	1.04	0.82
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$ (0.54)	\$ 1.30	\$ 1.16	\$ 1.00
Distributions:				
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.07	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
From dividends	0.08	—	—	—
From capital gains	—	—	—	—
Return of capital	0.45	0.55	0.53	0.46
Total Distributions³	\$ 0.60	\$ 0.55	\$ 0.53	\$ 0.46
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 10.07	\$ 11.91	\$ 11.14	\$ 10.57

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^b Initial offering price.

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

Ratios and Supplemental Data - Series FT5 Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Total Net Asset Value (000s)⁴	\$ 152	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Number of Units Outstanding⁴	15,052	1	1	1
Management Expense Ratio⁵	0.83%	0.84%	0.85%	0.84% *
Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions⁶	1.04%	1.06%	1.06%	1.05% *
Trading Expense Ratio⁷	0.05%	0.10%	0.20%	0.12% *
Portfolio Turnover Rate⁸	43.34%	6.95%	9.21%	1.72%
Net Asset Value per Unit	\$ 10.07	\$ 11.91	\$ 11.14	\$ 10.57

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The Portfolio's Net Assets per Unit¹ - Series S Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 12.39	\$ 11.51	\$ 10.38	\$ 10.00 ^b
Increase (decrease) from operations:				
Total revenue	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.31	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.33
Total expenses	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)	–
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.24)	0.57	0.02	0.21
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(1.16)	0.50	1.36	0.22
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$ (1.15)	\$ 1.37	\$ 1.63	\$ 0.76
Distributions:				
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.06	\$ 0.06
From dividends	0.12	0.07	0.05	0.03
From capital gains	–	0.31	–	0.01
Return of capital	–	–	–	–
Total Distributions³	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.54	\$ 0.11	\$ 0.10
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 10.92	\$ 12.39	\$ 11.51	\$ 10.38

^a Information presented is for the period from July 22, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

^b Initial offering price.

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

Ratios and Supplemental Data - Series S Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Total Net Asset Value (000s)⁴	\$ 534,174	\$ 491,918	\$ 179,482	\$ 49,736
Number of Units Outstanding⁴	48,911,816	39,709,542	15,588,002	4,790,795
Management Expense Ratio⁵	0.09%	0.11%	0.11%	0.11%*
Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions⁶	0.61%	0.63%	0.63%	0.63%*
Trading Expense Ratio⁷	0.05%	0.10%	0.20%	0.12%*
Portfolio Turnover Rate⁸	43.34%	6.95%	9.21%	1.72%
Net Asset Value per Unit	\$ 10.92	\$ 12.39	\$ 11.51	\$ 10.38

^a Information presented is for the period from July 22, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

* Ratio has been annualized.

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

⁵ 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 series of units for the period shown, expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value of that series during the period. The management expense ratio includes the fees attributable to exchange traded funds, where applicable.

⁶ 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. The management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions includes the fees attributable to exchange traded funds, where applicable.

⁷ 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.

⁸ 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 Unit¹ - Series ST5 Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 11.61	\$ 10.84	\$ 10.18	\$ 10.00 ^b
Increase (decrease) from operations:				
Total revenue	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.31	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.27
Total expenses	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)	–
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.20)	0.58	0.02	0.17
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(1.13)	0.30	1.21	0.26
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$ (1.11)	\$ 1.18	\$ 1.48	\$ 0.70
Distributions:				
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.11	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.12
From dividends	0.11	0.07	0.06	0.06
From capital gains	–	0.25	–	–
Return of capital	0.36	0.06	0.36	0.07
Total Distributions³	\$ 0.58	\$ 0.54	\$ 0.50	\$ 0.25
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 9.88	\$ 11.61	\$ 10.84	\$ 10.18

^a Information presented is for the period from July 25, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

^b Initial offering price.

¹ This information is derived from the Portfolio's audited annual financial statements.

² 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.

