

Financial statements of

# **Global Iman Fund**

December 31, 2017

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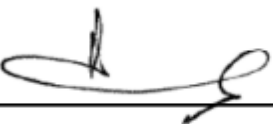
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## **Management's responsibility for financial reporting**

The accompanying financial statements of the Global Iman Fund (the "Fund") are prepared by management and are approved by the Board of Directors of Global Growth Assets Inc. Management is responsible for the information and representations contained in these financial statements. The Board of Directors is responsible for reviewing and approving the financial statements and overseeing management's performance of its financial reporting responsibilities.

Global Growth Assets Inc. maintains appropriate processes to ensure that relevant and reliable financial information is produced. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and include certain amounts that are based on estimates and judgments, as described in Note 2 to the financial statements.

Deloitte LLP is the external auditor of the Fund. It has audited the financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards to enable it to express to the unitholders of the Fund its opinion on the financial statements. Its report is set out on the following pages.



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Alex Manickaraj  
Chief Executive Officer

Toronto, Ontario  
March 19, 2018

## Independent Auditor's Report

To the Unitholders of  
Global Iman Fund

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Global Iman Fund, which comprise the statements of financial position as at December 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016, and the statements of income and comprehensive income, statements of changes in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units, and statements of cash flows for the years then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained in our audits is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

**Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Global Iman Fund as at December 31, 2017 and 2016, and the results of its financial performance and cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Deloitte LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants  
Licensed Public Accountants  
March 19, 2018

# Global Iman Fund

## Statements of financial position as at December 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
<b>Assets</b>		
Investments at fair value through profit or loss (Note 6)	44,518,054	34,343,512
Cash	1,411,800	724,247
Subscriptions receivable	399,585	150,328
Dividends receivable	27,694	28,907
Other receivables	1,168	1,168
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>46,358,301</b>	<b>35,248,162</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>		
Redemptions payable	294,152	198,107
Management fees payable (Note 8)	85,311	65,504
Other accrued expenses	11,102	8,527
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>390,565</b>	<b>272,138</b>
<b>Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units</b>	<b>45,967,736</b>	<b>34,976,024</b>
<b>Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units by series</b>		
Series A	40,739,954	30,291,442
Series F	5,227,782	4,684,582
<b>Units issued and outstanding, end of period (Note 7)</b>		
Series A	2,069,178	1,698,907
Series F	242,952	243,065
<b>Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit</b>		
Series A	19.69	17.83
Series F	21.52	19.27

Approved by the Board of Directors of  
Global Growth Assets Inc., the Manager of the Fund



Ronald Brooks  
Director



Peter Ostapchuk  
Director

# Global Iman Fund

## Statements of income and comprehensive income for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
<b>Income</b>		
Dividend income	928,922	778,262
Other Income	1,548	815
Realized gain on disposal of investments	1,604,794	981,874
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments	3,611,023	(468,571)
Foreign exchange loss on cash	(17,900)	(75,620)
	<b>6,128,387</b>	<b>1,216,760</b>
<b>Expenses</b>		
Management fees (Note 8)	1,114,101	856,029
Valuation and administrative fees	218,853	105,753
Withholding taxes	158,318	122,914
Other expenses	56,440	95,323
Audit fees	48,693	48,693
Custodial fees	21,969	21,088
Registration fees	19,399	18,210
Transaction costs (Note 9)	12,896	15,384
Independent review committee fees	2,925	2,925
Less: expenses absorbed by the Fund Manager	(372,601)	(298,170)
	<b>1,280,993</b>	<b>988,149</b>
<b>Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units</b>	<b>4,847,394</b>	<b>228,611</b>
<b>Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per series (Note 10)</b>		
Series A	4,231,324	208,609
Series F	616,070	20,002
<b>Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit (Note 10)</b>		
Series A	2.22	0.13
Series F	2.60	0.08

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Statements of changes in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units  
for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016

