# FUND OVERVIEW

The objective of the NewGen Credit Strategies Fund is to maximize absolute returns for unitholders over the typical corporate credit cycle by providing a combination of income and capital gains while minimizing the volatility of returns. The Fund will invest primarily in a concentrated but appropriately diversified portfolio of North American corporate bonds issued by non-investment grade publicly traded corporations and may also invest in other types of credit securities such as term loans, convertible bonds, preferred equity, and common equity securities.

## STRATEGY

The Manager will utilize a value-based fundamental credit research process to identify attractive risk adjusted return opportunities in individual investments within a diversified portfolio. The Manager has the belief that a subset of securities within the North American corporate credit universe can from time-to-time be priced inefficiently relatively to their true credit risk. The Manager will attempt to identify and exploit these inefficiencies through active management to generate total investment returns that do not track credit market indices or other high yield mutual funds in the same category. The Fund will invest primarily in North American corporate credit securities as well as other instruments. This can include, but is not limited to high yield bonds, investment grade corporate bonds, government bonds, term loans, structured products, preferred shares, common shares, exchange traded funds, derivative products and other income generating securities. Approximately 75% of the assets of the mutual fund may be invested in foreign securities.

# MONTHLY COMMENTARY

The NewGen Credit Strategies Fund (Class C) was 1.28% in March (4.74% YTD). Top contributors to performance included Dye & Durham DNDNCN 3.75% 2026 Convertibles, Brookfield Office Properties Preferred Shares and BMO Preferred Share – BMO.PR.S. Detractors included Arko Corporation ARKO 5.125% 29 Unsecured Bonds, Advance Auto Parts AAP 3.90% 2030 Unsecured Bonds and Risk Overlay.

## MONTHLY PORTFOLIO RETURNS

GROWTH OF \$10,000 INVESTED SINCE INCEPTION

		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year
2023	NG CS C	4.44%	1.07%	2.24%	0.65%	-0.07%	1.04%	1.17%	0.53%	0.21%	-1.38%	2.71%	1.58%	14.99%
	Benchmark*	3.36%	-0.59%	-0.23%	0.54%	-1.28%	1.83%	1.64%	0.01%	-0.72%	-1.47%	3.41%	3.59%	10.37%
2024	NG CS C	2.57%	0.83%	1.28%										4.74%
	Benchmark*	0.00%	0.60%	1.18%										1.79%

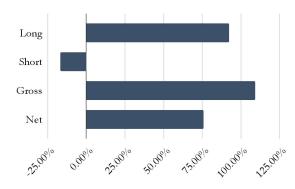
# \$14,000.00 \$12,000.00 \$10,000.00 \$8,000.00 2023-01 2023-04 2023-07 2023-10 2024-01 - Class C - Benchmark\*

DATA SINCE INCEPTION	Fund	Benchmark*		
Annualized Performance	16.04%	9.76%		
Year-To-Date	4.74%	1.79%		
One-Year	11.60%	9.60%		
Standard Deviation	4.56%	5.60%		
Downside Standard Deviation	1.19%	1.67%		
Sharpe Ratio (RFR=4.75%)	2.48	0.90		
Sortino Ratio (RFR=4.75%)	9.48	3.00		
Correlation vs Bench	68.59%	100.00%		
Beta Coefficient to Bench	0.56	1.00		
Jensen's Alpha (RFR=4.75%)	8.49%	-		
Positive Months	86.67%	66.67%		
Avg. Monthly Gain	1.56%	1.62%		
Avg. Monthly Loss	-0.73%	-0.86%		
Avg. Upside Capture vs Bench	103.77%	100.00%		
Avg. Downside Capture vs Bench	-48.14%	100.00%		

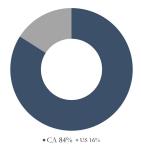
\*Benchmark is 50% weighted US HY Total Return index and 50% weighted Event Driven HF index.



## Portfolio Exposure



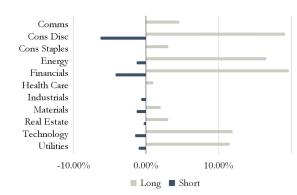
## **PORTFOLIO EXPOSURE BY COUNTRY**



#### Key Information

AUM	\$52.2 million
Fund Inception	January 2023
FundSERV Code	NEW707
Minimum Investment	\$500
Management Fee	0.75%
Performance Fee	15%
Risk Rating	Medium
Legal Advisor	McMillan LLP
Administrator	SGGG Fund Services
Auditor	Deloitte LLP
Prime Broker	TD Securities
Custodian	TD Securities

## **PORTFOLIO EXPOSURE BY SECTOR**



#### **EXPOSURES BY STRATEGY**



• Liquidity 24% • Core Corporate 36% • Event Driven 30% • Special Sits 19%



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#### **FOOTNOTES & DISCLAIMERS**

Standard deviation is a form of hypothetical performance data; Sharpe Ratio, Sortino Ratio and Jensen's Alpha are hypothetical measures of excess return and we assume a risk-free rate of 1.5% in their calculations

This monthly distribution is fixed but not guaranteed and may be adjusted from time to time at the discretion of the fund manager

The Fund's current annualized yield is calculated based on the most recent monthly distribution assuming reinvestment, divided by the most recent month-end NAV

Portfolio exposures are all calculated as of the most recent calendar quarter-end

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