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

Ratios and Supplemental Data - Series ST5 Units

	2022	2021	2020	2019 ^a
Total Net Asset Value (000s)⁴	\$ 11,664	\$ 13,164	\$ 1,976	\$ 529
Number of Units Outstanding⁴	1,180,345	1,134,109	182,326	51,997
Management Expense Ratio⁵	0.09%	0.11%	0.11%	0.11%*
Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions⁶	0.61%	0.63%	0.63%	0.63%*
Trading Expense Ratio⁷	0.05%	0.10%	0.20%	0.12%*
Portfolio Turnover Rate⁸	43.34%	6.95%	9.21%	1.72%
Net Asset Value per Unit	\$ 9.88	\$ 11.61	\$ 10.84	\$ 10.18

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Management Fees

The Portfolio, either directly or indirectly, pays CIBC an annual management fee to cover the costs of managing the Portfolio. Management fees are based on the Portfolio's net asset value 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 and trailing commissions 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 annual management fee rate for each series 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, 2022. These amounts do not include waived fees or absorbed expenses.

	Series A Units	Series T5 Units	Series F Units	Series FT5 Units	Series S Units	Series ST5 Units
Sales and trailing commissions paid to dealers	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
General administration, investment advice, and profit	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

Past Performance

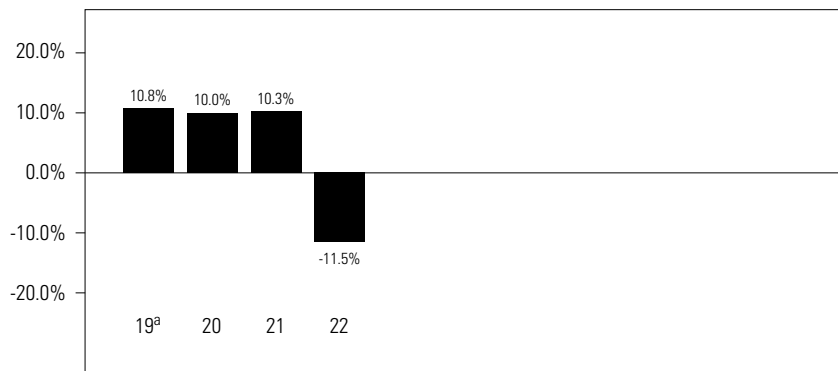
The performance data provided assumes reinvestment of distributions only and does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution, or other optional charges payable by any unitholder that would have reduced returns. Past performance does not necessarily indicate how a fund will perform in the future.

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

Year-by-Year Returns

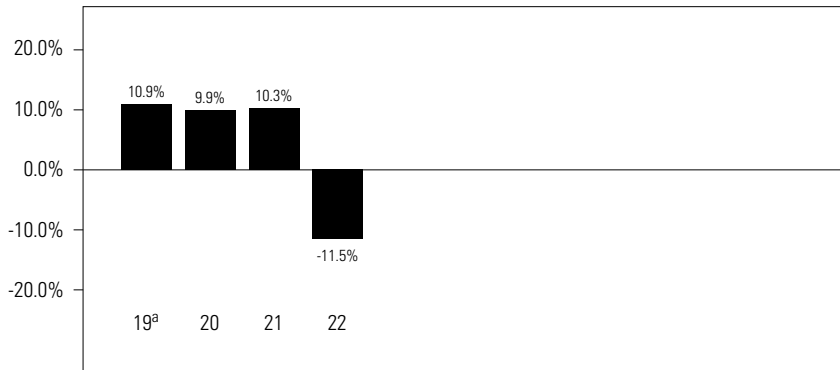
These bar charts show the annual performance of each series of units of the Portfolio for each of the periods shown, and illustrate how the performance has changed from period to period. These bar charts show, in percentage terms, how an investment made on January 1 would have increased or decreased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

Series A Units



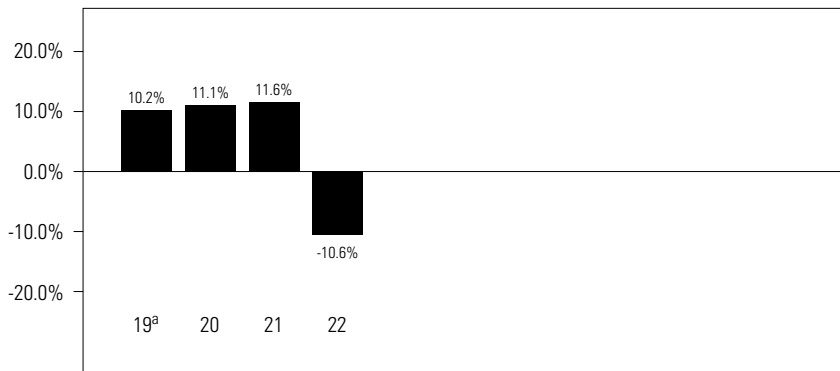
^a 2019 return is for the period from January 21, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

