

COUNSEL | PORTFOLIO SERVICES

Counsel Global Dividend

INTERIM UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the period ended September 30, 2023

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STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

at (in \$ 000 except per security amounts)

	Sep. 30 2023	Mar. 31 2023 (Audited)
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Investments at fair value	101,701	101,352
Cash and cash equivalents	934	1,072
Dividends receivable	218	237
Accounts receivable for investments sold	—	—
Accounts receivable for securities issued	234	341
Derivative assets	2	—
Total assets	103,089	103,002
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable for investments purchased	2	2
Accounts payable for securities redeemed	57	192
Due to manager	2	—
Total liabilities	61	194
Net assets attributable to securityholders	103,028	102,808

	Net assets attributable to securityholders (note 3)			
	per security		per series	
	Sep. 30 2023	Mar. 31 2023 (Audited)	Sep. 30 2023	Mar. 31 2023 (Audited)
Series A	13.65	13.46	21,450	20,318
Series F	13.83	13.65	6,333	5,970
Series I	13.93	13.76	1,249	2,670
Series O	14.03	13.86	48,377	52,642
Series Private Wealth	13.93	13.75	25,619	21,208
			103,028	102,808

STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

for the periods ended September 30 (in \$ 000 except per security amounts)

	2023	2022
Income		
Dividends	2,593	3,539
Interest income for distribution purposes	23	11
Other changes in fair value of investments and other net assets		
Net realized gain (loss)	1,462	(3,934)
Net unrealized gain (loss)	555	(9,122)
Securities lending income	1	11
Total income (loss)	4,634	(9,495)
Expenses (note 6)		
Management fees	254	254
Management fee rebates	(1)	(2)
Administration fees	56	55
Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs	66	66
Independent Review Committee fees	1	1
Expenses before amounts absorbed by Manager	376	374
Expenses absorbed by Manager	—	—
Net expenses	376	374
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations before tax	4,258	(9,869)
Foreign withholding tax expense (recovery)	359	293
Foreign income tax expense (recovery)	—	—
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations	3,899	(10,162)

	Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations (note 3)			
	per security		per series	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Series A	0.37	(1.58)	575	(2,459)
Series F	0.50	(1.52)	223	(674)
Series I	0.60	(1.45)	68	(466)
Series O	0.58	(1.41)	2,126	(4,507)
Series Private Wealth	0.53	(1.47)	907	(2,056)
			3,899	(10,162)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION

for the periods ended September 30 (in \$ 000 except per security amounts)

	Total		Series A		Series F		Series I		Series O	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO SECURITYHOLDERS										
Beginning of period	102,808	97,862	20,318	21,857	5,970	6,254	2,670	4,562	52,642	44,600
Increase (decrease) in net assets from operations	3,899	(10,162)	575	(2,459)	223	(674)	68	(466)	2,126	(4,507)
Distributions paid to securityholders:										
Investment income	(2,419)	(2,641)	(282)	(341)	(128)	(148)	(39)	(139)	(1,359)	(1,415)
Capital gains	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Management fee rebates	(1)	(2)	(1)	(2)	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total distributions paid to securityholders	(2,420)	(2,643)	(283)	(343)	(128)	(148)	(39)	(139)	(1,359)	(1,415)
Security transactions:										
Proceeds from securities issued	9,714	7,644	2,198	753	1,048	726	16	93	1,280	5,320
Reinvested distributions	2,387	2,588	277	332	104	108	37	136	1,359	1,415
Payments on redemption of securities	(13,360)	(8,338)	(1,635)	(1,313)	(884)	(753)	(1,503)	(143)	(7,671)	(4,343)
Total security transactions	(1,259)	1,894	840	(228)	268	81	(1,450)	86	(5,032)	2,392
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders	220	(10,911)	1,132	(3,030)	363	(741)	(1,421)	(519)	(4,265)	(3,530)
End of period	103,028	86,951	21,450	18,827	6,333	5,513	1,249	4,043	48,377	41,070
Increase (decrease) in fund securities (in thousands) (note 7):										
Securities outstanding – beginning of period			1,509	1,566	437	441	194	319	3,799	3,096
Issued			160	58	77	54	1	7	91	404
Reinvested distributions			20	26	7	8	3	10	97	107
Redeemed			(118)	(102)	(63)	(56)	(108)	(10)	(540)	(323)
Securities outstanding – end of period			1,571	1,548	458	447	90	326	3,447	3,284

	Series Private Wealth	
	2023	2022
NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO SECURITYHOLDERS		
Beginning of period	21,208	20,589
Increase (decrease) in net assets from operations	907	(2,056)
Distributions paid to securityholders:		
Investment income	(611)	(598)
Capital gains	—	—
Management fee rebates	—	—
Total distributions paid to securityholders	(611)	(598)
Security transactions:		
Proceeds from securities issued	5,172	752
Reinvested distributions	610	597
Payments on redemption of securities	(1,667)	(1,786)
Total security transactions	4,115	(437)
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders	4,411	(3,091)
End of period	25,619	17,498
Increase (decrease) in fund securities (in thousands) (note 7):		
Securities outstanding – beginning of period	1,542	1,440
Issued	373	57
Reinvested distributions	44	45
Redeemed	(119)	(132)
Securities outstanding – end of period	1,840	1,410

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STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

for the periods ended September 30 (in \$ 000)

	2023	2022
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations	3,899	(10,162)
Adjustments for:		
Net realized loss (gain) on investments	(1,468)	4,179
Change in net unrealized loss (gain) on investments	(555)	9,122
Purchase of investments	(89,691)	(84,710)
Proceeds from sale and maturity of investments	91,353	82,597
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable and other assets	19	(381)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and other liabilities	2	–
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	3,559	645
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from securities issued	9,821	7,570
Payments on redemption of securities	(13,495)	(8,480)
Distributions paid net of reinvestments	(33)	(55)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(3,707)	(965)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(148)	(320)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	1,072	894
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash and cash equivalents	10	9
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	934	583
Cash	934	583
Cash equivalents	–	–
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	934	583
Supplementary disclosures on cash flow from operating activities:		
Dividends received	2,612	3,158
Foreign taxes paid	359	293
Interest received	23	11
Interest paid	–	–

