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# **Dynamic Power American Growth Class**

# Annual Management Report of Fund Performance For the period ended June 30, 2024

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Securityholders may also contact us using one of these methods to request a copy of the investment fund's interim financial statements, proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record or quarterly portfolio disclosure.

1832 Asset Management L.P. is the manager (the "Manager") of the fund. In this document, "we", "us", "our" and the "Manager" refer to 1832 Asset Management L.P. and the "Fund" refers to Dynamic Power American Growth Class.

The term "net asset value" or "net asset value per share" in this document refers to the net asset value determined in accordance with Part 14 of National Instrument 81-106 — Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure ("National Instrument 81-106"); while the term "net assets" or "net assets per share" refers to total equity or net assets attributable to shareholders of the Fund as determined in accordance with IFRS Accounting Standards.

# **Caution Regarding Forward-Looking Statements**

Certain portions of this report, including, but not limited to, "Recent Developments", may contain forward-looking statements about the Fund and the underlying funds, as applicable, including statements with respect to strategies, risks, expected performance events and conditions. 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", "projects" and similar forward-looking expressions or negative versions thereof.

In addition, any statement that may be made concerning future performance, strategies or prospects and possible future action by the Fund is also a forward-looking statement. Forward-looking statements are based on current expectations and projections about future general economic, political and relevant market factors, such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates, equity and capital markets, and the general business environment, in each case assuming no changes to applicable tax or other laws or government regulation. Expectations and projections about future events are inherently subject to, among other things, risks and uncertainties, some of which may be unforeseeable. Accordingly, current assumptions concerning future economic and other factors may prove to be incorrect at a future date.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and actual results or events could differ materially from those expressed or implied in any forward-looking statements made by the Fund. Any number of important factors could contribute to these digressions, including, but not limited to, general economic, political and market factors in North America and internationally, such as interest and foreign exchange rates, global equity and capital markets, business competition, technological change, changes in government relations, unexpected judicial or regulatory proceedings and catastrophic events. We stress that the above mentioned list of important factors is not exhaustive. Some of these risks, uncertainties and other factors are described in the Fund's simplified prospectus, under the heading "Risk Factors".

We encourage you to consider these and other factors carefully before making any investment decisions. Forward-looking statements should not be unduly relied upon. Further, you should be aware of the fact that the Fund has no specific intention of updating any forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, prior to the release of the next management report of fund performance, and that the forward-looking statements speak only to the date of this management report of fund performance.

# **Investment Objective and Strategies**

The Fund seeks to achieve long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity securities of United States businesses.

This Fund represents an actively traded and concentrated portfolio of equity securities chosen according to a growth investment approach. This approach seeks to identify companies demonstrating better than average current or prospective earnings growth relative to the overall market and relative to their peer group.

The portfolio advisor may use techniques such as fundamental analysis to assess growth potential. This means evaluating the financial condition and management of a company, its industry and the overall economy.

All of the Fund's objectives and strategies are further described in the simplified prospectus of the Fund.

#### Risk

The risks associated with investing in the Fund are as described in the simplified prospectus. There were no material changes to the Fund over its last completed financial year that affected the overall level of risk of the Fund.

# **Results of Operations**

For the year ended at June 30, 2024 (the "period"), the Series A shares of the Fund generated a total return of 13.7%. Fund returns

are reported net of all management fees and expenses for all series, unlike the returns of the Fund's benchmark, which is based on the performance of an index that does not pay fees or incur expenses. Returns for other series of the Fund will be similar to Series A with any difference in performance being primarily due to different management fees, operating expenses and other expenses that are applicable to that particular series. Please see the "Past Performance" section for the performance of the Fund's other series.

The Fund's broad-based benchmark, the S&P 500 Index (C\$), returned 28.7% during the same period. In accordance with National Instrument 81-106, we have included a comparison to this broad-based index to help you understand the Fund's performance relative to the general performance of the market.

