

Series F Managed Solutions - Global Neutral Balanced As of March 31, 2024

## **Key Reasons to Invest**

- For investors looking for a managed portfolio of globally diversified income producing investments.
- The funds seeks to achieve a high level of income and capital appreciation by investing in funds that provide exposure to fixed income and dividend paying equities globally.

## **Investment Objective**

The fund's objective is to achieve a high level income and capital appreciation by investing primarily in fixed income and dividend paying equity securities globally. The fund may seek to achieve this objective through investments in mutual funds managed by AGF or an affiliate.

#### **Investment Strategy**

To achieve these objectives, the Fund may invest in underlying funds managed by AGF or an AGF affiliate.

AGF has set, and will review quarterly, target dynamic allocations between Canadian balanced, global dividend and high yield bond funds for the Fund, consistent with the Fund's investment objective. The Fund's investment in the underlying funds will be rebalanced to the target weighting, which will generally be quarterly, or as AGF deems appropriate. The Fund may also invest directly in securities similar to those held by the underlying funds where the portfolio manager believes it would be beneficial to securityholders to do so.

Overall Morningstar Rating <sup>TM1</sup>	***
Morningstar Category	Global Neutral Balanced
Performance Start Date (PSD)	June 27, 2012
Overall Fund Net Assets	\$520.1 million
MER <sup>2</sup>	1.14%
Trading Expense Ratio	0.07%
Risk Profile	Low Med High

Benchmark 25% S&P/TSX Composite Index / 25% BBG Canada Aggregate Index / 25% MSCI All Country World Index / 25% BBG Global High Yield Index

#### **Fund Codes**

Series	CAD	USD
MF	4079	4071
Т	2116	
V	3036	
F	5025	5125
Q	1244	
w	1422	

### Distributions (Series F)

	2023	2022	2021
\$Amount/ Unit	0.52	0.53	0.56
Monthly Frequency <sup>3</sup>		d on: 2024-0 0.046/Unit	)3-28

Please refer to AGF.com for distribution information.

#### **Management Fee Tiers**

	\$100K- \$250K	\$250K- \$500K	\$500K- \$1M	\$1M- \$3M	>\$3M
Series Q	0.80	0.75	0.725	0.675	0.65
Series W	0.80	0.75	0.725	0.675	0.65

The Overall Morningstar Ratings™ and Morningstar Quartile Rankings are series specific as inception date, performance and fee characteristics vary by series. The Overall Morningstar Rating™ measures risk-adjusted returns and is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its 3-, 5- and 10-year (if applicable) rating metrics.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Compared with 1,324 funds in the Global Neutral Balanced category as of March 31, 2024.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> MER as of September 30, 2023. AGFI may, in its discretion, temporarily waive some or all of the expenses of the Fund, which will result in a reduction in the MER. AGFI may cease to offer any such waiver at any time without notice.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The distribution is not guaranteed, may be adjusted from time to time at the discretion of the fund manager and may vary from payment to payment.



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## Net Compound Returns (CAD) (%)

	1 MO.	3 MO.	6 MO.	YTD	1 YR.	2 YR.	3 YR.	5 YR.	10 YR.	PSD <sup>†</sup>
Fund	1.8	4.5	10.9	4.5	9.2	4.6	4.9	5.1	5.0	6.5
Morningstar Quartile Ranking	3	3	4	3	3	2	1	2	2	-
Number of Funds in the Category	1,626	1,625	1,595	1,625	1,569	1,501	1,324	1,194	633	-

<sup>\*</sup> Performance start date as of June 27, 2012. Past performance is not indicative of future results. Rates of return for greater than one year have been annualized.

## Net Annual Returns (CAD) (%)

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Fund	6.3	-4.3	10.3	4.9	10.5	-1.6	6.0	8.1	4.6	6.2
Morningstar Quartile Ranking	4	1	2	3	4	1	3	1	3	4
Number of Funds in the	1,578	1,612	1,457	1,584	1,574	1,373	1,258	1,168	1,105	926

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Morningstar Quartile Rankings are calculated as of March 31, 2024 and subject to change monthly. They are calculated based on the Fund's total return percentile rank compared to other funds in the Morningstar Global Neutral Balanced category. Percentile ranks are then mapped into quartiles with (1) representing 1-25, (2) representing 26-50, (3) representing 51-75 and (4) representing 76-100 percentile ranks.

## Top 10 Holdings (% of Total Net Assets)

Total Holdings: 768

Company Name	Country	Sector	Weight
Government of United States of America 4.00% February 15, 2034	United States	Other	4.50%
Government of France O.A.T. 3.50% November 25, 203	33 France	Other	2.10%
Microsoft Corp.	United States	Information Technology	2.08%
AbbVie Inc.	United States	Health Care	1.81%
Government of United States of America 4.25% February 28, 2029	United States	Other	1.68%
Broadcom Inc.	United States	Information Technology	1.66%
Government of United States of America 4.50% February 15, 2044	United States	Other	1.51%
Waste Management Inc.	United States	Industrials	1.42%
Shell PLC	United Kingdom	Energy	1.35%
Eaton Corp. PLC	United States	Industrials	1.33%
Total			19.4%

AGF Equity Income Fund invests directly in units of the funds listed in the Current Allocation chart (the 'Underlying Funds'). The holdings represent the proportionate exposure to the aggregate holdings of the Underlying Funds.