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

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	Country	Sector	Shares/ Units	Average Cost (\$ 000)	Fair Value (\$ 000)
EQUITIES					
4imprint Group PLC	United Kingdom	Communication Services	368	28	32
A.P. Moller - Maersk AS Class B	Denmark	Industrials	617	1,822	1,510
ABB Ltd.	Switzerland	Industrials	3,772	188	183
Agricultural Bank of China Ltd. H	China	Financials	296,000	142	150
Antena 3 de Television SA	Spain	Communication Services	75,333	405	395
Ardent Leisure Group	Australia	Consumer Discretionary	51,607	23	21
Aristocrat Leisure Ltd.	Australia	Consumer Discretionary	40,884	1,403	1,457
Asian Pay Television Trust	Singapore	Communication Services	1,696,900	298	162
Astral Foods Ltd.	South Africa	Consumer Staples	1,729	23	17
ASUSTeK Computer Inc.	Taiwan	Information Technology	35,000	570	541
Autohome Inc. ADR	China	Communication Services	4,680	204	193
Baker Hughes Co.	United States	Energy	16,396	802	786
Bangkok Bank Public Co. Ltd. NVDR	Thailand	Financials	134,800	773	838
Betsson AB	Sweden	Consumer Discretionary	2,490	18	37
BKW AG	Switzerland	Utilities	6,560	1,404	1,569
BlueScope Steel Ltd.	Australia	Materials	85,481	1,481	1,450
Boise Cascade Co.	United States	Industrials	14,153	1,933	1,980
BP PLC ADR	United Kingdom	Energy	5,605	293	295
Broadcom Inc.	United States	Information Technology	370	422	417
Business Brain Showa-Ota Inc.	Japan	Information Technology	1,400	19	27
Bytes Technology Group PLC	United Kingdom	Information Technology	4,456	40	37
Capcom Co. Ltd.	Japan	Communication Services	13,400	727	654
Cardinal Health Inc.	United States	Health Care	18,170	1,313	2,141
Century Communities Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	801	77	73
Chevron Corp.	United States	Energy	94	21	22
Chicony Electronics Co. Ltd.	Taiwan	Information Technology	23,000	91	112
China Chunlai Education Group Co. Ltd.	China	Consumer Discretionary	113,000	120	143
China CITIC Bank H	China	Financials	35,000	24	22
China Construction Bank Corp. H	China	Financials	1,119,000	884	856
China Foods Ltd.	China	Consumer Staples	76,000	34	34
China Pacific Insurance (Group) Co. Ltd.	China	Financials	7,600	25	26
Cisco Systems Inc.	United States	Information Technology	54,559	3,634	3,982
Cliq Digital AG	Germany	Information Technology	426	17	11
The Clorox Co.	United States	Consumer Staples	12,965	2,789	2,307
Coca-Cola Consolidated Inc.	United States	Consumer Staples	497	421	429
Coca-Cola HBC AG-DI	Switzerland	Consumer Staples	6,933	247	258
Colgate Palmolive Co.	United States	Consumer Staples	28,222	2,867	2,724
Compal Electronics Inc.	Taiwan	Information Technology	222,000	253	288
CSR Ltd.	Australia	Materials	178,943	796	884
D.R. Horton Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	13,356	2,013	1,949
Dah Sing Banking Group Ltd.	Hong Kong	Financials	108,800	116	97
Delek Group Ltd.	Israel	Energy	859	165	173
Dell Technologies Inc. Class C	United States	Information Technology	22,811	1,588	2,134
DHT Holdings Inc.	United States	Energy	6,751	111	94
Dogus Otomotiv Servis ve Ticaret AS	Turkey	Consumer Discretionary	3,484	43	46
DSV Panalpina AS	Denmark	Industrials	3,545	935	897
Duerr AG	Germany	Industrials	1,045	53	39
eBay Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	19,869	1,184	1,189
EFG International AG	Switzerland	Financials	20,217	273	311
EMCOR Group Inc.	United States	Industrials	806	244	230
Evergreen Marine Corp.	Taiwan	Industrials	396,000	1,904	1,936
Exxon Mobil Corp.	United States	Energy	8,406	1,178	1,342
Felda Global Ventures Holdings BHD	Malaysia	Consumer Staples	52,500	25	21
Ferreyros SA	Peru	Industrials	81,979	45	71
FSP Technology Inc.	Taiwan	Industrials	50,000	96	105
Fukui Computer Holdings Inc.	Japan	Information Technology	1,800	53	44
General Motors Co.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	40,551	2,053	1,815
Global Lighting Technologies Inc.	Taiwan	Information Technology	16,000	36	34
Great China Metal Industry Co. Ltd.	Taiwan	Materials	60,000	71	60

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	Country	Sector	Shares/ Units	Average Cost (\$ 000)	Fair Value (\$ 000)
EQUITIES (cont'd)					
Hafnia Ltd.	Singapore	Energy	24,897	205	210
Hansol Paper Co. Ltd.	South Korea	Materials	20,580	105	57
HeidelbergCement AG	Germany	Materials	730	67	77
HIM International Music Inc.	Taiwan	Communication Services	96,000	463	410
Hoegh Autoliners ASA	Norway	Industrials	6,710	53	66
The Home Depot Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	376	160	154
Hsing TA Cement Co.	Taiwan	Materials	54,000	54	40
Humana Inc.	United States	Health Care	2,490	1,534	1,645
Industria de Diseno Textil SA (Inditex)	Spain	Consumer Discretionary	46,277	2,025	2,338
Insperty Inc.	United States	Industrials	585	89	78
Inter Parfums Inc.	United States	Consumer Staples	8,335	1,472	1,520
Inventec Corp.	Taiwan	Information Technology	29,000	40	61
I-Sheng Electric Wire & Cable Co. Ltd.	Taiwan	Industrials	16,000	31	30
ITE Technology Inc.	Taiwan	Information Technology	7,000	35	46
ITmedia Inc.	Japan	Communication Services	2,100	23	22
Johnson & Johnson	United States	Health Care	3,431	750	725
Kanagawa I-Net Corp.	Japan	Information Technology	2,200	35	34
Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha Ltd.	Japan	Industrials	4,200	127	194
KB Home	United States	Consumer Discretionary	3,553	239	223
KC Co. Ltd.	South Korea	Information Technology	3,258	68	53
Kerry Logistics Network Ltd.	Hong Kong	Industrials	2,531	8	3
Kimberly-Clark Corp.	United States	Consumer Staples	8,386	1,438	1,376
Kissei Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd.	Japan	Health Care	5,900	158	182
Kuehne + Nagel International AG	Switzerland	Industrials	3,914	1,548	1,506
Lennar Corp. Class A	United States	Consumer Discretionary	14,255	2,209	2,172
Leong Hup International BHD	Malaysia	Consumer Staples	138,100	23	22
Lilang China Co. Ltd.	China	Consumer Discretionary	33,574	21	21
Lite-On Technology Corp.	Taiwan	Information Technology	30,000	177	155
Macroblock Inc.	Taiwan	Information Technology	5,000	28	19
Marathon Petroleum Corp.	United States	Energy	11,152	1,778	2,291
Marsh & McLennan Companies Inc.	United States	Financials	8,512	2,012	2,199
Masco Corp.	United States	Industrials	8,484	657	616
MasterCard Inc. Class A	United States	Financials	264	132	142
MBM Resources BHD	Malaysia	Consumer Discretionary	55,300	58	59
McKesson Corp.	United States	Health Care	4,016	1,553	2,371
Meritage Homes Corp.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	5,433	954	903
Midi Utama Indonesia TBK PT	Indonesia	Consumer Staples	1,814,200	79	75
Motor Oil (Hellas) Corinth Refineries SA	Greece	Energy	5,034	162	173
NEC Corp.	Japan	Information Technology	4,300	322	322
Nestle SA Reg.	United States	Consumer Staples	937	146	144
NetEase Inc.	China	Communication Services	20,400	472	556
Nippon Shinyaku Co. Ltd.	Japan	Health Care	2,300	194	132
Novartis AG Reg.	Switzerland	Health Care	5,810	783	805
Novatek Microelectronics Corp.	Taiwan	Information Technology	86,000	1,440	1,533
Novo Nordisk AS B	Denmark	Health Care	18,242	1,203	2,253
Nucor Corp.	United States	Materials	4,043	880	858
Oil Refineries Ltd.	Israel	Energy	458,739	214	206
Oracle Corp.	United States	Information Technology	10,668	1,500	1,534
Orica Ltd.	Australia	Materials	41,116	568	561
Orion Corp.	South Korea	Consumer Staples	9,816	168	150
Oro Co. Ltd.	Japan	Information Technology	5,400	78	106
PBF Energy Inc.	United States	Energy	17,302	1,212	1,257
PC Partner Group Ltd.	Hong Kong	Information Technology	144,000	134	76
PCA Corp.	Japan	Information Technology	1,800	21	20
PetroChina Co. Ltd. H	China	Energy	2,116,000	1,369	2,156
Petronas Gas BHD	Malaysia	Utilities	4,400	23	21
Phillips 66	United States	Energy	13,774	2,218	2,247
PPG Industries Inc.	United States	Materials	7,961	1,459	1,403
Prima Marine PCL	Thailand	Energy	655,300	187	167

