



## Annual Management Report of Fund Performance

for the financial year ended August 31, 2024

All figures are reported in Canadian dollars unless otherwise noted.

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### Management Discussion of Fund Performance

#### Investment Objective and Strategies

**Investment Objective:** Renaissance International Equity Fund (the *Fund*) seeks to provide long-term capital growth through capital appreciation by investing primarily in a diversified portfolio of equity securities of foreign companies located in Europe, the Far East, and the Pacific Rim.

**Investment Strategies:** The Fund invests based on a bottom-up approach, identifying securities of growth companies with characteristics such as low prices relative to their long-term cash earnings potential and the potential for significant improvement in the company's business, financial strength, and sufficient liquidity. Country allocations are not explicitly set, but roll out from the basket of securities that comprise the portfolio.

#### Risk

The Fund is an international equity fund that is suitable for long term investors who can tolerate medium investment risk.

For the period ended August 31, 2024, the Fund's overall level of risk remained as discussed in the simplified prospectus.

#### Results of Operations

The Fund's portfolio sub-advisor is Walter Scott & Partners Limited (the *Sub-Advisor*). The commentary that follows provides a summary of the results of operations for the period ended August 31, 2024. All dollar figures are expressed in thousands, unless otherwise indicated.

The Fund's net asset value increased by 19% during the period, from \$1,597,122 as at August 31, 2023 to \$1,900,354 as at August 31, 2024. Net sales of \$27,585 and positive investment performance resulted in an overall increase in net asset value.

Class A units of the Fund posted a return of 15.2% for the period. The Fund's benchmark, the MSCI EAFE Index (the *benchmark*), returned 19.5% for the same period. The Fund's return is after the deduction of fees and expenses, unlike the benchmark's return. See the section *Past Performance* for the returns of other classes of units offered by the Fund.

The U.S. economy, and particularly U.S. consumer spending, remained resilient over the period. However, fluctuating expectations that the U.S. Federal Reserve Board would be able to tame inflation while avoiding an economic recession contributed to volatility in financial markets.

The eurozone economy was broadly lacklustre, but easing inflation concerns allowed the European Central Bank to lower interest rates, which was supportive of equities.

China's economy showed few signs of improving. Investors remained wary given the country's debt-laden real estate sector, deflationary pressures and weak economic activity. Japanese equities were strong for much of the period, although concerns over the Bank of Japan's interest-rate increase, however marginal, caused some volatility in the country's equity market. From the end of July through August 5, Japan's broad equity market fell 20%, before staging a partial rebound.

Stock selection in the industrials sector detracted from the Fund's performance, as did stock selection in and underweight exposure to financials. Overweight holdings in Prudential PLC, Daikin Industries Ltd. and Diageo PLC detracted from the Fund's performance. Prudential's stock declined amid weaker investor sentiment toward Chinese stocks, despite the company's strong performance. Daikin Industries was affected by cyclical downturns in some of its end markets, including U.S., Chinese and European residential markets, and the European heat pump market. Diageo's share price performance reflected disappointing results and wider concerns around global demand in the drinks industry.

Stock selection in the consumer discretionary sector contributed to the Fund's performance. Stock selection in emerging markets and in Europe (excluding the U.K.) also contributed to performance. Overweight holdings in Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co. Ltd. (TSMC), Novo Nordisk AS and Industria de Diseno Textil SA contributed to the Fund's performance. TSMC benefited from positive sentiment toward artificial intelligence and a cyclical recovery in end markets. Novo Nordisk continued to benefit from the momentum behind its glucagon-like peptide-1 therapy. Industria de Diseno Textil reported strength across all geographies, with both online and physical sales contributing to growth.

The Sub-Advisor added a new holding in Amadeus IT Group SA to the Fund. The company owns the number one passenger service system globally, exposing it to long-term growth in air-passenger traffic. Wolters Kluwer NV, a leading information services and software business, was also added to the Fund. The business is leveraging its proprietary data sets to provide more valuable services to its clients, solidifying its competitive position.

