

# NBI SmartBeta Low Volatility Global Equity Fund

Advisor Series  
Category: Global Equity

## Investment Objective

To provide long-term capital growth. The fund invests directly, or through investments in securities of other mutual funds, in a portfolio composed mainly of equity securities of companies located around the world that are selected using quantitative analysis of risk factors.

## Fund Details

### Investment horizon

Less than 1 year	At least 1 year	At least 3 years	<b>At least 5 years</b>
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### Fund volatility

Low	<b>Low to medium</b>	Medium	Medium to high	High
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Style	Sector Deviation	Market Capitalization
Value	Minimal	Small
Blend	Moderate	Mid
Growth	<b>Wide</b>	<b>Large</b>

<b>Minimum Initial Investment:</b>	\$500
<b>Subsequent Investment:</b>	\$50
<b>Systematic Investment:</b>	\$25
<b>Distribution Frequency:</b>	Annually
<b>Assets Under Management (\$M):</b>	\$684.2
<b>Price per Unit:</b>	\$12.96
<b>Inception Date:</b>	October 30, 2015
<b>Value of \$10,000 since inception:</b>	\$16,244

### Benchmark Index:

MSCI World

### Management Fee:

1.75%

### MER:

2.09%

### Portfolio Manager:

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

\* The levels apply according to the market value of the assets.

## Available Fund Code:

### Advisor Series

Initial Sales Charge	NBC498
Deferred Sales Charge	NBC598
Low Sales Charge	NBC698

### F Series

NBC798

## Portfolio Asset Mix (% of Net Assets)



United States	60.99%
European Union	17.12%
Japan	7.47%
Other	4.01%
Multi-National	3.54%
Canada	3.49%
Asia/Pacific Rim	3.03%
Latin America	0.35%

## Top Holdings (%)

iShares MSCI Global Min Vol Factor ETF (ACWV)	3.54
General Mills Inc	1.63
Newmont Corp	1.21
Kroger Co	1.01
Kraft Heinz Co	0.89
Johnson & Johnson	0.80
Consolidated Edison Inc	0.76
Bristol-Myers Squibb Co	0.74
Exxon Mobil Corp	0.70
Duke Energy Corp	0.69
<b>Total of Top Holdings of the Fund (% of Net Assets):</b>	<b>11.97</b>
<b>Total Number of Securities Held:</b>	<b>498</b>

## Sector Allocation (%)

Consumer Goods & Services	24.66
Healthcare	16.69
Utilities	13.64
Industrial Goods & Services	11.15
Financial Services	10.86
Telecommunications	5.29
Basic Materials	4.25
Technology	3.77
Energy	3.62
Exchange Traded Fund	3.55
Real Estate	2.00
Other	0.52

Dividend Yield (Trailing Yield) 2.66

## Calendar Returns (%)

YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
13.09	6.06	-5.19	8.58	5.83	13.43	-0.55

## Annualized Returns (%)

1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since Inception
6.40	6.84	11.24	15.96	5.47	6.48	-	5.70

As at July 31, 2024

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