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EQUITIES (cont'd)					
Primax Electronics Ltd.	Taiwan	Information Technology	18,000	48	52
The Procter & Gamble Co.	United States	Consumer Staples	2,518	518	499
PT Astra International TBK	Indonesia	Industrials	639,500	377	349
PT Indofood Sukses Makmur TBK	Indonesia	Consumer Staples	702,000	419	407
PTT Exploration and Production PCL	Thailand	Energy	155,200	993	980
PulteGroup Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	12,252	1,136	1,232
RCE Capital BHD	Malaysia	Financials	45,400	24	32
Realtek Semiconductor Corp.	Taiwan	Information Technology	81,000	1,417	1,358
Recordati SpA	Italy	Health Care	11,098	686	710
Reliance Steel & Aluminum Co.	United States	Materials	5,860	1,151	2,086
Riken Vitamin Co. Ltd.	Japan	Consumer Staples	3,000	60	60
Roche Holding AG Genussscheine	United States	Health Care	1,274	496	472
SAP AG	Germany	Information Technology	4,565	817	804
Sapiens International Corp. NV	Israel	Information Technology	16,779	653	648
Sawai Group Holdings Co. Ltd.	Japan	Health Care	700	28	29
Semperit AG Holding	Austria	Industrials	1,536	46	38
Sheng Yu Steel Co. Ltd.	Taiwan	Materials	29,000	32	29
Singapore Airlines Ltd.	Singapore	Industrials	208,100	1,308	1,334
Sinmag Equipment Corp.	Taiwan	Industrials	10,000	50	53
SITC International Holdings Co. Ltd.	China	Industrials	46,000	135	105
Sok Marketler Ticaret AS	Turkey	Consumer Staples	31,107	96	89
Soliton Systems KK	Japan	Information Technology	2,400	28	25
SPCG PCL	Thailand	Utilities	65,600	36	30
Steel Dynamics Inc.	United States	Materials	6,166	587	897
Stellantis NV	United States	Consumer Discretionary	16,514	432	430
The Swatch Group AG	Switzerland	Consumer Discretionary	2,247	1,014	782
Systema Corp.	Japan	Information Technology	74,400	243	182
Technology One Ltd.	Australia	Information Technology	4,736	59	64
Teekay Tankers Ltd.	Bermuda	Energy	2,890	172	163
Temenos AG	Switzerland	Information Technology	3,085	302	294
Toll Brothers Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	22,193	2,051	2,228
TTW PCL	Thailand	Utilities	172,000	59	58
Unitech Computer Co. Ltd.	Taiwan	Information Technology	97,000	163	135
Valero Energy Corp.	United States	Energy	14,013	2,378	2,696
Voestalpine AG	Austria	Materials	555	25	20
Volvo AB Class B	Sweden	Industrials	34,362	923	960
W.W. Grainger Inc.	United States	Industrials	560	347	526
Wistron Corp.	Taiwan	Information Technology	141,000	249	605
Worthington Industries Inc.	United States	Materials	3,472	313	291
Yamae Group Holdings Co. Ltd.	Japan	Consumer Discretionary	2,100	40	70
ZERIA Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd.	Japan	Health Care	1,500	33	30
Zippy Technology Corp.	Taiwan	Industrials	18,000	34	35
ZTE Corp. H Shares	China	Information Technology	339,600	1,318	1,389
Total equities				95,274	101,701
Transaction costs				(32)	–
Total investments				95,242	101,701
Derivative instruments (see schedule of derivative instruments)					2
Cash and cash equivalents					934
Other assets less liabilities					391
Net assets attributable to securityholders					103,028

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SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

ASSET TYPE	% OF NAV
Equities	98.7
Cash and cash equivalents	0.9
Other	0.4

SECTOR ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
Consumer discretionary	16.8
Information technology	16.6
Energy	14.8
Industrials	12.5
Health care	11.2
Consumer staples	9.8
Materials	8.5
Financials	4.5
Communication services	2.4
Utilities	1.6
Cash and cash equivalents	0.9
Other	0.4

COUNTRY ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
United States	57.1
Taiwan	7.4
Switzerland	5.5
China	5.5
Denmark	4.5
Australia	4.3
Spain	2.7
Japan	2.1
Thailand	2.0
Singapore	1.7
Israel	1.0
Other countries	5.3
Cash and cash equivalents	0.9

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ASSET TYPE	% OF NAV
Equities	98.6
Cash and cash equivalents	1.0
Other	0.4