2017	Series A	Series F	Total
	\$	\$	\$
<b>Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units at beginning of year</b>	30,291,442	4,684,582	34,976,024
<b>Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units</b>	4,231,324	616,070	4,847,394
<b>Distributions</b>			
From capital gain	(868,650)	(114,513)	(983,163)
<b>Total distributions to holders of redeemable units</b>	(868,650)	(114,513)	(983,163)
<b>Redeemable unit transactions</b>			
Proceeds from issuance of redeemable units	10,192,837	1,031,152	11,223,989
Reinvestments of distributions	868,227	95,311	963,538
Redemption of redeemable units	(3,975,226)	(1,084,820)	(5,060,046)
<b>Net increase from redeemable unit transactions</b>	7,085,838	41,643	7,127,481
<b>Net increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units</b>	10,448,512	543,200	10,991,712
<b>Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units at end of year</b>	40,739,954	5,227,782	45,967,736
2016	Series A	Series F	Total
	\$	\$	\$
<b>Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units at beginning of year</b>	26,316,105	5,706,982	32,023,087
<b>Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units</b>	208,609	20,002	228,611
<b>Distributions</b>			
From capital gain	(612,025)	(94,010)	(706,035)
<b>Total distributions to holders of redeemable units</b>	(612,025)	(94,010)	(706,035)
<b>Redeemable unit transactions</b>			
Proceeds from issuance of redeemable units	6,411,516	2,063,344	8,474,860
Reinvestments of distributions	610,657	80,912	691,569
Redemption of redeemable units	(2,643,420)	(3,092,648)	(5,736,068)
<b>Net increase from redeemable unit transactions</b>	4,378,753	(948,392)	3,430,361
<b>Net increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units</b>	3,975,337	(1,022,400)	2,952,937
<b>Net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units at end of year</b>	30,291,442	4,684,582	34,976,024



# Global Iman Fund

## Statements of cash flows

for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>		
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units	4,847,394	228,611
Adjustments for:		
Foreign exchange loss on cash	17,900	75,620
Realized gain on disposal of investments	(1,604,794)	(981,874)
Change in unrealized (appreciation) depreciation of investments	(3,611,023)	468,571
Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs	8,574	9,206
Accrued liabilities	118,427	201,929
Proceeds from sale of investments	12,891,141	9,298,237
Purchase of investments	(17,858,440)	(11,776,929)
Subscription, dividends and other receivables	(248,044)	(147,903)
Net cash used in operating activities	(5,438,865)	(2,624,532)
<b>Cash flows used in financing activities</b>		
Proceeds from issuance of redeemable units	11,223,989	8,474,860
Redemption of redeemable units	(5,060,046)	(5,736,068)
Distributions to holders of redeemable units, net of reinvested distributions	(19,625)	(14,466)
Net cash from financing activities	6,144,318	2,724,326
Increase in cash	705,453	99,794
Cash at beginning of year	724,247	700,073
Foreign exchange loss on cash	(17,900)	(75,620)
<b>Cash at end of year</b>	<b>1,411,800</b>	<b>724,247</b>
<b>Dividends received, net of withholding taxes</b>	<b>902,047</b>	<b>754,396</b>

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Schedule of investment portfolio  
as at December 31, 2017

	Number of shares	Average cost	Fair value
<b>Equities (96.8%)</b>		\$	\$
<b>Cayman Islands (6.0%)</b>			
Tencent Holdings Limited ADR	42,720	1,035,791	2,777,423
<b>France (2.3%)</b>			
Sanofi-Aventis	9,758	1,159,525	1,055,368
<b>Germany (4.2%)</b>			
BASF SE	5,777	638,320	797,769
SAP SE	8,038	775,335	1,130,690
		1,413,655	1,928,459
<b>Ireland (2.2%)</b>			
Medtronic PLC	10,169	1,134,794	1,028,246
<b>Japan (1.5%)</b>			
NTT DOCOMO INC.	23,600	572,854	697,823
		572,854	697,823
<b>Netherlands (6.0%)</b>			
ASML Holding NV	6,019	921,586	1,315,096
Unilever NV Amsterdam	19,679	1,149,394	1,390,916
		2,070,980	2,706,012
<b>Switzerland (6.6%)</b>			
Nestle SA	15,011	1,438,254	1,616,222
Roche Holding AG	4,295	1,311,741	1,360,277
		2,749,995	2,976,499
<b>United Kingdom (2.3%)</b>			
Astrazeneca PLC	12,069	866,816	1,046,041
<b>U.S. (65.9%)</b>			
3M Company	4,869	1,283,135	1,435,050
Alphabet Inc. Class C	2,237	1,717,892	2,931,162
Apple Inc.	17,193	2,211,333	3,643,386
Celgene Corporation	7,074	1,146,268	924,433
Chevron Corporation	10,182	1,496,673	1,596,169
CVS Health Corporation	13,968	1,308,105	1,268,085
Eli Lilly and Company	6,238	668,659	659,740
Johnson & Johnson	11,685	1,304,532	2,044,388
McDonald's Corporation	6,051	824,255	1,304,171
Merck & Co. Inc.	13,137	821,326	925,655
Microsoft Corporation	32,868	1,826,655	3,520,616
Nike Inc. Class B	13,897	793,445	1,088,490
PepsiCo, Inc.	8,915	1,318,917	1,338,718
Pfizer Inc.	33,132	1,530,542	1,502,700
Procter & Gamble Company	12,222	1,191,146	1,406,175
Schlumberger Limited	8,661	847,105	730,869
Starbucks Corporation	14,183	1,064,538	1,019,960
Texas Instruments Incorporated	10,407	1,124,096	1,361,033
Visa Inc. Class A	11,216	1,138,631	1,601,383
		23,617,253	30,302,183
<b>Total cost and fair value of investments (96.8%)</b>		34,621,663	44,518,054
<b>Cash (3.1%)</b>			1,411,800
<b>Other assets less other liabilities (0.1%)</b>			37,882
<b>Net assets (100.0%)</b>			45,967,736

