

Interim Report to Unitholders

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These interim financial statements for the period ended June 30, 2025, were not reviewed by the Company's auditors.

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## Management Report of Fund Performance

#### Investment Objective and Strategies

The investment objectives of Canadian Large Cap Leaders Split Corp. (the "Company") for the class A shares ("Class A Share") are to provide holders with regular monthly non-cumulative cash distributions targeted to be \$0.125 per Class A Share representing a yield on the issue price of the Class A Shares of 10% per annum on the issue price of \$15.00 per Class A Share, and the opportunity for growth in the Net Asset Value per Class A Share. The investment objectives for the preferred shares ("Preferred Shares") are to provide holders with fixed cumulative preferential quarterly cash distributions of \$0.1875 per Preferred Share, representing 7.5% per annum on the issue price of \$10.00 per Preferred Share, until February 28, 2029, subject to extension for successive terms of up to five years as determined by the Company's Board of Directors ("Maturity Date") and return the original issue price to holders on the Maturity Date.

To achieve its investment objectives, the Company initially invests, on an approximately equally-weighted basis, in a portfolio (the "Portfolio") consisting primarily of Equity Securities (as defined in the Prospectus) of Canadian Dividend Growth Companies (as defined in the Prospectus), selected by Ninepoint Partners LP, in its capacity as portfolio manager (in such capacity, the "Portfolio Manager"), from the Investable Universe (as defined in the Prospectus).

As part of its investment strategy, the Company may:

- rebalance and reconstitute its Portfolio at least annually (or more frequently);
- hold non-equal weight positions after rebalancing the Portfolio;
- hold cash and cash equivalents from time to time;
- include securities of a Canadian Dividend Growth Company with a market capitalization of less than \$10 billion;
- invest excess cash in Equity Securities of Canadian Dividend Growth Companies which have less than average weight in the Portfolio at the time;
- enter into securities lending transactions, repurchase and reverse purchase transactions in compliance with National Instrument 81-102;
- write covered call options selectively in respect of the Equity Securities in the Portfolio in order to generate additional distributable income and to mitigate the overall volatility of the Portfolio; and
- sell Portfolio Securities that are in a loss position to reduce the capital gains dividends that would otherwise be payable by the Company.

#### Risks

The risks of investing in the Company are described in the prospectus dated January 29, 2024. There have been no material changes to the risks that may affect the Company's performance since its inception.

#### **Results of Operations**

The Company, Class A, returned 8.8% in the first half of 2025.

The first half of 2025 can be characterized by two key events, both originally localized outside of Canada, that triggered an inordinate amount of volatility in the short run on the TSX Composite. The first occurred the final week of January 2025, with the introduction of DeepSeek AI, a Chinese-based AI company that claimed to have developed an open-source large language model. The second occurred during the first week of April 2025, with President Trump's announcement of Liberation Day of reciprocal tariffs. Eventually, despite all the uncertainties, investors were willing to continue to allocate capital to stocks, as the worst-case scenarios failed to play out, and markets returned to all-time highs.

DeepSeek AI appeared to perform nearly as well as existing AI models from OpenAI (the developer of ChatGPT) for a fraction of the cost. This called into question the entire AI-trade that had captivated investors through 2024 and into 2025, hitting everyone from semiconductor manufacturers, industrial and electrical equipment manufacturers, data center operators and even power producers. Operating and financial results through the first two quarters of 2025 confirmed that the AI-trade is alive and well, with the key cloud hyperscalers and those responsible for the technology infrastructure buildout continuing to outperform, which supported the equity markets.

Liberation Day of reciprocal tariffs triggered the sharpest equity market sell-off since the depths of the Covid-19 crisis in 2020. The lack of confidence in the current Trump Administration and serious concerns regarding U.S. exceptionalism from an investment point of view, was evident by the unusual, simultaneous and dramatic decline of U.S. stocks, U.S. Treasury bonds and the U.S. Dollar throughout much of April 2025. Likely as a result of the sell-off in the U.S. Treasury market, extreme volatility across various asset classes, and the advice of this Administration, by mid-month, President Trump appeared willing to walk back some of his most extreme positions, which paused the collection of the reciprocal tariffs for 90 days, giving trade discussions some time to play out.

The 90-day pause on reciprocal tariffs was enough to trigger a snapback rally in equities, especially in Canada, as a sense of relief powered markets back to pre-Liberation Day price levels. There was mild surprise at the strength of the bounce back, since a tariff of 25% (subsequently raised to 35%) on all imports not covered by the USMCA was now in effect and the macroeconomic outlook remains murky at best. However, valuations in Canada are supportive and current holdings, on average, trade at a last twelve month (LTM) price to earnings multiple of 14.7x, compared to the 5-year average price to earnings multiple of 15.2x. Given the outlook for lower interest rates (and supported by a significant discount to the S&P 500, which currently trades at about 22x forward earnings, according to FactSet), multiples still have plenty of room to expand in Canada.

For the period ended June 30, 2025, Class A Shares and Preferred Shares of the Company generated a total return of 8.8% and 3.8%<sup>1</sup>, respectively. The Class A Shares closed at \$12.50 on the TSX, with an implied discount of 8.7% to the net asset per share, while the Preferred Shares closed at \$10.80 on the TSX, with an implied premium of 8.0% to the net asset per share. In terms of stock specific performance, top contributors to the year-to-date performance included Power Corporation of Canada, Telus Corporation, and Fortis Inc., while top detractors included Bank of Nova Scotia, and Canadian Natural Resources Limited.

Overall, the portfolio of Canadian high quality dividend payers performed well in the first half of 2025 and the net asset value of the Class A shares of the Company plus distributions paid is significantly above the split-adjusted IPO price. The outlook for the portfolio remains solid and, if interest rates continue moving lower in Canada as expected, the current holdings should look even more attractive from a yield perspective. The Manager remains focused on high quality, equity securities of Canadian Dividend Growth Companies that have demonstrated the ability to consistently generate revenue and earnings growth through the business cycle.

The Company's net asset value, excluding Preferred Shares and Class J Shares, decreased by 0.8% during the period, from \$23.9 million as at December 31, 2024 to \$23.7 million as at June 30, 2025. This change was predominantly due to distributions of \$1.3 million and net retraction of \$0.9 million, offset by net realized and unrealized gains on investments of \$1.8 million.

<sup>1</sup>All returns are based on Net Asset Value per Class A Share, or the redemption price plus accrued interest per Preferred Share and assumes that distributions made by the Company on the Class A Shares, or Preferred Shares in the period shown were reinvested in additional Class A Shares and Preferred Shares of the Company as at June 30, 2025.

#### Recent Developments

The Manager actively monitors the positioning of the Portfolio for changes in current market conditions and the economic environment.

NORMAL COURSE ISSUER BID (the "NCIB")

In May 2024, Toronto Stock Exchange (the "TSX") accepted the Company's notice of intention to make a normal course issuer bid ("NCIB 1") to purchase its class A shares ("Class A Shares") and preferred shares ("Preferred Shares") through the facilities of the TSX and/or alternative Canadian trading systems. NCIB 1 commenced on May 28, 2024 and terminated on May 27, 2025.

Pursuant to NCIB 1, the Company proposed to purchase, from time to time, up to 182,563 Class A Shares and 182,563 Preferred Shares of the Company, representing 10% of the public float of 1,825,633 Class A Shares and 1,825,633 Preferred Shares. As of May 16, 2024, there were 1,835,633 Class A Shares and 1,825,633 Preferred Shares issued and outstanding. The Company will not purchase, in any given 30-day period, in aggregate, more than 36,712 Class A Shares or more than 36,512 Preferred Shares, being 2% of the issued and outstanding Class A Shares and Preferred Shares as of May 16, 2024. All purchases will be made through the facilities noted above and in accordance with the rules and policies of the TSX. All Class A Shares or Preferred Shares purchased by the Company pursuant to NCIB 1 were cancelled. During the period from January 1, 2025 to May 27, 2025, nil Class A Shares and nil Preferred Shares (from the commencement of NCIB 1 to December 31, 2024, 43,000 Class A Shares and 43,000 Preferred Shares) were purchased, and the Company had not exceeded the monthly or annual limit of purchases pursuant to NCIB 1.