SECTOR ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
Industrials	15.2
Materials	14.4
Energy	14.3
Consumer staples	14.3
Consumer discretionary	11.3
Health care	10.5
Information technology	8.6
Financials	7.6
Utilities	1.7
Real estate	0.4
Communication services	0.3
Cash and cash equivalents	1.0
Other	0.4

COUNTRY ALLOCATION	% OF NAV
United States	48.3
Australia	7.9
Taiwan	6.4
China	4.5
Thailand	3.5
Denmark	3.1
Singapore	3.1
Switzerland	2.9
France	2.8
Hong Kong	2.3
Austria	1.8
Spain	1.6
United Kingdom	1.5
Other countries	9.3
Cash and cash equivalents	1.0

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SCHEDULE OF DERIVATIVE INSTRUMENTS

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Schedule of Forward Currency Contracts

Counterparty Credit Rating	Currency to be Received (\$ 000)	Currency to be Delivered (\$ 000)	Settlement Date	Contract Cost (\$ 000)	Current Fair Value (\$ 000)	Unrealized Gains (\$ 000)	Unrealized Losses (\$ 000)
AA	46 CAD	(27) GBP	Oct. 12, 2023	(46)	(45)	1	–
AA	42 CAD	(25) GBP	Dec. 13, 2023	(42)	(41)	1	–
Total forward currency contracts						2	–
Total Derivative assets							2
Total Derivative liabilities							–

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Fiscal Periods and General Information

The information provided in these financial statements and notes thereto is for the six-month period ended or as at September 30, 2023 and 2022, except for the comparative information presented in the Statements of Financial Position and notes thereto, which is as at March 31, 2023, as applicable. In the year a series is established, 'period' represents the period from inception to the period end of that fiscal period. In a period where a series is terminated the period represents from the beginning of the fiscal year to the termination date. Refer to Note 10 (a) for series inception and termination dates.

The Fund is organized as an open-ended mutual fund trust established under the laws of the Province of Ontario pursuant to a Declaration of Trust as amended and restated from time to time. The address of the Fund's registered office is 5015 Spectrum Way, Suite 300, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada. The Fund is authorized to issue an unlimited number of units (referred to as "security" or "securities") of multiple series. Series of the Fund are available for sale under Simplified Prospectus and/or exempt distribution options.

Counsel Portfolio Services Inc. (the "Manager" or "Counsel") acts as the Fund's manager and trustee.

2. Basis of Preparation and Presentation

These unaudited interim financial statements ("financial statements") have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), including International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34, Interim Financial Reporting, as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). These financial statements were prepared using the same accounting policies, critical accounting judgments and estimates as applied in the Fund's most recent audited annual financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2023. A summary of the Fund's significant accounting policies under IFRS is presented in Note 3.

These financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars, which is the Fund's functional currency, and are rounded to the nearest thousand unless otherwise indicated. These financial statements are prepared on a going concern basis using the historical cost basis, except for financial assets and liabilities that have been measured at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL").

These financial statements were authorized for issue by Counsel's Board of Directors on November 13, 2023.

3. Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Financial instruments

Financial instruments include financial assets and liabilities such as debt and equity securities, investment funds, and derivatives. The Fund classifies and measures financial instruments in accordance with IFRS 9 *Financial Instruments*. Upon initial recognition, financial instruments are classified as FVTPL. All financial instruments are recognized in the Statements of Financial Position when the Fund becomes a party to the contractual requirements of the instrument. Financial assets are derecognized when the right to receive cash flows from the instrument has expired. Financial liabilities are derecognized when the Fund has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership. Investment purchase and sale transactions are recorded as of the trade date.

Financial instruments are designated on initial recognition as FVTPL with changes in fair value recognized in the Statements of Comprehensive Income – Net unrealized gain (loss).

Realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments are calculated based on average cost of investments and exclude commissions and other portfolio transaction costs, which are separately reported in the Statements of Comprehensive Income – Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs.

Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the investments are included in the Statements of Comprehensive Income for the period in which they arise.

The Fund accounts for its holdings in investment funds at FVTPL. Counsel has concluded that the investment funds in which the Fund invests, do not meet the definition of structured entities.

The Fund's redeemable securities entitle securityholders the right to redeem their interest in the Fund for cash equal to their proportionate share of the net asset value of the Fund, amongst other contractual rights. The Fund's redeemable securities meet the criteria for classification as financial liabilities under IAS 32, *Financial Instruments: Presentation*. The Fund's obligation for net assets attributable to securityholders is presented at the redemption amount.

IAS 7, *Statement of Cash Flows*, requires disclosures related to changes in liabilities and assets, such as the securities of the Fund, arising from financing activities. Changes in securities of the Fund, including both changes from cash flows and non-cash changes, are included in the Statement of Changes in Financial Position. Any changes in the securities not settled in cash as at the end of the period are presented as either Accounts receivable for securities issued or Accounts payable for securities redeemed in the Statement of Financial Position. These accounts receivable and accounts payable amounts typically settle shortly after period-end.

(b) Fair value measurement

Fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

Investments listed on a public securities exchange, including exchange traded funds, or traded on an over-the-counter market are valued on the basis of the last traded market price or close price recorded by the security exchange on which the security is principally traded, where this price falls within the quoted bid-ask spread for the investment. In circumstances where this price is not within the bid-ask spread, Counsel determines the point within the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value based on the specific facts and circumstances. Unlisted or non-exchange traded investments, or investments where a last sale or close price is unavailable or investments for which market quotations are, in Counsel's opinion, inaccurate, unreliable, or not reflective of all available material information, are valued at their fair value as determined by Counsel using appropriate and accepted industry valuation techniques including valuation models. The fair value determined using valuation models requires the use of inputs and assumptions based on observable market data including volatility and other applicable rates or prices. In limited circumstances, the fair value may be determined using valuation techniques that are not supported by observable market data.

Cash and cash equivalents which includes cash on deposit with financial institutions and short-term investments that are readily convertible to cash, are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value and are used by the Fund in the management of short-term commitments. Cash and cash equivalents are reported at amortized cost which closely approximates their fair value due to their nature of being highly liquid and having short terms to maturity. Bank overdraft positions are presented under current liabilities as bank indebtedness in the Statements of Financial Position.

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3. Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

(b) Fair value measurement (cont'd)

The Fund may use derivatives (such as written options, futures, forward contracts, swaps or customized derivatives) to hedge against losses caused by changes in securities prices, interest rates or exchange rates. The Fund may also use derivatives for non-hedging purposes in order to invest indirectly in securities or financial markets, to gain exposure to other currencies, to seek to generate additional income, and/or for any other purpose considered appropriate by Counsel or the Fund's sub-advisor(s), provided that the use of the derivative is consistent with the Fund's investment objectives. Any use of derivatives will comply with Canadian mutual fund laws, subject to the regulatory exemptions granted to the Fund, as applicable. Refer to "Exemptions from National Instrument 81-102" in the Annual Information Form of the Fund for further details, including the complete conditions of these exemptions, as applicable.