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements

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# Global Iman Fund

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### 1. Reporting entity

The Global Iman Fund (the "Fund") is an open-ended investment unit trust established under the laws of the Province of Ontario. The Fund was established on February 6, 2009, and commenced operations on March 10, 2009. Global Growth Assets Inc. ("GGA" or the "Fund Manager") is the fund manager and CIBC Mellon is the Fund's custodian.

The address of the Fund's registered office is 100 Mural Street Suite 201, Richmond Hill, Ontario L4B 1J3. These financial statements were authorized for issue by the Fund Manager on March 19, 2018.

### 2. Basis of presentation

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

The Fund adopted this basis of accounting in 2014 as required by Canadian securities legislation and the Canadian Accounting Standards Board. Previously, the Fund prepared its financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles as defined in Part V of the Chartered Professional Accountants Canada Handbook ("Canadian GAAP").

### 3. Significant accounting policies

The accounting policies set out below have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these financial statements.

#### *Financial instruments for fair value*

#### a) Classification and recognition

Investments include financial assets such as equity securities. The Fund has elected to apply IFRS 9 Financial Statements (as amended in November 2013) ("IFRS 9") retrospectively to January 1, 2013. Upon initial recognition, financial instruments are classified as fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"). All financial assets and liabilities are recognized in the Statement of financial position when the Fund becomes a party to the contractual requirements of the instrument. Financial instruments are derecognized when the right to receive cash flow from the instrument has expired or the Fund has transferred substantially all risks and rewards of ownership. As such, investment purchase and sale transactions are recorded as of the trade date.

Financial instruments are subsequently measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognized in the Statement of income and comprehensive income.

The cost of investments is based on the weighted average cost of investments. Realized gains and losses on disposition, including foreign exchange gains or losses on such investments, are determined based on the average cost of investments. Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the investments are included in the Statement of income and comprehensive income for the period in which they arise.

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### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued)

#### b) Fair value measurement

Fair value is 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. The fair value of financial assets and liabilities traded in active markets (such as publicly traded securities) are valued at their close prices at the close of trading on the reporting date. In circumstances where the last traded price is not within the bid-ask spread, management will determine the point within the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value.

An active market is a market in which transactions for the asset or liability take place with sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

Foreign exchange forward contracts are valued based on the difference between the value of the contract on the valuation date and the value at the date the contract was originated.

#### *Investment income*

Dividend income is recognized on the ex-dividend date. Realized and unrealized gains and losses from investment transactions are calculated on a weighted average cost basis. Income, realized gains (losses) and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) are allocated among the series on a pro-rata basis.

The Fund generally incurs withholding taxes imposed by certain countries on investment income and capital gains. Such income gains are recorded on a gross basis and the related withholding taxes are shown as a separate expense in the Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income.

