

Counsel Global Low Volatility Equity

INTERIM UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the period ended September 30, 2021

These Financial Statements do not contain the Management Report of Fund Performance ("MRFP") of the investment fund.

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STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

at September 30, 2021 (unaudited) with comparative figures at March 31, 2021 (audited)
(in \$ 000 except per security amounts)

	Sep. 30 2021	Mar. 31 2021
Assets		
Current assets:		
Investments at fair value	97,837	110,281
Cash and cash equivalents	445	745
Accrued interest receivable	–	–
Dividends receivable	180	218
Accounts receivable for investments sold	–	–
Accounts receivable for securities issued	53	79
Accounts receivable from the Manager	–	–
Margin with broker	–	–
Derivative assets	–	–
Other assets	–	–
	98,515	111,323
Non-current assets:		
Taxes recoverable	–	–
Other assets	–	–
	–	–
Total assets	98,515	111,323
Liabilities		
Current liabilities:		
Bank indebtedness	–	–
Accounts payable for investments purchased	–	–
Accounts payable for securities redeemed	72	217
Distributions payable	–	–
Accrued expenses and miscellaneous payables	–	–
Dividends payable on investments sold short	–	–
Derivative liabilities	–	–
Taxes payable	–	–
Other liabilities	–	–
Total liabilities	72	217
Net assets attributable to securityholders	98,443	111,106

STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

for the periods ended September 30 (unaudited)
(in \$ 000 except per security amounts)

	2021	2020
Income:		
Dividends	1,254	1,777
Interest and other income	–	1
Net realized gain (loss)	4,278	(4,716)
Net unrealized gain (loss)	1,896	16,998
Income (loss) from derivatives	–	–
Income (loss) from short selling	–	–
Securities lending income	3	15
Trust income	–	1
Total income	7,431	14,076
Expenses:		
Management fees	–	–
Management fee rebates	–	–
Administration fees	–	–
Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs	11	18
Independent Review Committee costs	–	–
Interest and other charges	–	–
Expenses before amounts absorbed by Manager	11	18
Expenses absorbed by Manager	–	–
Net expenses	11	18
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders		
from operations before tax	7,420	14,058
Foreign withholding tax expense (recovery)	183	242
Foreign income tax expense (recovery)	–	–
Income tax expense (recovery)	–	–
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders		
from operations	7,237	13,816

	Net assets attributable to securityholders			
	per security		per series	
	Sep. 30 2021	Mar. 31 2021	Sep. 30 2021	Mar. 31 2021
Series 0	11.54	10.99	98,442	111,105
Series Private Wealth	11.01	10.46	1	1
			98,443	111,106

	Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations			
	per security		per series	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
Series 0	0.77	1.32	7,237	13,816
Series Private Wealth	0.65	n/a	–	n/a
			7,237	13,816

STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION

for the periods ended September 30 (unaudited)
(in \$ 000 except when stated)

	TOTAL		SERIES O		SERIES PRIVATE WEALTH	
	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020
Net assets attributable to securityholders, beginning of period	111,106	93,433	111,105	93,433	1	–
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders resulting from:						
Operations	7,237	13,816	7,237	13,816	–	–
Distributions:						
Income	(1,266)	(1,522)	(1,266)	(1,522)	–	–
Capital gains	–	–	–	–	–	–
Return of capital	–	–	–	–	–	–
Management fee rebates	–	–	–	–	–	–
Total distributions	(1,266)	(1,522)	(1,266)	(1,522)	–	–
Security transactions:						
Proceeds from sale of securities	3,336	15,351	3,336	15,351	–	–
Proceeds from securities issued on merger	–	–	–	–	–	–
Reinvested from distributions	1,265	1,522	1,265	1,522	–	–
Payment on redemption of securities	(23,235)	(4,391)	(23,235)	(4,391)	–	–
Total security transactions	(18,634)	12,482	(18,634)	12,482	–	–
Increase (decrease) in assets attributable to securityholders	(12,663)	24,776	(12,663)	24,776	–	–
Net assets attributable to securityholders, end of period	98,443	118,209	98,442	118,209	1	–
Increase (decrease) in securities (in thousands):						
Securities outstanding, beginning of period			10,112	10,014	–	–
Add (deduct):						
Securities sold			292	1,510	–	–
Securities issued on merger			–	–	–	–
Reinvested from distributions			109	148	–	–
Securities redeemed			(1,986)	(427)	–	–
Securities outstanding, end of period			8,527	11,245	–	–

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

for the periods ended September 30 (unaudited)
(in \$ 000)

	2021	2020
Cash flows from operating activities		
Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations	7,237	13,816
Less non-cash impact of:		
Net realized loss (gain) on investments	(4,278)	4,716
Change in net unrealized loss (gain) on investments	(1,896)	(16,998)
Distributions received from Underlying Funds	–	–
Adjustments for:		
Proceeds from sale and maturity of investments	44,930	44,326
Purchases of investments	(26,312)	(57,493)
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable and other assets	38	(6)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and other liabilities	–	–
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	19,719	(11,639)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from securities issued	3,362	15,489
Proceeds from securities issued on merger	–	–
Payments on redemption of securities	(23,380)	(4,137)
Distributions paid net of reinvestments	(1)	–
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(20,019)	11,352
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(300)	(287)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	745	1,055
Effect of exchange rate fluctuations on cash and cash equivalents	–	–
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	445	768
Cash	445	768
Cash equivalents	–	–
Bank indebtedness	–	–
	445	768
Supplementary disclosures on cash flow from operating activities:		
Dividends received net of withholding taxes	1,109	1,529
Interest received net of withholding taxes	–	1
Interest paid	–	–
Income taxes paid (recovered)	–	–

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

as at September 30, 2021 (unaudited)