Valuations of derivative instruments are carried out daily, using normal exchange reporting sources for exchange-traded derivatives and specific broker enquiry for over-the-counter derivatives.

The value of forward contracts is the gain or loss that would be realized if, on the valuation date, the positions were to be closed out. The change in value of forward contracts is included in the Statements of Comprehensive Income -- Net unrealized gain (loss).

The value of futures contracts or swaps fluctuates daily, and cash settlements made daily, where applicable, by the Fund are equal to the change in unrealized gains or losses that are best determined at the settlement price. These unrealized gains or losses are recorded and reported as such until the Fund closes out the contract or the contract expires. Margin paid or deposited in respect of futures contracts or swaps is reflected as a receivable in the Statements of Financial Position -- Margin on derivatives. Any change in the variation margin requirement is settled daily.

Premiums paid (written) for purchasing (writing) options are recorded in Derivative Assets (Liabilities) and subsequently adjusted daily to fair value. If a written option expires unexercised, the premium received is recognized as a realized gain. If a written call option is exercised, the difference between the proceeds of the sale plus the value of the premium, and the cost of the security is recognized as a realized gain or loss. If a written put option is exercised, the cost of the security acquired is the exercise price of the option less the premium received. Refer to the Schedule of Derivative Instruments and Schedule of Options Purchased/Written, as applicable, included in the Schedule of Investments for a listing of derivative and options positions.

The Fund categorizes the fair value of its assets and liabilities into three categories, which are differentiated based on the observable nature of the inputs and extent of estimation required.

Level 1 – Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly. Examples of Level 2 valuations include quoted prices for similar securities, quoted prices on inactive markets and from recognized investment dealers, and the application of factors derived from observable data to non-North American quoted prices in order to estimate the impact of differences in market closing times.

Financial instruments classified as Level 2 investments are valued based on the prices provided by an independent reputable pricing services company who prices the securities based on recent transactions and quotes received from market participants and through incorporating observable market data and using standard market convention practices. The estimated fair values for these securities may be different from the values that would have been used had a ready market for the investment existed; and

Level 3 – Inputs that are not based on observable market data.

The inputs are considered observable if they are developed using market data, such as publicly available information about actual events or transactions, and that reflect the assumption that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability.

See Note 10 (e) for the fair value classifications of the Fund.

(c) Income recognition

Interest income for distribution purposes represents the coupon interest received by the Fund which is accounted for on an accrual basis. The Fund does not amortize premiums paid or discounts received on the purchase of fixed income securities except for zero coupon bonds, which are amortized on a straight-line basis.

Dividends are accrued as of the ex-dividend date. Realized gains or losses on the sale of investments, including foreign exchange gains or losses on such investments, and unrealized gains or losses are calculated on an average cost basis.

The Fund may invest in ETFs managed by Mackenzie Investments (an affiliate of Counsel) which are indicated in the Schedule of Investments. The Fund receives Fee rebate income in respect of management fees paid indirectly to Mackenzie which offset the management fees indirectly borne in the return of these Underlying Funds.

Income, realized gains (losses), and unrealized gains (losses) are allocated daily among the series on a pro-rata basis.

(d) Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs

Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs are costs incurred to acquire, issue or dispose of financial assets or liabilities. They include fees and commissions paid to agents, exchanges, brokers, dealers and other intermediaries. The total brokerage commissions incurred by the Fund in connection with portfolio transactions for the periods, together with other transaction charges, is disclosed in the Statements of Comprehensive Income. Brokerage business is allocated to brokers based on the best net result for the Fund. Subject to this criteria, commissions may be paid to brokerage firms which provide (or pay for) certain services, other than order execution, which may include investment research, analysis and reports, and databases or software in support of these services. Where applicable and ascertainable, the value of third-party services that were paid for by brokers during the periods is disclosed in Note 10. The value of certain proprietary services provided by brokers cannot be reasonably estimated.

(e) Securities lending, repurchase and reverse repurchase transactions

The Fund is permitted to enter into securities lending, repurchase and reverse repurchase transactions as set out in the Fund's Simplified Prospectus. These transactions involve the temporary exchange of securities for collateral with a commitment to redeliver the same securities on a future date.

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3. Significant Accounting Policies (cont'd)

(e) Securities lending, repurchase and reverse repurchase transactions (cont'd)

Income is earned from these transactions in the form of fees paid by the counterparty and, in certain circumstances, interest paid on cash or securities held as collateral. Income earned from these transactions is included in the Statements of Comprehensive Income and recognized when earned. Securities lending transactions are administered by the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (the "Securities Lending Agent"). The value of cash or securities held as collateral must be at least 102% of the fair value of the securities loaned, sold or purchased.

Note 10 summarizes the details of securities loaned and collateral received, as well as a reconciliation of securities lending income, if applicable. Collateral received is comprised of debt obligations of the Government of Canada and other countries, Canadian provincial and municipal governments, and financial institutions.

(f) Foreign currency

The functional and presentation currency of the Fund is Canadian dollars. Foreign currency purchases and sales of investments and foreign currency dividend and interest income and expenses are translated to Canadian dollars at the rate of exchange prevailing at the time of the transactions.

Foreign exchange gains (losses) on purchases and sales of foreign currencies are included in the Statements of Comprehensive Income – Net realized gain (loss).

The fair value of investments and other assets and liabilities, denominated in foreign currencies, are translated to Canadian dollars at the rate of exchange prevailing on each business day.

(g) Offsetting

Financial assets and liabilities are offset and the net amount reported in the Statements of Financial Position when there is a legally enforceable right to set-off the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into various master netting agreements or similar agreements that do not meet the criteria for offsetting in the Statements of Financial Position but still allow for the related amounts to be set off in certain circumstances, such as bankruptcy or termination of the contracts. Note 10 summarizes the details of such offsetting, if applicable, subject to master netting arrangements or other similar agreements and the net impact to the Statements of Financial Position if all such rights were exercised.

Income and expenses are not offset in the Statements of Comprehensive Income unless required or permitted to by an accounting standard, as specifically disclosed in the IFRS policies of the Fund.

(h) Net assets attributable to securityholders per security

Net assets attributable to securityholders per security is computed by dividing the net assets attributable to securityholders of a series of securities on a business day by the total number of securities of the series outstanding on that day.

(i) Net asset value per security

Net asset value per security is determined for the purchase and redemption of securities in accordance with the methods disclosed in the Fund's Simplified Prospectus and Annual Information Form. These methods may vary from valuation principles under IFRS. As at September 30, 2023 and March 31, 2023, there were no such differences.

