



Ninepoint Risk Advantaged U.S. Equity Index Fund

INTERIM MANAGEMENT REPORT OF FUND PERFORMANCE

JUNE 30

2025

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Management Discussion of Fund Performance

Investment Objective and Strategies

The objective of Ninepoint Risk Advantaged U.S. Equity Index (the “Fund”) is to obtain exposure to the performance of the S&P 500 Index, or a successor or replacement index (the “Index”), and through the use of option strategies, seek to moderate the volatility of that performance.

To achieve the Fund’s investment objective, the Portfolio Manager gains exposure to equities through investment in one or more exchange-traded funds (“ETFs”) that seek to replicate the performance net of expenses of the Index.

The Fund may also:

- hold cash, short-term money market instruments, fixed income securities or other equivalents at any time, including, in accordance with National Instrument 81-102, other investment funds managed by Ninepoint Partners LP (the “Manager”) that invest all or substantially all of their assets in cash or cash equivalents, for cash management purposes;
- engage in securities lending and, upon providing 60 days’ notice to investors, repurchase and reverse repurchase transactions as permitted by securities regulations; and
- use derivative instruments, such as options, futures, forward contracts and swaps, for both hedging and non-hedging strategies that is consistent with the investment objectives of the Fund and as permitted by securities regulators.

Risk

The risks of investing in the Fund are described in the Fund’s simplified prospectus. The Fund is suitable for investors with a low to medium tolerance for risk.

Results of Operations

The Fund, Series F, returned -1.4% in the first half of 2025, while its benchmark, the S&P 500 Index, returned 0.6%.

The low volatility regime of 2024 has seen normalization throughout 2025 as equities experienced a rapid sell-off into April 2025.

The drivers of the sell-off gradually shifted from concerns surrounding AI & Cloud data center demand, a key area of recent market leadership, to broader economic risks surrounding the negative impacts of tariffs on economic growth. Street economists took down economic growth forecasts for 2025 Q1 and 2025 Q2 as consumer and investment spending were expected to stall. As the more concerning tariff scenarios were revised, equity markets recovered from the rapid decline with the S&P 500, ending the first half of 2025 at all-time highs.

The Fund deployed put-spread collars that offered the strategy equity upside participation until the call strike prices and downside protection between the put spread strikes of the portfolio laddered over the forward 12 months.

The SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust (“SPY”) was the top contributor to performance. Strengthening of the Canadian dollar, along with S&P 500 long put options were top detractors. The portfolio rolled expiring put spread collars into 2026. This was done to maintain portfolio hedges, between the put spread strike prices and upside participation, up until the call strike prices, on the SPY underlying.

The Fund’s net asset value decreased by 8.2% during the period, from \$48.5 million as at December 31, 2024 to \$44.5 million as at June 30, 2025. This change was predominantly due to income of \$0.3 million, offset by net redemptions of \$3.1 million, net realized and unrealized losses on investments and derivatives of \$0.6 million, and expenses of \$0.6 million.

Recent Developments

There were no material changes to the investment strategy and features of the Fund during the period ended June 30, 2025. The Manager actively monitors the positioning of the Fund’s portfolio for changes in current market conditions and the economic environment.

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Related Party Transactions

MANAGEMENT FEES

The Fund pays a management fee to the Manager, at an annual rate of 1.80% for Series A units, 0.80% for Series D units and Series F units, 0.70% for Series PF units, 0.60% for Series QF units, and is negotiated by the unitholders for Series I. The management fee is calculated and accrued daily based on the daily net asset value of that series of the Fund and is paid monthly. For the period ended June 30, 2025, the Fund incurred management fees of \$399,796 (including taxes). The breakdown of the services received in consideration of the management fees, as a percentage of management fees, is as follows:

	Portfolio Advisory	Trailing Commissions
Series A	44%	56%
Series D	100%	—
Series F	100%	—

Of the management fees that the Manager received from the Fund, the Manager paid trailer commissions of \$637 during the period ended June 30, 2025, to Sightline Wealth Management, an affiliate of the Manager.

OPERATING EXPENSES

The Fund pays its own operating expenses, which include, but are not limited to, audit, legal, custodial, filing and administrative expenses as well as unitholder reporting costs. The Manager may pay some of these expenses on behalf of the Fund and then is reimbursed by the Fund. At its sole discretion, the Manager may waive or absorb a portion of the operating expenses of the Fund 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 Fund relied on the approval, positive recommendation or standing instruction from the Fund's Independent Review Committee with respect to any related party transactions.

