

# CIBC Multi-Asset Absolute Return Strategy - Series S

This document contains key information you should know about Series S units of CIBC Multi-Asset Absolute Return Strategy. You can find more details in the fund's simplified prospectus. Ask your representative for a copy, contact CIBC Asset Management Inc. at <u>1-888-888-3863</u> or <u>info@cibcassetmanagement.com</u>, or visit <u>www.renaissanceinvestments.ca</u>.

#### Before you invest in any fund, consider how the fund would work with your other investments and your tolerance for risk.

This mutual fund is an alternative mutual fund. It is has the ability to invest in asset classes and use investment strategies that are not permitted for conventional mutual funds. The specific strategies that differentiate this fund from conventional mutual funds include the: increased use of derivatives for hedging and non-hedging purposes; increased ability to sell securities short; ability to borrow cash to use for investment purposes; and increased ability to invest in physical commodities. While these specific strategies will be used in accordance with the fund's investment objectives and strategies, during certain market conditions they may accelerate the pace at which your investment decreases in value.

Quick Facts			
Fund code(s):	ATL5013 (CAD)	Fund manager:	CIBC Asset Management Inc.
Date series started:	October 22, 2018	Portfolio manager:	CIBC Asset Management Inc.
Total value of fund on June 30, 2024:	\$555,723,657	Distributions:	Net income, semi-annually (June and December)
Management expense ratio (MER):	0.96%		Net realized capital gains, annually in December
		Minimum investmen	t: At the discretion of CIBC Asset Management Inc.

## What does the fund invest in?

TOP 10 INVESTMENTS (as at June 20, 2024)

The fund seeks to achieve a positive absolute return that exceeds the return of the Government of Canada 91-day treasury bills over rolling three-year periods, regardless of prevailing economic conditions, by actively managing a diversified portfolio with direct and indirect exposure primarily to equity securities, fixed income securities, commodities, currencies, derivatives and other financial instruments to access alternative investment strategies. The fund may invest in Canadian, U.S. and other foreign securities, including securities of issuers in emerging market countries and securities denominated in a currency other than the Canadian dollar.

The fund may create leverage through the use of derivatives, short sales, and/or borrowing. The fund's aggregate exposure, calculated as the sum of the following, must not exceed 300% of its net asset value: (i) the aggregate market value of securities sold short; (ii) the aggregate value of indebtedness under any borrowing arrangements for investment purposes; and (iii) the aggregate notional value of the fund's specified derivatives positions excluding the notional value of any specified derivatives used for hedging purposes.

The charts below give you a snapshot of the fund's investments on June 30, 2024. The fund's investments will change.

TOP 10 INVESTMENTS (as at June 30, 2024)	
Cash & Cash Equivalents	67.5%
Ultra 10-Year United States Treasury Note Future, September	
2024	6.4%
United States S&P 500 Mini Index Future, September 2024	4.1%
Euro-BUND Future, September 2024	3.9%
ASX 90 Day Bank Accepted Bills Future, September 2025	3.1%
Macquarie Bank Limited, London Branch - Index-Linked Note -	
The Macquarie 7x Leveraged Dynamic Carry Bull / Bear	
Commodities Spread Index	3.0%
3 Month Euro Euribor Interest Rate Future, September 2025	3.0%
CME 3-Month SOFR Future, December 2025	3.0%
Three-Month CORRA Future, May 2025	3.0%
ICE 3-Month Sonia Index Future December 2025	3.0%
Total percentage of top 10 investments:	100.0%

## INVESTMENT MIX (as at June 30, 2024)

Cash & Cash Equivalents	84.5%
Futures Contracts - Fixed Income Long	27.5%
Futures Contracts - Equity Long	23.7%
Financials	3.0%
Foreign Currency Bonds	1.8%
U.S. Bond Mutual Funds	0.7%
Options	-0.2%
Swap Contracts	-0.2%
Other Assets, less Liabilities	-0.4%
Forward & Spot Contracts	-2.0%
Futures Contracts - Equity Short	-8.9%
Futures Contracts - Fixed Income Short	-29.5%

Total number of investments: 10

# How risky is it?

The value of the fund can go down as well as up. You could lose money.

One way to gauge risk is to look at how much a fund's returns change over time. This is called "volatility".

In general, funds with higher volatility will have returns that change more over time. They typically have a greater chance of losing money and may have a greater chance of higher returns. Funds with lower volatility tend to have returns that change less over time. They typically have lower returns and may have a lower chance of losing money.

# FundFacts

#### **Risk rating**

CIBC Asset Management Inc. has rated the volatility of this fund as **Low to Medium**.

This rating is based on how much the fund's returns have changed from year to year. It does not tell you how volatile the fund will be in the future. The rating can change over time. A fund with a low risk rating can still lose money.



## How has the fund performed?

This section tells you how Series S units of the fund have performed over the past 5 years. Returns are after expenses have been deducted. These expenses reduce the fund's returns.