The Sub-Advisor added a holding in Universal Music Group NV as music has been undergoing a resurgence following the advent of streaming. In addition, streaming price increases, fan segmentation, new artist-centric revenue models and the growth of social media platforms should drive results going forward.

Existing holdings in OBIC Co. Ltd. and Merck KGaA were increased. OBIC should continue to benefit from structural growth in technology investment across corporate Japan, as well as in cloud-computing software. Merck was increased after a period of weak share price performance. The life sciences industry is experiencing a post-pandemic downturn, worsened by an extended period of destocking, particularly in bioprocessing. However, the Sub-Advisor has a favourable outlook on the company's long-term prospects and the recovery of the bioprocessing market over the coming quarters.

Christian Hansen Holdings AS announced its intention to merge with Novozymes AS, which led to increased uncertainty. The size of the deal brings integration risk, in the Sub-Advisor's view, and the delivery of longer-term revenue and profit acceleration is unclear. As a result of softening market conditions and competing investment options, these two holdings were eliminated.

Sandoz Group AG was spun out from Novartis AG resulting in a small holding, which was sold. Hang Lung Properties Ltd. was sold as its Hong Kong and China portfolios faced a series of challenges in recent years. Increasingly negative sentiment toward investing in Greater China, and particularly companies associated with property, has been a particular challenge.

The Fund's holdings in Novo Nordisk, Cochlear Ltd. and Shin-Etsu Chemical Co. Ltd. were trimmed following strong share price performance.

### Recent Developments

The level of geopolitical risk disrupted the global economy and financial markets in unprecedented and unpredictable ways. This has resulted in significant volatility and uncertainty in financial markets. It is unclear what further actions may be taken by governments and the resulting impact on global economies, businesses and financial markets. These factors may adversely affect the Fund's performance. The Manager continues to monitor ongoing developments and the impact to investment strategies.

### Related Party Transactions

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC) and its affiliates have the following roles and responsibilities with respect to the Fund, and receive the fees described below in connection with their roles and responsibilities.

### Manager, Trustee, and Portfolio Advisor of the Fund

CAMI, a wholly-owned subsidiary of CIBC, is the Fund's Manager, Trustee, and Portfolio Advisor. As Manager, CAMI receives management fees with respect to the Fund's day-to-day business and operations, calculated based on the net asset value of each respective class of units of the Fund as described in *Management Fees*.

The Manager pays the Fund's operating expenses (other than certain fund costs) in respect of the classes of units of the Fund (except Class O unit), which may include but are not limited to, operating and administrative costs; regulatory fees; audit, and legal fees and expenses; trustee, safekeeping, custodial, and any agency fees; and investor servicing costs and costs of unitholder reports, prospectuses, Fund Facts, and other reports, in exchange for the Fund paying a fixed rate administration fee (plus applicable GST/HST) to the Manager with respect to those classes of units. For Class O units, no fixed administration fee will be charged. The Manager pays the Fund's operating expenses (other than certain Fund costs) allocated to Class O units of the Fund. The fixed administration fee payable by the Fund, may, in any particular period, exceed or be lower than the expenses we incur in providing such services to the Fund.

As Trustee, CAMI holds title to the Fund's property (cash and securities) on behalf of its unitholders. As Portfolio Advisor, CAMI provides, or arranges to provide investment advice and portfolio management services to the Fund. CAMI also compensates dealers in connection with their marketing activities regarding the Fund. From time to time, CAMI may invest in units of the Fund.

### Distributor

Dealers and other firms sell units of the Fund to investors. These dealers and other firms include CAMI's related dealers such as the CIBC Securities Inc. (*CIBC SI*), the CIBC Investor's Edge discount brokerage division of CIBC Investor Services Inc. (*CIBC ISI*), the CIBC Imperial Service division of CIBC ISI, and the CIBC Wood Gundy division of CIBC World Markets Inc. (*CIBC WM*). CIBC SI, CIBC ISI and CIBC WM are wholly-owned subsidiaries of CIBC.