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Financial Highlights

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

The Fund's Net Assets per Unit¹

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Series A	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	15.47	13.04	11.62	12.36	11.43	11.71
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	0.09	0.19	0.18	0.18	0.17	0.23
Total expenses	(0.20)	(0.37)	(0.33)	(0.30)	(0.32)	(0.33)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.67	(0.17)	0.55	0.46	(0.32)	(0.81)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.86)	2.76	1.03	(1.15)	1.35	0.59
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	(0.30)	2.41	1.43	(0.81)	0.88	(0.32)
Distributions:						
From dividends	—	—	—	—	—	(0.07)
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	(0.07)
Net assets, end of period	15.17	15.47	13.04	11.62	12.36	11.43

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020 ⁴
Series A1	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	—	—	—	—	—	11.80
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	—	—	—	—	—	0.13
Total expenses	—	—	—	—	—	(0.21)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	(0.58)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	0.26
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	—	—	—	—	—	(0.40)
Distributions:						
From dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	—
Net assets, end of period	—	—	—	—	—	—

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022 ⁶	Dec 31, 2021 ⁵	Dec 31, 2020
Series D	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	13.36	11.15	9.83	9.95	9.92	10.11
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	0.07	0.16	0.17	0.12	0.03	0.20
Total expenses	(0.10)	(0.19)	(0.16)	(0.04)	(0.08)	(0.23)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.58	(0.15)	0.45	0.21	(0.35)	(0.83)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.75)	2.40	0.83	(0.55)	(1.49)	0.73
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	(0.20)	2.22	1.29	(0.26)	(1.89)	(0.13)
Distributions:						
From dividends	—	—	—	—	—	(0.06)
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	(0.06)
Net assets, end of period	13.18	13.36	11.15	9.83	—	9.92

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	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Series F	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	17.84	14.88	13.11	13.80	12.62	12.79
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	0.10	0.22	0.21	0.20	0.18	0.25
Total expenses	(0.13)	(0.25)	(0.22)	(0.19)	(0.21)	(0.23)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.78	(0.21)	0.62	0.52	(0.04)	(0.72)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(1.03)	3.19	1.14	(1.29)	1.18	0.33
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	(0.28)	2.95	1.75	(0.76)	1.11	(0.37)
Distributions:						
From dividends	—	—	—	—	—	(0.08)
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	(0.08)
Net assets, end of period	17.59	17.84	14.88	13.11	13.80	12.62

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020 ⁴
Series F1	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	—	—	—	—	—	12.85
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	—	—	—	—	—	0.14
Total expenses	—	—	—	—	—	(0.14)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	(0.23)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	(0.01)
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	—	—	—	—	—	(0.24)
Distributions:						
From dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	—
Net assets, end of period	—	—	—	—	—	—

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020 ⁴
Series FT	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	—	—	—	—	—	7.51
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	—	—	—	—	—	0.08
Total expenses	—	—	—	—	—	(0.08)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	(0.18)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	(0.25)
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	—	—	—	—	—	(0.43)
Distributions:						
From return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	(0.26)
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	(0.26)
Net assets, end of period	—	—	—	—	—	—

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	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020 ⁴
Series I	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	—	—	—	—	—	13.95
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	—	—	—	—	—	0.08
Total expenses	—	—	—	—	—	(0.06)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	0.03
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	(0.87)
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	—	—	—	—	—	(0.82)
Distributions:						
From dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	—
Net assets, end of period	—	—	—	—	—	—

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020 ⁴
Series T	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	—	—	—	—	—	7.00
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	—	—	—	—	—	0.08
Total expenses	—	—	—	—	—	(0.12)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	(0.37)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	—	—	—	—	—	0.23
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	—	—	—	—	—	(0.18)
Distributions:						
From return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	(0.25)
Total distributions³	—	—	—	—	—	(0.25)
Net assets, end of period	—	—	—	—	—	—

1 This information is derived from the Fund's interim and audited annual financial statements.

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

3 Distributions were reinvested in additional units of the Fund or distributed in cash.

4 All outstanding Series A1 units, Series F1 units, Series FT units, Series I units and Series T units were fully redeemed during the year ended December 31, 2020.