	Country	Sector	No. of Shares/ Units	Average Cost (\$ 000)	Fair Value (\$ 000)
EXCHANGE TRADED FUNDS					
Vanguard FTSE Developed Markets ETF	Multinational	Exchange Traded Funds	9,248	595	591
Vanguard S&P 500 ETF	United States	Exchange Traded Funds	1,849	921	923
				<u>1,516</u>	<u>1,514</u>
EQUITIES					
3M Co.	United States	Industrials	2,606	638	579
Accenture PLC Class A	United States	Information Technology	3,307	1,070	1,339
Activision Blizzard Inc.	United States	Communication Services	7,057	747	691
Adobe Systems Inc.	United States	Information Technology	1,959	1,170	1,428
Alfresa Holdings Corp.	Japan	Health Care	6,800	128	129
The Allstate Corp.	United States	Financials	6,846	1,000	1,103
Alphabet Inc. Class A	United States	Communication Services	418	738	1,415
Amazon.com Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	297	878	1,235
American Tower Corp. Class A	United States	Real Estate	1,846	531	620
AmerisourceBergen Corp.	United States	Health Care	7,757	1,033	1,173
Amgen Inc.	United States	Health Care	2,529	789	681
Apple Inc.	United States	Information Technology	11,381	746	2,039
AstraZeneca PLC ADR	United Kingdom	Health Care	7,390	540	562
AT&T Inc.	United States	Communication Services	21,591	985	738
AutoZone Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	436	663	937
Bank Hapoalim	Israel	Financials	93,330	889	1,036
The Bank of New York Mellon Corp.	United States	Financials	18,411	926	1,208
Barrick Gold Corp.	Canada	Materials	6,911	161	158
Baxter International Inc.	United States	Health Care	2,535	271	258
Biogen Inc.	United States	Health Care	1,853	709	664
Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.	United States	Health Care	9,146	645	685
Brother Industries Ltd.	Japan	Information Technology	16,900	413	471
Cabot Oil & Gas Corp.	United States	Energy	15,293	352	421
Canadian Pacific Railway Ltd.	Canada	Industrials	11,889	1,112	983
Canon Inc.	Japan	Information Technology	7,700	293	240
Capcom Co. Ltd.	Japan	Communication Services	2,500	93	88
Cardinal Health Inc.	United States	Health Care	10,721	781	671
Cerner Corp.	United States	Health Care	9,237	885	825
Check Point Software Technologies Ltd.	Israel	Information Technology	4,389	646	628
Chugai Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd.	Japan	Health Care	2,100	127	97
Cisco Systems Inc.	United States	Information Technology	18,020	973	1,242
Citrix Systems Inc.	United States	Information Technology	857	144	116
CK Asset Holdings Ltd.	Hong Kong	Real Estate	44,500	295	324
The Clorox Co.	United States	Consumer Staples	2,500	521	524
Colgate Palmolive Co.	United States	Consumer Staples	10,477	953	1,002
Coloplast AS	Denmark	Health Care	6,137	1,201	1,218
Colruyt SA	Belgium	Consumer Staples	6,493	485	419
Consolidated Edison Inc.	United States	Utilities	8,398	979	772
Costco Wholesale Corp.	United States	Consumer Staples	345	159	196
Cummins Inc.	United States	Industrials	2,142	458	609
CVS Health Corp.	United States	Health Care	987	79	106
Dai Nippon Printing Co. Ltd.	Japan	Industrials	3,700	115	113
Daio Trust Construction Co. Ltd.	Japan	Real Estate	5,900	916	872
DAVITA Inc.	United States	Health Care	1,464	157	215
DiaSorin SPA	Italy	Health Care	845	220	224
Dollar General Corp.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	3,974	1,100	1,067
eBay Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	3,367	233	297
Edwards Lifesciences Corp.	United States	Health Care	4,848	508	695
Electronic Arts Inc.	United States	Communication Services	6,877	1,059	1,238
Eli Lilly and Co.	United States	Health Care	768	154	225
Erie Indemnity Co. Class A	United States	Financials	524	125	118
Exelon Corp.	United States	Utilities	11,279	603	690
Expeditors International of Washington Inc.	United States	Industrials	7,969	966	1,202
Exxon Mobil Corp.	United States	Energy	4,622	430	344
Facebook Inc.	United States	Communication Services	268	87	115
Franco-Nevada Corp.	Canada	Materials	5,215	702	858
Fresenius Medical Care AG & Co.	Germany	Health Care	1,612	181	144
Fujitsu Ltd.	Japan	Information Technology	4,700	735	1,080
Garmin Ltd.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	2,756	369	542
Geberit AG	Switzerland	Industrials	972	702	904
Gilead Sciences Inc.	United States	Health Care	13,910	1,216	1,230
GlaxoSmithKline PLC	United Kingdom	Health Care	21,742	588	520
Hang Seng Bank Ltd.	Hong Kong	Financials	28,300	674	611
Hermes International	France	Consumer Discretionary	76	73	133
The Home Depot Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	2,018	769	839
The Hong Kong and China Gas Co. Ltd.	Hong Kong	Utilities	93,150	168	179
Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Ltd.	Hong Kong	Financials	16,562	732	1,272

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (continued)

as at September 30, 2021 (unaudited)