(j) Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations per security

Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations per security in the Statements of Comprehensive Income represents the increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations for the period, divided by the weighted average number of securities outstanding during the period.

(k) Comparative amounts

Certain prior period comparative amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current period's presentation.

(l) Future accounting changes

Counsel has determined there are no material implications to the Fund's financial statements arising from IFRS issued but not yet effective.

4. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments

The preparation of these financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that primarily affect the valuation of investments. Estimates and assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Use of Estimates

Fair value of securities not quoted in an active market

The Fund holds financial instruments that are not quoted in active markets and are valued using valuation techniques that make use of observable data, to the extent practicable. Various valuation techniques are utilized, depending on a number of factors, including comparison with similar instruments for which observable market prices exist and recent arm's length market transactions. Key inputs and assumptions used are company specific and may include estimated discount rates and expected price volatilities. Changes in key inputs, could affect the reported fair value of these financial instruments held by the Fund.

Use of Judgments

Classification and measurement of investments

In classifying and measuring financial instruments held by the Fund, the Manager is required to make significant judgments in order to determine the most appropriate classification in accordance with IFRS 9. The Manager has considered the Fund's business model, commitments to securityholders, and the manner in which investments are managed and evaluated as a group and has determined that irrevocable designation of financial instruments as financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss provides the most appropriate measurement and presentation of the Fund's investments and financial instruments.

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4. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments (cont'd)

Functional currency

The Fund's functional and presentation currency is the Canadian dollar, which is the currency considered to best represent the economic effects of the Fund's underlying transactions, events and conditions taking into consideration the manner in which securities are issued and redeemed and how returns and performance by the Fund are measured.

5. Income Taxes

The Fund qualifies as a mutual fund trust under the provisions of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and, accordingly, is subject to tax on its income including net realized capital gains in the taxation year, which is not paid or payable to its securityholders as at the end of the taxation year. The Fund maintains a December 15 year-end for tax purposes. The Fund may be subject to withholding taxes on foreign income. In general, the Fund treats withholding tax as a charge against income for tax purposes. The Fund will distribute sufficient amounts from net income for tax purposes, as required, so that the Fund will not pay income taxes other than refundable tax on capital gains, if applicable.

Losses of the Fund cannot be allocated to securityholders and are retained in the Fund for use in future years. Non-capital losses incurred may be carried forward up to 20 years to reduce taxable income and realized capital gains of future years. Net capital losses may be carried forward indefinitely to reduce future realized capital gains. Refer to Note 10 (d) for a summary of the Fund's loss carryforwards.

6. Management Fees and Operating Expenses

Counsel is paid a management fee for arranging for the management of the investment portfolio, providing investment analysis and recommendations, making investment decisions, making brokerage arrangements relating to the purchase and sale of the investment portfolio and making arrangements with registered dealers for the purchase and sale of securities of the Fund by securityholders.

Each series of the Fund, excluding Series O, is charged a fixed rate annual administration fee ("Administration Fee"), as applicable, and in return, Counsel bears all of the operating expenses of the Fund, other than certain specified fund costs.

Other fund costs include taxes (including, but not limited to GST/HST and income tax), interest and borrowing costs, all fees and expenses of the Counsel Funds' Independent Review Committee, costs of complying with the regulatory requirement to produce Fund Facts, fees paid to external service providers associated with tax reclaims, refunds or the preparation of foreign tax reports on behalf of the Funds, and any new fees related to external services that were not commonly charged in the Canadian mutual fund industry after the date of the Fund's most recently filed Simplified Prospectus.

Counsel may waive or absorb management fees and/or Administration Fees at its discretion and stop waiving or absorbing such fees at any time without notice. Refer to Note 10 (a) for the management fee and Administration Fee rates charged to each series of securities.

7. Fund's Capital

The capital of the Fund is divided into different series with each series having an unlimited number of securities. The securities outstanding for the Fund as at September 30, 2023 and 2022 and securities issued, reinvested and redeemed for the periods are presented in the Statements of Changes in Financial Position. Counsel manages the capital of the Fund in accordance with the investment objectives and strategies as discussed in Note 8 (a).

8. Financial Instruments Risk

(a) Risk exposure and management

The Fund's investment activities expose it to a variety of financial risks, as defined in IFRS 7 *Financial Instruments: Disclosures* ("IFRS 7"). The Fund's exposure to financial risks is concentrated in its investments, which are presented in the Schedule of Investments, grouped by asset type, with geographic and sector information.

The Manager seeks to minimize potential adverse effects of financial risks on the Fund's performance by employing professional, experienced portfolio advisors, by monitoring the Fund's positions and market events daily, by diversifying the investment portfolio within the constraints of the Fund's investment objectives and strategies, as disclosed in Note 10 (b), and where applicable, by using derivatives to hedge certain risk exposures. To assist in managing risks, Counsel also maintains a governance structure that oversees the Fund's investment activities and monitors compliance with the Fund's stated investment strategy, internal guidelines, and securities regulations.

(b) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk arises when the Fund encounters difficulty in meeting its financial obligations as they come due. The Fund is exposed to liquidity risk due to potential daily cash redemptions of redeemable securities. In order to monitor the liquidity of its assets, the Fund utilizes a liquidity risk management program that calculates the number of days to convert the investments held by the Fund into cash using a multi-day liquidation approach. This liquidity risk analysis assesses the Fund's liquidity against pre-determined minimum liquidity percentages, established for different time periods. In addition, the Fund has the ability to borrow up to 5% of its net assets for the purposes of funding redemptions. In order to comply with securities regulations, the Fund must maintain at least 85% of its assets in liquid investments (i.e. investments that can be readily sold).

Other investment funds managed by Counsel ("Top Funds") may invest in Series O securities offered by the Fund on a prospectus-exempt basis in accordance with the investment objectives of those funds. Series Private Wealth securities may also be issued on a prospectus-exempt basis to investors in the IPC Private Wealth program offered by IPC Securities Corporation, an affiliate of Counsel.

From time to time, these holdings may be rebalanced by either reducing an allocation to the Fund or eliminating such investments in the Fund entirely. In either case, depending on the size of the investment by a large investor, this could cause a significant redemption from the Fund. Meeting such a redemption may require the Fund to sell portfolio holdings. This could result in the Fund selling a particular holding before it has achieved the valuation sought by the Manager thus affecting Fund returns. This could also result in the Fund realizing capital gains on its holdings earlier than planned, which could result in capital gains distributed to investors in the Fund (which could result in income tax payable by the investor) that might not have occurred or might have occurred at a later date.