CAMI may pay sales commissions and trailing commissions to these dealers and firms in connection with the sale of units of the Fund. These dealers and other firms may pay a portion of these sales commissions and trailing commissions to their advisors who sell units of the Fund to investors.

### Brokerage Arrangements and Soft Dollars

The Portfolio Advisor or any portfolio sub-advisors make decisions, including the selection of markets and dealers and the negotiation of commissions, with respect to the purchase and sale of portfolio securities, certain derivative products and the execution of portfolio transactions. Brokerage business may be allocated by the Portfolio Advisor or any portfolio sub-advisor(s) to CIBC WM and CIBC World Markets Corp., each a subsidiary of CIBC. CIBC WM and CIBC World Markets Corp. may also earn spreads on the sale of fixed income securities, other securities, and certain derivative products to the Fund. A spread is the difference between the bid and ask prices for a security in the applicable marketplace, with respect to the execution of portfolio transactions. The spread will differ based upon various factors such as the nature and liquidity of the security.

Dealers, including CIBC WM and CIBC World Markets Corp., may furnish goods and services, other than order execution, to the Portfolio Advisor or any portfolio sub-advisor(s) when they process trades through them. These types of goods and services for which the Portfolio Advisor or a portfolio sub-advisor may direct brokerage commissions are research goods and services and order execution goods and services, and are referred to in the industry as "soft-dollar" arrangements. These goods and services received through soft dollar arrangements assist the Portfolio Advisor or any portfolio sub-advisor(s) with investment decision-making services for the Fund, or relate directly to the execution of portfolio transactions on behalf of the Fund. As per the terms of the portfolio advisory agreement and portfolio sub-advisory agreements, such soft dollar arrangements are in compliance with applicable laws.

During the period, the Fund did not pay any brokerage commissions or other fees to CIBC WM or CIBC World Markets Corp. Spreads associated with fixed income and other securities are not ascertainable and, for that reason, cannot be included when determining these amounts.

#### *Fund Transactions*

The Fund may enter into one or more of the following transactions (the *Related Party Transactions*) in reliance on the standing instructions issued by the Independent Review Committee (the *IRC*):

- invest in or hold equity securities of CIBC or issuers related to a portfolio sub-advisor;
- invest in or hold non-exchange-traded debt securities of CIBC or an issuer related to CIBC, with terms-to-maturity of 365 days or more, issued in a primary offering and in the secondary market;
- make an investment in the securities of an issuer for which CIBC WM, CIBC World Markets Corp., or any affiliate of CIBC (a *Related Dealer* or the *Related Dealers*) acts as an underwriter during the offering of the securities or at any time during the 60-day period following the completion of the offering of such securities (in the case of a "private placement" offering, in accordance with the Private Placement Relief Order and the policies and procedures relating to such investment);
- purchase equity or debt securities from, or sell them to, a Related Dealer, where it is acting as principal;
- undertake currency and currency derivative transactions where a related party is the counterparty;
- purchase securities from or sell securities to another investment fund or a managed account managed by the Manager or an affiliate (*inter-fund trades* or *cross-trades*); and
- engage in in-specie transfers by receiving portfolio securities from, or delivering portfolio securities to, a managed account or another investment fund managed by the Manager or an affiliate, in respect of a purchase or redemption of units of the Fund, subject to certain conditions.

At least annually, the IRC reviews the Related Party Transactions for which they have issued standing instructions. The IRC is required to advise the Canadian securities regulatory authorities, after a matter has been referred to or reported to it by the Manager, if it determines that

an investment decision was not made in accordance with conditions imposed by securities legislation or the IRC in any Related Party Transactions requiring its approval.

#### *Custodian*

CIBC Mellon Trust Company is the custodian of the Fund (the *Custodian*). The Custodian holds cash and securities for the Fund and ensures that those assets are kept separate from any other cash or securities that the Custodian might be holding. The Custodian also provides other services to the Fund including record-keeping and processing of foreign exchange transactions. The fees and spreads for the services of the Custodian are paid by the Manager. CIBC owns a 50% interest in the Custodian.