	Country	Sector	No. of Shares/ Units	Average Cost (\$ 000)	Fair Value (\$ 000)
EQUITIES (continued)					
Hormel Foods Corp.	United States	Consumer Staples	14,026	910	728
Intel Corp.	United States	Information Technology	13,249	840	894
International Business Machines Corp.	United States	Information Technology	2,206	407	388
Investor AB	Sweden	Financials	28,161	541	763
ITOCHU Corp.	Japan	Industrials	25,100	669	930
J.B. Hunt Transport Services Inc.	United States	Industrials	542	113	115
Jeronimo Martins SGPS SA	Portugal	Consumer Staples	4,135	91	104
Kajima Corp.	Japan	Industrials	11,000	244	179
Kao Corp.	Japan	Consumer Staples	5,500	528	415
KDDI Corp.	Japan	Communication Services	27,200	976	1,138
Kimberly-Clark Corp.	United States	Consumer Staples	4,317	775	724
Kinder Morgan Inc.	United States	Energy	7,237	163	153
Kirkland Lake Gold Ltd.	Canada	Materials	4,332	260	229
Knight-Swift Transportation Holdings Inc.	United States	Industrials	3,272	192	212
Kone OYJ B	Finland	Industrials	4,488	504	398
Koninklijke Ahold Delhaize NV	Netherlands	Consumer Staples	33,490	1,106	1,406
Koninklijke Vopak NV	Netherlands	Energy	9,558	604	476
The Kroger Co.	United States	Consumer Staples	25,626	918	1,312
Kuehne + Nagel International AG	Switzerland	Industrials	1,029	224	442
Laboratory Corp. of America Holdings	United States	Health Care	684	221	244
The Link Real Estate Investment Trust	Hong Kong	Real Estate	28,882	388	312
Logitech International SA Reg.	Switzerland	Information Technology	6,974	645	782
MarketAxess Holdings Inc.	United States	Financials	259	136	138
McKesson Corp.	United States	Health Care	4,821	887	1,217
Medibank Private Ltd.	Australia	Financials	32,945	95	108
Medipal Holdings Corp.	Japan	Health Care	14,600	336	349
MEIJ Holdings Co. Ltd.	Japan	Consumer Staples	4,700	371	384
Merck & Co. Inc.	United States	Health Care	12,175	1,275	1,158
Microsoft Corp.	United States	Information Technology	4,948	818	1,766
Mitsubishi Electric Corp.	Japan	Industrials	6,000	110	106
Mizrahi Tefahot Bank Ltd.	Israel	Financials	4,074	89	174
MTR Corp. Ltd.	Hong Kong	Industrials	42,000	295	285
NEC Corp.	Japan	Information Technology	1,600	87	110
Nestle SA Reg.	Switzerland	Consumer Staples	6,476	770	986
Newmont Goldcorp Corp. (USD Shares)	United States	Materials	12,782	661	879
Nintendo Co. Ltd.	Japan	Communication Services	600	410	369
Nippon Express Co. Ltd.	Japan	Industrials	2,300	224	201
Nippon Telegraph & Telephone Corp.	Japan	Communication Services	5,600	164	196
Northern Trust Corp.	United States	Financials	7,932	1,051	1,083
Novartis AG Reg.	Switzerland	Health Care	4,368	497	453
Novo Nordisk AS B	Denmark	Health Care	12,201	984	1,486
Novozymes AS	Denmark	Materials	2,029	166	176
Obayashi Corp.	Japan	Industrials	16,500	227	173
Ono Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd.	Japan	Health Care	3,900	167	113
Oracle Corp.	United States	Information Technology	12,082	939	1,333
Orange SA	France	Communication Services	8,439	130	116
O'Reilly Automotive Inc.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	844	536	653
Organon & Co.	United States	Health Care	1,217	50	51
Osaka Gas Co. Ltd.	Japan	Utilities	3,700	99	86
PepsiCo Inc.	United States	Consumer Staples	5,465	860	1,041
Pfizer Inc.	United States	Health Care	6,603	318	360
The Procter & Gamble Co.	United States	Consumer Staples	6,500	849	1,150
The Progressive Corp.	United States	Financials	4,120	516	471
Proximus SA	Belgium	Communication Services	4,840	156	121
Public Storage	United States	Real Estate	3,485	985	1,311
Quest Diagnostics Inc.	United States	Health Care	1,783	282	328
Red Electrica Corporacion SA	Spain	Utilities	29,775	722	753
Regeneron Pharmaceuticals Inc.	United States	Health Care	1,392	1,055	1,066
Roche Holding AG Genussscheine	Switzerland	Health Care	2,836	1,051	1,309
S&P Global Inc.	United States	Financials	599	218	322
Schindler Holding AG PC	Switzerland	Industrials	1,416	506	479
Secom Co. Ltd.	Japan	Industrials	11,800	1,283	1,084
Shionogi & Co. Ltd.	Japan	Health Care	3,300	248	286
Singapore Exchange Ltd.	Singapore	Financials	84,600	735	784
Spark New Zealand Ltd.	New Zealand	Communication Services	52,305	175	218
Sun Hung Kai Properties Ltd.	Hong Kong	Real Estate	51,500	918	810
The Swatch Group AG Reg.	Switzerland	Consumer Discretionary	1,552	121	101
Swisscom AG Reg.	Switzerland	Communication Services	1,494	1,052	1,085
T. Rowe Price Group Inc.	United States	Financials	3,621	824	902
Taisei Corp.	Japan	Industrials	16,600	740	676
Take-Two Interactive Software Inc.	United States	Communication Services	1,102	236	215
Target Corp.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	4,514	640	1,307

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS (continued)

as at September 30, 2021 (unaudited)