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Under NCIB 1, Ninepoint Partners obtained approval to purchase up to a total of 209,947 Class A Shares, reflecting a security split that took effect on February 4, 2025 (refer below to *Share Split and Private Placement*), and 182,563 Preferred Shares, of which on a post-split basis, 49,450 Class A Shares, and 43,000 Preferred Shares were purchased through the facilities of the TSX at a weighted-average price of approximately \$10.39, on the post-split basis, per Class A Share, and \$10.45 for Preferred Shares.

In June 2025, TSX accepted the Company's notice of intention to make a normal course issuer bid ("NCIB 2") to purchase its Class A Shares and Preferred Shares through the facilities of the TSX and/or alternative Canadian trading systems. NCIB 2 commenced on June 9, 2025, and will terminate on June 8, 2026.

Pursuant to NCIB 2, the Company proposes to purchase, from time to time, up to 176,492 Class A Shares and 176,492 Preferred Shares of the Company, representing 10% of the public float of 1,764,915 Class A Shares and 1,764,915 Preferred Shares. As of June 4, 2025, there were 1,764,915 Class A Shares and 1,764,915 Preferred Shares issued and outstanding. The Company will not purchase, in any given 30-day period, in the aggregate, more than 35,298 Class A Shares or more than 35,298 Preferred Shares, being 2% of the issued and outstanding Class A Shares and Preferred Shares as of June 4, 2025. From the commencement of NCIB 2 to June 30, 2025, 4,800 Class A Shares and 4,800 Preferred Shares) were purchased, and the Company had not exceeded the monthly or annual limit of purchases pursuant to NCIB 2.

#### SHARE SPLIT AND PRIVATE PLACEMENT

The Company effected a stock split of its Class A Shares (the "Share Split") at the close of business on February 4, 2025. Following the Share Split, approximately 1,795,547 Class A Shares and 1,796,353 Preferred Shares were outstanding. Morningstar DBRS confirmed that the rating of the Preferred Shares will continue to be Pfd-3 (high) following the completion of the Share Split.

On the same date, the Company completed a concurrent private placement of its Preferred Shares (the "Private Placement") for aggregate gross proceeds of approximately \$2.5 million. Pursuant to the Private Placement, 235,000 Preferred Shares were offered to investors at a price of \$10.65 per Preferred Share.

#### SUBSEQUENT REDEMPTIONS

In connection with a non-concurrent retraction of 29,500 Class A Shares surrendered and retracted as at June 27, 2025, a corresponding cancellation of 29,500 Preferred Shares was effected by the Company on July 21, 2025.

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#### **Related Party Transactions**

#### MANAGEMENT FEES

The Company pays the Manager an annual management fee equal to 0.75% of the net asset value of the Company, calculated and accrued daily and paid monthly in arrears. Net asset value of the Company is the aggregate value of the Company's assets less the aggregate value of the Company's liabilities. For these purposes, Preferred Shares are not treated as a liability of the Company. For the period ended June 30, 2025, the Company incurred management fees (including taxes) of \$172,065.

#### OPERATING EXPENSES

The Company pays its own operating expenses, which include, but are not limited to, audit, legal, custodial, filing and administrative expenses as well as shareholder reporting costs. The Manager may pay some of these expenses on behalf of the Company and then is reimbursed by the Company. At its sole discretion, the Manager may waive or absorb a portion of the operating expenses of the Company and such waivers or absorptions can be terminated at any time without notice. Amounts waived or absorbed by the Manager are reported in the Statements of Comprehensive Income (Loss). For the period ended June 30, 2025, the Manager did not absorb any expenses.

#### OTHER RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company relied on the approval, positive recommendation or standing instruction from the Company's Independent Review Committee with respect to any related party transactions.

## Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Company and are intended to help you understand the Company's financial performance for the period ended June 30, 2025 and each of the previous years ended December 31, unless otherwise indicated.

The Company's Net Assets per share<sup>1</sup>

	June 30,	Dec 31,
	2025	$2024^{4}$
Class A Shares	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period <sup>2</sup>	15.28	13.65
Increase (decrease) from operations:		
Total revenue	0.61	1.09
Total expenses	(0.18)	(0.37)
Realized gains (losses)	0.09	0.30
Unrealized gains (losses)	0.95	2.39
Preferred Shares distributions	(0.38)	(0.64)
Premium (discount) on Preferred Shares	0.09	-
Total increase (decrease) from operations <sup>3</sup>	1.18	2.77
Distributions:		
From dividends	(0.75)	(0.36)
From return of capital	-	(0.89)
Total distributions <sup>5</sup>	(0.75)	(1.25)
Net assets, end of period	13.69	15.28

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

Agents' fee and issue expenses of the initial public offering of the Company were recorded as a reduction in shareholders' capital. Net assets per Class A Share were initially offered at \$15.00 per Class A Share less agents' fees and issue costs of \$1.35 per share for Class A Shares.

The increase/decrease from operations is based on the weighted average number of shares outstanding over the financial period. Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of shares outstanding at the relevant time. This table is not intended to be a reconciliation of the beginning to ending net assets per share.

<sup>4</sup> Information provided is for the period from February 22, 2024 (launch date) to December 31, 2024.

<sup>5</sup> Distributions were reinvested in additional shares of the Company or paid in cash.

#### Ratios and Supplemental Data

	June 30,	Dec 31,
	2025	2024
Total net asset value (000s) <sup>1</sup>	\$23,667	\$23,862
Number of Class A Shares outstanding <sup>1</sup>	1,729,015	1,561,353
Management expense ratio <sup>2</sup>	7.59%	7.96%
Trading expense ratio <sup>3</sup>	0.08%	0.18%
Portfolio turnover rate <sup>4</sup>	14.87%	45.90%
Net asset value per Class A Share <sup>1</sup>	\$13.69	\$15.28
Net asset value per Preferred Share <sup>1</sup>	\$10.00	\$10.00
Closing market price – Class A Shares <sup>5</sup>	\$12.50	\$13.73
Closing market price – Preferred Shares <sup>5</sup>	\$10.80	\$10.75

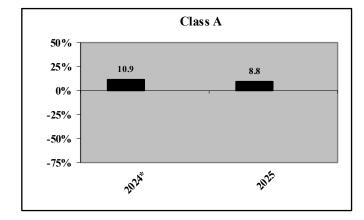
- Information is provided as at June 30, 2025 and December 31 for the years shown prior to 2025. As at June 30, 2025, the total Net Asset Value including Preferred Shares and Class J Shares ("Class J Shares") is \$41,315,782.
- Management expense ratio ("MER") is based on distributions of Preferred Shares and total expenses (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. The MER of the Shares (includes Class A Shares and Preferred Shares) of the Company is 4.58% for the period ended June 30, 2025 and 4.72% for the period from February 22, 2024 to December 31, 2024.
- 3 The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period.
- The Company's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Company's portfolio adviser trades its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Company buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher the portfolio turnover rate in a year, the greater the trading costs payable by the Company in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the period. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of the Company.
- 5 Last closing price as at June 30, 2025 and December 31 for the years shown prior to 2025.