#### *Service Provider*

CIBC Mellon Global Securities Services Company Inc. (*CIBC GSS*) provides certain services to the Fund, including securities lending, fund accounting and reporting, and portfolio valuation. Such servicing fees are paid by the Manager. CIBC indirectly owns a 50% interest in CIBC GSS.

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**Financial Highlights**

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the period ended August 31.

**The Fund's Net Assets per Unit<sup>1</sup> - Class A Units**

**Inception date: January 2, 2001**

	2024		2023		2022		2021		2020	
<b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>	\$	11.03	\$	9.42	\$	12.52	\$	10.58	\$	9.17
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>										
Total revenue	\$	0.26	\$	0.24	\$	0.21	\$	0.20	\$	0.21
Total expenses		(0.29)		(0.27)		(0.28)		(0.30)		(0.27)
Realized gains (losses) for the period		0.22		0.05		(0.06)		(0.01)		0.05
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period		1.47		1.61		(3.02)		2.08		1.40
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations<sup>2</sup></b>	\$	1.66	\$	1.63	\$	(3.15)	\$	1.97	\$	1.39
<b>Distributions:</b>										
From income (excluding dividends)	\$	–	\$	–	\$	–	\$	–	\$	–
From dividends		–		–		–		–		–
From capital gains		–		–		–		–		–
Return of capital		–		–		–		–		–
<b>Total Distributions<sup>3</sup></b>	\$	–	\$	–	\$	–	\$	–	\$	–
<b>Net Assets, end of period</b>	\$	12.71	\$	11.03	\$	9.42	\$	12.52	\$	10.58

**Ratios and Supplemental Data - Class A Units**

	2024		2023		2022		2021		2020	
<b>Total Net Asset Value (000s)<sup>4</sup></b>	\$	204,768	\$	194,964	\$	183,996	\$	250,540	\$	159,929
<b>Number of Units Outstanding<sup>4</sup></b>		16,116,651		17,683,119		19,541,787		20,007,959		15,114,682
<b>Management Expense Ratio<sup>5</sup></b>		2.22%		2.22%		2.27%		2.34%		2.40%
<b>Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions<sup>6</sup></b>		2.29%		2.29%		2.27%		2.36%		2.40%
<b>Trading Expense Ratio<sup>7</sup></b>		0.02%		0.01%		0.04%		0.07%		0.06%
<b>Portfolio Turnover Rate<sup>8</sup></b>		9.07%		5.24%		7.09%		6.78%		3.09%
<b>Net Asset Value per Unit</b>	\$	12.71	\$	11.03	\$	9.42	\$	12.52	\$	10.58

**The Fund's Net Assets per Unit<sup>1</sup> - Class F Units**

**Inception date: May 16, 2006**

	2024		2023		2022		2021		2020	
<b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>	\$	25.82	\$	21.94	\$	28.89	\$	24.17	\$	20.84
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>										
Total revenue	\$	0.61	\$	0.55	\$	0.50	\$	0.47	\$	0.49
Total expenses		(0.35)		(0.32)		(0.31)		(0.34)		(0.30)
Realized gains (losses) for the period		0.53		0.14		(0.12)		(0.02)		0.11
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period		3.58		3.50		(7.18)		4.76		3.20
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations<sup>2</sup></b>	\$	4.37	\$	3.87	\$	(7.11)	\$	4.87	\$	3.50
<b>Distributions:</b>										
From income (excluding dividends)	\$	0.27	\$	0.19	\$	0.09	\$	0.08	\$	0.21
From dividends		–		–		–		–		–
From capital gains		–		–		–		–		–
Return of capital		–		–		–		–		–
<b>Total Distributions<sup>3</sup></b>	\$	0.27	\$	0.19	\$	0.09	\$	0.08	\$	0.21
<b>Net Assets, end of period</b>	\$	29.83	\$	25.82	\$	21.94	\$	28.89	\$	24.17