	Country	Sector	No. of Shares/ Units	Average Cost (\$ 000)	Fair Value (\$ 000)
EQUITIES (continued)					
TC Energy Corp.	Canada	Energy	9,660	573	589
Texas Instruments Inc.	United States	Information Technology	4,714	921	1,147
Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc.	United States	Health Care	413	227	299
Toho Co. Ltd.	Japan	Communication Services	1,900	96	113
Tokyo Gas Co. Ltd.	Japan	Utilities	10,200	321	240
Toppan Printing Co. Ltd.	Japan	Industrials	4,500	93	97
Toyo Suisan Kaisha Ltd.	Japan	Consumer Staples	1,700	83	96
Tractor Supply Co.	United States	Consumer Discretionary	1,213	230	311
Venture Corp. Ltd.	Singapore	Information Technology	22,700	367	379
Verizon Communications Inc.	United States	Communication Services	16,242	1,159	1,110
Vertex Pharmaceuticals Inc.	United States	Health Care	3,500	1,097	804
Visa Inc. Class A	United States	Information Technology	4,032	977	1,137
W.W. Grainger Inc.	United States	Industrials	606	251	302
Wal-Mart Stores Inc.	United States	Consumer Staples	6,832	1,141	1,205
Welcia Holdings Co. Ltd.	Japan	Consumer Staples	2,200	107	100
West Pharmaceutical Services Inc.	United States	Health Care	482	184	259
Yamato Holdings Co. Ltd.	Japan	Industrials	3,300	111	106
				85,109	96,323
COMMISSIONS AND OTHER PORTFOLIO TRANSACTION COSTS				(16)	—
TOTAL INVESTMENTS				86,609	97,837
Net Assets:					
Total investments					97,837
Cash and cash equivalents					445
Other net assets (liabilities)					161
					98,443

Schedule of Asset Composition

The effective allocation shows the regional or sector exposure of the Fund calculated by including the Fund's proportionate share of its holdings in index participation units and derivatives.

at September 30, 2021 (unaudited)

	% of net assets
BY ASSET TYPE	
Equities	97.8
Exchange Traded Funds	1.5
Cash and cash equivalents	0.5
Other	0.2
Total	100.0

EFFECTIVE SECTOR ALLOCATION

Health Care	20.6
Information Technology	17.1
Consumer Staples	12.1
Financials	10.5
Industrials	10.5
Communication Services	9.2
Consumer Discretionary	7.7
Real Estate	4.3
Utilities	2.8
Materials	2.4
Energy	2.0
Cash and cash equivalents	0.5
Other	0.3
	100.0

EFFECTIVE REGIONAL ALLOCATION

United States	63.6
Europe ex U.K.	14.8
Japan	10.9
Pacific ex Japan	5.5
Middle East and Africa	1.9
Canada	1.6
United Kingdom	1.2
Cash and cash equivalents	0.5
	100.0

at March 31, 2021

	% of net assets
BY ASSET TYPE	
Equities	97.7
Exchange Traded Funds	1.6
Cash and cash equivalents	0.7
Total	100.0

EFFECTIVE SECTOR ALLOCATION

Health Care	18.8
Information Technology	17.6
Consumer Staples	11.8
Financials	11.6
Communication Services	11.2
Industrials	8.8
Consumer Discretionary	5.4
Materials	4.1
Real Estate	3.9
Utilities	3.2
Energy	2.8
Cash and cash equivalents	0.7
Other	0.1
	100.0

EFFECTIVE REGIONAL ALLOCATION

United States	63.0
Europe ex U.K.	14.8
Japan	11.7
Pacific ex Japan	6.9
Middle East and Africa	1.1
Canada	1.1
United Kingdom	0.7
Cash and cash equivalents	0.7
	100.0

NOTES TO INTERIM UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**1. FISCAL PERIODS AND GENERAL INFORMATION**

The information provided in these financial statements and notes thereto is for the six-month period ended or as at September 30, 2021 and 2020, except for the comparative information presented in the Statements of Financial Position and notes thereto, which is as at March 31, 2021, as applicable. In the year a series is established, 'period' represents the period from inception to the period end of that fiscal period. Refer to Note 9 (a) for series inception dates.

The Fund is organized as an open-ended unit trust established under the laws of the Province of Ontario pursuant to a Declaration of Trust as amended and restated from time to time. The address of the Fund's registered office is 5015 Spectrum Way, Suite 300, Mississauga, Ontario, Canada. The Fund is authorized to issue an unlimited number of units (referred to as "security" or "securities") of multiple series. Series of the Fund are available for sale under Simplified Prospectus and/or exempt distribution options.

Counsel Portfolio Services Inc. (the "Manager" or "Counsel") acts as the Fund's manager and trustee.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION AND PRESENTATION

These unaudited interim financial statements ("financial statements") have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), including international Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*, as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). These financial statements were prepared using the same accounting policies, critical accounting judgements and estimates as applied in the Fund's most recent audited annual financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2021. A summary of the Fund's significant accounting policies under IFRS is presented in Note 3.

These financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars, which is the Fund's functional currency, and rounded to the nearest thousand unless otherwise indicated. These financial statements are prepared on a going concern basis using the historical cost basis, except for financial assets and liabilities that have been measured at fair value.

These financial statements were authorized for issue by Counsel's Board of Directors on November 11, 2021.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**(a) Financial Instruments**

Financial instruments include financial assets and liabilities such as debt and equity securities, investment funds, and derivatives. The Fund classifies and measures financial instruments in accordance with IFRS 9 Financial Instruments. Upon initial recognition, financial instruments are classified as fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"). All financial instruments are recognized in the Statements 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 flows 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 designated on initial recognition as FVTPL with changes in fair value recognized in the Statement of Comprehensive Income – Net unrealized gain (loss).

Realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments are calculated based on average cost of investments and exclude commissions and other portfolio transaction costs, which are separately reported in the Statement of Comprehensive Income – Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs.

Gains and losses arising from changes in the fair value of the investments are included in the Statement of Comprehensive Income for the period in which they arise.

The Fund accounts for its investments at FVTPL. Counsel has concluded that the investment funds in which the Fund invests, do not meet the definition of structured entities.

The Fund's redeemable securities entitle securityholders the right to redeem their interest in the Fund for cash equal to their proportionate share of the net asset value of the Fund, amongst other contractual rights. The Fund's redeemable securities meet the criteria for classification as financial liabilities under IAS 32, *Financial Instruments: Presentation*. The Fund's obligation for net assets attributable to securityholders is presented at the redemption amount.