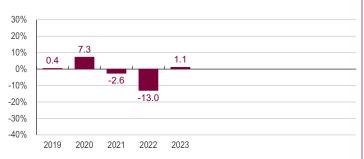
## YEAR-BY-YEAR RETURNS

This chart shows how Series S units of the fund performed in each of the past 5 calendar years. Series S units dropped in value in 2 of the 5 years. The range of returns and change from year to year can help you assess how risky the fund has been in the past. It does not tell you how the fund will perform in the future.

For more information about the risk rating and specific risks that can affect the fund's returns, see the sections entitled "Investment Risk Classification Methodology" and "What are the Risks of Investing in the Fund?" in the fund's simplified prospectus.

#### No guarantees

Like most mutual funds, this fund does not have any guarantees. You may not get back the amount of money you invest.



## **BEST AND WORST 3-MONTH RETURNS**

This table shows the best and worst returns for Series S units of the fund in a 3-month period over the past 5 calendar years. The best and worst 3-month returns could be higher or lower in the future. Consider how much of a loss you could afford to take in a short period of time.

	Return	3 months ending	If you invested \$1,000 at the beginning of the period	
Best return	8.0%	May 31, 2020	Your investment would rise to \$1,080	
Worst return	-9.0%	March 31, 2022	Your investment would drop to \$910	

#### **AVERAGE RETURN**

The annual compounded return of Series S units of the fund since October 22, 2018 was -0.8%. If you had invested \$1,000 in the fund on October 22, 2018, your investment would be worth \$955 as at June 30, 2024.

Who is this fund for?	A word about tax	
<ul> <li>Investors who:</li> <li>seek exposure to a diversified portfolio of alternative investment strategies; and</li> <li>are investing for the medium to long term.</li> </ul>	In general, you will have to pay income tax on any money you make on a fund. How much you pay depends on the tax laws where you live and whether or not you hold the fund in a registered plan such as a Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP) or a Tax-Free Savings Account (TFSA). Keep in mind that if you hold your fund in a non-registered plan, fund distributions are included in your taxable income, whether you receive them in cash or have them reinvested.	

# How much does it cost?

The following tables show the fees and expenses you could pay to buy, own, and sell Series S units of the fund. The fees and expenses - including any commissions - can vary among series of a fund and among funds. Higher commissions can influence representatives to recommend one investment over another. Ask about other funds and investments that may be suitable for you at a lower cost.

## **1. SALES CHARGES**

There are no sales charges payable when you buy, switch, or sell Series S units of the fund.

## 2. FUND EXPENSES

You don't pay these expenses directly. They affect you because they reduce the fund's returns.

As at February 29, 2024, the expenses for Series S units of the fund were 1.14% of its value. This equals \$11.40 for every \$1,000 invested.

			<b>Annual rate</b> (as a % of the fund's value
	o (MER) s management fee (including the trailing commi ered by the fixed administration fee (fund costs		0.96%
Trading expense ratio (TE These are the fund's trading			0.18%
Fund expenses		1.14%	
3. OTHER FEES	mmission aid in respect of Series S units. fees when you buy, hold, sell, switch, or conver	rt units of the fund	
Fee	What you pay		
Short-term trading fee	Up to 2% of the value of units you sell or switch within 30 days of buying them. This fee goes to the fund.		
Switch fee	If you sell units of the fund to buy units of another fund managed by us or our affiliates, you may pay a switch fee of up to 2% of the value of units you switch. This fee goes to your representative's firm.		
Conversion fee	If you convert units of the fund to another series of units of the same fund, you may pay a conversion fee of up to 2% of the value of units you convert. This fee goes to your representative's firm.		
What if I change my	mind?	For more information	
Under securities law in some provinces and territories, you have the right to: <ul> <li>withdraw from an agreement to buy mutual funds within two business</li> </ul>		Contact CIBC Asset Management Inc. or your representative for a copy of the fund's simplified prospectus and other disclosure documents. These documents and the Fund Facts make up the fund's legal documents.	
<ul> <li>days after you receive a simplified prospectus or Fund Facts document, or</li> <li>cancel your purchase within 48 hours after you receive confirmation of</li> </ul>		CIBC Square <u>1-8</u>	@cibcassetmanagement.com 88-888-3863,
the purchase.		81 Bay Street, 20th Floor www Toronto, Ontario M5J 0E7	w.renaissanceinvestments.ca
In some provinces and territories, you also have the right to cancel a purchase, or in some jurisdictions, claim damages, if the simplified prospectus, Fund Facts document, or financial statements contain a misrepresentation. You must act within the time limit set by the securities		To learn more about investing in mutual funds, see the brochure <b>Understanding mutual funds</b> , which is available on the website of the Canadian Securities Administrators at <u>www.securities-administrators.ca</u> .	

For more information, see the securities law of your province or territory or ask a lawyer.

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