**Ratios and Supplemental Data - Class F Units**

	2024		2023		2022		2021		2020	
<b>Total Net Asset Value (000s)<sup>4</sup></b>	\$	887,047	\$	734,458	\$	606,293	\$	668,269	\$	385,132
<b>Number of Units Outstanding<sup>4</sup></b>		29,734,777		28,449,191		27,628,889		23,128,114		15,936,925
<b>Management Expense Ratio<sup>5</sup></b>		0.94%		0.94%		0.96%		0.99%		1.03%
<b>Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions<sup>6</sup></b>		1.02%		1.02%		0.99%		1.12%		1.14%
<b>Trading Expense Ratio<sup>7</sup></b>		0.02%		0.01%		0.04%		0.07%		0.06%
<b>Portfolio Turnover Rate<sup>8</sup></b>		9.07%		5.24%		7.09%		6.78%		3.09%
<b>Net Asset Value per Unit</b>	\$	29.83	\$	25.82	\$	21.94	\$	28.89	\$	24.17

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**The Fund's Net Assets per Unit<sup>1</sup> - Class O Units**

**Inception date: October 20, 2010**

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
<b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>	\$ 16.02	\$ 13.61	\$ 17.88	\$ 14.89	\$ 12.81
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>					
Total revenue	\$ 0.38	\$ 0.34	\$ 0.31	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.29
Total expenses	(0.06)	(0.05)	(0.04)	(0.05)	(0.04)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.32	0.07	(0.07)	(0.02)	0.07
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	2.18	2.44	(4.29)	3.02	2.01
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations<sup>2</sup></b>	\$ 2.82	\$ 2.80	\$ (4.09)	\$ 3.24	\$ 2.33
<b>Distributions:</b>					
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.24
From dividends	–	–	–	–	–
From capital gains	–	–	–	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	–	–
<b>Total Distributions<sup>3</sup></b>	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.24
<b>Net Assets, end of period</b>	\$ 18.53	\$ 16.02	\$ 13.61	\$ 17.88	\$ 14.89

**Ratios and Supplemental Data - Class O Units**

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
<b>Total Net Asset Value (000s)<sup>4</sup></b>	\$ 808,539	\$ 667,700	\$ 648,375	\$ 760,880	\$ 372,662
<b>Number of Units Outstanding<sup>4</sup></b>	43,630,977	41,683,196	47,622,540	42,562,436	25,025,532
<b>Management Expense Ratio<sup>5</sup></b>	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
<b>Management Expense Ratio before waivers or absorptions<sup>6</sup></b>	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.02%	0.03%
<b>Trading Expense Ratio<sup>7</sup></b>	0.02%	0.01%	0.04%	0.07%	0.06%
<b>Portfolio Turnover Rate<sup>8</sup></b>	9.07%	5.24%	7.09%	6.78%	3.09%
<b>Net Asset Value per Unit</b>	\$ 18.53	\$ 16.02	\$ 13.61	\$ 17.88	\$ 14.89

<sup>1</sup> This information is derived from the Fund's audited annual financial statements.

<sup>2</sup> Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant time. The total increase (decrease) from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding during the period.

<sup>3</sup> Distributions were paid in cash, reinvested in additional units of the Fund, or both.

<sup>4</sup> This information is presented as at August 31 of the period(s) shown.

<sup>5</sup> Management expense ratio is based on the total expenses of the fund (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs), incurred by or allocated to a class of units for the period shown, expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value of that class during the period. The management expense ratio includes the fees attributable to exchange traded funds.

<sup>6</sup> The decision to waive management fees and/or fixed administration fees is at the discretion of the Manager. The practice of waiving management fees and/or fixed administration fees may continue indefinitely or may be terminated at any time without notice to unitholders. The management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions includes the fees attributable to exchange traded funds, where applicable.