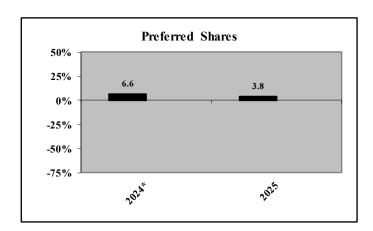
## Past Performance

The indicated rates of return are the historical total returns including changes in share values and assume reinvestment of all distributions in additional shares of the relevant Class of the Company. These returns do not take into account sales, redemption, distribution or optional charges or income taxes payable by any shareholder that may reduce returns. Please note that past performance is not indicative of future performance. All rates of returns are calculated based on the Net Asset Value of the particular Class of the Company.

#### Year-by-Year Returns

The following charts indicate the performance of each Class of the Company for the period ended June 30, 2025 and for the period from February 22, 2024 to December 31, 2024. The charts show, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on the first day of each period would have grown or decreased by the last day of each period. Returns are not shown for a Class in any period in which there were zero outstanding shares as at the end of the period.





<sup>\*</sup> Return from February 22, 2024 (first issuance) for Class A Shares and Preferred Shares, to December 31, 2024 (not annualized).

# Summary of Investment Portfolio

As at June 30, 2025

#### Portfolio Allocation

	% of
	Net Asset
	Value <sup>1</sup>
Long Positions	
Financials	53.0
Energy	29.0
Communication Services	10.2
Utilities	9.6
Total Positions	101.8
Cash	0.1
Other Net Liabilities	(1.9)
Total Net Asset Value	100.0

#### All Positions

	% o:	
	Net Asset	
Issuer	Value <sup>1</sup>	
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	10.8	
Royal Bank of Canada	10.7	
Sun Life Financial Inc.	10.7	
Power Corporation of Canada	10.4	
Manulife Financial Corporation	10.4	
TELUS Corporation	10.2	
Suncor Energy Inc.	10.0	
Enbridge Inc.	9.7	
Fortis Inc.	9.6	
Canadian Natural Resources Limited	9.3	
Cash	0.1	
All positions as a percentage of net asset value	101.9	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Net Asset Value of the Company includes the value of the Preferred Shares and Class J Shares.

The Company did not hold short positions as at June 30, 2025.

This summary of investment portfolio may change due to the ongoing portfolio transactions of the Company. Quarterly updates of the Company's investment portfolio are available on the Internet at www.ninepoint.com.

## Statements of Financial Position

As at June 30, 2025 (unaudited) and December 31, 2024	2025	2024
	\$	\$
Assets		
Current assets		
Investments (note 3, 5)	42,064,702	39,881,146
Cash	51,588	135,554
Dividends receivable	228,760	168,245
<b>Total assets</b>	42,345,050	40,184,945
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Liabilities		
Current liabilities	217.525	105 170
Distribution payable to shareholders	216,527	195,169
Retractions payable	446,380	64,195
Distributions payable to Preferred shareholders	334,398	296,803
Accrued expenses	31,863	111,551
Class J shares (note 7)	100	100
Preferred shares (note 7)	17,649,150	15,655,530
Total liabilities (excluding Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable Class A shares)	18,678,418	16,323,348
Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable Class A shares	23,666,632	23,861,597
Redeemable shares outstanding (note 7)		
Class A shares	1,729,015	1,561,353
Preferred shares	1,764,915	1,565,553
Class J shares	100	100
Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares per class per share (note 3)		
Class A shares	13.69	15.28
Preferred shares	10.00	10.00
Class J shares	1.00	1.00
	1.50	1.00

 $See\ accompanying\ notes\ which\ are\ an\ integral\ part\ of\ these\ financial\ statements$ 

Approved on behalf of Canadian Large Cap Leaders Split Corp. by Ninepoint Partners LP, as Manager

John Wilson

DIRECTOR

James Fox DIRECTOR

# Statements of Comprehensive Income (Loss)

For the six-month period ended June 30, 2025 and period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024 (unaudited)	2025	2024
	s	\$
Income		
Dividends (note 3)	1,055,986	820,263
Net realized gains (losses) on sales of investments	174,520	229,304
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) in the value of investments	1,649,169	94,082
Securities lending income	1,422	-
Total income (loss)	2,881,097	1,143,649
Expenses (note 10, 11)		
Management fees	172,065	130,362
Legal fees	66,562	3,548
Unitholder reporting fees	22,382	8,321
Administrative fees	18,096	25,505
Filing fees	13,751	15,757
Audit fees	10,852	13,599
Transaction costs (note 3, 12)	9,075	32,529
Custodial fees	3,175	918
Independent Review Committee fees (note 13)	2,850	1.771
Interest expense and bank charges	112	191
Total expenses	318,920	232,501
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares from operations before distributions and	210,720	232,301
other income (charges) related to Preferred shares	2,562,177	911,148
Distributions on Preferred shares	(668,153)	(485,179)
Preferred shares premiun (discount) (note 7)	152,750	-
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares from operations	2,046,774	425,969
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares from operations per class		
Class A	2,046,774	425,969
Weighted average number of redeemable shares		
Class A	1,734,739	1,830,597
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares from operations per class per share (note 3)		
Class A	1.18	0.23

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# Statements of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable Shares

For the six-month period ended June 30, 2025 and period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024 (unaudited)	2025	2024
	s	\$
Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares, beginning of period		
Class A	23,861,597	-
	23,861,597	
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares from operations		
Class A	2,046,774	425,969
	2,046,774	425,969
Distributions to holders of redeemable shares		
From net investment income		
Class A	(1,297,984)	(002 002)
Class A	(1,297,984)	(903,992)
	(1,297,964)	(903,992)
Redeemable share transaction (note 7)		
Proceeds from redeemable shares issued		
Class A	-	27,759,495
Agents' fees and issue costs		
Class A	(62,452)	(2,498,355)
Retraction of redeemable shares		
Class A	(881,303)	(1,392,382)
	(943,755)	23,868,758
Net increase (decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares	(104.065)	22 200 725
Class A	(194,965)	23,390,735
	(194,965)	23,390,735
Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares, end of period		
Class A	23,666,632	23,390,735
	23,666,632	23,390,735

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## Statements of Cash Flows

For the six-month period ended June 30, 2025 and period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024 (unaudited)	2025	2024
	s	\$
Cash flows from operating activities		
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable Class A shares from operations	2,046,774	425,969
Adjustments for:		
Net realized (gains) losses on sales of investments	(174,520)	(229,304)
Net change in unrealized (appreciation) depreciation in the value of investments	(1,649,169)	(94,082)
Net increase (decrease) in distributions payable to Preferred shareholders	37,595	337,319
Purchases of investments	(6,512,489)	(45,415,896)
Proceeds from sale of investments	6,152,622	3,306,983
Net increase (decrease) in other assets and liabilities	(140,203)	(83,061)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(239,390)	(41,752,072)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Distributions paid to holders of redeemable Class A shares, net of reinvested distributions	(1,276,626)	(685,738)
Proceeds from redeemable units issued	-	27,759,495
Retraction of redeemable units	(499,118)	(761,104)
Proceeds from issuance of redeemable Class J shares	-	100
Proceeds from issuance of redeemable Preferred shares	2,350,000	18,506,330
Retraction of redeemable Preferred shares	(356,380)	(516,000)
Agents' fees and issue costs	(62,452)	(2,498,355)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	155,424	41,804,728
Net increase (decrease) in cash	(83,966)	52,656
Cash (Bank indebtedness), beginning of period	135,554	<u> </u>
Cash (Bank indebtedness), end of period	51,588	52,656
Supplemental Information*		
Interest paid	112	-
Dividends received, net of withholding taxes	995,471	695,883

<sup>\*</sup>Information provided relates to the operating activities of the Company

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## Schedule of Investment Portfolio

