

SCOTIABANK ALTERNATIVE MUTUAL FUND INDEX

The Scotiabank Alternative Mutual Fund Index tracks the performance of the Canadian Alternative Mutual Fund universe. Returns are calculated monthly on an equal-weighted basis. Index constituents are limited to funds that are classified as Alternative Mutual Funds, as defined in National Instrument 81-102. Given the emerging nature of liquid alternatives, there is no minimum track record, or AUM, required for inclusion in the Index at this time. We are currently tracking the performance of 55 Alternative Mutual Funds, evenly split across equity and credit focused strategies. We are continuing to add new constituents as the marketplace grows.

The Scotiabank Alternative Mutual Fund Index ended February 2021 up 1.60% MOM on an Equal-Weighted basis.

Index Summary

| *Month End February 2021 | Value | Return MoM | Return YTD | Rolling 12 Mth | Sharpe Ratio^ | Correlation to S&P 500^ | Correlation to S&P/TSX 60^ |
|---|-----------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Scotiabank Alternative Mutual Fund Index Equal-Weighted | 1,131.23 | 1.60% | 2.37% | 7.05% | 0.77 | 0.88 | 0.88 |
| S&P/TSX Composite | 18,060.26 | 4.17% | 3.60% | | | | |
| S&P/TSX 60 Total Return | 3,205.63 | 4.77% | 4.39% | 17. 0 8% | | | |
| S&P 500 (CAD-adjusted) | 4,854.64 | 2.30% | 1.36% | | | | |
| S&P 500 (Total Return in USD) | 7,892.81 | 2.70% | 1.72% | 31.03% | | | |
| DEX 91 Day Treasury Bill Index | 421.17 | -0.01% | 0.00% | | | | |
| DEX Universe Bond Index | 1,172.91 | -2.50% | -3.56% | | | | |

Values are calculated monthly

Sub-Index Performance

Alternative Equity Focused - Equal-Weighted

| | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | Мау | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | YTD |
|----------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|--------------|
| 2021 | 1.12% | 3.54% | | | | | | | | | | | 4.70% |
| 2020 | - | - | - | 7.10% | 2.37% | 0.52% | 3.13% | 1.60% | -0.98% | -1.07% | 4.53% | 2.61% | N/A* |
| ernative | Credit Fo | cused · | Equa | l-Weight | ted | | | | | | | | |
| ernative | Credit Fo _{Jan} | cused · _{Feb} | - Equa _{Mar} | I-Weight Apr | ted May | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | YTD |
| 2021 | | | • | • | | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Nov | Dec | YTD 0.679 |

*2020 YTD data not available. Data for sub-indices has only been calculated since April 2020.

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Historical Monthly Returns

Scotiabank Alternative Mutual Fund Index – Equal-Weighted

| _ | | Jan | Feb | Mar | Apr | Мау | Jun | Jul | Aug | Sep | Oct | Νον | Dec | YTD |
|---|------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 2021 | 0.76% | 1.60% | | | | | | | | | | | 2.37% |
| | 2020 | 0.49% | -2.70% | -6.61% | 4.59% | 1.76% | 0.70% | 2.49% | 0.88% | -0.68% | -0.61% | 2.79% | 2.19% | 4.91% |
| | 2019 | 1.60% | 0.69% | 0.81% | 0.82% | -1.11% | 0.72% | 0.37% | 0.13% | -0.14% | -0.14% | 1.16% | 0.33% | 5.33% |

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Index Constituents

| Accelerate Arbitrage Fund | EHP Advantage Alternative Fund Class A | Picton Mahoney Fortified Income Alternative Fund A |
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| Accelerate Enhanced Canadian Benchmark Alternative Fund | EHP Advantage International Alternative Fund A | Picton Mahoney Fortified Long Short Alternative Fund A |
| Accelerate OneChoice Alternative Portfolio ETF | EHP Foundation Alternative Fund Class A | Picton Mahoney Fortified Market Neutral Alternative Fund A |
| Accelerate Private Equity Alpha Fund | EHP Foundation International Alternative Fund A | Picton Mahoney Fortified Multi-Strategy Alternative Fund A |
| AGFiQ US Market Neutral Anti-Beta CAD-Hedged ETF | EHP Global Arbitrage Alternative Fund A | Purpose Diversified Real Asset Fund Series A CAD |
| Arrow Canadian Advantage Alternative Class A | EHP Select Alternative Fund Class A | Purpose Multi Strategy Market Neutral Fund Series A CAD |
| Arrow EC Income Advantage Alternative Fund Class A | Fidelity Long / Short Alternative Fund Series F5 | Russell Investments Yield Opportunities Pool F CAD |
| Arrow Global Advantage Alternative Fund Class A | Fidelity Market Neutral Alternative Fund Series F | Sunlife Opportunistic Fixed Income Private Pool Series A (FE) |
| CC&L Alternative Canadian Equity Fund, Series A | Forge First Conservative Alternative Fund - Series A | Venator Alternative Income Fund Class A |
| CC&L Alternative Global Equity Fund, Series A | Forge First Long / Short Alternative Fund - Series A | Vision Alternative Income Fund Class A |
| CC&L Alternative Income Fund, Series A | Lawrence Park Alternative Investment Grade Credit Fund A | YTM Capital Fixed Income Alternative Fund Series A |
| CI Marret Alternative Absolute Return Bond Strategy ETF | Lysander-Canso Credit Opportunities Fund Series A | |
| CI Marret Alternative Enhanced Yield Fund Class A | Mackenzie Credit Absolute Return Fund Series A | |
| CI Munro Alternative Global Growth ETF | Mackenzie Global Macro Fund Series A | |
| CIBC Multi-Asset Absolute Return Strategy | Mackenzie Multi-Strategy Absolute Return Fund Series A | |
| Desjardins Alt Long/Short Equity Market Neutral ETF (DANC) | Marret Alternative Absolute Return Bond Fund Class A | |
| Dynamic Alpha Performance II Fund - Series A | Munro Alternative Global Growth Class A | |
| Dynamic Credit Absolute Return II - Series A | NBI Liquid Alternatives ETF | |
| Dynamic Liquid Alternatives Private Pool - Series A | NewGen Alternative Income Fund Class F | |
| Dynamic Premium Yield PLUS Fund - Series A | Picton Mahoney Arbitrage Fund B | |
| Dynamic Real Estate & Infrastructure Income II Fund Series A | Picton Mahoney Fortified Active Extension Alternative Fund A | |
| Dynamic Retirement Income+ Fund Class A | Picton Mahoney Fortified Arbitrage Plus Alternative Fund A | |

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