Series T5 Units



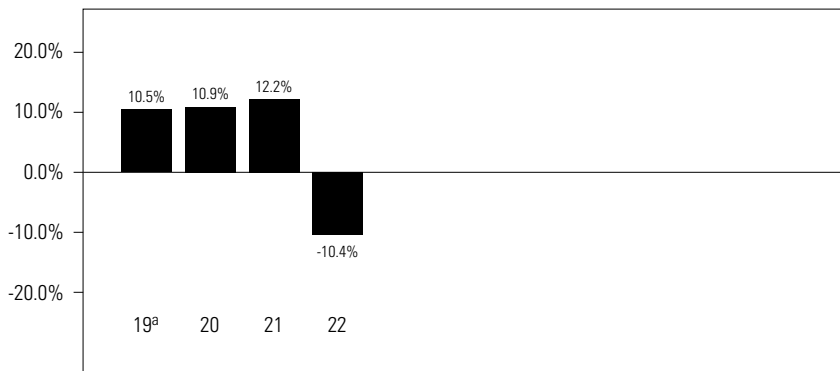
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Series F Units



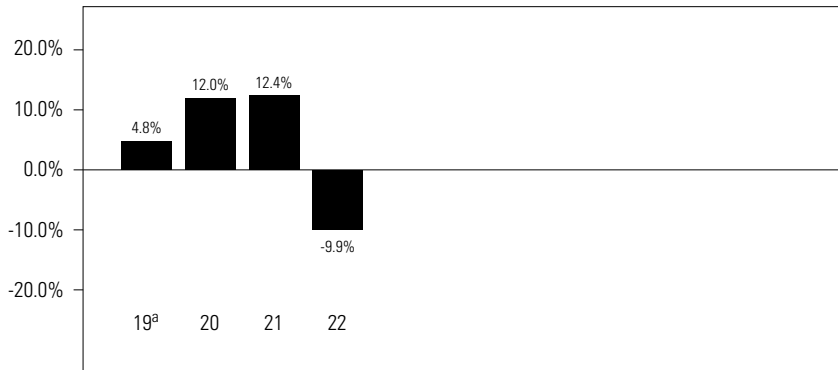
^a 2019 return is for the period from February 4, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

Series FT5 Units



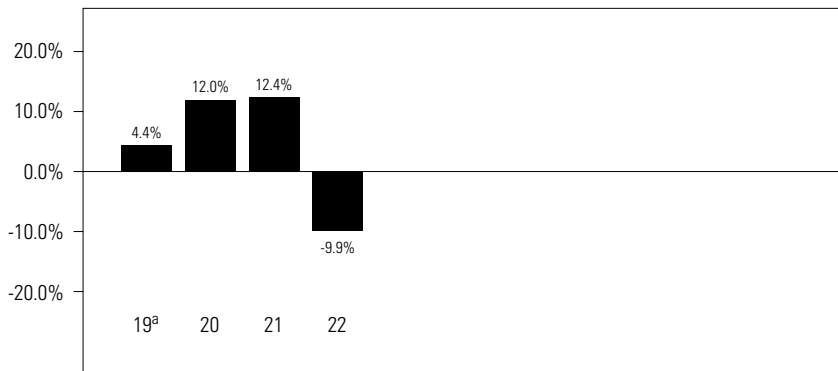
^a 2019 return is for the period from February 4, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

Series S Units



^a 2019 return is for the period from July 22, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

Series ST5 Units



^a 2019 return is for the period from July 25, 2019 to December 31, 2019.

Annual Compound Returns

This table shows the annual compound return of each series of units of the Portfolio for each indicated period ended on December 31, 2022. The annual compound total return is also compared to the Portfolio's benchmarks.

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

During the period, the Portfolio's blended benchmark was changed to better reflect the recent changes to the Portfolio's strategic asset mix.