<sup>7</sup> The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs before income taxes expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value during the period. Spreads associated with fixed income securities trading are not ascertainable and, for that reason, are not included in the trading expense ratio calculation. Previously, the trading expense ratio included the fees attributable to exchange traded funds which are now no longer included in the TER. Prior year fees attributable to exchange traded funds have been reclassified to the management expense ratio and management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions.

<sup>8</sup> The portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the portfolio advisor and/or portfolio sub-advisor manages the portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to a fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher a portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by a fund in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a fund.

**Management Fees**

The Fund pays CAMI an annual management fee to cover the costs of managing the Fund. Management fees are based on the Fund's net asset value and are calculated daily and paid monthly. Management fees are paid to CAMI in consideration for providing, or arranging for the provision of, management, distribution, and portfolio advisory services. Advertising and promotional expenses, office overhead expenses, trailing commissions, and the fees of the portfolio sub-advisor are paid by CAMI out of the management fees received from the Fund. The Fund is required to pay applicable taxes on the management fees paid to CAMI. Refer to the simplified prospectus for the annual management fee rate for each class of units.

For Class O units, the management fee is negotiated with and paid by, or as directed by, unitholders or dealers and discretionary managers on behalf of unitholders. Such Class O management fee will not exceed the Class F unit management fee rate.



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The following table shows a breakdown of the services received in consideration of the management fees, as a percentage of the management fees collected from the Fund for the period ended August 31, 2024. These amounts do not include waived fees or absorbed expenses.

	Class A Units	Class F Units
Sales and trailing commissions paid to dealers	45.19%	0.00%
General administration, investment advice, and profit	54.81%	100.00%

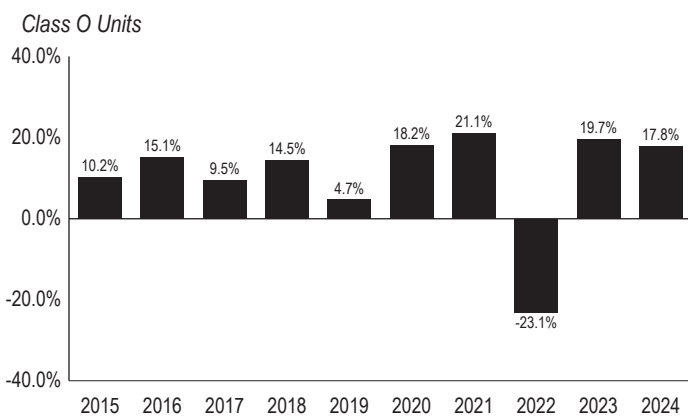
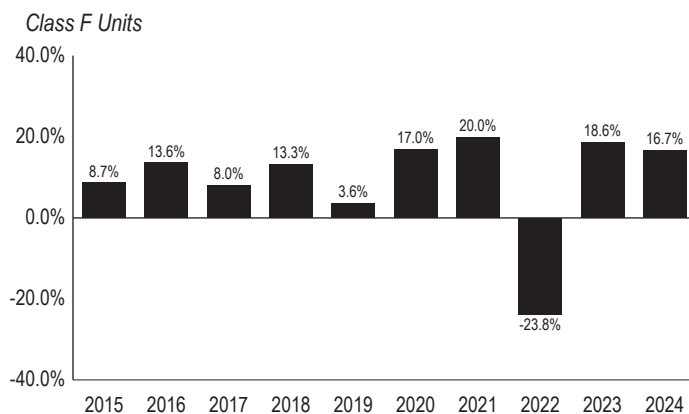
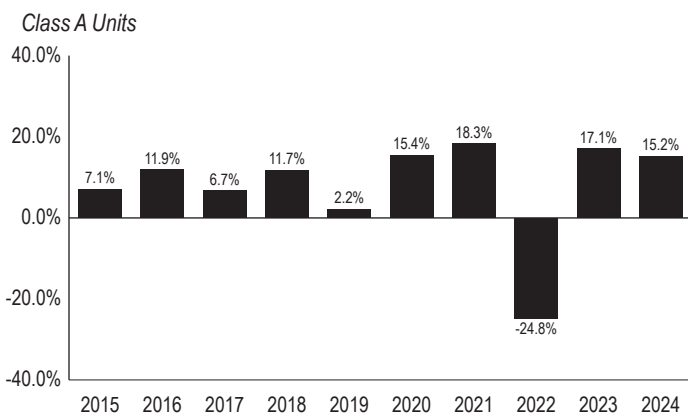
### Past Performance

The performance data provided assumes reinvestment of distributions only and does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution, or other optional charges payable by any unitholder that would have reduced returns. Past performance does not necessarily indicate how a fund will perform in the future.