As at June 30, 2025 (unaudited)		Average Cost	Fair Value
		\$	\$
SHARES	EQUITIES [100.00%]		
	FINANCIALS [52.06%]		
46,322	Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	3,706,829	4,477,485
98,528	Manulife Financial Corporation	3,315,205	4,289,909
80,931	Power Corporation of Canada	3,600,110	4,304,720
24,622	Royal Bank of Canada	3,336,015	4,418,910
48,653	Sun Life Financial Inc.	3,619,258	4,408,448
		17,577,417	21,899,472
	ENERGY [28.53%]		
90,334	Canadian Natural Resources Limited	4,037,282	3,866,295
64,818	Enbridge Inc.	3,079,071	4,002,512
80,995	Suncor Energy Inc.	3,791,042	4,131,555
		10,907,395	12,000,362
	COMMUNICATION SERVICES [9.98%]		
191,881	TELUS Corporation	4,578,994	4,196,437
		4,578,994	4,196,437
	UTILITIES [9.43%]		
61,034	Fortis Inc.	3,282,509	3,968,431
		3,282,509	3,968,431
Total equities		36,346,315	42,064,702
Transaction costs (note 3)		(29,915)	-
Total investments [100.00	% <u> </u>	36,316,400	42,064,702

See accompanying notes which are an integral part of these financial statements

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## Financial Risk Management (note 6)

#### Investment Objective

The investment objectives of Canadian Large Cap Leaders Split Corp. (the "Company") for the Class A shares are to provide holders with regular monthly non-cumulative cash distributions targeted to be \$0.125 per Class A share representing a yield on the issue price of the Class A shares of 10% per annum on the issue price of \$15.00 per Class A share, and the opportunity for growth in the Net Asset Value per Class A share. The investment objectives for the Preferred shares are to provide holders with fixed cumulative preferential quarterly cash distributions of \$0.1875 per Preferred share, representing 7.5% per annum on the issue price of \$10.00 per Preferred share, until February 28, 2029, subject to extension for successive terms of up to five years as determined by the Company's Board of Directors ("Maturity Date") and return the original issue price to holders on the Maturity Date.

The Schedule of Investment Portfolio presents the securities held by the Company as at June 30, 2025. Significant risks that are relevant to the Company are discussed here. General information on risks and risk management is described in *Note 6: Financial Risk Management* of the Generic Notes.

#### Market Risk

#### a) Other Price Risk

The Company's most significant exposure to market price risk arises from its investment in equity securities. As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, had the quoted prices of these securities fluctuated by 10%, with all other variables held constant, Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable Class A shares would have increased or decreased by the amount shown in the below table.

June 30, 2025		D	ecember 31, 2024
	As a % of Net Assets		As a % of Net Assets
	attributable to holders attributable to		attributable to holders
Impact	of redeemable Class A shares	Impact	of redeemable Class A shares
s	%	\$	%
4,206,470	17.77	3,988,115	16.71

#### b) Currency Risk

As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, the Company did not have a significant exposure to currency risk.

#### c) Interest Rate Risk

As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, the Company did not have a significant exposure to interest rate risk.

#### Credit Risk

As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, the Company did not have a significant exposure to credit risk.

#### Concentration Risk

As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, the Company's concentration risk as a percentage of investments is shown in the table below.

	<b>June 30, 2025</b>	December 31, 2024
	%	%
Equities:		
Financials	52.06	50.87
Energy	28.53	29.62
Communication Services	9.98	9.40
Utilities	9.43	10.11
Total Investments	100.00	100.00

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### Fair Value Measurements (note 5)

As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, the Company's financial assets and liabilities, which are measured at fair value, have been categorized based upon the fair value hierarchy as shown in the table below.

June 30, 2025	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	\$	\$	S	\$
Equities	42,064,702	_	_	42,064,702
December 31, 2024	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Equities	39,881,146	-	_	39,881,146

During the period ended June 30, 2025 and the period from February 22, 2024 to December 31, 2024, there were no significant transfers between levels.

## Tax Loss Carryforwards (note 3)

For the taxation year ended December 31, 2024, the Company had capital and non-capital losses available for tax purposes as shown in the table below.

Capital losses	Non-capital losses	Non-capital losses year of expiry
\$	\$	_
_	555,035	2044

## **Related Party Broker Commissions**

During the period ended June 30, 2025 and the period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024, brokerage commissions paid by the Company to Sightline Wealth Management ("Sightline"), a related party of Ninepoint Financial Group Inc., the parent company of the Manager, for brokerage services provided to the Company are shown in the table below.

	June 30, 2025	June 30, 2024
	\$	\$
Broker commissions to Sightline	_	25,176

## **Related Party Holdings**

As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, Ninepoint Financial Group Inc., the parent company of the Manager, and its respective subsidiaries, held the following investments as shown in the table below.

		June 30, 2025		December 31, 2024	
Series	Units	Fair Value of Units	Units	Fair Value of Units	
		\$		\$	
Class A	56,215	769,583	50,100	765,528	
Preferred Shares	_	_	100	1,000	

## Securities Lending (note 3)

As at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024, the Company did not have securities on loan and related collateral.

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During the period ended June 30, 2025 and the period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024, securities lending income and charges are shown in the table below.

	June 30, 2025	June 30, 2024
	\$	\$
Gross securities lending income, net withholding taxes	2,370	_
Securities lending charges	(948)	
Net securities lending income received by the Company	1,422	_
Net securities lending income as a percentage of gross securities lending income (%)	60	_

## Sharing Arrangements (note 12)

During the period ended June 30, 2025 and the period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024, total transaction costs incurred to certain brokers for research provided to the portfolio manager are shown in the table below.

	June 30, 2025	June 30, 2024
	\$	\$
Soft dollar broker commissions	291	<u> </u>

See accompanying notes which are an integral part of these financial statements

## 1. Establishment of the Company

Canadian Large Cap Leaders Split Corp. (the "Company") is a mutual fund corporation incorporated by articles of incorporation under the laws of the Province of Ontario on December 19, 2023 and as amended on January 29, 2024. The Company was publicly launched on February 22, 2024 and listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the tickers NPS and NPS.PR.A for Preferred Shares and Class A Shares, respectively. Ninepoint Partners LP (the "Manager") is the manager and portfolio advisor of the Company. CIBC Mellon Trust Company is the custodian of the Company. The address of the Company's registered office is 200 Bay Street, Suite 2700, Toronto, Ontario, M5J 2J1.

The Statements of Financial Position of the Company are as at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024. The Statements of Comprehensive Income (Loss), Statements of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Holders of Redeemable Shares and Statements of Cash Flows are for the period ended June 30, 2025 and period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024. The Schedule of Investment Portfolio for the Company is as at June 30, 2025.

These financial statements were approved for issuance by the Manager on August 28, 2025.

#### 2. Basis of Presentation

These financial statements have been prepared in compliance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as published by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and include estimates and assumptions made by the Manager that may affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income, expenses and the reported amounts of changes in Net Assets during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

These interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS applicable to the preparation of interim financial statements including IAS 34, *Interim Financial Reporting* ("IAS 34").

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis using the historical cost convention. However, the Company is an investment entity and primarily all financial assets and financial liabilities are measured at fair value in accordance with IFRS.

The financial statements of the Company are presented in Canadian dollars, which is the Company's functional currency.

## 3. Material Accounting Policy Information

The following is a summary of material accounting policy information followed by the Company:

CLASSIFICATION AND MEASUREMENT OF INVESTMENTS

The Company classifies and measures financial instruments in accordance with IFRS 9, *Financial Instruments* ("IFRS 9"). Based on the Company's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of these assets, it requires financial assets to be classified as amortized cost, fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"), or fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVOCI").

The Company's investments, investments sold short and derivative assets and liabilities are measured at FVTPL.