For the amounts held by and the changes thereto during the period pertaining to Series O and/or Series Private Wealth, please refer to the amounts disclosed in the Statements of Financial Position and Statements of Changes in Financial Position.

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8. Financial Instruments Risk (cont'd)

(c) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or commitment into which it has entered with the Fund. Note 10 (c) summarizes the Fund's exposure, if applicable and significant, to credit risk through fixed income instruments. Where presented, credit ratings and rating categories are based on ratings issued by a designated rating organization.

All transactions in listed securities are executed with approved brokers.

To minimize the possibility of settlement default, securities are exchanged for payment simultaneously, where market practices permit, through the facilities of a central depository and/or clearing agency where customary.

The carrying amount of investments and other assets represents the maximum credit risk exposure as at the dates of the Statements of Financial Position. The Fund may enter into securities lending transactions with counterparties and it may also be exposed to credit risk from the counterparties to the derivative instruments it may use. Credit risk associated with these transactions is considered minimal as all counterparties have an approved credit rating equivalent to a Standard & Poor's credit rating of not less than A-1 (low) on their short-term debt and of A on their long-term debt, as applicable.

(d) Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that financial instruments which are denominated or exchanged in a currency other than the Canadian dollar, which is the Fund's functional currency, will fluctuate due to changes in exchange rates. Generally, foreign denominated investments increase in value when the value of the Canadian dollar (relative to foreign currencies) falls. Conversely, when the value of the Canadian dollar rises relative to foreign currencies, the values of foreign denominated investments fall.

Note 10 (c) indicates the foreign currencies, if applicable, to which the Fund had significant exposure, in Canadian dollar terms, to the Fund's net assets had the Canadian dollar strengthened or weakened by 5% relative to all foreign currencies, all other variables held constant. In practice, the actual trading results may differ and the difference could be material. Other financial assets and liabilities (including dividends and interest receivable, and receivables/payables for investments sold/purchased) that are denominated in foreign currencies do not generally expose the Fund to significant currency risk.

(e) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises on interest-bearing financial instruments. The Fund is exposed to the risk that the value of interest-bearing financial instruments will fluctuate due to changes in the prevailing levels of market interest rates. Generally, these securities increase in value when interest rates fall and decrease in value when interest rates rise.

If significant, Note 10 (c) summarizes the Fund's bonds by remaining term to maturity and illustrates the potential impact to the Fund's net assets had prevailing interest rates increased or decreased by 1%, assuming a parallel shift in the yield curve, all other variables held constant. In practice, the actual trading results may differ and the difference could be material.

Cash and cash equivalents are short term in nature and are not generally subject to significant amounts of interest rate risk.

(f) Other price risk

Other price risk is the risk that the value of financial instruments will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether caused by factors specific to an individual investment, its issuer, or all factors affecting all instruments traded in a market or market segment. All investments present a risk of loss of capital. This risk is managed through a careful selection of investments and other financial instruments within the parameters of the investment strategy.

Other price risk typically arises from exposure to equity securities. Note 10 (c) illustrates the potential increase or decrease in the Fund's net assets had the prices on the respective exchanges for these securities increased or decreased by 10%, all other variables held constant. In practice, the actual trading results may differ and the difference could be material.

9. Foreign currency abbreviations

Currency Code	Description	Currency Code	Description	Currency Code	Description
AUD	Australian dollars	HUG	Hungarian forint	PKR	Pakistani rupee
AED	United Arab Emirates Dirham	IDR	Indonesian rupiah	PLN	Polish zloty
BRL	Brazilian real	ILS	Israeli shekel	QAR	Qatar Rial
CAD	Canadian dollars	INR	Indian rupee	RON	Romanian leu
CHF	Swiss franc	JPY	Japanese yen	RUB	Russian ruble
CLP	Chilean peso	KOR	South Korean won	SAR	Saudi riyal
CNY	Chinese yuan	MXN	Mexican peso	SEK	Swedish krona
CZK	Czech koruna	MYR	Malaysian ringgit	SGD	Singapore dollars
DKK	Danish krone	NGN	Nigerian naira	THB	Thailand baht
EGP	Egyptian pound	NOK	Norwegian krona	TRL	Turkish lira
EUR	Euro	NTD	New Taiwan dollar	USD	United States dollars
GBP	United Kingdom pounds	NXD	New Zealand dollars	VND	Vietnamese dong
GHS	Ghana Cedi	PEN	Peruvian nuevo sol	ZAR	South African rand
HKD	Hong Kong dollars	PHP	Philippine peso	ZMW	Zambian kwacha

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10. Fund Specific Information (in '000, except for (a))

(a) Fund Formation and Series Information

Series	Inception/ Reinstatement Date	Minimum Investment (\$)	Management fee (%) ⁶	Administration fee (%) ⁶
Series A ¹	July 13, 2012	1,000	1.90	0.25
Series F ²	July 13, 2012	1,000	0.90	0.15
Series I ^{2,3,7}	July 13, 2012	1,000	–	0.15
Series O ⁴	July 24, 2012	–	–	–
Series Private Wealth ⁵	July 13, 2012	–	–	0.15

¹ Series A is the only series subject to sales or redemption charges; these charges are based on purchase options chosen. Securities purchased under the sales charge option may be subject to a negotiated fee of up to 5% at time of initial purchase. Securities previously purchased under the redemption charge purchase option may be subject to a redemption fee of up to 4.0% (based on date of initial purchase); new securities are not available under this option but may be acquired through switching from other Counsel funds. Effective June 15, 2022, this series' administration fee was reduced from 0.31%.

² A negotiable advisory or asset-based fee (plus sales taxes) is payable by investors to their dealer(s) in connection with the securities held in this series. The fee may be collected by Counsel from the investor's account through redemption of securities and remitted to the dealer at the investor's request. Alternatively, the dealer may collect it directly from the investor.

³ The management fee for this series is 0.90% and is payable directly to Counsel generally through the monthly redemption of securities.

⁴ There are no management or administration fees for this series since these securities are designed to facilitate fund-of-fund investing where duplication of management fees is prohibited.

⁵ There are no management fees for Series Private Wealth. An investor must enter into an agreement to participate in a discretionary managed program offered by IPC Securities Corporation and agree to pay certain asset-based fees.

⁶ Counsel may, at its discretion, waive or lower the management fee (either directly or indirectly) and/or administration fee payable by investors. Individual investors may be eligible for a management fee reduction subject to meeting certain requirements as discussed in the Fund's Simplified Prospectus. Effective June 15, 2022, the management fee rates for all series were reduced by 0.20% to rates stated above.

(b) Investment Objectives and Strategies

The Fund seeks to earn dividend income and long-term growth of capital by investing primarily in Canadian, U.S. and international equities.