#### *Foreign currency translation*

The Fund's subscriptions and redemptions are denominated in Canadian dollars, which is also its functional and presentation currency. This is the currency that most faithfully represents the economic effect of the underlying transactions, events and conditions of the Fund: Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rate prevailing on the trade date. Foreign currency assets and liabilities denominated in a foreign currency are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rate prevailing at the measurement date. Foreign exchange gains and losses relating to cash are presented as "Foreign exchange gain (loss) on cash" and those relating to other financial assets and liabilities are represented within "Realized gain on disposal of investments" and "Change in unrealized (depreciation) appreciation of investments" in the Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income.

#### *Cash*

Cash is comprised of deposits with financial institutions.

#### *Distributions*

Income earned by the Fund is distributed to unitholders at least once a year and these distributions are generally reinvested by unitholders of the Fund. Net realized capital gains (reduced by loss carry-forwards, if any) are distributed in December of each year to unitholders.

Unrealized gains and losses are included in the net assets attributable to unitholders and are not distributable until realized. Capital losses are not distributed to unitholders, but are retained to be offset against any future realized capital gains.

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### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued)

#### *Transaction costs*

Transaction costs are expensed and are included in 'Transaction costs' in the Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income. Transaction costs are incremental costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, issue or disposal of an investment, which include fees and commissions paid to agents, advisors, brokers and dealers.

#### *Net asset value attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit*

A separate Net asset value ("NAV") is calculated for each series of units of the Fund by taking the series' proportionate share of the Fund's common assets less that series' proportionate share of the Fund's common liabilities and deducting from this amount all liabilities that relate solely to a specific series. The NAV per unit for each series is determined by dividing the NAV of each series by the number of units of that series outstanding on the valuation date.

#### *Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit*

Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit in the Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income is calculated by dividing the increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units by the weighted average number of units outstanding during the year.

### 4. Critical accounting estimates and judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires management to use judgement in applying its accounting policies and to make estimates and assumptions about the future. The following discusses the most significant accounting judgements and estimates that the Fund has made in preparing the financial statements:

#### *Classification of Redeemable Units Issued by the Fund*

Under IFRS, International Accounting Standards ("IAS") 32 requires that units of an entity that include a contractual obligation for the issuer to repurchase or redeem them for cash or another financial asset be classified as a financial liability.

### 5. Financial instruments risk

The Fund's activities exposes it to various types of financial risks that are associated with its investment strategies, financial instruments and markets in which it invests. The most significant risks include credit risk, liquidity risk and market risk (including price risk and currency risk). The level of risk depends on the Fund's investment objectives and the type of securities it invests in. These risks and related risk management practices employed by the Fund are discussed below:

#### *(a) Credit risk*

The Fund is exposed to credit risk, which is the risk that a counterparty will be unable to pay amounts in full when due. All transactions in listed securities are settled upon delivery using approved brokers. The risk of default is considered minimal, as delivery of securities sold is only made once the broker has received payment. Payment is made on a purchase once the securities have been received by the broker. The trade will fail if either party fails to meet its obligations

The Fund's credit risk is assessed as minimal as cash represents a small portion of the total portfolio of investments.

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### 5. Financial instruments risk (continued)

#### *b) Liquidity risk*

Liquidity risk is the possibility that investments of the Fund cannot be readily converted into cash when required. The Fund may be subject to liquidity constraints because of insufficient volume in the markets for the securities of the Fund or the securities may be subject to legal or contractual restrictions on their resale. In addition, the Fund is exposed to daily cash redemptions of redeemable units. The units of the Fund are redeemed on demand at the current net asset value per unit at the option of the unitholder. Liquidity risk is managed by investing the majority of the Fund's assets in investments that are traded in an active market and can be readily disposed. The Fund aims to retain sufficient cash and cash equivalent positions to maintain liquidity; therefore, the liquidity risk for the Fund is considered minimal. In addition, the Fund maintains sufficient cash on hand to fund anticipated redemptions.

All of the Fund's financial liabilities as at December 31, 2017 and 2016 are due within three months. Redeemable units are redeemable on demand at the holder's option.

#### *(c) Market risk*

The Fund's investments are subject to market risk, which is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. The following include sensitivity analyses that show how the net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units would have been affected by a reasonably possible change in the relevant risk variable at each reporting date. In practice the actual results may differ and the differences may be material.