5 All outstanding Series D units were fully redeemed during the year ended December 31, 2021.

6 Information provided is for the period from March 1, 2022 (re-subscription) to December 31, 2022 for Series D units.

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Ratios and Supplemental Data

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Series A						
Total net asset value (000s) ¹	\$36,371	\$39,011	\$38,666	\$41,129	\$52,797	\$72,708
Number of units outstanding ¹	2,397,238	2,522,368	2,964,622	3,539,743	4,270,173	6,361,496
Management expense ratio ²	2.43%	2.41%	2.42%	2.35%	2.50%	2.49%
Trading expense ratio ³	0.03%	0.02%	0.02%	0.02%	0.02%	0.23%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁴	4.36%	20.37%	10.98%	5.89%	16.56%	128.69%
Net asset value per unit ¹	\$15.17	\$15.47	\$13.04	\$11.62	\$12.36	\$11.43

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Series D						
Total net asset value (000s) ¹	\$687	\$701	\$731	\$540	—	\$6
Number of units outstanding ¹	52,160	52,464	65,559	54,940	—	586
Management expense ratio ²	1.36%	1.33%	1.31%	1.33%	—	1.98%
Trading expense ratio ³	0.03%	0.02%	0.02%	0.02%	—	0.23%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁴	4.36%	20.37%	10.98%	5.89%	—	128.69%
Net asset value per unit ¹	\$13.18	\$13.36	\$11.15	\$9.83	—	\$9.92

	June 30, 2025	Dec 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023	Dec 31, 2022	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Series F						
Total net asset value (000s) ¹	\$7,471	\$8,773	\$8,488	\$9,679	\$12,048	\$17,565
Number of units outstanding ¹	424,665	491,798	570,436	738,059	872,801	1,391,474
Management expense ratio ²	1.36%	1.33%	1.34%	1.24%	1.44%	1.40%
Trading expense ratio ³	0.03%	0.02%	0.02%	0.02%	0.02%	0.23%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁴	4.36%	20.37%	10.98%	5.89%	16.56%	128.69%
Net asset value per unit ¹	\$17.59	\$17.84	\$14.88	\$13.11	\$13.80	\$12.62

1 This information is provided as at June 30, 2025 and December 31 for the years shown prior to 2025.

2 Management expense ratio ("MER") is based on total expenses (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value during the period. The Manager may waive or absorb a portion of the operating expenses of the Fund. Waivers and absorption can be terminated at any time.

3 The trading expense ratio ("TER") represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. The TER includes dividend expense and securities borrowing expense paid by the Fund in connection with securities sold short.