The Fund underperformed the benchmark during the period due primarily to stock selection in the Information Technology and Health Care sectors. Stock selection in the Consumer Discretionary sector was a key positive for relative performance.

The U.S. equity market ended the 12-month period in positive territory as the S&P 500 Index (C\$) returned 28.7%. As we witnessed equity markets generate double-digits returns, the U.S. Federal Reserve (Fed) surprisingly kept interest rates at bay (no change). The Federal Funds rate remained steady between 5.25% to 5.5%. This is a sharp contrast to the previous 24 months where the Fed raised rates at the fastest pace in 40 years in 2022 and 2023 to combat inflation that also rose to a four-decade high.

The Fed has taken a wait and see approach on reducing interest rates. The basis for this stance is that inflation remains stubbornly above the Fed's 2% target inflation rate. As of May 31,2024, the inflation rate came in at 3.3%. Over the preceding twelve months inflation has hovered within the 3.0% to 3.7% range.

The Fed is especially wary of cutting too soon after seeing an unexpected rise in inflation earlier this year from 3.1% in January to 3.5% in March. The Fed is trying to balance the risk of cutting rates too soon and allowing inflation to persist. This has left the Fed in something of a holding pattern, where policymakers are looking for several more months of benign inflation readings before deciding on cutting interest rates.

As interest rates remain at the highest levels since 2001, U.S. economic growth endures – steady hiring continues to fuel consumer spending and, in turn, an economic expansion unlike any the U.S. has seen. Employers added 2.75 million jobs over the last 12 months, including 272,000 in May 2024, according to the U.S. Labor Department. The unemployment rate has been at or below 4% for 30 consecutive months, something that last occurred in the late 1960s.

All 11 GICS (Global Industry Classification Standard) sectors posted positive returns over the 12-month period. The best performing sectors were Communication Services, Information Technology and Financials. The worst performing sectors were Real Estate, Utilities and Consumer Staples.

The stock market of the past 12 months hasn't fully rewarded the new leadership of growth stocks but instead the slower single digit plodders in the mega cap technology space. During the period, the Magnificent Seven stocks (Nvidia, Microsoft, Amazon.com, Meta Platforms Inc., Alphabet, Apple and Tesla), contributed close to half of the return of the S&P 500 (C\$) index and that is with Tesla detracting approximately 50 bps from the return. Perhaps a preference for buybacks, operating leverage and underweighting in the sector is to blame. Yes, some of the mega cap stock moves were justified, as several of these companies have had positive inflections in their businesses, but many of the past year's leaders simply didn't meet our growth thresholds that have we followed for the past 30 years; however; we believe a major inflection point has arrived.

After laying people off and cutting costs, the mega-cap technology companies are embarking on a massive AI related capital expenditure plan. Microsoft alone will spend well over \$40 billion dollars over the near term on AI datacentres and infrastructure. \$40 billion is a larger dollar amount than 80% of the companies in the S&P 500 have in annual revenue. Many of these mega-cap names have been trading off the tremendous operating leverage they've seen through cost cutting and layoffs. That era is coming to an end

We believe that bigger opportunity today for investors is in the next generation of companies of technology companies. We see a very long runway ahead for the cloud, driven by continued digital transformation with AI-based business transformation, including automation and analytics being layered on top. All of this is being built on a new modern technology architecture in which we have significant investments. Many of these companies will be direct beneficiaries of more data in the cloud and "free riders" of hyperscale capex — reaping the benefits but not spending the money. For this cohort of companies, we see accelerating topline growth off already high bases and significant operating leverage as they are untethered from increased costs and are direct beneficiaries of the demand it brings. We are very excited about what lies ahead.

