# **NBI High Yield Bond Fund**

Category: High Yield Fixed Income

# **NATIONAL BANK** INVESTMENTS

# **Investment Objective**

To achieve high total income return. The fund invests primarily in High Yield debt securities of foreign (U.S.A. and Western Europe) and Canadian companies, such as corporate bonds with medium to long terms. The fund may also invest in convertible debentures, prefered shares and mortgage-backed securities.

#### **Fund Details**

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|---------------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Less than<br>1 year | At least<br>1 year     | At least 3 years | At least<br>5 years |  |  |  |  |
| Fund volatility     |                        |                  |                     |  |  |  |  |

| Fund volatility |               |        |                   |      |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------|---------------|--------|-------------------|------|--|--|--|--|
| Low             | Low to medium | Medium | Medium<br>to high | High |  |  |  |  |
|                 |               |        |                   |      |  |  |  |  |

Minimum Initial Investment: \$500 \$50 Subsequent Investment: Systematic Investment: \$25 Distribution Frequency: Monthly Assets Under Management (\$M): \$1,055.5 Price per Unit: \$6.11 Inception Date: February 8, 2002 Value of \$10,000 over 10 years: \$11,942 Benchmark Index:

> ICE BofAML US Cash Pay High Yield Index

> > NBC5613

Management Fee: 1.50% MER: 1.76% Portfolio Manager:

Sub-Advisor: National Bank Trust Inc.

# Management Fee Reduction Plan<sup>1</sup>

## For High Net Worth investors **Amount Applicable**

| Level | to the level*          | Reduction |  |  |
|-------|------------------------|-----------|--|--|
| 1     | First \$250,000        | 0.050%    |  |  |
| 2     | Next \$250,000         | 0.100%    |  |  |
| 3     | In excess of \$500,000 | 0.150%    |  |  |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Subject to satisfying one of the Plan admissibility criteria.

# **Available Fund Code:**

Low Sales Charge

| Advisor Series        |         |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Initial Sales Charge  | NBC413  |
| Deferred Sales Charge | NBC513  |
| Low Sales Charge      | NBC613  |
| F Series              | NBC713  |
| F5 Series             | NBC5713 |
| O Series              | NBC313  |
| T5 Series             |         |
| Initial Sales Charge  | NBC5413 |
| Deferred Sales Charge | NBC5513 |

# **Portfolio Asset Mix** (% of Net Assets)



# **Credit Rating**

BBB

BB

| В                            | 28.56 |
|------------------------------|-------|
| CCC                          | 14.20 |
| С                            | 0.26  |
| Average Duration (Years)     | 2.88  |
| Average Maturity (Years)     | 4.13  |
| Gross Yield to Maturity (%)+ |       |

## Top Holdings (%)

| Total Number of Securities Held:                        | 632  |
|---|------|
| Total of Top Holdings of the Fund<br>(% of Net Assets): | 9.30 |
| Bausch Health Cos Inc 4.88% 01-Jun-<br>2028             | 0.60 |
| CCO Holdings LLC 4.25% 01-Feb-2031                      | 0.66 |
| Mauser Packaging Sltns Hldg Co 7.88%<br>15-Apr-2027     | 0.70 |
| Ford Motor Credit Co LLC 4.54% 01-<br>Jun-2026          | 0.74 |
| Dish Network Corp 11.75% 15-Nov-<br>2027                | 0.74 |
| CCO Holdings LLC 5.00% 01-Feb-2028                      | 0.78 |
| Intelsat Jackson Holdings SA 6.50% 15-<br>Mar-2030      | 0.93 |
| Cooper-Standard Automotive Inc<br>13.50% 31-Mar-2027    | 1.19 |
| CCO Holdings LLC 4.75% 01-Mar-2030                      | 1.28 |
| DISH DBS Corp 5.88% 15-Nov-2024                         | 1.68 |

# Allocation by Maturity (%)

| Short Term | 53.54 |
|------------|-------|
| Mid Term   | 46.24 |
| Long Term  | 0.22  |

## Calendar Returns (%)

Gross Current Yield (%)‡

|      | •    |        |      |       |       |       |  |
|------|------|--------|------|-------|-------|-------|--|
| YTD  | 2023 | 2022   | 2021 | 2020  | 2019  | 2018  |  |
| 2.77 | 9.55 | -11.17 | 3.42 | -0.37 | 11.92 | -5.70 |  |

6.66

50.32

6.53

# **Annualized Returns (%)**

|       |        | . ,    |      |       |       |       |           |
|-------|--------|--------|------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|
| 1     | 3      | 6      | 1    | 3     | 5     | 10    | Since     |
| month | months | months | year | years | years | years | Inception |
| 2.24  | 3.57   | 3 45   | 8.21 | -0.10 | 1.22  | 1.79  | 3.91      |

‡Annual income paid by a bond or a stock, expressed as a percentage of its current market price. It does not include any capital gains or losses that may be realized upon maturity.

<sup>\*</sup> The levels apply according to the market value of the

<sup>†</sup>The rate of return anticipated on a bond if it is held until the maturity date expressed as an annual rate. It is assumed that all coupons are reinvested at the same rate.

As at July 31, 2024

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## **Disclosure**

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