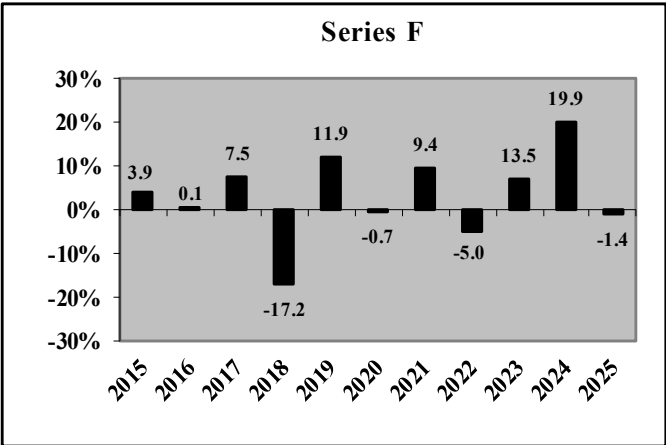
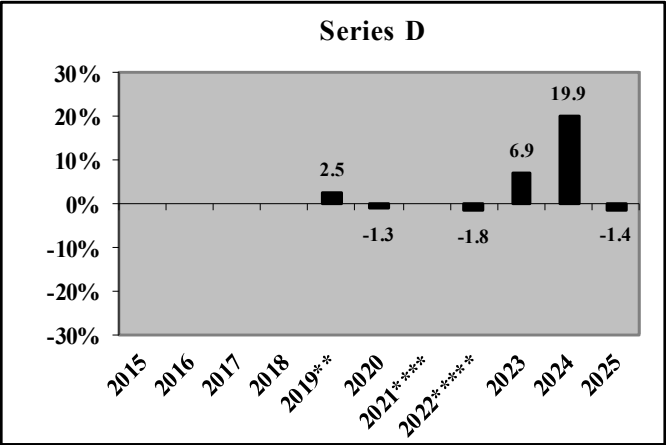
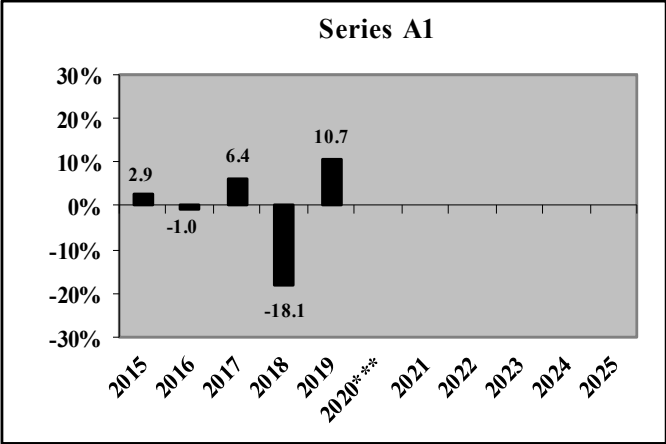
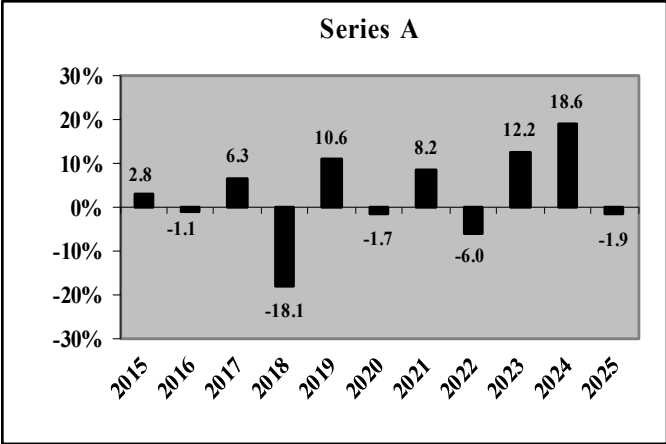
4 The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio advisor trades its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the year. The higher the Fund's portfolio turnover rate in a year, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund in the year, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of the Fund.

