

Counsel Essentials Income Portfolio Series A

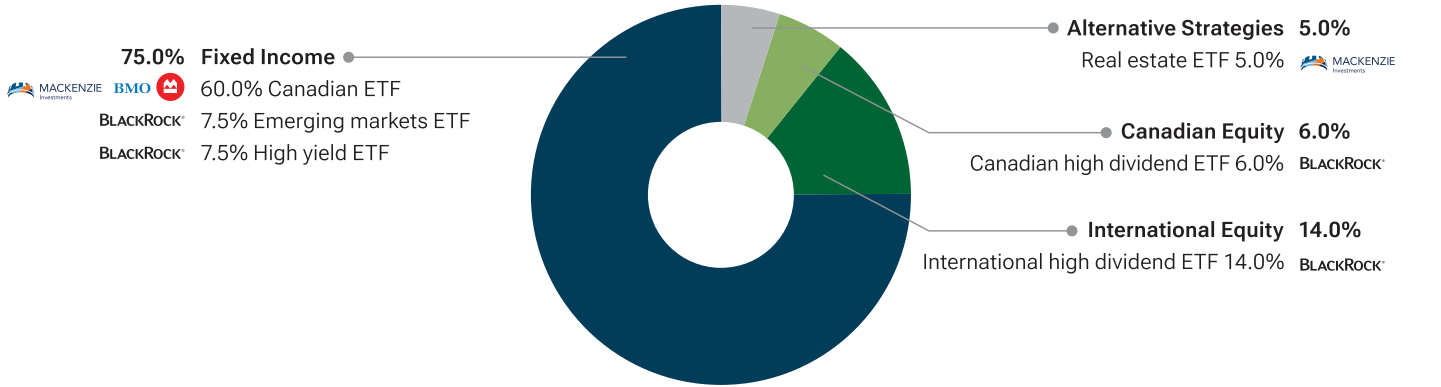
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A diversified portfolio of exchange traded funds (ETFs) that seeks to provide a steady stream of income with some emphasis on capital preservation by investing primarily in a globally diversified portfolio of ETFs. The portfolio may also invest in other mutual funds or in securities directly.

Is this portfolio right for you?

- Provides access to an all-in-one ETF portfolio that is designed to provide a regular stream of income with the potential for modest long-term capital growth.
- Designed to be a lower cost solution.
- Monthly distributions.

Neutral portfolio allocation¹



Annualized performance (%)

Period	1 mth	3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	3 yr	5 yr	10 yr	Inception return
Series A	-0.7	2.3	2.8	8.6	3.5	3.1	-	2.0

Performance (%) calendar year returns

Period	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD
Series A	-	-	-	-	8.5	-0.9	2.6	-8.5	5.3	7.5	2.3

Historical performance (%) Current value of \$10,000



Key data

Fund type	Global Fixed Income Balanced
Fund code	CGF287
Inception date	September 13, 2018
Mgmt. fee	1.35%
Admin. fee	0.15%
MER	1.84%

Distribution frequency

Income	Monthly
Capital gains	Annual
Distributions	\$0.42

Distributions represent the annual distributions paid during 2024

Risk tolerance

Low

Portfolio characteristics

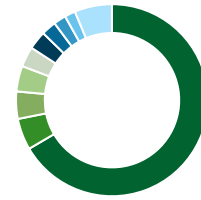
Dividend yield	3.9%
Yield to maturity	4.1%
Duration (years)	6.1
Average credit rating	A

Investment

Min.	Subsq.	RRSP eligible
\$500	\$100	Yes

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How the fund is invested² as at Jan 31, 2025



Asset allocation	(%)	Geographic allocation	(%)	Sector allocation	(%)
Domestic Bonds	52.2	Canada	63.1	Fixed Income	66.5
Foreign Bonds	14.3	United States	26.1	Financial Services	5.3
US Equity	13.2	Japan	1.7	Consumer Goods	4.6
International Equity	8.6	United Kingdom	1.6	Energy	4.3
Canadian Equity	8.2	Switzerland	1.5	Real Estate	3.4
Cash and Equivalents	2.5	France	1.1	Healthcare	3.1
Income Trust Units	1.0	Germany	0.8	Cash and Cash Equivalent	2.5
		Australia	0.5	Utilities	2.1
		Singapore	0.4	Consumer Services	1.8
		Other	3.3	Other	6.3

Top holdings

Underlying funds/holdings	(%) of NAV
Mackenzie Canadian Aggregate Bond Index ETF (QBB)	50.0
iShares Core MSCI Global Qua Div Ix ETF (XDG)	19.8
iShares Broad USD High Yield Corp Bond ETF (USHY)	8.3
iShares S&P/TSX Composite Hi Dividend Ix ETF (XEI)	8.3
iShares JP Morgan EM Corp Bond ETF (CEMB)	5.8
Mackenzie Canadian Short-Term Bond Index ETF (QSB)	5.0
Mackenzie Developed Markets Real Est In ETF (QRET)	2.8

Top equity holdings	(%) of NAV
Exxon Mobil Corp	0.7
Procter & Gamble Co	0.5
Johnson & Johnson	0.5
Suncor Energy Inc	0.5
Abbvie Inc	0.5
Home Depot Inc	0.5
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	0.4
Enbridge Inc	0.4
Toronto-Dominion Bank	0.4
Royal Bank of Canada	0.4

Top fixed income holdings	(%) of NAV
Canada Housing Trust No 1 4.25% 15-Mar-2034	0.9
Canada Government 1.00% 01-Jun-2027	0.9
Canada Government 4.00% 01-Mar-2029	0.9
Canada Government 3.00% 01-Jun-2034	0.8
Canada Government 2.00% 01-Dec-2051	0.8
Canada Government 1.25% 01-Jun-2030	0.8
Canada Government 1.00% 01-Sep-2026	0.7
Canada Government 2.75% 01-Dec-2055	0.7
Ontario Province 3.75% 02-Jun-2032	0.6
Ontario Province 2.40% 02-Jun-2026	0.6

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