IAS 7, *Statement of Cash Flows*, requires disclosures related to changes in liabilities and assets, such as the securities of the Fund, arising from financing activities. Changes in securities of the Fund, including both changes from cash flows and non-cash changes, are included in the Statement of Changes in Financial Position. Any changes in the securities not settled in cash as at the end of the period are presented as either Accounts receivable for securities issued or Accounts payable for securities redeemed in the Statement of Financial Position. These accounts receivable and accounts payable amounts typically settle shortly after period-end.

(b) Fair Value Measurement

Fair value is defined as 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.

Investments listed on a public securities exchange, including exchange traded funds ("ETFs"), or traded on an over-the-counter market are valued on the basis of the last traded market price or close price recorded by the security exchange on which the security is principally traded, where this price falls within the quoted bid-ask spread for the investment. In circumstances where this price is not within the bid-ask spread, Counsel determines the point within the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value based on the specific facts and circumstances. Unlisted or non-exchange traded investments, or investments where a last sale or close price is unavailable or investments for which market quotations are, in Counsel's opinion, inaccurate, unreliable, or not reflective of all available material information, are valued at their fair value as determined by Counsel using appropriate and accepted industry valuation techniques including valuation models. The fair value determined using valuation models requires the use of inputs and assumptions based on observable market data including volatility and other applicable rates or prices. In limited circumstances, the fair value may be determined using valuation techniques that are not supported by observable market data.

Cash and cash equivalents which includes cash on deposit with financial institutions and short-term investments that are readily convertible to cash, are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value and are used by the Fund in the management of short-term commitments. Cash and cash equivalents are reported at amortized cost which closely approximates their fair value due to their nature of being highly liquid and having short terms to maturity. Bank overdraft positions are presented under current liabilities as bank indebtedness in the Statement of Financial Position.

The Fund may use derivatives (such as written options, futures, forward contracts, swaps or customized derivatives) to hedge against losses caused by changes in securities prices, interest rates or exchange rates. The Fund may also use derivatives for non-hedging purposes in order to invest indirectly in securities or financial markets, to gain exposure to other currencies, to seek to generate additional income, and/or for any other purpose considered appropriate by Counsel or the Fund's sub-advisor(s), provided that the use of the derivative is consistent with the Fund's investment objectives. Any use of derivatives will comply with Canadian mutual fund laws, subject to the regulatory exemptions granted to the Fund, as applicable. Refer to "Exemptions from National Instrument 81-102" in the Annual Information Form of the Fund for further details, including the complete conditions of these exemptions, as applicable.

Valuations of derivative instruments are carried out daily, using normal exchange reporting sources for exchange-traded derivatives and specific broker enquiry for over-the-counter derivatives.

The value of forward contracts is the gain or loss that would be realized if, on the valuation date, the positions were to be closed out. The change in value of forward contracts is included in the Statements of Comprehensive Income -- Net unrealized gain (loss).

The value of futures contracts or swaps fluctuates daily, and cash settlements made daily, where applicable, by the Fund are equal to the change in unrealized gains or losses that are best determined at the settlement price. These unrealized gains or losses are recorded and reported as such until the Fund closes out the contract or the contract expires. Margin paid or deposited in respect of futures contracts or swaps is reflected as a receivable in the Statement of Financial Position – Margin on derivatives. Any change in the variation margin requirement is settled daily.

The Fund categorizes the fair value of its assets and liabilities into three categories, which are differentiated based on the observable nature of the inputs and extent of estimation required.

Level 1 – Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly. Examples of Level 2 valuations include quoted prices for similar securities, quoted prices on inactive markets and from recognized investment dealers, and the application of factors derived from observable data to non-North American quoted prices in order to estimate the impact of differences in market closing times.

Financial instruments classified as Level 2 investments are valued based on the prices provided by an independent reputable pricing services company who prices the securities based on recent transactions and quotes received from market participants and through incorporating observable market data and using standard market convention practices. The estimated fair values for these securities may be different from the values that would have been used had a ready market for the investment existed; and

Level 3 – Inputs that are not based on observable market data.

The inputs are considered observable if they are developed using market data, such as publicly available information about actual events or transactions, and that reflect the assumption that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability.

See Note 9 (e) for the fair value classifications of the Fund.

NOTES TO INTERIM UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)****(c) Income recognition**

Interest income from interest bearing investments is recognized using the effective interest method. Dividends are accrued as of the ex-dividend date. Realized gains or losses on the sale of investments, including foreign exchange gains or losses on such investments, are calculated on an average cost basis.

Income, realized gains (losses), and unrealized gains (losses) are allocated daily among the series on a pro-rata basis.

(d) Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs

Commissions and other portfolio transaction costs are costs incurred to acquire, issue or dispose of financial assets or liabilities. They include fees and commissions paid to agents, exchanges, brokers, dealers and other intermediaries. The total brokerage commissions incurred by the Fund in connection with portfolio transactions for the periods, together with other transaction charges, is disclosed in the Statements of Comprehensive Income. Brokerage business is allocated to brokers based on the best net result for the Fund. Subject to this criteria, commissions may be paid to brokerage firms which provide (or pay for) certain services, other than order execution, which may include investment research, analysis and reports, and databases or software in support of these services. Where applicable and ascertainable, the value of third-party services that were paid for by brokers during the periods is disclosed in Note 9. The value of certain proprietary services provided by brokers cannot be reasonably estimated.

(e) Securities lending, repurchase and reverse repurchase transactions

The Fund is permitted to enter into securities lending, repurchase and reverse repurchase transactions as set out in the Fund's Simplified Prospectus. These transactions involve the temporary exchange of securities for collateral with a commitment to redeliver the same securities on a future date.