At the end of the period, the Fund was comprised primarily of companies from the Information Technology, Health Care, Consumer Discretionary and Communication Services sectors. In most reporting periods, stock selection in the Information Technology and Health Care sectors has been a positive for relative performance and has been a key driver of the Fund's long-term returns. During the past twelve months, stock selection in the two sectors detracted from relative performance; however, the Fund's Information Technology holdings were significant positive contributors to absolute performance. Five of the Fund's holdings from the Information Technology sector and three from the Health Care sector were among the top ten detractors from Fund performance. Only one of those, an Information Technology company, was held by the benchmark. Four Information Technology companies were among the Fund's top ten stock contributors. One of those companies was not held by the benchmark. Four of the top ten stock contributors to benchmark performance were Information Technology companies. Only one of those companies met the Fund's growth investment criteria and was held during the period.

Notable changes to the Fund's sector allocation during the past six months included an increase in the Communication Services sector and decreases in the Health Care and Information Technology sector weightings. Sector weights in our Portfolio are derived strictly from our bottom-up stock selection process.

We employ a disciplined, repeatable, and proven investment process that focuses on a bottom-up stock selection approach. This process leads us to building concentrated portfolios of 20-25 companies. Our investment process begins by screening the universe of all publicly listed companies to seek out those with high revenue growth, high earnings growth and the ability to become significantly larger companies over time. Companies included in benchmarks are there solely due to capitalization size and not due to any fundamental or qualitative factors. We are active stock pickers. The universe of stocks available for inclusion in our portfolios is limited to those that meet our investment criteria, not to those contained in the benchmark. We do not concern ourselves with what companies are held in the benchmark and as a result, our portfolios are very different from their benchmarks. It is our job to beat the index over time, not be the index.

The Fund's net asset value decreased to \$814.2 million at June 30, 2024, from \$819.6 million at June 30, 2023. This change was composed of net redemptions of \$111.1 million, cash distributions of \$1.9 million and investment performance of \$107.6 million. The investment performance of the Fund includes income and expenses which vary year over year. The Fund's income and expenses changed compared to the previous year mainly as a result of fluctuations in average net assets, portfolio activity and changes in the Fund's income earning investments.

Certain series of the Fund, as applicable, may make distributions at a rate determined by the Manager from time to time. If the aggregate amount of distributions in such series exceeds the portion of net income and net realized capital gains allocated to such series, the excess will constitute a return of capital. The Manager does not believe that the return of capital distributions made by such series of the Fund have a meaningful impact on the Fund's ability to implement its investment strategy or to fulfill its investment objective.

# **Recent Developments**

There have been no recent developments that have affected, or are likely to materially affect the Fund.

# **Related Party Transactions**

The Manager is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Bank of Nova Scotia ("Scotiabank"). Scotiabank also owns, directly or indirectly, 100% of Scotia Securities Inc., a mutual fund dealer, and Scotia Capital Inc. (which includes ScotiaMcLeod and Scotia iTRADE), an investment dealer.

The Manager, on behalf of the Fund, may enter into transactions or arrangements with other members of Scotiabank or certain other companies that are related or connected to the Manager (each a "related party"). All transactions between the Fund and the related

parties are in the normal course of business and are carried out at arm's length terms.

The purpose of this section is to provide a brief description of any transaction involving the Fund and a related party.

#### Management Fees

The Manager is responsible for the day-to-day management and operations of the Fund. Certain series of the Fund pays the Manager a management fee for its services as described in the "Management Fee" section later in this document. The management fee is an annualized rate based on the net asset value of each series of the Fund, accrued daily and calculated and paid monthly.

#### Fixed Administration Fees and Fund Costs

The Manager pays the operating expenses of the Fund, other than Fund Costs, in exchange for the payment by the Fund of a fixed rate administration fee (the "Fixed Administration Fee") to the Manager with respect to each series of the Fund. The expenses charged to the Fund in respect of the Fixed Administration Fee are disclosed in the Fund's financial statements. The Fixed Administration Fee is equal to a specified percentage of the net asset value of a series, calculated and paid in the same manner as the management fees for the Fund. Further details about the Fixed Administration Fee can be found in the Fund's most recent simplified prospectus.

