# **Fixed Income** IA Wealth Core Bond Pool (Series A)

#### Fund Performance (%)<sup>1</sup> – Series A

| 1-month | 3-month | Y-T-D | 1-year | 3-year | 5-year | 10-year | Since PSD |
|---------|---------|-------|--------|--------|--------|---------|-----------|
| 1.1     | 0.8     | -0.5  | 3.0    | -2.4   | -0.7   | 0.9     | 4.6       |

## Calendar Year Returns (%) – Series A

| 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022  | 2023 |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|
| 6.9  | 1.8  | 0.7  | 1.4  | -0.5 | 5.9  | 7.8  | -3.2 | -12.1 | 6.0  |

## Value of \$10,000 investment<sup>1</sup> – Series A



### What does the Fund invest in?

The Fund seeks to provide interest income and capital appreciation while protecting capital by investing in high quality fixed income securities.

The Fund may invest up to 30% of its assets in foreign securities.

### **Key Reasons to Invest**

- A core fixed income portfolio that may include a combination of government issues, debentures and high-quality corporate bonds.
- Emphasis on a regular income stream while generating total rate of return consistent with safety of capital.
- Active management of duration, sector and yield curve positioning.

#### **Portfolio Manager**

#### iA Global Asset Management Inc.

Alexandre Morin, CFA Start date: March 2018 David McCulla, CFA Start date: October 2023 Dominic Siciliano Start date: June 2022

#### **Fund Details**

| Fund Type:                 | Trust                   |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Size:                      | \$226.8 million         |
| Performance<br>Start Date: | Series A: Feb. 29, 1988 |
| NAV:                       | Series A: \$11.46       |

| MER*:       | Series A: 1.09% |
|-------------|-----------------|
| *as at Mar. | 31, 2024        |

#### **Risk Tolerance:**

| Low                     | Medium | High |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|--------|------|--|--|--|
|                         |        |      |  |  |  |
| Distribution Frequency: |        |      |  |  |  |

#### Series A: Monthly, variable

| Distributions (\$/unit)† | А     |
|--------------------------|-------|
| July 2023                | 0.020 |
| August 2023              | 0.033 |
| September 2023           | 0.028 |
| October 2023             | 0.022 |
| November 2023            | 0.028 |
| December 2023            | 0.017 |

### Fund Codes (CCM)<sup>2</sup>

| Series | Front | Series | Fee-Based |
|--------|-------|--------|-----------|
| A      | -     | F      | 8328      |
| В      | 1345  |        |           |

<sup>2</sup> On June 29, 2020, the Series A front-end purchase option (CCM702) was closed to new purchases and transfers in. On July 24, 2020, Series F was merged into Series FX and Series FX was renamed Series F.

| Distributions (\$/unit)† | Α     |
|--------------------------|-------|
| January 2024             | 0.023 |
| February 2024            | 0.025 |
| March 2024               | 0.021 |
| April 2024               | 0.028 |
| May 2024                 | 0.024 |
| June 2024                | 0.023 |



# IA Wealth Core Bond Pool (Series A)

#### Asset Mix

| Fixed Income                              | 97.3% |
|---|-------|
| Canadian Provincial and Municipal Bonds   | 33.5% |
| Canadian Investment Grade Corporate Bonds | 31.7% |
| Canadian Government Bonds                 | 18.5% |
| Canadian Government Agencies Bonds        | 3.8%  |
| U.S. Investment Grade Corporate Bonds     | 3.4%  |
| Investment Fund(s) - Fixed Income         | 2.3%  |
| Asset-Backed Securities                   | 1.8%  |
| U.S. Government Bonds                     | 1.2%  |
| Other                                     | 1.1%  |
| Cash and Other                            | 2.7%  |
| Treasury Bills                            | 2.0%  |
| Cash and Other Net Assets                 | 0.8%  |
| Options                                   | 0.0%  |
| Futures                                   | -0.1% |

#### **Geographic Allocation**

| Canada        | 92.1% |
|---------------|-------|
| United States | 6.9%  |
| International | 0.3%  |

**Top Fixed-Income Holdings<sup>3</sup>** 

| Government of Canada, 3.000%, 2034-06-01      | 8.7%  |
|---|-------|
| Government of Canada, 2.000%, 2032-06-01      | 5.1%  |
| Government of Canada, 2.750%, 2055-12-01      | 3.4%  |
| Province of Ontario, 2.900%, 2046-12-02       | 2.8%  |
| Province of Quebec, 4.450%, 2034-09-01        | 2.5%  |
| Province of Ontario, 4.700%, 2037-06-02       | 1.9%  |
| Vanguard Short-Term Corporate Bond ETF        | 1.8%  |
| Province of Ontario, 2.700%, 2029-06-02       | 1.7%  |
| Province of Quebec, 5.000%, 2041-12-01        | 1.5%  |
| The Toronto-Dominion Bank, 3.105%, 2030-04-22 | 1.4%  |
| Total Allocation                              | 30.8% |

#### **Top Issuers<sup>3</sup>**

| •   |       |
|---|-------|
| Government of Canada                        | 20.4% |
| Province of Ontario                         | 9.9%  |
| Province of Quebec                          | 5.1%  |
| The Toronto-Dominion Bank                   | 2.7%  |
| Province of Manitoba                        | 2.5%  |
| Royal Bank of Canada                        | 2.3%  |
| Bank of Montreal                            | 2.2%  |
| Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce          | 2.2%  |
| Ford Credit Canada Co.                      | 1.8%  |
| Fédération des caisses Desjardins du Québec | 1.8%  |
| Total Allocation                            | 50.9% |

#### **Credit Risk<sup>4</sup>**

Average Credit Quality

| AAA  | 23.8%     |
|--|-----------|
| AA   | 24.7%     |
| A  | 30.4%     |
| BBB  | 15.3%     |
| BB   | 0.8%      |
| R1   | 2.0%      |
| Total Number of Investments⁵                     | 371       |
|  |           |
| Fixed Income                                     | 369       |
| Fixed Income<br>Equity                           | 369<br>2  |
| Equity   |           |
|  |           |
| Equity   |           |
| Equity Portfolio Characteristics                 | 2         |
| Equity Portfolio Characteristics Portfolio Yield | 2<br>4.5% |

<sup>1</sup> On July 31, 1998, the investment objective of the Fund changed. On February 10, 2005, the portfolio manager changed. These changes may have affected the Fund's performance. <sup>3</sup> Cash and Other Net Assets are excluded. <sup>4</sup> Credit quality of debt instruments of the Fund through direct holdings and/or underlying funds. Credit ratings obtained from DBRS, Standard & Poor's or Moody's. DBRS rating or equivalent is presented. <sup>5</sup> Excludes Cash and Other Net Assets are by IA Clarington Investments Inc.

†Distributions (\$/share) and Distributions (\$/unit) are paid using a calculation rounded up to 5 decimal places. Please note the distributions presented above are rounded to the nearest 3 decimal places.

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