Income is earned from these transactions in the form of fees paid by the counterparty and, in certain circumstances, interest paid on cash or securities held as collateral. Income earned from these transactions is included in the Statements of Comprehensive Income and recognized when earned. Securities lending transactions are administered by the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (the "Securities Lending Agent"). The value of cash or securities held as collateral must be at least 102% of the fair value of the securities loaned, sold or purchased.

Note 9 summarizes the details of securities loaned and collateral received, as well as a reconciliation of securities lending income, if applicable. Collateral received is comprised of debt obligations of the Government of Canada and other countries, Canadian provincial and municipal governments, and financial institutions.

(f) Foreign currency

The functional and presentation currency of the Fund is Canadian dollars. Foreign currency purchases and sales of investments and foreign currency dividend and interest income and expenses are translated to Canadian dollars at the rate of exchange prevailing at the time of the transactions.

Foreign exchange gains (losses) on purchases and sales of foreign currencies are included in the Statements of Comprehensive Income – Net realized gain (loss).

The fair value of investments and other assets and liabilities, denominated in foreign currencies, are translated to Canadian dollars at the rate of exchange prevailing on each business day.

(g) Offsetting

The Fund only offsets financial assets and liabilities in the Statement of Financial Position when there is a legally enforceable right to set-off the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into various master netting agreements or similar agreements that do not meet the criteria for offsetting in the Statements of Financial Position but still allow for the related amounts to be set off in certain circumstances, such as bankruptcy or termination of the contracts. Note 9 summarizes the details of such offsetting, if applicable, subject to master netting arrangements or other similar agreements and the net impact to the Statements of Financial Position if all such rights were exercised.

Income and expenses are not offset in the statement of comprehensive income unless required or permitted to by an accounting standard, as specifically disclosed in the IFRS policies of the Fund.

(h) Net assets attributable to securityholders per security

Net assets attributable to securityholders per security is computed by dividing the net assets attributable to securityholders of a series of securities on a business day by the total number of securities of the series outstanding on that day.

(i) Net asset value per security

Net asset value per security is determined for the purchase and redemption of securities in accordance with the methods disclosed in the Fund's Simplified Prospectus and Annual Information Form. These methods may vary from valuation principles under IFRS. As at September 30, 2021 and March 31, 2021, there were no such differences.

(j) Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations per security

Increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations per security in the Statement of Comprehensive Income represents the increase (decrease) in net assets attributable to securityholders from operations for the period, divided by the weighted average number of securities outstanding during the period.

(k) Future Accounting Changes

Counsel has determined there are no material implications to the Fund's financial statements arising from IFRS issued but not yet effective.

4. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGMENTS

The preparation of these financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that primarily affect the valuation of investments. Estimates and assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Ongoing uncertainty regarding the duration and long-term impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and the implementation of vaccination programs, as well as the efficacy of government and central bank monetary and fiscal interventions, may continue to affect the Fund's performance in future periods.

Use of Estimates*Fair value of securities not quoted in an active market*

The Fund holds financial instruments that are not quoted in active markets and are valued using valuation techniques that make use of observable data, to the extent practicable. Various valuation techniques are utilized, depending on a number of factors, including comparison with similar instruments for which observable market prices exist and recent arm's length market transactions. Key inputs and assumptions used are company specific and may include estimated discount rates and expected price volatilities. Changes in key inputs, could affect the reported fair value of these financial instruments held by the Fund.

Use of Judgments*Classification and measurement of investments and application of the fair value option*

In classifying and measuring financial instruments held by the Fund, the Manager is required to make significant judgments in order to determine the most appropriate classification in accordance with IFRS 9. The Manager has considered the Fund's business model, commitments to securityholders, and the manner in which investments are managed and evaluated as a group and has determined that irrevocable designation of financial instruments as financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss provides the most appropriate measurement and presentation of the Fund's investments and financial instruments.

Functional Currency

The Fund's functional and presentation currency is the Canadian dollar, which is the currency considered to best represent the economic effects of the Fund's underlying transactions, events and conditions taking into consideration the manner in which securities are issued and redeemed and how returns and performance by the Fund are measured.

NOTES TO INTERIM UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**5. INCOME TAXES**

The Fund qualifies as a unit trust under the provisions of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and, accordingly, is subject to tax on its income including net realized capital gains in the taxation year, which is not paid or payable to its securityholders as at the end of the taxation year. It is the intention of the Fund to distribute all of its net income and sufficient net realized capital gains so that the Fund will not be subject to income taxes other than foreign withholding taxes, if applicable. The Fund's taxation year end is December 31.

Losses of the Fund cannot be allocated to securityholders and are retained in the Fund for use in future years. Non-capital losses incurred may be carried forward up to 20 years to reduce taxable income and realized capital gains of future years. Net capital losses may be carried forward indefinitely to reduce future realized capital gains. Refer to Note 9 (d) for a summary of the Fund's loss carryforwards.

6. MANAGEMENT FEES AND OPERATING EXPENSES

No management fee is charged to investors in the fund by Counsel.

Series Private Wealth, if issued, is charged a fixed rate annual administration fee ("Administration Fee"), as applicable, and in return, Counsel bears all of the operating expenses of the Fund, other than certain specified fund costs.

Other fund costs include taxes (including, but not limited to GST/HST and income tax), interest and borrowing costs, all fees and expenses of the Counsel Funds' Independent Review Committee, fees paid to external service providers associated with tax reclaims, refunds or the preparation of foreign tax reports on behalf of the Funds, and any new fees related to external services that were not commonly charged in the Canadian mutual fund industry after the date of the most recently filed Counsel Funds' Simplified Prospectus.

Counsel may waive or absorb Administration Fees at its discretion and stop waiving or absorbing such fees at any time without notice. Refer to Note 9 (a) for the Administration Fee rates charged to each series of securities.