In addition, each series of the Fund is responsible for its proportionate share of certain operating expenses ("Fund Costs"). Further details about Fund Costs can be found in the Fund's most recent simplified prospectus.

The Manager, at its sole discretion, may waive or absorb a portion of a series' expenses. These waivers or absorptions may be terminated at any time without notice.

#### Performance Fees

The Manager is entitled to an annual performance fee based on the performance of the Fund as compared to the performance of a benchmark, as described in the Fund's simplified prospectus. Performance fees are calculated on a calendar year basis.

#### **Distribution Services**

Certain registered dealers through which shares of the Fund are distributed are related parties to the Fund and the Manager. The Manager may pay a trailing commission, which is negotiated with dealers, to dealers for their financial advisors in respect of the assets of their clients invested in securities of the Fund. The Manager, during the period, could also pay trailing commissions to dealers for securities purchased or held through discount brokerage accounts.

#### Other Fees

The Manager, or its affiliates, may earn fees and spreads in connection with various services provided to, or transactions with, the Fund, such as banking, brokerage, foreign exchange or derivatives transactions. The Manager, or its affiliates, may earn a

foreign exchange spread when shareholders switch between series of funds denominated in different currencies.

#### Independent Review Committee

The Manager has established an independent review committee (the "IRC") in accordance with National Instrument 81-107 — Independent Review Committee for Investment Funds ("NI 81-107") with a mandate to review and provide recommendations or approval, as required, on conflict of interest matters referred to it by the Manager on behalf of the Fund. The IRC is responsible for overseeing the Manager's decisions in situations where the Manager is faced with any present or perceived conflicts of interest, all in accordance with NI 81-107.

The IRC may also approve certain mergers between the Fund and other funds, and any change of the auditor of the Fund. Subject to any corporate and securities law requirements, no securityholder approval will be obtained in such circumstances, but you will be sent a written notice at least 60 days before the effective date of any such transaction or change of auditor. In certain circumstances, securityholder approval may be required to approve certain mergers.

The IRC has four members, Stephen J. Griggs (Chair), Steven Donald, Heather A. T. Hunter and Jennifer L. Witterick, each of whom is independent of the Manager.

The IRC prepares and files a report to the securityholders each fiscal year that describes the IRC and its activities for securityholders as well as contains a complete list of the standing instructions. These standing instructions enable the Manager to act in a particular conflict of interest matter on a continuing basis provided the Manager complies with its policies and procedures established to address that conflict of interest matter and reports periodically to the IRC on the matter. This report to the securityholders is available on the Manager's website or, at no cost, by contacting the Manager.

The compensation and other reasonable expenses of the IRC will be paid out of the assets of the Fund as well as out of the assets of the other investment funds for which the IRC may act as the independent review committee. Each member of the IRC receives an annual retainer of \$62,000 (\$77,000 for the Chair), plus expenses for each meeting. The fees and expenses, plus associated legal costs, are allocated among all of the funds managed by the Manager for which the IRC acts as the independent review committee in a manner that is considered by the Manager to be fair and reasonable. The main component of compensation is an annual retainer fee. Prior to November 1, 2021, each IRC member also received a fee for each committee meeting attended.

Expenses of the IRC may include premiums for insurance coverage, travel expenses and reasonable out-of-pocket expenses.

The Manager, in respect of the Fund, received the following standing instructions from the IRC with respect to related party transactions:

- Paying brokerage commissions and spreads to a related party for effecting security transactions on an agency and principal basis on behalf of the Fund;
- Purchases or sales of securities of an issuer from or to another investment fund managed by the Manager;
- Investments in the securities of issuers for which a related underwriter acted as an underwriter during the distribution of such securities and the 60-day period following the completion of such distribution:
- Executing foreign exchange transactions with a related party on behalf of the Fund;
- Purchases of securities of a related party;
- Entering into over-the-counter derivatives on behalf of the Fund with a related party;
- Outsourcing products and services to related parties which can be charged to the Fund;
- Acquisition of prohibited securities as defined by securities regulations;
- Trading in mortgages with a related party:
- Entering into a designated broker agreement with a related party; and
- Entering into a prime broker agreement with a related party.