The Fund's returns are after the deduction of fees and expenses, and the difference in returns between classes of units is primarily due to differences in the management expense ratio. See *Financial Highlights* section for the management expense ratio.

### Year-by-Year Returns

These bar charts show the annual performance of each class of units of the Fund for each of the periods shown, and illustrate how the performance has changed from period to period. These bar charts show, in percentage terms, how an investment made on September 1 would have increased or decreased by August 31, unless otherwise indicated.



### Annual Compound Returns

This table shows the annual compound return of each class of units of the Fund for each indicated period ended on August 31, 2024. The annual compound return is compared to the Fund's benchmark(s).

The Fund's benchmark is the MSCI EAFE Index.

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Class and Benchmark(s)	1 Year (%)	3 Years (%)	5 Years (%)	10 Years* (%)	or Since Inception* (%)	Inception Date
Class A units	15.2	0.5	6.8	7.3		January 2, 2001
MSCI EAFE Index	19.5	6.9	9.4	8.0		
Class F units	16.7	1.8	8.2	8.8		May 16, 2006
MSCI EAFE Index	19.5	6.9	9.4	8.0		
Class O units	17.8	2.8	9.2	10.0		October 20, 2010
MSCI EAFE Index	19.5	6.9	9.4	8.0		

\* If a class of units has been outstanding for less than 10 years, the annual compound return since inception is shown.

**MSCI EAFE Index** is a free float-adjusted market capitalization Index of stocks of companies of developed market equity indices covering 21 different countries in Europe, Australia, and the Far East.

A discussion of the Fund's relative performance compared to its benchmark(s) can be found in *Results of Operations*.

**Summary of Investment Portfolio** (as at August 31, 2024)

The summary of investment portfolio may change due to ongoing portfolio transactions of the investment fund. A quarterly update is available by visiting [www.renaissanceinvestments.ca](http://www.renaissanceinvestments.ca). The Top Positions table shows a fund's 25 largest positions. For funds with fewer than 25 positions in total, all positions are shown.

<i>Portfolio Breakdown</i>	<i>% of Net Asset Value</i>	<i>Top Positions</i>	<i>% of Net Asset Value</i>
Japan	19.2	Novo Nordisk AS, Class 'B'	4.2
Other Equities	18.0	Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co. Ltd., ADR	4.1
Switzerland	13.9	Keyence Corp.	3.0
France	11.3	Cash	2.9
Germany	7.8	Experian PLC	2.8
United Kingdom	6.3	Industria de Diseno Textil SA	2.7
Denmark	6.2	ASML Holding NV	2.6
Netherlands	6.1	Shin-Etsu Chemicals Co. Ltd.	2.5
Spain	4.3	Roche Holding AG Genusscheine	2.5
Taiwan	4.1	Compass Group PLC	2.4
Cash	2.9	Adidas AG	2.4
Other Assets, less Liabilities	(0.1)	Novartis AG, Registered	2.4
		Air Liquide SA	2.4
		Merck KGaA	2.3
		CSL Ltd.	2.2
		L'Oréal SA	2.2
		SAP SE	2.1
		Wolters Kluwer NV	2.1
		LVMH Moët Hennessy Louis Vuitton SE	2.0
		Coloplast AS, Class 'B'	2.0
		Hoya Corp.	2.0
		VAT Group AG	1.9
		Lonza Group AG, Registered	1.9
		TotalEnergies SE	1.8
		OBIC Co. Ltd.	1.8

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