7. FUND'S CAPITAL

The capital of the Fund is divided into different series with each series having an unlimited number of securities. The securities outstanding for the Fund as at September 30, 2021 and 2020 and securities issued, reinvested and redeemed for the period are presented in the Statements of Changes in Financial Position. Counsel manages the capital of the Fund in accordance with the investment objectives and strategies as discussed in Note 8 (a).

8. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS RISK**(a) Risk exposure and management**

The Fund's investment activities expose it to a variety of financial risks, as defined in IFRS 7 *Financial Instruments: Disclosures* ("IFRS 7"). The Fund's exposure to financial risks is concentrated in its investments, which are presented in the Schedule of Investments, grouped by asset type, with geographic and sector information.

The Manager seeks to minimize potential adverse effects of financial risks on the Fund's performance by employing professional, experienced portfolio advisors, by monitoring the Fund's positions and market events daily, by diversifying the investment portfolio within the constraints of the Fund's investment objectives and strategies, as disclosed in Note 9 (b), and where applicable, by using derivatives to hedge certain risk exposures. To assist in managing risks, Counsel also maintains a governance structure that oversees the Fund's investment activities and monitors compliance with the Fund's stated investment strategy, internal guidelines, and securities regulations.

(b) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk arises when the Fund encounters difficulty in meeting its financial obligations as they come due. The Fund is exposed to liquidity risk due to potential daily cash redemptions of redeemable securities. In order to monitor the liquidity of its assets, the Fund utilizes a liquidity risk management program that calculates the number of days to convert the investments held by the Fund into cash using a multi-day liquidation approach. This liquidity risk analysis assesses the Fund's liquidity against pre-determined minimum liquidity percentages, established for different time periods. In addition, the Fund has the ability to borrow up to 5% of its net assets for the purposes of funding redemptions. In order to comply with securities regulations, the Fund must maintain at least 85% of its assets in liquid investments (i.e. investments that can be readily sold).

Other investment funds managed by Counsel ("Top Funds") may invest in Series 0 securities offered by the Fund on a prospectus-exempt basis in accordance with the investment objectives of those funds.

From time to time, these holdings may be rebalanced by either reducing an allocation to the Fund or eliminating such investments in the Fund entirely. In either case, depending on the size of the investment by a large investor, this could cause a significant redemption from the Fund. Meeting such a redemption may require the Fund to sell portfolio holdings. This could result in the Fund selling a particular holding before it has achieved the valuation sought by the Manager thus affecting Fund returns. This could also result in the Fund realizing capital gains on its holdings earlier than planned, which could result in capital gains distributed to investors in the Fund (which could result in income tax payable by the investor) that might not have occurred or might have occurred at a later date.

For the amounts held by and the changes thereto during the period pertaining to Series 0, please refer to the amounts disclosed in the Statement of Financial Position and Statement of Changes in Financial Position.

(c) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that a counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or commitment into which it has entered with the Fund. Note 9 (c) summarizes the Fund's exposure, if applicable and significant, to credit risk through fixed income instruments. Where presented, credit ratings and rating categories are based on ratings issued by a designated rating organization.

All transactions in listed securities are executed with approved brokers.

To minimize the possibility of settlement default, securities are exchanged for payment simultaneously, where market practices permit, through the facilities of a central depository and/or clearing agency where customary.

The carrying amount of investments and other assets represents the maximum credit risk exposure as at the dates of the Statements of Financial Position. The Fund may enter into securities lending transactions with counterparties and it may also be exposed to credit risk from the counterparties to the derivative instruments it may use. Credit risk associated with these transactions is considered minimal as all counterparties have an approved credit rating equivalent to a Standard & Poor's credit rating of not less than A-1 (low) on their short-term debt and of A on their long-term debt, as applicable.

(d) Currency risk

Currency risk is the risk that financial instruments which are denominated or exchanged in a currency other than the Canadian dollar, which is the Fund's functional currency, will fluctuate due to changes in exchange rates. Generally, foreign denominated investments increase in value when the value of the Canadian dollar (relative to foreign currencies) falls. Conversely, when the value of the Canadian dollar rises relative to foreign currencies, the values of foreign denominated investments fall.

Note 9 (c) indicates the foreign currencies, if applicable, to which the Fund had significant exposure, in Canadian dollar terms, to the Fund's net assets had the Canadian dollar strengthened or weakened by 5% relative to all foreign currencies, all other variables held constant. In practice, the actual trading results may differ and the difference could be material. Other financial assets and liabilities (including dividends and interest receivable, and receivables/payables for investments sold/purchased) that are denominated in foreign currencies do not generally expose the Fund to significant currency risk.

(e) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises on interest-bearing financial instruments. The Fund is exposed to the risk that the value of interest-bearing financial instruments will fluctuate due to changes in the prevailing levels of market interest rates. Generally, these securities increase in value when interest rates fall and decrease in value when interest rates rise.

If significant, Note 9 (c) summarizes the Fund's bonds by remaining term to maturity and illustrates the potential impact to the Fund's net assets had prevailing interest rates increased or decreased by 1%, assuming a parallel shift in the yield curve, all other variables held constant. In practice, the actual trading results may differ and the difference could be material.

Cash and cash equivalents are short term in nature and are not generally subject to significant amounts of interest rate risk.

(f) Other price risk

Other price risk is the risk that the value of financial instruments will fluctuate as a result of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether caused by factors specific to an individual investment, its issuer, or all factors affecting all instruments traded in a market or market segment. All investments present a risk of loss of capital. This risk is managed through a careful selection of investments and other financial instruments within the parameters of the investment strategy.