#### *i) Currency risk*

The Fund holds assets and liabilities that are denominated in currencies other than the Canadian dollar, the functional currency. It is therefore exposed to currency risk, as the value of the securities denominated in other currencies will fluctuate due to changes in exchange rates. As well, the Fund may enter into forward foreign exchange contracts primarily with the intention to offset or reduce exchange rate risks associated with the investments and also, periodically, to enhance returns to the portfolio. The Canadian dollar value of forward foreign exchange contracts is determined using forward currency exchange rates supplied by an independent service provider. Losses may arise due to a change in the value of the foreign currency or if the counterparty fails to perform under the contract.

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### 5. Financial instruments risk (continued)

#### (c) Market risk (continued)

##### i) Currency risk (continued)

The tables below summarize the Fund's exposure to currency risks as at December 31, 2017 and 2016. Had the exchange rate between the Canadian dollar and the foreign currencies increased (decreased) by 10%, with all other variables held constant, net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units would have (decreased) increased by \$4,452,449 in December 31, 2017 (December 31, 2016 - \$3,434,351). In practice, actual results may differ from this sensitivity analysis.

December 31, 2017	Monetary assets	Non- monetary assets	Net exposure	Percentage of net assets
	\$	\$	\$	%
Britain, Pounds	-	1,046,041	1,046,041	2.3
Euro	-	5,689,839	5,689,839	12.4
Japan, Yen	-	697,823	697,823	1.5
Switzerland, Francs	-	2,976,499	2,976,499	6.5
United States, Dollars	294	34,107,852	34,108,146	74.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>294</b>	<b>44,518,054</b>	<b>44,518,348</b>	<b>96.9</b>

#### December 31, 2016

	\$	\$	\$	%
Britain, Pounds	-	816,541	816,541	2.3
Euro	-	3,839,802	3,839,802	11.0
Japan, Yen	-	1,171,996	1,171,996	3.4
Singapore, Dollars	-	622,635	622,635	1.8
Switzerland, Francs	-	2,451,173	2,451,173	7.0
United States, Dollars	315	25,441,365	25,441,680	72.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>315</b>	<b>34,343,512</b>	<b>34,343,827</b>	<b>98.2</b>

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### 5. Financial instruments risk (continued)

#### (c) Currency risk (continued)

##### ii) Other price risk

Other price risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk). The Fund Manager aims to moderate this risk through a careful selection and diversification of securities and other financial instruments within the limits of the Fund's investment objectives and strategy.

The impact on net assets of the Fund due to a 10% change in the Dow Jones Sustainability World Indexes and the Dow Jones Islamic Market Titans 100 index benchmarks (the "benchmark"), using a historical correlation between the return of the Fund as compared to the return of the Fund's benchmark, as at December 31, 2017 and 2016, with all other variables held constant, is included in the following table.

	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
	\$	\$
Impact on net assets	<b>4,596,774</b>	3,497,602

This analysis assumes that all other variables remained unchanged. The historical correlation may not be representative of the future correlation.

#### (d) Concentration risk

Concentration risk arises as a result of the concentration of exposures within the same category, whether it is geographical location, product type, industry sector or counterparty type. The following is a summary of the Fund's concentration risk:

Market Segment	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
	%	%
Health Care	<b>25.7%</b>	26.2%
Information Technology	<b>30.2%</b>	33.2%
Consumer Staples	<b>12.5%</b>	10.9%
Consumer Discretionary	<b>10.5%</b>	6.8%
Telecommunication Services	<b>7.6%</b>	3.7%
Financials	<b>3.5%</b>	3.1%
Energy	<b>5.1%</b>	5.1%
Materials	<b>1.7%</b>	3.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>96.8%</b>	92.8%



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### 6. Fair value measurement

The Fund classifies the fair value of its financial instruments within a hierarchy which gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

- Level 1: Fair value based on unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Manager has the ability to access at the measurement date.
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly, including inputs in markets that are not considered to be active.
- Level 3: Inputs based on at least one significant non-observable input that is not supported by market data. There is little if any market activity. Inputs into the determination of fair value require significant management judgment or estimation.

If inputs of different levels are used to measure an asset's or liability's fair value, the classification within the hierarchy is based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The following fair value hierarchy tables present information about the Fund's assets and liabilities measured at fair value within the fair value hierarchy as at December 31, 2017 and 2016.