The Company's accounting policies for measuring the fair value of its investments and derivatives are identical to those used in measuring its Net Asset Value ("NAV") for transactions with shareholders, except as described in Note 7. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date.

Financial assets and liabilities are recorded in the Statement of Financial Position at fair value upon initial recognition. All transaction costs such as brokerage commissions incurred in the purchase and sale of such securities are recognized directly in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss). Subsequent to initial measurement, financial assets and liabilities at FVTPL are recorded at fair value which, as at the financial reporting period end is determined as follows:

- 1. Securities listed upon a recognized public stock exchange are valued at the closing price recorded by the exchange on which the security is principally traded, where the last traded price falls within that day's bid-ask spread. In circumstances where the closing price is not within the bid-ask spread, the Manager determines the point within the bid-ask spread that is most representative of fair value based on the specific facts and circumstances.
- 2. Common shares of unlisted companies and warrants that are not traded on an exchange are valued using valuation techniques established by the Manager. Restricted securities are valued in a manner that the Manager determines represents fair value.

The difference between the fair value of investments and the cost of investments represents the unrealized appreciation or depreciation in the value of investments. The cost of investments for each security is determined on an average cost basis.

All other financial assets and financial liabilities are classified at amortized cost. They are recognized at fair value upon initial recognition and subsequently measured at amortized cost. IFRS 9 requires that an entity recognize a loss allowance for expected credit losses on financial assets that are measured at amortized cost or FVOCI. The Company considers both historical analysis and forward-looking information in determining any expected credit loss. The Company's obligations for Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable Class A Shares and Class J Shares are measured assuming the redemption of shares at NAV on the valuation date. Preferred Shares are carried at amortized cost for accounting purposes but shown at the redemption amount for financial statement NAV presentation purposes. The carrying values of the Company's financial assets and liabilities, except for the Preferred Shares, that are not carried at FVTPL, approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature.

#### TRANSACTION COSTS

Transaction costs are expensed and are included in "Transaction costs" in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss). Transaction costs are incremental costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition, issue or disposal of an investment, which include fees and commissions paid to agents, advisors, brokers and dealers, levies by regulatory agencies and securities exchanges, and transfer taxes and duties.

#### AGENTS' FEES AND ISSUE COSTS

Agents' fees and issue costs related to the offering of the shares are recognized as a reduction of Class A shareholders' capital.

#### INVESTMENT TRANSACTIONS AND INCOME RECOGNITION

Investment transactions are accounted for on the business day following the date the order to buy or sell is executed, with the exception of short-term investments, which are accounted for on the date the order to buy or sell is executed. Realized gains and losses arising from the sale of investments and unrealized appreciation and depreciation on investments are calculated with reference to the average cost of the related investments and are recorded in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss).

Dividend income is recognized on the ex-dividend date, presented gross of any non-recoverable withholding taxes, in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss).

#### CASH

Cash is comprised of cash on deposit with financial institutions.

#### CALCULATION OF NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE SHARES PER SERIES

The Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares per share of a series is based on the fair value of the series' proportionate share of the assets and liabilities of the Company common to all series, less any liabilities of the Company attributable only to that series, divided by the total outstanding shares of that series. Income, non-series-specific expenses, realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments and transaction costs are allocated to each series of a Company based on the series' pro-rata share of Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares of the Company. Expenses directly attributable to a series are charged directly to that series.

#### INCOME TAXES

The Company is a mutual fund corporation as defined in the *Income Tax Act (Canada)*. The Company will pay sufficient capital gains dividends and ordinary dividends so that, generally, the tax paid by the Company with respect to realized capital gains and dividends from taxable Canadian corporations will be refunded to the Company. The Company will be liable to pay tax at corporate rates applicable to mutual fund corporations on income from other sources, if any, such as interest, derivative income and foreign source income. The Company will try to eliminate this tax liability by using deductible expenses and tax credits. If the Company is not successful in eliminating its tax liability, the Company will be subject to tax.

The Company incurs withholding taxes imposed by certain countries on investment income and capital gains. Such income and gains are recorded on a gross basis and the related withholding taxes are shown separately in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss).

#### INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS ATTRIBUTABLE TO HOLDERS OF REDEEMABLE SHARES FROM OPERATIONS PER SHARE

"Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares from operations per share" in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss) represents the increase (decrease) in Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares per series, divided by the weighted average number of shares of the series outstanding during the period, which is presented in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss).

STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE

A number of new standards, amendments to standards and interpretations are not yet effective as of June 30, 2025 and have not been applied in preparing these financial statements.

a) Classification and Measurement of Financial Instruments (Amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7)

In May 2024, the IASB issued amendments to IFRS 9 and IFRS 7. Among other amendments, IASB clarified that a financial liability is derecognised on the 'settlement date' and introduce an accounting policy choice to derecognise financial liabilities settled using an electronic payment system before the settlement date. These amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2026, with early adoption permitted.

b) IFRS 18 Presentation and Disclosure in Financial Statements

In April 2024, the IASB issued IFRS 18, which replaces IAS 1 *Presentation of Financial Statements*. It introduces several new requirements that are expected to impact the presentation and disclosure of the financial statements. These include:

- The requirement to classify all income and expense into specified categories and provide specified totals and subtotals in the statement of profit or loss.
- Enhanced guidance on the aggregation, location and labeling of items across the financial statements and the notes to the financial statements.
- Required disclosures about management-defined performance measures.

IFRS 18 is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2027, with early adoption permitted.

The Company is currently assessing the effect of the above standard and amendments. No other new standards, amendments and interpretations are expected to have a material effect on the financial statements of the Company.

## 4. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments

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

CLASSIFICATION AND MEASUREMENT OF INVESTMENTS

In classifying and measuring financial instruments held by the Company, the Manager is required to make significant judgments in determining the most appropriate classification in accordance with IFRS 9. The Manager has assessed the Company's business models and concluded that FVTPL, in accordance with IFRS 9, provides the most appropriate classification of the Company's financial instruments.

ASSESSMENT AS AN INVESTMENT ENTITY

Entities that meet the definition of an investment entity within IFRS 10, Consolidated Financial Statements ("IFRS 10") are required to measure their subsidiaries at FVTPL rather than consolidate them. The criteria that define an investment entity are as follows:

- an entity that obtains funds from one or more investors for the purpose of providing those investors with investment services;
- an entity that commits to its investors that its business purpose is to invest funds solely for returns from capital appreciation, investment income or both; and
- an entity that measures and evaluates the performance of substantially all of its investments on a fair value basis.

The Manager has assessed the characteristics of an investment entity as they apply to the Company, and such assessment requires significant judgments. Based on the assessment, the Manager concluded that the Company meets the definition of an investment entity.

#### 5. Fair Value Measurements

The Company uses a three-tier hierarchy as a framework for disclosing fair value based on inputs used to value the Company's investments. The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

- Level 1 Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities that the Company has the ability to access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 Quoted prices that are not active, or inputs that are observable (either directly or indirectly) for substantially the full term of the asset or liability; and

Level 3 Prices, inputs or complex modeling techniques that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable (supported by little or no market activity).

The hierarchy of investments and derivatives for the Company is included in the *Notes to Financial Statements – Company Specific Information* of the Company.

All fair value measurements above are recurring. The carrying values of cash, subscriptions receivable, interest receivable, dividend receivable, payable for investments purchased, redemptions payable, distributions payable, accrued expenses and each Company's obligations for Net Assets attributable to holders of redeemable shares approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature. Fair values are classified as Level 1 when the related security is actively traded and a quoted price is available. If an instrument classified as Level 1 subsequently ceases to be actively traded, it is transferred out of Level 1. In such cases, instruments are reclassified into Level 2, unless the measurement of its fair value requires the use of significant unobservable inputs, in which case it is classified as Level 3.