Past Performance

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

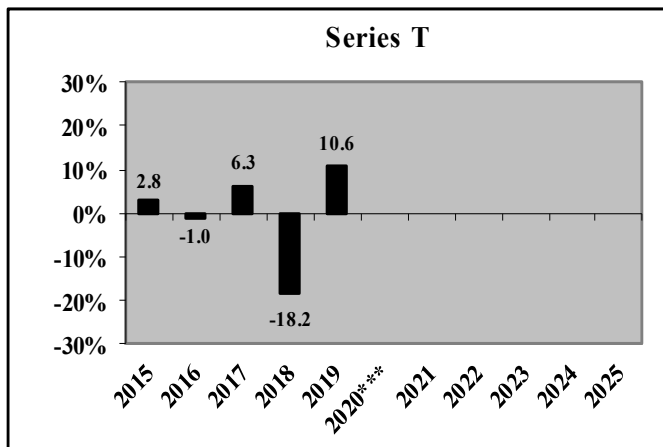
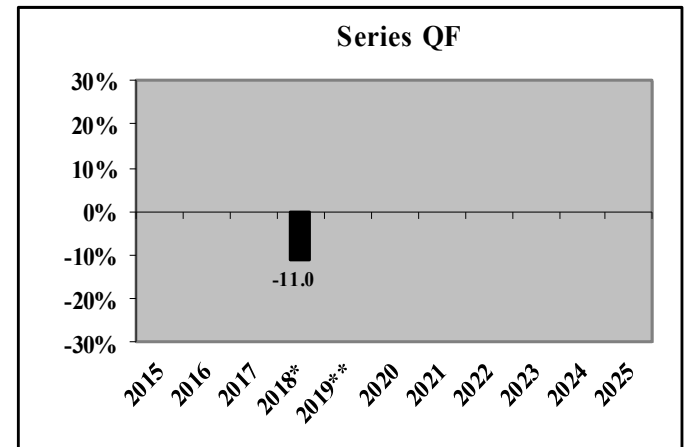
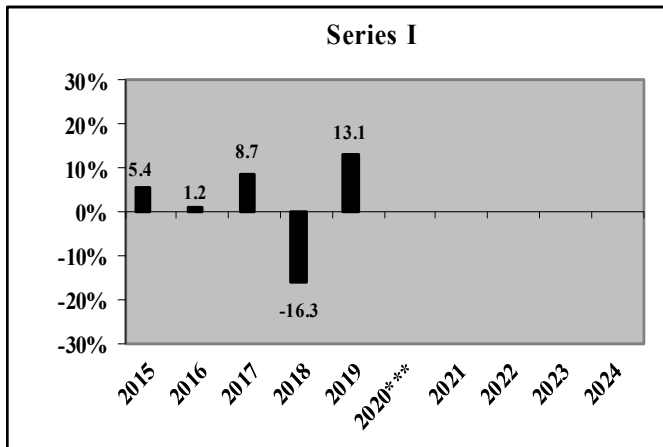
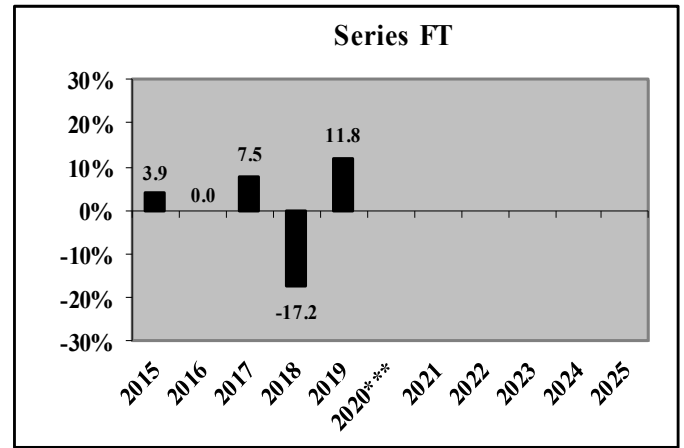
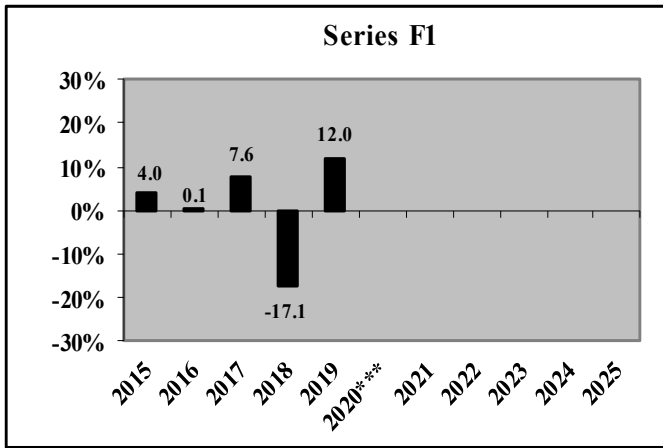
Year-by-Year Returns

The following charts indicate the performance of each Series of the Fund for the period ended June 30, 2025 and each of the previous years ended December 31 shown, unless otherwise indicated. 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 Series in any period in which there were no outstanding units as at the end of the period.



