

# Manulife Global Balanced Fund

Advisor Series • Performance as at August 31, 2023 • Holdings as at July 31, 2023

## Overview

### Overall Morningstar Rating<sup>1</sup>



### Key Facts

**Inception date:** August 1, 2013  
**AUM<sup>2</sup>:** \$6.19B  
**CIFSC category:** Global Neutral Balanced  
**Distribution frequency<sup>3</sup>:** Quarterly  
**Distribution yield<sup>4</sup>:** 0.51%  
**Positions:** 638  
**Management fee:** 1.81%  
**MER:** 2.26% (as at 2022-12-31, includes HST)  
**Min. investment:** \$500 initial; \$25 PAC  
**Fund Status:** Open  
**Risk:** Low to Medium



### Equity Characteristics

P/E Ratio	19.85
P/B Ratio	3.77
P/CF Ratio	11.52
ROE	31.01%
Average Market Cap	\$77.15B
Dividend Yield	2.15%

### Equity Style Box<sup>5</sup>

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Medium	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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	Value	Blend	Growth

The fund's portfolio is biased toward large-cap blend stocks.

### Fund Codes (MMF)

Series	FE	LL2	LL3	DSC	NL
Advisor	4535	4368	4735	4435	—
Advisor - DCA	24535	24368	24735	24435	—
F	—	—	—	—	4635
F - DCA	—	—	—	—	24635
FT6	—	—	—	—	4135
T6	9816	9968	9916	9516	—

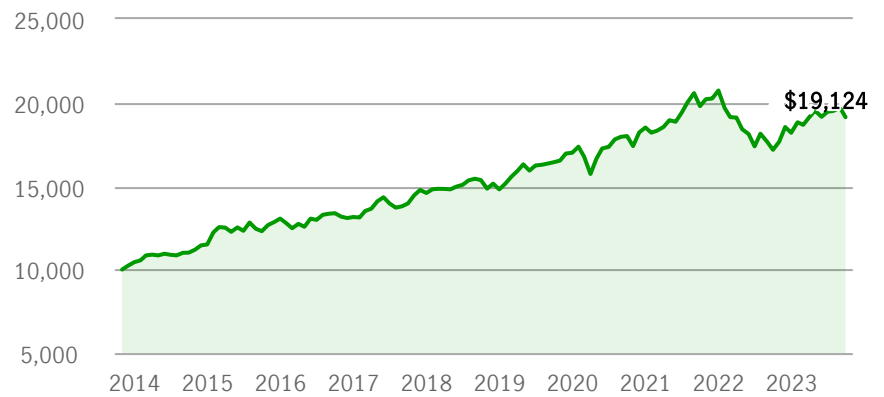
DSC/LL2/LL3 load options are available for switches only and are not available for new purchases.

## Why invest?

- An unconstrained global equity component with maximum flexibility utilizing Mawer Investment Management's proven "boring" philosophy and process
- Seeks to provide significant global diversification from both a geographic and sector perspective
- Fixed income component couples the stability of Canadian government debt with the flexibility of global issuers of any investment grade

## Performance

### Growth of \$10,000 since inception<sup>6</sup>



### Calendar Returns (%)

2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
—	10.17	13.47	0.73	10.94	1.49	14.83	8.89	11.99	-12.23

### Compound Returns (%)

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	15 Yrs	20 Yrs	Inception
0.99	2.89	5.54	8.30	11.52	3.15	4.99	7.46	—	—	7.32

Risk Measures (5 yr.)	Standard Deviation (%)	Sortino Ratio	Sharpe Ratio	Alpha	Beta	R-Squared (%)
Fund	9.20	0.81	0.17	-1.44	0.99	93.49
Benchmark <sup>7</sup>	9.22	1.14	0.34	—	—	—

## Management

### Sub Advisor:

Mawer Investment Management Ltd.