The following provides details of the categorization in the fair value hierarchy by asset classes:

#### Level 1 securities include:

• Equity securities and options using quoted market prices (unadjusted).

#### Level 2 securities include:

• Equity securities that are not frequently traded in active markets. In such cases, fair value is determined based on observable market data (e.g., transactions for similar securities of the same issuer).

#### Level 3 securities include:

• Investments valued using valuation techniques that are based on unobservable market data. These techniques are determined pursuant to procedures established by the Manager. Quantitative information about unobservable inputs and related sensitivity of the fair value measurement are disclosed in the *Notes to Financial Statements – Company Specific Information* of the Company.

Additional disclosures relating to transfers between levels and a reconciliation of the beginning and ending balances in Level 3 are also disclosed in the *Notes to Financial Statements – Company Specific Information* of the Company.

During the period ended June 30, 2025 and period from February 22, 2024 to December 31, 2024, there were no material transfers between Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3.

## 6. Financial Risk Management

The Company is exposed to risks that are associated with its investment strategies, financial instruments and markets in which it invests. The extent of risk within the Company is largely contingent upon the Company's investment policy and guidelines as stated in its prospectus, and the management of such risks is contingent upon the qualification and diligence of the portfolio manager designated to manage the Company. The Schedule of Investment Portfolio presents the securities held by the Company as at June 30, 2025, and groups securities by asset type, sector or geographic region. Significant risks that are relevant to the Company are discussed below. Refer to the *Notes to Financial Statements – Company Specific Information* of the Company for specific risk disclosures.

#### MARKET RISK

The Company's investments are subject to market risk, which is the risk that the fair value of future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market variables such as equity prices, currency rates and interest rates.

#### a) Other Price Risk

Other price risk is the risk that the fair value of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to a change in market price (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk). The sensitivity analysis disclosed is estimated based on the historical correlation between the return of the Company as compared to the return of the Company's benchmark. The analysis assumes that all other variables remain unchanged. The historical correlation may not be representative of future correlation and accordingly, the impact on net assets could be materially different. The investments of the Company are subject to normal market fluctuations and the risks inherent in the financial markets. The maximum risk resulting from purchased securities held by the Company is limited to the fair value of these investments. The Manager moderates this risk through a careful selection of securities within specified limits, as well as through the diversification of the investment portfolio.

#### b) Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk that arises from the change in price of one currency against another. Where the Company holds securities that are denominated in currencies other than the Canadian dollar, these securities are converted to the Company's functional currency in determining fair value, and fair values are subject to fluctuations relative to the strengthening or weakening of the functional currency.

#### c) Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk borne by an interest-bearing financial instrument that is attributed to interest rate fluctuations. Cash does not expose the Company to significant amounts of interest rate risk.

#### CREDIT RISK

Credit risk is the risk of loss due to the failure of a counterparty to satisfy its obligations. All transactions executed by the Company in listed securities are settled upon delivery using approved brokers. The risk of default is considered minimal, as the delivery of those securities sold is made only when the broker has received payment. Payment is made on purchases only when the security is received by the broker. The trade will fail to consummate if either party fails to meet its obligations.

The Preferred Shares have been provisionally rated Pfd-3 (high) by Morningstar DBRS. Preferred Shares rated Pfd-3 are of adequate credit quality. While protection of dividends and principal is still considered acceptable, the issuing entity is more susceptible to adverse changes in financial and economic conditions, and there may be other adverse conditions present that detract from debt protection. Pfd-3 ratings generally correspond with companies whose senior bonds are rated in the higher end of the BBB category. A security rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities and may be subject to revision or withdrawal at any time by Morningstar DBRS.

#### LIQUIDITY RISK

Liquidity risk is the risk that a Company will not be able to generate sufficient cash resources as to fulfill its payment obligations. The Company predominantly invests in liquid securities that are readily tradable in an active market. Consequently, the Company is able to readily dispose of securities, if necessary, to fund redemptions in the course of operations. The Company traditionally maintains a cash reserve in anticipation of normal redemption activity.

The Company is exposed to liquidity risk through its monthly and annual retractions of Class A Shares and Preferred Shares. For retractions of Class A Shares and Preferred Shares, the Company receives notice of at least ten business days prior to the Retraction Date, and pays on or around fifteen business days following the Retraction Date for monthly retractions and on and around ten business days following the Retraction Date for annual retractions. As such, this timeframe allows the Manager to sell securities, as needed. All Class A Shares and Preferred Shares outstanding are scheduled to be redeemed by the Company on the Maturity Date. As a result, the liquidity risk is not considered to be significant.

#### CONCENTRATION RISK

Concentration risk arises as a result of the concentration of financial instrument exposures within the same category, whether it is geographic region, asset type or industry sector.

#### GEOPOLITICAL RISK

The Company's value of investments may fluctuate due to changes in economic, political and market conditions, interest rates, public health emergencies, geopolitical risks and conflicts, natural or environmental disasters, and company specific news related to securities held within the Company. These factors may disrupt supply chains, impact certain sectors, and affect international financial markets and issuers in which the Company invests. Growing conflicts among certain countries may continue to heighten financial market uncertainty and volatility, adversely affecting economic markets, including the value and liquidity of securities from those countries. The Manager has and will continually assess the performance of the portfolio and make investment decisions that are aligned with the Company's mandate and the best interests of its shareholders.

## 7. Redeemable Shares of the Company and Capital Management

The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of Class J Shares, Preferred Shares and Class A Shares. On December 19, 2023, the Company issued 100 Class J Shares for cash consideration of \$100.00 to Ninepoint Canadian Large Cap Leaders Split Trust.

A unit represents a notional unit consisting of one Preferred Share and one Class A Share. Net Asset Value of the Company means (i) the aggregate value of the assets of the Company, less (ii) the aggregate value of the liabilities of the Company (the Preferred Shares will not be treated as liabilities for these purposes), including any distributions declared and not paid that are payable to shareholders on or before such date and (iii) the stated capital of the Class J Shares (\$100.00).

#### Class J Shares

The holders of Class J Shares are not entitled to receive dividends. The holders of the Class J Shares are entitled to one vote per Class J Share. The Class J Shares are retractable at a price of \$1.00 per share and have a nominal liquidation entitlement of \$1.00 per share. The Class J Shares rank subsequent to the Preferred Shares and the Class A Shares with respect to such nominal liquidation entitlement on the dissolution, liquidation or winding-up of the Company. As at June 30, 2025, 100 Class J Shares were issued and outstanding.

#### Class A Shares

Class A Shares rank subsequent to the Preferred Shares with respect to the payment of distributions and the repayment of capital out of the portfolio on the dissolution, liquidation or winding-up of the Company. The Company may sub-divide the Class A Shares into a greater number of Class A Shares in its discretion from time to time.

Monthly: Class A Shares may be surrendered at any time for retraction but will be retracted only on the second last business day of the month ("Retraction Date"). Class A Shares surrendered for retraction on the tenth business day prior to the monthly Retraction Date will be retracted on such Retraction Date and the shareholder will be paid on or before the fifteenth business day following the Retraction Date ("Retraction Payment Date").

Holders of Class A Shares whose Class A Shares are surrendered for retraction will be entitled to receive a retraction price per Class A Share equal to 96% of the difference between (i) the NAV per unit determined as of such Retraction Date, and (ii) the cost to the Company of the purchase of a Preferred Share for cancellation. The cost of the purchase of a Preferred Share will include the purchase price of the Preferred Share, commission and such other costs, if any, related to the liquidation of any portion of the portfolio to fund the purchase of the Preferred Share. If the NAV per unit is less than \$10.00, plus any accrued and unpaid distributions on a Preferred Share, the retraction price of a Class A Share will be nil. Any declared and unpaid distributions payable on or before a Retraction Date in respect of Class A Shares tendered for retraction on such Retraction Date will also be paid on the Retraction Payment Date.