The Manager is required to advise the IRC of any breach of a condition of the standing instructions. The standing instructions require, among other things, that the investment decision in respect to a related party transaction: (a) is made by the Manager free from any influence by an entity related to the Manager and without taking into account any consideration to any associate or affiliate of the Manager; (b) represents the business judgment of the Manager uninfluenced by considerations other than the best interests of the Fund; and (c) is made in compliance with the Manager's written policies and procedures. Transactions made by the Manager under the standing instructions are subsequently reviewed by the IRC to monitor compliance.

The Manager, in respect of the Fund, did not rely on IRC standing instructions regarding related party transactions during the period.

# **Financial Highlights**

The following tables show selected key financial information about each series of the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the periods indicated. The information on the following tables is based on prescribed regulations and as a result, is not expected to add across due to the increase (decrease) in net assets from operations being based on average shares outstanding during the period and all other numbers being based on actual shares outstanding at the relevant point in time. Footnotes for the tables are found at the end of the Financial Highlights section.

# The Fund's Net Assets per Share (\$)(1)

			Increase (	decrease)	from opera	tions		Di	istributio	ns		
				Realized	Unrealized	Total	From net					
	Net			gains	gains	increase	investment					Net
	Assets,			(losses)	(losses)	(decrease)	income		From	Return		Assets,
	eginning	Total	Total	for the	for the	from	(excluding	From	capital	of	Total	end of
For the period ended	of period	revenue	expenses	period	period	operations <sup>(2)</sup>	dividends)	dividends	gains	capital	distributions <sup>(3)</sup>	period <sup>(1)</sup>
Series A												
June 30, 2024	13.62	0.03	(0.37)	3.27	(1.17)	1.76	_	-	_	_	_	15.48
June 30, 2023	12.71	0.02	(0.33)	(2.35)	3.49	0.83	_	-	_	-	_	13.62
June 30, 2022	20.40	0.02	(0.50)	(2.08)	(3.91)	(6.47)	_	-	(1.10)	-	(1.10)	12.71
June 30, 2021	20.09	0.03	(0.61)	5.27	(1.76)	2.93	_	-	(3.06)	_	(3.06)	20.40
June 30, 2020	15.06	0.01	(0.54)	2.42	5.14	7.03		_	(1.75)	_	(1.75)	20.09
Series F												
June 30, 2024	19.53	0.04	(0.32)	4.71	(1.63)	2.80	_	-	_	-	_	22.44
June 30, 2023	18.02	0.03	(0.27)	(3.29)	4.97	1.44	_	-	_	-	_	19.53
June 30, 2022	28.85	0.02	(0.40)	(3.75)	(5.76)	(9.89)	_	-	(1.76)	_	(1.76)	18.02
June 30, 2021	27.77	0.04	(0.56)	6.93	(2.16)	4.25	_	-	(3.85)	_	(3.85)	28.85
June 30, 2020	20.84	0.02	(0.70)	3.67	8.41	11.40		_	(2.57)	_	(2.57)	27.77
Series FT												
June 30, 2024	4.72	0.01	(0.07)	1.10	(0.39)	0.65	_	-	_	(0.34)	(0.34)	5.03
June 30, 2023	4.87	0.01	(0.07)	(0.85)	1.28	0.37	_	-	(0.20)	(0.33)	(0.53)	4.72
June 30, 2022	8.56	0.01	(0.11)	(1.30)	(1.79)	(3.19)	_	-	(0.76)	(0.44)	(1.20)	4.87
June 30, 2021*	10.00	0.01	(0.28)	1.87	(1.06)	0.54		_	_	(2.23)	(2.23)	8.56
* The start date for Series FT sho	ares was Ju	ly 6, 2020	Э.									
Series IP												
June 30, 2024	32.63	0.07	(0.15)	7.91	(2.93)	4.90	_	-	_	-	_	37.93
June 30, 2023	29.75	0.05	(0.10)	(5.52)	8.57	3.00	_	-		-		32.63
June 30, 2022	47.74	0.04	(0.14)	(3.80)	(9.48)	(13.38)	-	-	(3.49)	_	(3.49)	29.75
June 30, 2021	47.57	0.07	(0.26)	12.20	(3.80)	8.21	_	_	(9.13)	_	(9.13)	47.74
June 30, 2020	35.06	0.03	(0.67)	5.58	11.59	16.53	_		(4.00)		(4.00)	47.57
Series T												
June 30, 2024	7.94	0.02	(0.21)	1.84	(0.67)	0.98	_	-	_	(0.57)	(0.57)	8.38
June 30, 2023	8.31	0.01	(0.21)	(1.45)	2.13	0.48	_	-	(0.34)	(0.55)	(0.89)	7.94
June 30, 2022	14.78	0.01	(0.35)	(1.31)	(2.67)	(4.32)	-	_	(1.31)	(0.77)	(2.08)	8.31
June 30, 2021	15.81	0.02	(0.46)	3.98	(1.44)	2.10	_	-	(1.95)	(1.66)	(3.61)	14.78
June 30, 2020	12.66	0.01	(0.42)	1.97	3.40	4.96		_	(1.36)	(0.89)	(2.25)	15.81