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

- 32.4% S&P 500 Index
- 23% S&P/TSX Composite Index
- 21.4% MSCI EAFE Index
- 7% MSCI Emerging Markets Index
- 3.6% Russell 2500 Index
- 3.4% Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index (USD)
- 2.6% MSCI World Small Cap Index
- 2.5% FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index
- 1.4% FTSE Canada All Corporate Bond Index
- 1.4% FTSE World Government Bond Index (Hedged to CAD)

- 0.6% FTSE Canada Real Return Bond Index
- 0.4% FTSE Canada High Yield Bond Index
- 0.3% FTSE Canada 91 Day T-Bill Index

The Portfolio's previous blended benchmark (referred to as *Previous Blended Benchmark*) was comprised of the following:

- 25% S&P 500 Index
- 23.5% MSCI EAFE Index
- 16% S&P/TSX Composite Index
- 8.5% FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index
- 7% MSCI Emerging Markets Index
- 5% FTSE Canada 91 Day T-Bill Index
- 4% FTSE World Government Bond Index (Hedged to CAD)
- 3.5% MSCI World Small Cap Index
- 2% FTSE Canada High Yield Bond Index
- 2% FTSE Canada Short Term Overall Bond Index
- 1.5% FTSE Canada All Corporate Bond Index
- 1.5% FTSE Canada Real Return Bond Index
- 0.5% FTSE Canada Floating Rate Note Index

	<i>1 Year</i>	<i>3 Years</i>	<i>5 Years</i>	<i>10 Years*</i>	<i>or</i>	<i>Since Inception*</i>	<i>Inception Date</i>
Series A units	-11.5%	2.4%				4.5%	January 21, 2019
MSCI World Index	-11.8%	7.0%				10.1%	
Blended Benchmark	-9.3%	5.8%				8.5%	
Previous Blended Benchmark	-9.0%	4.3%				6.7%	
Series T5 units	-11.5%	2.4%				4.5%	January 25, 2019
MSCI World Index	-11.8%	7.0%				10.0%	
Blended Benchmark	-9.3%	5.8%				8.3%	
Previous Blended Benchmark	-9.0%	4.3%				6.6%	
Series F units	-10.6%	3.5%				5.3%	February 4, 2019
MSCI World Index	-11.8%	7.0%				9.7%	
Blended Benchmark	-9.3%	5.8%				8.0%	
Previous Blended Benchmark	-9.0%	4.3%				6.4%	
Series FT5 units	-10.4%	3.7%				5.5%	February 4, 2019
MSCI World Index	-11.8%	7.0%				9.7%	
Blended Benchmark	-9.3%	5.8%				8.0%	
Previous Blended Benchmark	-9.0%	4.3%				6.4%	
Series S units	-9.9%	4.3%				5.1%	July 22, 2019
MSCI World Index	-11.8%	7.0%				8.4%	
Blended Benchmark	-9.3%	5.8%				7.0%	
Previous Blended Benchmark	-9.0%	4.3%				5.4%	

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Series ST5 units	-9.9%	4.3%				5.0%	July 25, 2019
MSCI World Index	-11.8%	7.0%				8.4%	
Blended Benchmark	-9.3%	5.8%				7.0%	
Previous Blended Benchmark	-9.0%	4.3%				5.4%	

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

Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index (USD) are indices designed to mirror the investable universe of the U.S. dollar-denominated leveraged loan market.

FTSE Canada 91 Day T-Bill Index measures the returns attributable to 91-day Treasury Bills.

FTSE Canada All Corporate Bond Index is divided into sub-sectors based on major industry groups: Financial, Communication, Industrial, Energy, Infrastructure, Real Estate, and Securitization. The Corporate sector is also divided into sub-indices based on credit rating: a combined AAA/AA sector, a single A sector, and a BBB sector.

FTSE Canada Floating Rate Note Index is designed to reflect the performance of domestic Canadian Government and Corporate Floating Rate Note securities denominated in CAD. FTSE Canada 91 Day T-Bill Index measures the returns attributable to 91-day Treasury Bills.