Greg Peterson



Paul Moroz

## Annual Distributions <sup>3</sup>

	Income	Dividends	Capital Gains	Return of Capital	Total
2022	—	\$0.00	\$0.39	—	\$0.57
2021	\$0.10	\$0.00	\$0.42	—	\$0.52
2020	\$0.07	\$0.01	\$0.10	—	\$0.18
2019	\$0.11	\$0.01	—	\$0.04	\$0.17
2018	\$0.10	\$0.01	\$0.11	—	\$0.22
2017	\$0.04	\$0.00	—	—	\$0.04
2016	\$0.03	\$0.00	\$0.01	—	\$0.04

## Management Fee Reduction Rates <sup>8</sup>

Account/Household Value Tiers	All Qualifying Investments
\$250K+ to \$499K	2.50 basis points
\$500K+ to \$999K	5.00 basis points
\$1M+ to \$4.9M	7.50 basis points
\$5M+ to \$9.9M	10.00 basis points
\$10M+	12.50 basis points

## Recent Developments

On March 1, 2022, we reduced the management fees on some series of this fund. For more information, refer to the Press Release

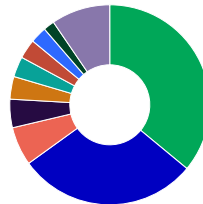
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## Top 10 Holdings (%) <sup>9</sup>

1. Marsh & McLennan Cos. Com	2.89
2. Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc. Com	2.31
3. Microsoft Corp. Com	2.27
4. Wolters Kluwer N.V. Shs	2.24
5. CANADIAN TREASURY BILL 31AUG23 TBILL	2.24
6. Publicis Groupe S.A. Shs	2.14
7. CANADIAN TREASURY BILL 03AUG23 TBILL	2.14
8. CGI Inc. Cl A Sub Vtg	2.09
9. Aon PLC Shs Cl A	2.07
10. Gov. of Canada, 10/12/2023	1.94

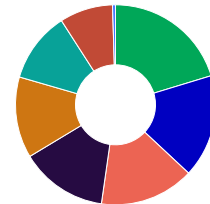
## Portfolio Allocation

### Geographic Allocation (%)



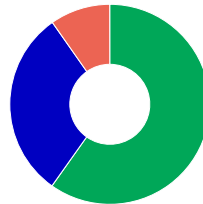
36.00	United States
29.06	Canada
6.25	United Kingdom
4.60	Netherlands
3.67	France
3.30	Switzerland
3.12	Germany
2.69	Ireland
1.79	Japan
9.52	Other

### Sector Allocation (Equities) (%)



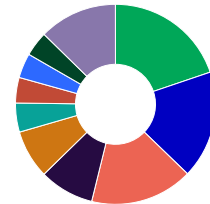
20.30	Industrials
16.67	Information Technology
15.29	Financials
14.12	Health Care
13.11	Consumer Staples
11.43	Consumer Discretionary
8.61	Communication Services
0.47	Materials

### Asset Allocation (%)



59.83	Equities
30.45	Fixed Income
9.73	Cash and Equivalents

### Fixed Income Allocation (%)



19.80	Canadian Provincial Bonds
17.43	Canadian Investment Grade Bonds
16.61	U.S. High Yield Bonds
8.85	Canadian Government Bonds
7.83	International High Yield Bonds
4.70	Floating Rate Bank Loans
4.11	U.S. Corporate Bonds
4.01	International Corporate Bonds
4.00	U.S. Investment Grade Bonds
12.67	Other

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Manulife Global Balanced Fund within the Canada Fund Global Neutral Balanced category: 1 year period, n/a stars & 1579 funds, 3 year period, 3 stars & 1307 funds, 5 year period, 4 stars & 1134 funds, 10 year period, 5 stars & 565 funds. Funds are ranked by their Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return scores with the top 10% of funds in a category receiving 5 stars, the top 22.5% receiving 4 stars; a fund in the middle 35% receiving 3 stars; a fund in the next 22.5% receiving 2 stars and a fund in the bottom 10% receiving 1 star. The Overall Star Rating for a fund is a weighted combination of its 3, 5 and 10 year ratings. Overall ratings are adjusted where a fund has less than 5 or 10 years of history. Please refer to [www.morningstar.ca](http://www.morningstar.ca) for greater detail on the calculation of the Star Ratings.
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7. The benchmark for this fund is comprised of the 60% MSCI World Total Return Index (CAD) (the "MSCI World Index"), 20% FTSE Canada Universe Bond Total Return Index (the "FTSE Index") and 20% Bloomberg Barclays Global Aggregate Corporate Index (CAD)
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