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10. Fund Specific Information (in '000, except for (a)) (cont'd)

(c) Risks Associated with Financial Instruments

i. Currency Risk

The tables below summarize the Fund's exposure to currency risk.

Currency	September 30, 2023				Impact on net assets			
	Investments (\$)	Cash and Cash Equivalents (\$)	Derivative Instruments (\$)	Net Exposure (\$)	Strengthened by 5%		Weakened by 5%	
					(\$)	%	(\$)	%
USD	59,082	54	–	59,136				
NTD	7,637	–	–	7,637				
CHF	6,066	–	–	6,066				
HKD	5,634	5	–	5,639				
EUR	5,035	–	–	5,035				
DKK	4,660	–	–	4,660				
AUD	4,437	–	–	4,437				
JPY	2,133	7	–	2,140				
THB	2,073	16	–	2,089				
SGD	1,496	9	–	1,505				
SEK	997	–	–	997				
IDR	831	36	–	867				
ILS	379	–	–	379				
NOK	276	–	–	276				
KOR	260	2	–	262				
GBP	327	1	(86)	242				
MYR	155	4	–	159				
TRL	135	–	–	135				
PEN	71	5	–	76				
ZAR	17	–	–	17				
BRL	–	1	–	1				
Total	101,701	140	(86)	101,755				
% of Net Assets				98.8				
Total currency rate sensitivity					(5,088)	(4.9)	5,088	4.9

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10. Fund Specific Information (in '000, except for (a)) (cont'd)

(c) Risks Associated with Financial Instruments (cont'd)

i. Currency Risk (cont'd)

Currency	March 31, 2023				Impact on net assets			
	Investments (\$)	Cash and Cash Equivalents (\$)	Derivative Instruments (\$)	Net Exposure (\$)	Strengthened by 5%		Weakened by 5%	
					(\$)	%	(\$)	%
USD	51,882	612	–	52,494				
EUR	8,435	–	–	8,435				
AUD	8,156	26	–	8,182				
HKD	6,924	–	–	6,924				
NTD	6,535	–	–	6,535				
THB	3,611	–	–	3,611				
DKK	3,227	171	–	3,398				
SGD	3,030	–	–	3,030				
CHF	2,702	–	–	2,702				
IDR	1,458	–	–	1,458				
JPY	1,385	2	–	1,387				
NOK	1,290	–	–	1,290				
MYR	930	13	–	943				
ILS	827	(51)	–	776				
KOR	316	–	–	316				
GBP	295	–	(29)	266				
ZAR	89	–	–	89				
PEN	88	–	–	88				
BRL	75	1	–	76				
TRL	65	–	–	65				
SEK	32	–	–	32				
Total	101,352	774	(29)	102,097				
% of Net Assets				99.4				
Total currency rate sensitivity					(5,105)	(5.0)	5,105	5.0

The Fund follows a dynamic hedging strategy where it targets a hedge against foreign currencies, based on Counsel's expectation of future exchange rates at that time. As of September 30, 2023, the Fund had target hedges of 0.0% (March 31, 2023 – 0.0%) against the USD, 0.0% (March 31, 2023 – 0.0%) against the EUR, and 25.0% (March 31, 2023 – 12.5%) against the GBP.

ii. Interest Rate Risk

As at September 30, 2023 and March 31, 2023, the Fund did not have a significant exposure to interest rate risk related to fixed income investments.

iii. Other Price Risk

Impact on net assets	Increased by 10%		Decreased by 10%	
	(\$)	(%)	(\$)	(%)
September 30, 2023	10,170	9.9	(10,170)	(9.9)
March 31, 2023	10,135	9.9	(10,135)	(9.9)

iv. Credit Risk

As at September 30, 2023 and March 31, 2023, the Fund did not have a significant exposure to credit risk related to fixed income investments.

(d) Loss Carryforwards

Non-Capital Losses carryforward (\$)	Net Capital Losses carryforward (\$)
–	580

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10. Fund Specific Information (in '000, except for (a)) (cont'd)

(e) Fair Value Classification

The table below summarizes the fair value of the Fund's financial instruments using the fair value hierarchy described in note 3.

	September 30, 2023				March 31, 2023			
	Level 1 (\$)	Level 2 (\$)	Level 3 (\$)	Total (\$)	Level 1 (\$)	Level 2 (\$)	Level 3 (\$)	Total (\$)
Fixed income	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Equities	59,164	42,537	–	101,701	52,048	49,304	–	101,352
Cash equivalents	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Derivative assets	–	2	–	2	–	–	–	–
Derivative liabilities	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total	59,164	42,539	–	101,703	52,048	49,304	–	101,352

The Fund's policy is to recognize transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as of the date of the event or change in circumstances that caused the transfer.

In accordance with the Fund's valuation policy, the Fund applies fair value adjustment factors to the quoted market prices for overseas equities when North American intraday stock market movements exceed predetermined tolerances. The adjustment factors are applied in order to estimate the impact on fair values of events occurring between the close of the overseas stock markets and the close of business for the Fund, where applicable. Consequently, during the year, overseas equities frequently transferred between Level 1 (unadjusted quoted market prices) and Level 2 (adjusted market prices). As of September 30, 2023, these securities were classified as Level 2 (March 31, 2023– Level 2). Other than as described above, there were no significant transfers between Level 1 and Level 2.

(f) Securities Lending

	September 30, 2023 (\$)	March 31, 2023 (\$)
Value of securities loaned	181	–
Value of collateral received	193	–

	September 30, 2023		September 30, 2022	
	(\$)	(%)	(\$)	(%)
Gross securities lending income	1	100.0	13	100.0
Tax withheld	–	–	–	–
	1	100.0	13	100.0
Payments to Securities Lending Agent	–	–	(2)	(15.4)
Securities lending income	1	100.0	11	84.6

(g) Offsetting of Financial Assets and Liabilities

The tables below present the recognized financial assets and financial liabilities that are subject to master netting arrangements or other similar agreements and the net impact on the Fund's Statements of Financial Position if all set-off rights were exercised as part of future events such as bankruptcy or termination of contracts. No amounts were offset in the financial statements.

	September 30, 2023			
	Gross amount of assets/liabilities (\$)	Amount available for offset (\$)	Margin (\$)	Net amount (\$)
Unrealized gains on derivative contracts	2	–	–	2
Unrealized losses on derivative contracts	–	–	–	–
Total	2	–	–	2

	March 31, 2023			
	Gross amount of assets/liabilities (\$)	Amount available for offset (\$)	Margin (\$)	Net amount (\$)
Unrealized gains on derivative contracts	–	–	–	–
Unrealized losses on derivative contracts	–	–	–	–
Total	–	–	–	–