

Scotia Aria Moderate Defend Portfolio

Summary of Investment Portfolio

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The Fund invests primarily in mutual funds managed by the Manager and/or third party investment managers. The simplified prospectus, annual information form and other information about the Underlying Funds are available on the Internet at www.sedarplus.ca.

The total net asset value of the Fund as at September 30, 2023 was \$760,162,739.

Portfolio Breakdown	% of net asset value	Top Holdings*	% of net asset value
Fixed Income Funds	55.3%	Dynamic Canadian Bond Fund, Series O	16.6%
Foreign Equity Funds	26.8%	1832 AM Total Return Bond LP, Series I	13.8%
Canadian Equity Funds	17.8%	Scotia Wealth Short-Mid Government Bond Pool, Series I	8.3%
Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.2%	Scotia Canadian Dividend Fund, Series I	7.9%
Other Net Assets (Liabilities)	-0.1%	Scotia Global Growth Fund, Series I	6.0%
		Scotia Wealth Canadian Corporate Bond Pool, Series I	5.6%
		1832 AM Global Credit Pool, Series I	5.5%
		Scotia Mortgage Income Fund, Series I	5.5%
		1832 AM Global Low Volatility Equity LP, Series I	4.5%
		1832 AM Canadian Growth LP, Series I	3.5%
		1832 AM U.S. Low Volatility Equity LP, Series I	3.0%
		Dynamic Value Fund of Canada, Series O	2.7%
		1832 AM Fundamental Canadian Equity Pool, Series I	2.7%
		1832 AM International Equity LP, Series I	2.7%
		Scotia Wealth Premium Payout Pool, Series I	2.3%
		Scotia Global Dividend Fund, Series I	2.2%
		Dynamic Global Infrastructure Fund, Series O	2.1%
		Scotia Wealth International Equity Pool, Series I	2.0%
		Scotia U.S. Opportunities Fund, Series I	2.0%
		Dynamic Small Business Fund, Series O	1.0%
		Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.2%

* Securities legislation requires the top 25 holdings of the Fund to be presented; however, the Fund currently has less than 25 holdings.

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