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**Sector Allocation - Equities** 

### **Asset Mix**

	Portfolio		Portfolio
Equity	54.4%	Financials	22.5%
Canadian Equity	15.1%	Industrials	16.6%
United States Equity	26.6%	Information Technology	12.0%
International Equity	12.7%	Health Care	10.5%
Fixed Income	40.3%	Energy	10.4%
Canadian Fixed Income	5.4%	Consumer Staples	7.8%
United States Fixed Income	19.4%	Communication Services	5.9%
International Fixed Income	15.5%	Materials	4.7%
Options	-0.1%	Consumer Discretionary	4.5%
Cash & Cash Equivalents	5.4%	Real Estate	2.6%
		Utilities	2.2%
		Exchange Traded Fund	0.5%

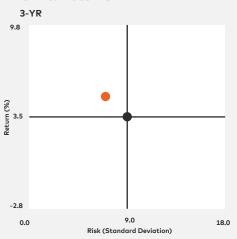
## Target Asset Mix

	Portfolio
Equities	50%
Fixed Income	50%

### **Current Allocation**

	Portfolio
AGF Total Return Bond Fund Series I	37.6%
AGF Global Dividend Fund Series I	35.9%
AGF Canadian Dividend Income Fund Series I	18.5%
AGF Global Opportunities Bond ETF	6.0%
AGF US Market Neutral Anti-Beta CAD-Hedged ETF	2.0%

#### Risk vs. Returns



- AGF Equity Income Fund
- Funds in the Morningstar Global Neutral Balanced category^

### **Risk Characteristics**

(3 & 5 Year Annualized)

Portfolio	3-Year	5-Year
Standard Deviation	6.9%	7.6%
Sharpe Ratio	0.34	0.42
Beta	0.77	0.79
Tracking Error	2.8%	2.8%
Upside Capture	78.6%	74.1%
Downside Capture	80.9%	86.2%

Morningstar Global Neutral Balanced Category^	3-Year	5-Year
Standard Deviation	9.0%	9.3%
Sharpe Ratio	0.14	0.36
Beta	1.01	1.05

<sup>^</sup> Morningstar category performance is calculated as the average return of a portfolio constructed of all series of all funds in the category as of the end of each month.

The allocations are done on a look through basis whereby the portfolio characteristics of the securities held in the Underlying Funds are aggregated.

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### **Term Definitions**

#### **Active Share**

Active Share tracks the disparity between a portfolio manager's holdings and that of its benchmark index. A low Active Share score indicates that a portfolio manager is closely replicating the target index, while a high Active Share score indicates that a fund's holdings diverge significantly from the target index.

#### Beta

A measure of a fund's sensitivity to market movements (as represented by a benchmark index). The benchmark index has a Beta of 1.0. A Beta of more (less) than 1.0 indicates that a fund's historical returns have fluctuated more (less) than the benchmark index. For example, a Beta of 1.10 shows that the fund performed 10% better than its benchmark index in up markets and 10% worse in down markets, assuming all other factors remain constant.

#### **Downside Capture (Ratio)**

The Downside Capture Ratio is calculated by taking the portfolio's return and dividing it by the benchmark's return in periods when the benchmark return was negative. A Downside Capture Ratio of less than 100% is considered desirable.

#### **Forward Earnings Growth**

Forward Earnings are an estimate of a company's earnings for an upcoming period; their growth rate is calculated based on forecasted earnings.

#### Forward Price/Earnings (Forward P/E)

A Forward P/E is calculated based on forecasted earnings per share; a stock's current price divided by next year's expected earnings.

#### **Forward Sales Growth**

Forward Sales are an estimate of a company's revenues for an upcoming period; their growth rate is calculated based on forecasted revenue.

#### Information Ratio

The Information Ratio is the ratio of the portfolio returns above the returns of the blended benchmark to the volatility of those returns. It's designed to measure the ability to generate excess returns relative to a benchmark on a risk-adjusted basis.

#### Management Expense Ratio (MER)

The Management Expense Ratio, commonly referred to as MER, is a measure of the total expenses (fees and other costs) borne by the mutual fund or ETF, expressed as a percentage of the fund's net asset value. The ratio is calculated by dividing the total annual expenses by the average net asset value of the fund for the given year.

#### **Price/Earnings**

(P/E ratio or P/E) The ratio of share price to earnings per share.

#### **Return on Equity**

A profitability ratio calculated as net income divided by average shareholders' equity.

#### **Risk Profile**

The Risk Profile is based on the historical volatility of a fund, as measured by the 10-year annualized standard deviation of the 10-year average returns of the fund. The investment risk level is required to be determined in accordance with the Canadian Securities Administrators' standardized risk classification methodology.

### **Sharpe Ratio**

Sharpe Ratio characterizes how well the return of a fund compensates the investor for each unit of absolute risk they assume, as measured by the Standard Deviation of the fund. The greater a fund's Sharpe Ratio, the better its risk-adjusted performance has been.



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#### **Standard Deviation**

A statistical measure of the range/dispersion of a fund's performance. The more variable the returns, the larger the Standard Deviation. When a fund has a high Standard Deviation, it means that its range of performance was wide for the given period, i.e. greater historical volatility. Standard Deviation does not predict the future volatility of a fund.

#### **Tracking Error**

The Tracking Error represents a fund manager's added value variability. It reports the difference between the return received and that of the benchmark being compared to. It is reported as a Standard Deviation percentage difference.

### Trading Expense Ratio (TER)

The total gross expenses divided by the fund's average net assets.

#### Turnover (Ratio)

The portfolio Turnover Ratio is the rate at which assets in a fund are bought and sold by the portfolio managers. It is calculated as the minimum of securities bought or sold divided by the average assets over the period.

#### **Upside Capture (Ratio)**

The Upside Capture Ratio is calculated by taking the portfolio's return and dividing it by the benchmark's return in periods when the benchmark return was positive. An Upside Capture Ratio of greater than 100% is considered desirable.

#### Weighted Average Market Cap

Market cap is the market value of all the outstanding shares in a company. In a portfolio the Weighted Average Market Cap is the sum of the products of a company's market cap and its percentage allocation in the portfolio.