Other price risk typically arises from exposure to equity securities. Note 9 (c) illustrates the potential increase or decrease in the Fund's net assets had the prices on the respective exchanges for these securities increased or decreased by 10%, all other variables held constant. In practice, the actual trading results may differ and the difference could be material.

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9. FUND SPECIFIC INFORMATION**(a) Series information**

Series	Date of Inception	Minimum Investment (\$)	Management Fee (%)	Administration Fee ³ (%)
Series O ¹	January 7, 2016	–	–	–
Series Private Wealth ²	October 19, 2020	–	–	0.15

¹ There are no management or administration fees for this series since these securities are designed to facilitate fund-of-fund investing where duplication of management fees is prohibited.

² There are no management fees for Series Private Wealth. An investor must enter into an agreement to participate in a discretionary managed program offered by IPC Securities Corporation and agree to pay certain asset-based fees.

³ Counsel may, at its discretion, waive or lower the administration fee payable by investors.

(b) Investment Objectives and Strategies

The Fund seeks to provide long-term capital growth by investing, either directly or indirectly through other investment funds and/or derivatives such as futures, in equity securities of companies around the world, while seeking to reduce absolute volatility. The Fund invests primarily with a focus on companies and/or sectors that are believed to have lower sensitivity to broader equity market movements.

The Fund is only available on a prospectus-exempt basis and is not available to registered investors.

(c) Risks Associated with Financial Instruments

i. Currency Risk

Currency	September 30, 2021				Impact on net assets			
	Investments	Cash and cash equivalents	Derivative instruments	Net exposure	Strengthened by 5%		Weakened by 5%	
					(\$)	(%)	(\$)	(%)
Danish krone	2,879	–	–	2,879				
Euro	4,294	–	–	4,294				
Hong Kong dollars	3,794	–	–	3,794				
Japanese yen	10,637	–	–	10,637				
Swiss franc	6,543	–	–	6,543				
United States dollars	61,702	29	–	61,731				
Other	5,171	7	–	5,178				
Total	95,020	36	–	95,056				
As percent of net assets (%)				96.6				
Total sensitivity to currency rate changes					(4,753)	(4.8)	4,753	4.8

Currency	March 31, 2021				Impact on net assets			
	Investments	Cash and cash equivalents	Derivative instruments	Net exposure	Strengthened by 5%		Weakened by 5%	
					(\$)	(%)	(\$)	(%)
Danish krone	2,337	–	–	2,337				
Euro	5,578	–	–	5,578				
Hong Kong dollars	5,068	–	–	5,068				
Japanese yen	12,874	12	–	12,886				
Swiss franc	7,513	–	–	7,513				
United States dollars	69,056	39	–	69,095				
Other	5,119	–	–	5,119				
Total	107,545	51	–	107,596				
As percent of net assets (%)				96.8				
Total sensitivity to currency rate changes					(5,380)	(4.9)	5,380	5.0

The Fund does not currently use derivatives to hedge currency risk.

ii. Interest Rate Risk

As at September 30, 2021 and March 31, 2021, the Fund did not have a significant exposure to interest rate risk related to fixed income investments.

iii. Other Price Risk

Impact on net assets	Increase by 10%		Decrease by 10%	
	(\$)	(%)	(\$)	(%)
September 30, 2021	9,784	9.9	(9,784)	(9.9)
March 31, 2021	11,028	9.9	(11,028)	(9.9)

iv. Credit Risk

As at September 30, 2021 and March 31, 2021, the Fund did not have a significant exposure to credit risk related to fixed income investments.

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9. FUND SPECIFIC INFORMATION (continued)**(d) Loss Carryforwards**

Non-Capital Losses carryforward	Net Capital Losses carryforward
\$Nil	\$1,717

(e) Fair Value Classification

The tables below summarize the fair value of the Fund's investments using the fair value categories described in Note 3.

as at September 30, 2021	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Fixed income	–	–	–	–
Exchange Traded Funds	1,514	–	–	1,514
Equities	64,195	32,128	–	96,323
Cash equivalents	–	–	–	–
Derivative assets	–	–	–	–
Derivative liabilities	–	–	–	–
Total	65,709	32,128	–	97,837

as at March 31, 2021	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Fixed income	–	–	–	–
Exchange Traded Funds	1,750	–	–	1,750
Equities	71,504	37,027	–	108,531
Cash equivalents	–	–	–	–
Derivative assets	–	–	–	–
Derivative liabilities	–	–	–	–
Total	73,254	37,027	–	110,281

The Fund's policy is to recognize transfers into and transfers out of fair value hierarchy levels as of the date of the event or change in circumstances that caused the transfer.

In accordance with the Fund's valuation policy, the Fund applies fair value adjustment factors to the quoted market prices for non-North American equities when North American intraday stock market movements exceed predetermined tolerances. The adjustment factors are applied in order to estimate the impact on fair values of events occurring between the close of the non-North American stock markets and the close of business for the Fund. Consequently, during the year, non-North American equities frequently transferred between Level 1 (unadjusted quoted market prices) and Level 2 (adjusted market prices). As of September 30, 2021, these securities were classified as Level 2 (March 31, 2021 – Level 2). Other than as described above, there were no significant transfers between Level 1 and Level 2.

(f) Securities Lending

as at	Value of securities loaned	Value of collateral received
September 30, 2021	8,227	9,065
March 31, 2021	3,352	3,542

A reconciliation of the gross amount generated from the securities lending transactions to the security lending income to the Fund for the periods ended September 30, 2021 and 2020 is presented below:

	Amount (\$)		Percentage of Total Amount (%)	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
Gross Securities Lending Income	4	18	100.0	100.0
Securities Lending Agent fees	(1)	(3)	(25.0)	(16.7)
Securities Lending Income to the Fund before Withholdings Taxes	3	15	75.0	83.3
Withholding Taxes	–	–	–	–
Securities Lending Income	3	15	75.0	83.3



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