<b>December 31, 2017</b>	<b>Level 1</b>	<b>Level 2</b>	<b>Level 3</b>	<b>Total</b>
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Financial Assets				
Equities	<b>44,518,054</b>	-	-	<b>44,518,054</b>
<b>Total Financial Assets</b>	<b>44,518,054</b>	-	-	<b>44,518,054</b>
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December 31, 2016	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Financial Assets				
Equities	34,343,512		-	34,343,512
<b>Total Financial Assets</b>	<b>34,343,512</b>	-	-	<b>34,343,512</b>

There have been no transfers between levels during the years ended December 2017 and 2016.

The carrying value of cash, subscriptions receivable, dividends receivable, other receivables, redemptions payable, management fees payable and other accrued expenses approximate their fair value given their short term nature.

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### 7. Redeemable units

The Fund may issue an unlimited number of units of each series.

During the years ended December 31, 2017 and, 2016, the number of units issued redeemed and outstanding was as follows:

		Series A		Series F
	2017	2016	2017	2016
Units outstanding - beginning	1,698,907	1,445,457	243,065	294,929
Redeemable units issued	534,990	367,932	49,087	106,998
Redeemable units redeemed	(207,631)	(148,674)	(53,512)	(163,055)
Units issued on reinvestment of distributions	42,912	34,192	4,312	4,193
<b>Units outstanding - end</b>	<b>2,069,178</b>	1,698,907	<b>242,952</b>	243,065

### 8. Management fees and expenses

#### *Management fees and related party transactions*

The Fund pays the Fund Manager an annual management fee of up to 2.5% in the case of Series A units and up to 1.5% in the case of Series F, subject to Harmonized Sales Taxes as applicable, to cover management expenses. The management fee is calculated and accrued daily and is paid on the last day of each month based on the average daily net asset value of the Fund. For the year ended December 31, 2017, the management fee was \$1,114,101 (December 31, 2016 - \$856,029), of which

\$85,311 (December 31, 2016 - \$65,504) remains payable.

As at December 31, 2017, Global RESP Corporation held \$1,507,290 of the units of the Fund. During the fiscal year, Global RESP Corporation received \$33,031 of distributions.

#### Expenses

The Fund is responsible for the payment of all direct expenses related to its operations, such as brokerage commissions and fees, taxes, audit and legal fees, safekeeping and custodial fees and other expenses. Each series of units of the Fund is responsible for the operating expenses that relate specifically to that series.

The remuneration paid to members on the Independent Review Committee by the Fund during the year ended December 31, 2017 was \$2,925 (December 31, 2016 - \$2,925).

Certain administration and custodian fees have been absorbed by the Manager. These expenses are noted on the Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income. Such absorption can be terminated by the Fund Manager at any time without notice.

### 9. Brokerage commissions and soft dollars

The Fund paid \$12,896 (December 31, 2016 - \$15,384) in brokerage commissions and other transaction costs for portfolio transactions for the period ended December 31, 2017.

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### 10. Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit

The increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016 is calculated as follows:

<b>Series A</b>	<b>December 31, 2017</b>	<b>December 31, 2016</b>
	\$	\$
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units	4,231,324	208,609
Weighted average units outstanding during the period	1,903,127	1,566,510
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit	2.22	0.13
<b>Series F</b>	<b>December 31, 2017</b>	<b>December 31, 2016</b>
	\$	\$
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units	616,070	20,002
Weighted average units outstanding during the period	237,195	252,825
Increase in net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units per unit	2.60	0.08

### 11. Income tax

The Fund qualifies as a mutual fund trust under the provisions of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) ("ITA"). The Fund is subject to tax on its income, including net realized capital gains, for the year in which it is not paid or payable to the unitholders as at the end of the year. Income taxes on net realized gains not paid or payable by the Fund is generally recovered by virtue of refunding provisions contained in the ITA and provincial income tax acts, as redemptions occur. The Fund ensures sufficient distributions of income and of net realized capital gains are made to unitholders of record for the Fund, so that no provision for income taxes is required in the financial statements.

The Fund has no non-capital loss carryforward balances. No value has been recognized in the Statements of Financial Positions with regards to the loss carryforwards.