<sup>(1)</sup> This information is derived from the Fund's audited annual financial statements. The net assets per share presented in the financial statements may differ from the net asset value per share. An explanation of these differences can be found in note 2 of the Fund's financial statements. The net asset value per share at the end of the period is disclosed in Ratios and Supplemental Data.

# Ratios and Supplemental Data

As at	Total net asset value (in \$000s) <sup>(1)</sup>	Number of shares outstanding <sup>(1)</sup>	Management expense ratio ("MER") (%) <sup>(2)</sup>	MER before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>(2)</sup>	Trading expense ratio ("TER") (%) <sup>(3)</sup>	Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>(4)</sup>	Net asset value per share (\$)
Series A							
June 30, 2024	325,413	21,019,658	2.40	2.40	0.30	522.73	15.48
June 30, 2023	333,238	24,464,858	2.42	2.42	0.21	345.54	13.62
June 30, 2022	336,195	26,453,094	2.40	2.40	0.17	409.92	12.71
June 30, 2021	554,880	27,205,772	2.73	2.73	0.18	393.33	20.40
June 30, 2020	449,468	22,376,851	3.21	3.22	0.18	262.88	20.09
Series F							
June 30, 2024	432,352	19,264,346	1.31	1.31	0.30	522.73	22.44
June 30, 2023	428,409	21,933,116	1.31	1.31	0.21	345.54	19.53
June 30, 2022	400,265	22,207,772	1.31	1.31	0.17	409.92	18.02
June 30, 2021	488,505	16,934,781	1.77	1.77	0.18	393.33	28.85
June 30, 2020	335,408	12,078,750	2.99	3.01	0.18	262.88	27.77
Series FT							
June 30, 2024	12,762	2,535,606	1.31	1.31	0.30	522.73	5.03
June 30, 2023	12,496	2,648,775	1.31	1.31	0.21	345.54	4.72
June 30, 2022	12,454	2,555,365	1.32	1.32	0.17	409.92	4.87
June 30, 2021	14,438	1,686,465	2.96	3.01	0.18	393.33	8.56

<sup>(2)</sup> Net assets per share and distributions per share are based on the actual number of shares outstanding for the relevant series at the relevant time. The increase (decrease) in net assets from operations per share is based on the weighted average number of shares outstanding for the relevant series over the period.

<sup>(3)</sup> Distributions were paid in cash or reinvested in additional shares of the Fund.