Annual Concurrent Retraction: Holders of a Class A Share may concurrently retract an equal number of Class A Shares and Preferred Shares on the second last business day of February of each year, other than in a year that contains a Maturity Date commencing 2026 ("Annual Retraction Date") at a retraction price equal to the NAV per unit on the Annual Retraction Date, less any costs associated with the retraction, including commissions and other such costs, if any, related to the liquidation of any portion of the portfolio required to fund such retraction. The Class A Shares and the Preferred Shares must both be surrendered for retraction by the tenth business day prior to the Annual Retraction Date. Payment of the proceeds will be made on or before the tenth business day of the following month.

Non-Concurrent Retraction Right: On February 28, 2029, and upon any subsequent maturity date as determined by the Company's Board of Directors, a holder of Class A Shares may retract such Class A Shares. The Company will provide at least 60 days' notice to holders of Class A Shares of such right. The redemption price payable by the Company for a Class A Share pursuant to the non-concurrent retraction right will be equal to the greater of (i) the NAV per unit determined on that date minus \$10.00 plus any accrued and unpaid distributions on a Preferred Share, and (ii) nil.

If more Preferred Shares than Class A Shares have been redeemed pursuant to the non-concurrent retraction right, the Company will be authorized to redeem Class A Shares on a pro rata basis in a number to be determined by the Company reflecting the extent to which the number of Class A Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction. Conversely, if more Class A Shares than Preferred Shares have been redeemed pursuant to the non-concurrent retraction right, the Company may issue Class A Shares to the extent the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Class A Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction.

During the period ended June 30, 2025 and period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024, the number of Class A Shares issued and outstanding are shown in the table below.

Class A Shares	2025	2024
Shares, beginning of period	1,561,353	_
Redeemable shares issued	234,202	1,850,633
Retraction of redeemable shares	(66,540)	(106,600)
Shares, end of period	1,729,015	1,744,033

As at June 30, 2025, the closing market price of Class A Shares on the Toronto Stock Exchange was \$12.50 per share.

#### Preferred Shares

The Preferred Shares rank in priority to the Class A Shares with respect to the payment of distributions and the repayment of capital on the dissolution, liquidation or winding-up of the Company.

Monthly: Preferred Shares may be surrendered at any time for retraction to TSX Trust Company (the "Registrar and Transfer Agent"), the Company's registrar and transfer agent, but will be retracted only on the Retraction Date. Preferred Shares surrendered for retraction by the tenth business day prior to the Retraction Date will be retracted on such Retraction Date and the holder will be paid on or before the fifteenth business day following the Retraction Payment Date.

Holders of Preferred Shares whose Preferred Shares are surrendered for retraction will be entitled to receive a retraction price per Preferred Share equal to 96% of the lesser of (i) the NAV per unit determined as of such Retraction Date, less the cost to the Company of the purchase of a Class A Share for cancellation; and (ii) \$10.00. The cost of the purchase of a Class A Share will include the purchase price of the Class A Share, and commission and such other costs, if any, related to the liquidation of any portion of the portfolio to fund the purchase of the Class A Share. Any declared and unpaid distributions payable on or before a Retraction Date in respect of Preferred Shares tendered for retraction on such Retraction Date will also be paid on the Retraction Payment Date. With respect to any monthly retraction of Preferred Shares, the Company will purchase for cancellation such number of Class A Shares in the market so that there will be an equal number of Preferred Shares and Class A Shares outstanding at closing of the offering and at all material times.

Annual Concurrent Retraction: Holders of a Preferred Share may concurrently retract an equal number of Preferred Shares and Class A Shares on the Annual Retraction Date at a retraction price equal to the NAV per unit on the Annual Retraction Date, less any costs associated with the retraction, including commissions and other such costs, if any, related to the liquidation of any portion of the portfolio required to fund such retraction. The Preferred Shares and Class A Shares must both be surrendered for retraction by the tenth business day prior to the Annual Retraction Date. Payment of the proceeds of retraction will be made on or before the fifteenth business day following the applicable Annual Retraction Date.

Non-Concurrent Retraction Right: On February 28, 2029, and upon any subsequent maturity date as determined by the Company's Board of Directors, a holder of Preferred Shares may retract such Preferred Shares. The Company will provide at least 60 days' notice to holders of Preferred Shares of such right. The redemption price payable by the Company for a Preferred Share pursuant to the non-concurrent retraction right will be equal to the lesser of (i) \$10.00 plus any accrued and unpaid distributions thereon, and (ii) the NAV of the Company on that date divided by the total number of Preferred Shares then outstanding. If more Class A Shares than Preferred Shares have been redeemed pursuant to the non-concurrent retraction right, the Company will be authorized to redeem Preferred Shares on a pro rata basis in a number to be determined by the Company reflecting the extent to which the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction. Conversely, if more Preferred Shares than Class A Shares have been redeemed pursuant to the non-concurrent retraction right, the Company may issue Preferred Shares to the extent that the number of Class A Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction exceeds the number of Preferred Shares outstanding following the non-concurrent retraction.

During the period ended June 30, 2025 and period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024, the number of Preferred Shares issued and outstanding are shown in the table below.

Preferred Shares	2025	2024
Shares, beginning of period	1,565,553	_
Redeemable shares issued	434,362	1,850,633
Retraction of redeemable shares	(235,000)	(51,600)
Shares, end of period	1,764,915	1,799,033

As at June 30, 2025, the closing market price of Preferred Shares on the Toronto Stock Exchange was \$10.80 per share.

#### CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Company's capital represents the net assets attributable to participating shareholders. It is comprised of retained earnings (deficit), and issued and outstanding shares of (1) Preferred Shares, (2) Class J Shares and (3) Class A Shares net of agents' fees and issue costs. The Manager utilizes the capital of the Company in accordance with its investment objectives, strategies and restrictions, as outlined in the Company's prospectus, while maintaining sufficient liquidity to meet redemptions from the normal course of business. The Company does not have any externally imposed capital requirements.

NORMAL COURSE ISSUER BID

In May 2024, Toronto Stock Exchange (the "TSX") accepted the Company's notice of intention to make a normal course issuer bid ("NCIB 1") to purchase its Class A Shares and Preferred Shares through the facilities of the TSX and/or alternative Canadian trading systems. NCIB 1 commenced on May 28, 2024 and terminated on May 27, 2025.

Pursuant to NCIB 1, the Company proposed to purchase, from time to time, up to 182,563 Class A Shares and 182,563 Preferred Shares of the Company, representing 10% of the public float of 1,825,633 Class A Shares and 1,825,633 Preferred Shares. As of May 16, 2024, there were 1,835,633 Class A Shares and 1,825,633 Preferred Shares issued and outstanding. The Company will not purchase, in any given 30-day period, in aggregate, more than 36,712 Class A Shares or more than 36,512 Preferred Shares, being 2% of the issued and outstanding Class A Shares and Preferred Shares as of May 16, 2024. All purchases will be made through the facilities noted above and in accordance with the rules and policies of the TSX. All Class A Shares or Preferred Shares purchased by the Company pursuant to NCIB 1 were cancelled. During the period from January 1, 2025 to May 27, 2025, nil Class A Shares and nil Preferred Shares (from the commencement of NCIB 1 to December 31, 2024, 43,000 Class A Shares and 43,000 Preferred Shares) were purchased, and the Company had not exceeded the monthly or annual limit of purchases pursuant to NCIB 1.

