

# MD Dividend Growth Fund

March 31, 2024

SERIES F: MDM9400 | ; SERIES D: MDM8400

# **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The fund invests primarily in high-quality, dividend-paying common shares, preferred shares and income trusts. The objective is to produce consistent income while providing long-term capital appreciation.

# **FUND DETAILS**

	Series F	Series D
Start date	Oct-17	Jun-18
Total assets (\$M)	166.8	2.8
Unit price (\$)	13.15	13.04
Management fee	0.29%	0.85%
MER	0.48%	1.10%

# **Distribution Frequency**

Income	Monthly	Monthly
Capital gains	Annually	Annually
Return of capital		

# **RISK RATING**

Low	Medium	High

# **FUND RETURNS (%)**

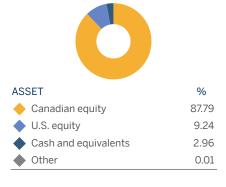
FUND	1 MO	QTR	1YR	3 YRS	5 YRS	10 YRS	SINCE INCEPTION
Series F	3.40	6.07	8.74	7.61	7.54	_	6.97
Series D	3.33	5.95	8.05	6.92	6.87	_	6.66
Series F quartile	2	2	4	3	3	_	_
Series D quartile	2	2	4	4	4	_	_

FUND	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Series F	6.96	-6.41	25.24	-0.75	21.13	-5.77	_	_	_	_
Series D	6.29	-7.05	24.47	-1.33	20.45	_	_	_	_	_
Series F quartile	3	4	3	2	1	2	_	_	_	_
Series D quartile	3.00	4.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	_	_	_	_	_

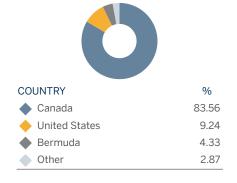
# **SECTOR ALLOCATION (%)**

SECTOR	29-FEB-24	31-MAR-24
Financial services	28.64	29.03
Energy	15.97	16.65
Real estate	8.22	8.38
Industrial services	8.40	8.30
Basic materials	7.17	7.93
Technology	7.72	7.58
Telecommunications	5.77	5.19
Industrial goods	4.45	4.66
Consumer services	2.35	3.46
Other	11.31	8.82

# **ASSET ALLOCATION**

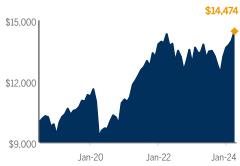


#### **GEOGRAPHIC ALLOCATION**



# GROWTH OF \$10,000





#### TOTAL HOLDINGS DATA

Total portfolio holdings	61
Total stock holdings	53
Total underlying holdings	0
Total bond holdings	0

#### **ASSET MANAGERS**

#### **Equities**

1832 Asset Management L.P. Montrusco Bolton Investments Inc.

#### RANGE OF RETURNS<sup>1</sup>

SERIES F	1YR	ENDED	3 YRS	ENDED	5 YRS	ENDED	10 YRS	ENDED
Best return (%)	36.13	Oct-21	14.61	Dec-21	8.55	Dec-23	_	_
Worst return (%)	-10.51	Mar-20	0.67	Oct-20	5.19	Sep-23	_	_
Average return (%)	6.91	_	8.55	_	6.80	_	_	_
Total periods	66	_	42	_	18	_		_
Positive periods (%)	66.67	_	100.00	_	100.00	_	_	_

SERIES D	1YR	ENDED	3 YRS	ENDED	5 YRS	ENDED	10 YRS	ENDED
Best return (%)	35.37	Oct-21	13.94	Dec-21	7.88	Dec-23	_	_
Worst return (%)	-11.07	Mar-20	4.23	Sep-22	4.55	Sep-23	_	_
Average return (%)	6.78	_	8.64	_	6.04	_	_	_
Total periods	58	_	34	_	10	_		_
Positive periods (%)	63.79	_	100.00	_	100.00	_	_	_

TOP 15 SECURITIES	% OF ASSET
Royal Bank of Canada	7.81
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	5.71
Enbridge Inc	5.69
Toronto-Dominion Bank	5.56
Canadian National Railway Co	4.60
Microsoft Corp	4.45
WSP Global Inc	3.93
Brookfield Infrastructure Partners LP - Units	3.14
MD CAD SCOTIA CONNECT ACCOUNT 5.30% 31-Dec-2049	2.86
Sun Life Financial Inc	2.44
Brookfield Asset Management Ltd CI A	2.40
Granite REIT - Units	2.34
Quebecor Inc CI B	2.33
National Bank of Canada	2.31
Telus Corp	2.20
TOTAL	57.77

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