Total net asset value (in \$000s) <sup>(1)</sup>	Number of shares outstanding <sup>(1)</sup>	Management expense ratio ("MER") (%) <sup>(2)</sup>	MER before waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>(2)</sup>	Trading expense ratio ("TER") (%) <sup>(3)</sup>	Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>(4)</sup>	Net asset value per share (\$)
18,146	478,372	0.13	0.13	0.30	522.73	37.93
18,625	570,826	0.13	0.13	0.21	345.54	32.63
20,361	684,380	0.13	0.13	0.17	409.92	29.75
37,190	779,005	0.35	0.35	0.18	393.33	47.74
29,222	614,272	1.62	1.62	0.18	262.88	47.57
25,485	3,042,064	2.43	2.43	0.30	522.73	8.38
26,874	3,382,687	2.43	2.43	0.21	345.54	7.94
30,080	3,620,831	2.41	2.41	0.17	409.92	8.31
56,169	3,800,771	2.74	2.74	0.18	393.33	14.78
46,048	2,912,831	3.11	3.11	0.18	262.88	15.81
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- \* Annualized
- (1) This information is provided as at the period end of the years shown.
- (2) The management expense ratio is based on the total expenses (including sales tax, and excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) of each series of the Fund and a proportional share of underlying funds' expenses (mutual funds, ETFs and closed-end funds), where applicable, for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period.
- (3) The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs, short borrowing costs and interest on leverage of the Fund and the underlying funds, where applicable, expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value of the Fund during the period.
- (4) The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio advisor manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher a fund's portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by the fund in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a fund.

# **Management Fee**

The management fee is an annualized rate based on the net asset value of each series of the Fund, accrued daily and calculated and paid monthly. The management fees cover the costs of managing the Fund, arranging for investment analysis, recommendations and investment decision making for the Fund, arranging for distribution of the Fund, marketing and promotion of the Fund and providing or arranging for other services.

The breakdown of services received in consideration of management fees for each series, as a percentage of the management fees, are as follows:

	Management	Dealer	
	fees	compensation	Other <sup>†</sup>
	(%)	(%)	(%)
Series A	2.00	46.6	53.4
Series F	1.00	_	100.0
Series FT	1.00	_	100.0
Series IP*	n/a	_	_
Series T	2.00	48.1	51.9

- \* The management fee for this series is negotiated and paid directly by these shareholders and not by the Fund.
- † Relates to all services provided by the Manager described above except dealer compensation.

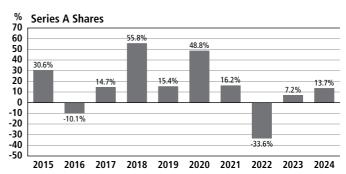
#### **Past Performance**

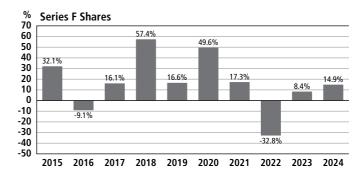
The following shows the past performance for each series and will not necessarily indicate how the Fund will perform in the future. The information shown assumes that all distributions made by each series of the Fund in the periods shown were reinvested in additional shares of the relevant series. In addition, the information does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution or other optional charges that would have reduced returns or performance.

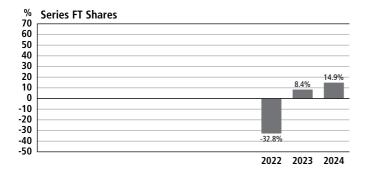
### **Year-by-Year Returns**

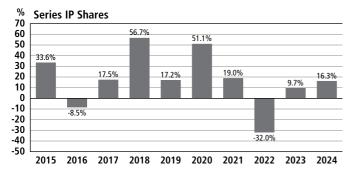
The following charts show the performance for each series of the Fund and illustrate how performance has varied from year to year. The charts show, in percentage terms, how much an investment held on the first day of each fiscal year would have increased or decreased by the last day of each fiscal year for that series.