Under NCIB 1, Ninepoint Partners obtained approval to purchase up to a total of 209,947 Class A Shares, reflecting a security split that took effect on February 4, 2025 (refer below to *Share Split and Private Placement*), and 182,563 Preferred Shares, of which on a post-split basis, 49,450 Class A Shares, and 43,000 Preferred Shares were purchased through the facilities of the TSX at a weighted-average price of approximately \$10.39, on the post-split basis, per Class A Share, and \$10.45 for Preferred Shares.

In June 2025, TSX accepted the Company's notice of intention to make a normal course issuer bid ("NCIB 2") to purchase its Class A Shares and Preferred Shares through the facilities of the TSX and/or alternative Canadian trading systems. NCIB 2 commenced on June 9, 2025, and will terminate on June 8, 2026.

Pursuant to NCIB 2, the Company proposes to purchase, from time to time, up to 176,492 Class A Shares and 176,492 Preferred Shares of the Company, representing 10% of the public float of 1,764,915 Class A Shares and 1,764,915 Preferred Shares. As of June 4, 2025, there were 1,764,915 Class A Shares and 1,764,915 Preferred Shares issued and outstanding. The Company will not purchase, in any given 30-day period, in the aggregate, more than 35,298 Class A Shares or more than 35,298 Preferred Shares, being 2% of the issued and outstanding Class A Shares and Preferred Shares as of June 4, 2025. From the commencement of NCIB 2 to June 30, 2025, 4,800 Class A Shares and 4,800 Preferred Shares) were purchased, and the Company had not exceeded the monthly or annual limit of purchases pursuant to NCIB 2.

#### SHARE SPLIT AND PRIVATE PLACEMENT

The Company effected a stock split of its Class A Shares (the "Share Split") at the close of business on February 4, 2025. Following the Share Split, approximately 1,795,547 Class A Shares and 1,796,353 Preferred Shares were outstanding. Morningstar DBRS confirmed that the rating of the Preferred Shares will continue to be Pfd-3 (high) following the completion of the Share Split.

On the same date, the Company completed a concurrent private placement of its Preferred Shares (the "Private Placement") for aggregate gross proceeds of approximately \$2.5 million. Pursuant to the Private Placement, 235,000 Preferred Shares were offered to investors at a price of \$10.65 per Preferred Share.

## 8. Taxation of the Corporation

The Company is a mutual fund corporation as defined in the *Income Tax Act (Canada)*. The Company is a single legal entity for tax purposes and is not taxed on a fund-by-fund basis. As a mutual fund corporation, taxable dividends received from taxable Canadian corporations are subject to a tax rate of 38.33%. Such taxes are fully refundable upon payment of ordinary taxable dividends to its shareholders. Any such tax paid is reported as an amount receivable until recovered through the payment to shareholders of dividends out of net investment income. All tax on net taxable realized capital gains is refundable when the gains are distributed to shareholders as capital gains dividends or through redemptions of shares at the request of shareholders, while the Company qualifies as a mutual fund corporation. Income and capital taxes, if any, are allocated to the class on a reasonable basis and the amount charged to a class is reflected in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss) of the class. Interest income and foreign dividends, net of applicable expenses, are taxed at full rates applicable to a mutual fund corporation with credits, subject to certain limitations, for foreign taxes paid.

Temporary differences between the carrying value of assets and liabilities for accounting and income tax purposes give rise to deferred income tax assets and liabilities. When the market value of a Company's portfolio exceeds its cost, a deferred tax liability arises. As capital gains taxes payable by the Company are refundable under the provisions of the *Income Tax Act (Canada)*, the deferred tax liability is offset by these future refundable taxes. Conversely, when the cost exceeds the market value of the portfolio, a deferred tax asset is generated. In such cases, a deferred tax asset is not recognized given the uncertainty that such deferred tax assets will ultimately be realized. Unused capital and non-capital losses, if any, represent deferred tax assets to the Company. The Company has not recognized a deferred tax asset for these losses as the probability of future income being generated to utilize these losses is uncertain. Any capital losses can be carried forward indefinitely and non-capital losses will expire in 20 years. For capital and non-capital loss carryforward balances, refer to Notes to *Financial Statements – Company Specific Information* of the Company.

### 9. Distributions

The Company intends to pay ordinary dividends and capital gains dividends to the extent necessary to ensure it will not have any net liability for tax under Part IV of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) on taxable dividends from taxable Canadian corporations or for tax under Part I of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) on net realized capital gains.

On the last business day of each of March, June, September and December, holders of Preferred Shares will be entitled to receive fixed, cumulative preferential quarterly cash distributions equal to \$0.1875 per Preferred Share. On an annualized basis, this would represent a yield on the Preferred Share offering price of 7.5%. The first distribution was pro-rated to reflect the period from the launch date to March 31, 2024.

Holders of Class A Shares will be paid monthly non-cumulative distributions in the amount of \$0.125 per Class A share. No distributions will be paid on the Class A Shares if (i) the distributions payable on the Preferred Shares are in arrears, or (ii) in respect of a cash distribution by the Company, the NAV per share would be less than \$15.00. Such distributions may consist of ordinary dividends, capital gains dividends or returns of capital. Under the Company's distribution reinvestment plan, Class A shareholders may elect to automatically reinvest monthly distributions in additional Class A Shares.

For the period ended June 30, 2025, the Company had declared accrued distributions of \$0.37500 per Preferred Share and cash distributions of \$0.75000 per Class A Share (period from February 22, 2024 to June 30, 2024 were \$0.26698 per Preferred Share and \$0.62500 per Class A Share, respectively).

## 10. Related-Party Transactions

MANAGEMENT FEES

The Company pays the Manager an annual management fee to cover management expenses. Management fees are unique to the Company and are subject to applicable taxes. The management fee of 0.75% is calculated and accrued daily and is paid on the last business day of each month based on the daily NAV of the Company. Net Asset Value of the Company is the aggregate value of the Company's assets less the aggregate value of the Company's liabilities. For this purposes, Preferred Shares are not treated as a liability of the Company.

## 11. Operating Expenses and Sales Charges

The Company pays its own operating expenses, other than marketing costs and costs of dealer compensation programs, which are paid by the Manager. Operating expenses include, but are not limited to, audit, legal, safekeeping, custodial, fund administration expenses, preparation costs of financial statements and other reports to investors and Independent Review Committee ("IRC") member fees and expenses. Operating expenses and other costs of a Company are subject to applicable taxes. Each series of the Company is responsible for its proportionate share of operating expenses of the Corporation in addition to the expenses that the Company alone incurs.

At its sole discretion, the Manager may waive or absorb a portion of the operating expenses of the Company. Amounts waived or absorbed by the Manager are reported in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss). Waivers or absorptions can be terminated at any time without notice.

## 12. Sharing Arrangements

In addition to paying for the cost of brokerage services in respect of securities transactions, commissions paid to certain brokers may also cover research services provided to the portfolio manager. Sharing arrangements for the Company are disclosed in the *Notes to Financial Statements – Company Specific Information* of the Company, if applicable.

## 13. Independent Review Committee

In accordance with National Instrument 81-107, *Independent Review Committee for Investment Funds*, the Manager has established an IRC for the Company. The mandate of the IRC is to consider and provide recommendations to the Manager on conflicts of interest to which the Manager is subject when managing the Company. The IRC reports annually to shareholders of the Company on its activities, and the annual report is available on and after March 31 in each year. The Manager charges compensation paid to the IRC members and the costs of the ongoing administration of the IRC to the Company. These amounts are shown in the Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss).

## 14. Subsequent Events

SUBSEQUENT REDEMPTIONS

In connection with a non-concurrent retraction of 29,500 Class A Shares surrendered and retracted as at June 27, 2025, a corresponding cancellation of 29,500 Preferred Shares was effected by the Company on July 21, 2025.

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