FTSE Canada High Yield Bond Index is designed to be a broad measure of the Canadian non-investment grade fixed income market, which includes securities rated less than 'BBB (low)' but greater than 'D'. Returns are calculated daily and are weighted by market capitalization.

FTSE Canada Real Return Bond Index tracks the performance of real return (inflation-linked) bonds issued in Canada with terms-to-maturity of more than one year and a minimum credit rating of 'BBB (low)'.

FTSE Canada Short Term Overall Bond Index is intended to represent the Canadian short-term bond market. It contains bonds with remaining effective terms greater than or equal to one year and less than or equal to 5 years.

FTSE 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.

FTSE World Government Bond Index (Hedged to CAD) measures the performance of fixed-rate, local currency, investment-grade sovereign bonds. It currently includes sovereign debt from over 20 countries, denominated in a variety of currencies, and has more than 30 years of history available. Hedged to CAD represents a close estimation of the performance that can be achieved by hedging the currency exposures of the index, FTSE World Government Bond Index, to CAD.

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 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.

MSCI World Small Cap Index captures small-cap representation across 23 Developed Markets (DM) countries. DM countries include: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK and the US.

Russell 2500 Index is intended to represent the U.S. small- to mid-capitalization equity market. It measures the performance of the 2,500 smallest companies in the Russell 3000 Index.

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 Portfolio's relative performance compared to its Blended Benchmark can be found in *Results of Operations*.

Summary of Investment Portfolio (as at December 31, 2022)

The 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.

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. The Top Positions table shows a fund's 25 largest positions. If the fund holds fewer than 25 positions in total, all positions are shown.

<i>Portfolio Breakdown</i>	<i>% of Net Asset Value</i>	<i>Top Positions</i>	<i>% of Net Asset Value</i>
U.S. Equity Investment Funds	34.7	CIBC U.S. Index Fund, Class 'O'	13.9
International Equity Investment Funds	31.3	CIBC U.S. Equity Fund, Class 'O'	12.9
Canadian Equity Investment Funds	21.7	CIBC International Equity Fund, Class 'O'	12.4
Canadian Bond Investment Funds	4.7	CIBC International Index Fund, Class 'O'	8.9
International Bond Investment Funds	4.5	CIBC Canadian Index Fund, Class 'O'	8.5
Money Market Investment Funds	1.9	CIBC Emerging Markets Fund, Class 'O'	6.4
U.S. Bond Investment Funds	0.6	CIBC Canadian Equity Fund, Class 'O'	5.6
Cash	0.6	Renaissance Canadian Growth Fund, Class 'O'	5.6
		CIBC U.S. Equity Index ETF	4.4
		CIBC U.S. Small Companies Fund, Class 'O'	3.6
		Renaissance Global Small-Cap Fund, Class 'O'	2.6
		Invesco Senior Loan ETF	2.4
		CIBC Money Market Fund, Class 'O'	1.9
		CIBC Canadian Equity Index ETF	1.8
		CIBC Canadian Bond Index Fund, Class 'O'	1.5
		CIBC Active Investment Grade Corporate Bond ETF	1.3
		CIBC Canadian Bond Fund, Class 'O'	1.3
		CIBC Emerging Markets Equity Index ETF	0.7
		CIBC Global Bond ex-Canada Index ETF (CAD-Hedged)	0.7
		CIBC Global Bond Fund, Class 'O'	0.7
		Ares Strategic Income Fund, Class 'I'	0.6
		Cash	0.6
		Renaissance Real Return Bond Fund, Class 'O'	0.6
		Renaissance Floating Rate Income Fund, Class 'OH'	0.4
		Renaissance High-Yield Bond Fund, Class 'O'	0.4

A note on forward-looking statements

The management report of fund performance may contain forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements include statements that are predictive in nature, that depend upon or refer to future events or conditions, or that include words such as "expects", "anticipates", "intends", "plans", "believes", "estimates", or other similar wording. In addition, any statements that may be made concerning future performance, strategies, or prospects and possible future actions taken by the fund, are also forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance. These statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties, and other factors that may cause the actual results and achievements of the fund to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such statements. Such factors include, but are not limited to: general economic, market, and business conditions; fluctuations in securities prices, interest rates, and foreign currency exchange rates; changes in government regulations; and catastrophic events.

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