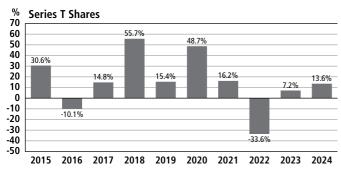
(for fiscal years ended June 30)











#### **Annual Compound Returns**

The annual compound returns table below compares each series of the Fund's performance to one or more benchmarks. A benchmark is usually an index or a composite of more than one index. Fund returns are reported net of all management fees and expenses for all series, unlike the return of benchmarks which are based on the performance of an index that does not pay fees or incur expenses.

			Three Years	Five Years	Ten Years	Since Inception
Series A Shares	%	13.7	-6.8	7.0	13.0	_
S&P 500 Index (C\$)	%	28.7	13.7	16.1	15.7	-
Series F Shares	%	14.9	-5.8	8.0	14.2	_
S&P 500 Index (C\$)	%	28.7	13.7	16.1	15.7	-
Series FT Shares	%	14.9	-5.8	_	_	-2.5
S&P 500 Index (C\$)	%	28.7	13.7	_	_	16.1
Series IP Shares	%	16.3	-4.7	9.3	15.2	_
S&P 500 Index (C\$)	%	28.7	13.7	16.1	15.7	_
Series T Shares	%	13.6	-6.8	6.9	13.0	_
S&P 500 Index (C\$)	%	28.7	13.7	16.1	15.7	-

#### **Index Descriptions**

S&P 500 Index (C\$) – This index is a capitalization-weighted index designed to measure the performance of the broad U.S. economy through changes in the aggregate market value of 500 stocks representing all major industries.

A discussion of the performance of the Fund as compared to its benchmarks is found in the Results of Operations section of this report.

# **Summary of Investment Portfolio**

The Summary of Investment Portfolio may change due to ongoing portfolio transactions. A quarterly portfolio update is available to the investor at no cost by calling 1-800-268-8186, or by visiting www.dynamic.ca, 60 days after quarter end, except for June 30, which is the fiscal year end, when they are available after 90 days.

By Asset Type	Percentage of net asset value <sup>†</sup>
Equities	99.0
Other Net Assets (Liabilities)	0.9
Cash and Short Term Instruments (Bank Overdraft)	0.1

By Country / Region <sup>(1)</sup>	Percentage of net asset value <sup>†</sup>
United States	99.0
Cash and Short Term Instruments (Bank Overdraft)	0.1

By Industry <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	Percentage of net asset value <sup>†</sup>
Information Technology	55.3
Health Care	13.7
Communication Services	12.0
Consumer Discretionary	9.1
Consumer Staples	4.5
Industrials	4.4
Cash and Short Term Instruments (Bank Overdraft)	0.1

Percentage of

Top 25 Holdings	net asset value'
CrowdStrike Holdings, Inc., Class "A"	7.0
Datadog, Inc., Class "A"	6.9
Trade Desk, Inc. (The)	6.1
Eli Lilly and Company	6.1
Elastic NV	5.9
Samsara Inc. Class A	5.8
Confluent, Inc., Class "A"	4.9
AppLovin Corporation, Class "A"	4.8
Cava Group Inc.	4.5
Axon Enterprise, Inc.	4.4
Wingstop Inc.	4.3
ServiceNow, Inc.	4.3
Pinterest, Inc., Class "A"	4.2
Cloudflare, Inc., Class "A"	4.2
Arista Networks, Inc.	4.1
Palantir Technologies Inc.	3.7
Netflix, Inc.	3.0
Amazon.com, Inc.	2.9
Neurocrine Biosciences, Inc.	2.9
Intuitive Surgical, Inc.	2.6
Blueprint Medicines Corporation	2.0
Draftkings Inc	1.8
Snowflake Inc., Class "A"	1.5
Toast, Inc. Class "A"	0.5
Automation Anywhere, Inc.	0.4
(1) Excludes other net assets (liabilities) and derivatives.	

- (2) Excludes bonds and debentures.

Top 25 Holdings

This refers to transactional net asset value.