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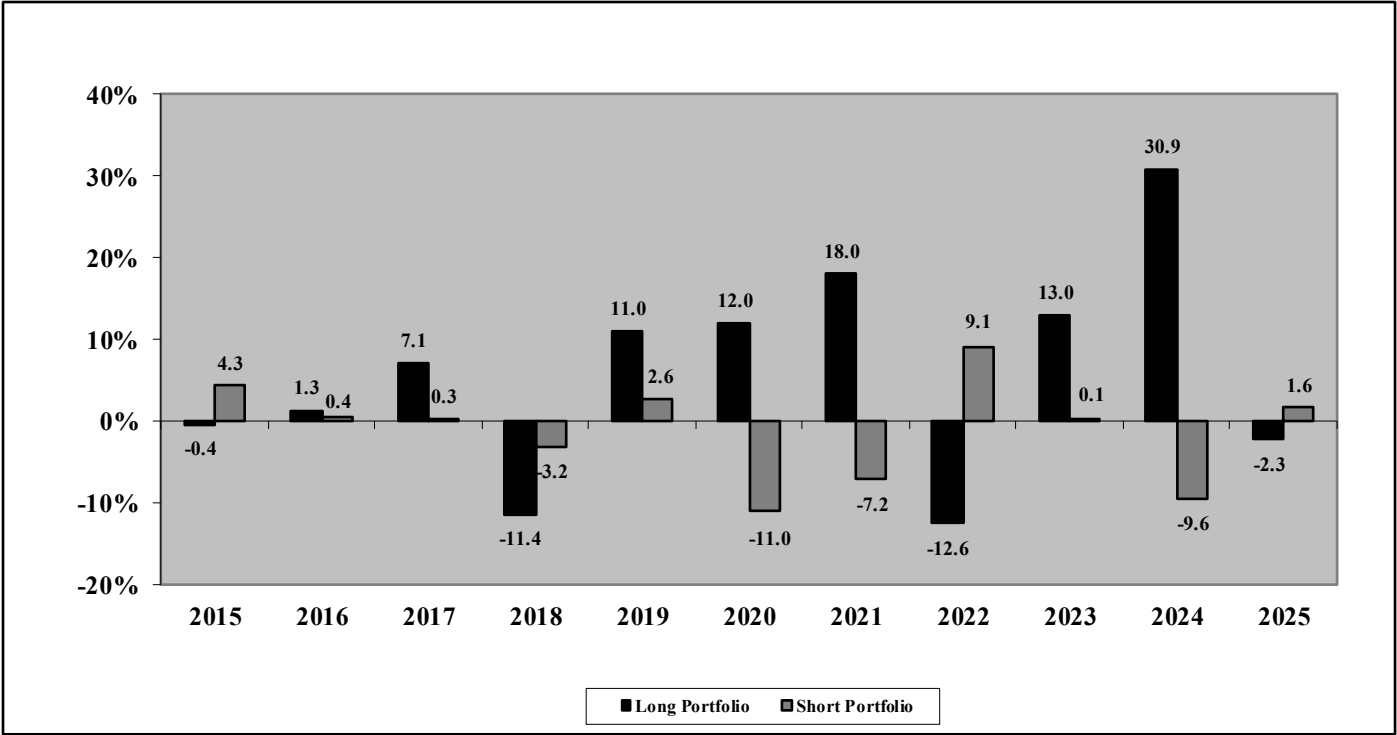
- * Return from the period August 29, 2018 (first issuance) to December 31, 2018 for Series QF units (not annualized).
- ** Return from the period April 12, 2019 (first issuance) to December 31, 2019 for Series D units (not annualized). All outstanding Series QF units were fully redeemed during the year ended December 31, 2019.
- *** All outstanding Series A1 units, Series F1 units, Series FT units, Series I units and Series T units were fully redeemed during the year ended December 31, 2020.
- **** All outstanding Series D units were fully redeemed during the year ended December 31, 2021.
- ***** Return from March 1, 2022 (re-subscription) to December 31, 2022 for Series D units (not annualized).

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Long and Short Portfolio Returns

The following chart illustrates the contribution to the return of the Fund by the long portfolio and the short portfolio of the Fund (before the impact of Fund expenses) for the period ended June 30, 2025 and each of the previous years ended December 31 shown, unless otherwise indicated. For the purposes of this disclosure, certain derivatives may be considered to be part of the short portfolio.



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Summary of Investment Portfolio

As at June 30, 2025

Portfolio Allocation

	% of Net Asset Value
Long Positions	
Funds	98.6
Communication Services	2.0
Information Technology	0.0
Total Long Positions	100.6
Cash	0.3
Other Net Liabilities	(0.9)
Total Net Asset Value	100.0

All Long Positions

Issuer	% of Net Asset Value
SPDR S&P 500 ETF Trust	98.6
Hootsuite Media Inc., Preferred Shares	2.0
Cash	0.3
Baanto International Limited	0.0
All long positions as a percentage of Net Asset Value	100.9

The Fund held no short positions as at June 30, 2025.

This summary of investment portfolio may change due to the ongoing portfolio transactions of the Fund. Quarterly updates of the Fund's investment portfolio are available on the Internet at www.ninepoint.com. The prospectus and other information on the underlying investment funds are available on the Internet at www.sedarplus.ca.

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