# Managed Yield Private Portfolio



The Managed Yield Private Portfolio aims to provide investors with stable, tax efficient returns. It focuses on dividend paying securities. The objective of the fund is to provide long term returns in-line with a 'growth' benchmark while maintaining a reduced level of volatility. This portfolio will:

> Target tax efficient income generation

> Only hold exchange listed securities

- > Focus on value oriented Canadian & global equities
- > Diversify using exchange traded & closed end funds
- > Aim to capitalize on inefficiencies within the closed end market



### Portfolio Performance

	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Since Inception
Performance*	4.7%	5.6%	17.7%	11.6%	8.4%	9.7%
Benchmark	4.7%	5.8%	11.8%	12.2%	8.7%	8.8%

# Portfolio Information

Inception	April 1, 2012
Portfolio Income Yield	3.8%
Distributions Made	\$7,100
Initial Investment	\$40,000
Quarter End Valuation	\$84,369
Portfolio Manager	John (Jay) D. Nash, BA, CIM®, FCSI®

Composition of the benchmark: NBFWM Growth Benchmark is composed of 5% 91-Day Government of Canada T-Bills; 30% FTSE TMX Canada Universe, 22% S&P/TSX TR, 22%; S&P 500 \$CAD TR Index; 11% MSCI EAFE TR Index; & 10% Alternative (made up of hedge funds, global infrastructure and gold)

- All reported data presented includes the cash balance set aside and available for investment in securities within the private portfolio. NBF statements exclude cash amounts from listed holdings in the section dedicated to the private portfolio.

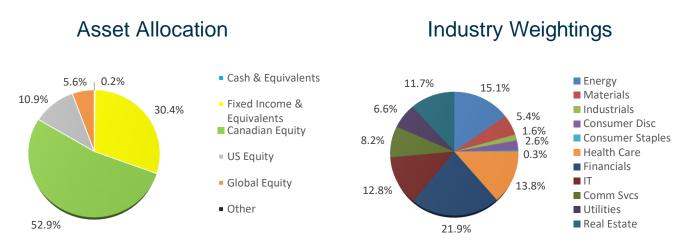
\*Returns presented are before management fees; Figures beyond 1 year are annualized.





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#### Management Commentary – NBF Chief Economist Martin Lefebvre

"[The current] backdrop remains supportive for risk assets, with corporate earnings growth set to remain strong, while Treasury yields should trend higher. That said, we should expect returns closer to historical averages and more volatility as significant uncertainty surrounds this base-case outlook. The arrival of Omicron suggests greater downside risks, with a tidal wave of hospitalizations forcing new severe lockdowns and exacerbating economic imbalances representing the most bearish scenario. Persistent price pressures leading to earlier and faster monetary tightening also remain a key risk factor for 2022.

Under these circumstances, we are starting the year with a continued preference for equity markets over fixed-income securities. Geographically, we favour North American stocks, which offer diversified exposure to all sectors of the economy. U.S. equities provide added resilience, notably due to the lack of political will for new severe public health restrictions south of the border. With Omicron and inflation both clouding the outlook, how policymakers react to these two challenges will be the determining factors behind market performance over upcoming quarters."

## Transactions

Added	Increased	Decreased	Removed
Sienna Senior Living (SIA)	Slate Grocery REIT (SGR.UN)	Suncor energy (SU)	Absolute Software (ABST)
Whitecap Resources (WCP)	Algonquin Power (AQN)	Mackenzie Unconstrained Bond ETF (MUB	iShares Conservative
Brompton Flaherty & Crumin Preferred ETF (BPRF)	Medical Facilities (DR)	·	Strategic Income ETF (XSE)

Savaria Corp (SIS)







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