

# Mawer Tax Effective Balanced Fund (Series A)

As at June 30, 2019

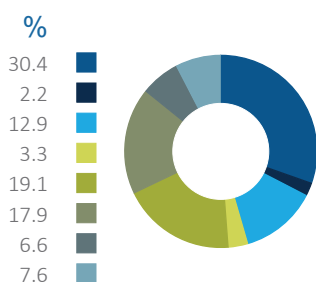
Morningstar Rating™: ★★★★★

## Fund Details

Fund Managers:	Steven Visscher, CFA
Date Series Started:	February 26, 1988
Fund Net Asset Value (Series A, O):	\$1,253.7 million
Total Net Asset Value (Series A):	\$920.5 million
Net Asset Value Per Unit:	\$37.42
Number of Holdings <sup>1,3</sup> :	244
Number of Countries <sup>2,3</sup> :	30
RRSP Eligibility	Yes
Management Expense Ratio:	0.89% (as at Dec 31, 2018)
Trading Expense Ratio <sup>4</sup> :	0.03% (as at Dec 31, 2018)
Fund Code:	MAW105
Minimum Investment:	\$5,000

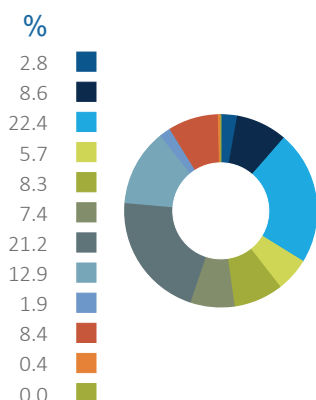
## Asset Mix<sup>1</sup>

	%
Canadian Fixed Income	30.4
Global Fixed Income	2.2
Canadian Large Cap	12.9
Canadian Small Cap	3.3
US Equity	19.1
International Equity	17.9
Global Small Cap	6.6
Cash & Cash Equivalents	7.6



## Equity Sector Weights<sup>2</sup>

	%
Energy	2.8
Materials	8.6
Industrials	22.4
Consumer Discretionary	5.7
Consumer Staples	8.3
Health Care	7.4
Financials	21.2
Information Technology	12.9
Real Estate	1.9
Communication Services	8.4
Utilities	0.4
Other	0.0



## What Does The Fund Invest In?

The fund may invest up to all of its assets in equity and equity-related securities, treasury bills, short-term notes, debentures and bonds from Canadian, U.S. and international issuers or in other funds managed by Mawer. They can be of any size and from any industry.

## Investor Suitability

Investors seeking long-term growth at medium risk with tax effectiveness.

## Investment Strategy

The Manager's traditional equity approach of systematically buying wealth creating companies at a discount to intrinsic value is used to construct the equity part of the portfolio. The fixed income part of the portfolio follows our traditional fixed income approach of focusing on sector allocation, security selection, and trading strategies. For asset mix, the Manager analyzes which combination of asset classes is most likely to offer the most attractive risk/return characteristics within a medium to long-term time frame, and carries out asset mix changes gradually to reduce risk. The manager minimizes taxes through the application of a tax overlay strategy, with the objective to minimize taxable distributions.

## Net Performance (%)<sup>5</sup>

	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr
Mawer Tax Effective Balanced Fund	7.1	7.4	7.7	9.9
Internal Tax Effective Benchmark <sup>6</sup>	4.0	6.7	6.1	7.8
Morningstar Rating	4	4	4	5
Number of Funds in Morningstar Category Global Neutral Balanced	1,709	1,145	814	330

## Top 25 Holdings<sup>1</sup>

	% Weight
Cash & Cash Equivalents	7.6
Mawer Global Small Cap Fund Series O	6.6
Mawer Global Bond Fund Series O	2.2
Canada Housing Trust No. 1 1.25% 15-jun-2021	1.1
Government Of Canada 1.0% 01-jun-2027	1.1
Government Of Canada 4.0% 01-jun-2041	1.0
Province Of Ontario 3.45% 02-jun-2045	1.0
Aon plc	1.0
Verisk Analytics Inc	0.9
Government Of Canada 3.5% 01-dec-2045	0.9
Marsh & McLennan Companies, Inc.	0.9
Canada Housing Trust No. 1 2.25% 15-dec-2025	0.9
Government Of Canada 1.5% 01-jun-2023	0.8
Visa Inc. Class A	0.8
Government Of Canada 2.75% 01-jun-2022	0.8
Wolters Kluwer NV	0.7
Province Of Ontario 2.6% 02-jun-2027	0.7
Comcast Corporation Class A	0.7
Royal Bank of Canada	0.7
Toronto-Dominion Bank	0.7
Air Liquide SA	0.6
Alphabet Inc. Class C	0.6
Canadian Pacific Railway Limited	0.6
Becton, Dickinson and Company	0.6
Intertek Group plc	0.6

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- <sup>1</sup> Fund level exposure
- <sup>2</sup> Security level exposure
- <sup>3</sup> Equity and Fixed Income holdings, excluding cash
- <sup>4</sup> The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets during the year.
- <sup>5</sup> Performance has been presented for the A-series mutual funds and has been calculated net of fees. Performance has been expressed in Canadian dollars.
- <sup>6</sup> Mawer Tax Effective Balanced Benchmark History (changes made prospectively):
  - Jan 2011: 5% 91 Day Treasury Bill, 37.5% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond, 22.5% S&P/TSX Composite, 17.5% S&P 500, 17.5% MSCI EAFE (net)
  - Jan 2012: 5% 91 Day Treasury Bill, 35% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond, 15% S&P/TSX Composite, 15% S&P 500, 15% MSCI EAFE (net), 7.5% BMO Weighted Small Cap (Blended), 7.5% Russell Global Small Cap
  - Aug 2013: MSCI EAFE (net) returns is used to calculate the blended benchmark from inception. Previously, MSCI EAFE (gross) was used.
  - Oct 2015: 5% 91 Day Treasury Bill, 30% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond, 5% Citi WGBI, 15% S&P/TSX Composite, 7.5% BMO Small Cap (blended), 15% S&P 500, 15% MSCI EAFE (net), 7.5% Russell Global Small Cap
  - Oct 2016: 5% 91 Day Treasury Bill, 30% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond, 5% Citi WGBI, 15% S&P/TSX Composite, 7.5% S&P/TSX Small Cap, 15% S&P 500, 15% MSCI ACWI ex-USA (net), 7.5% MSCI ACWI Small Cap (net)

Rationale for Change: Changes were made to underlying asset class benchmarks as noted in above in the Equity Asset Class Tables. Because the benchmarks for the Mawer Tax Effective Balanced Fund are based on those of the underlying funds, the internal Balanced benchmark changes accordingly.

Mawer International Equity Benchmark History (changes made prospectively):

Jan 1988: MSCI EAFE (net)

Oct 2016: MSCI ACWI ex-USA (net)

Rationale for Change: MSCI ACWI (net) excluding US Index is a better representation of the mandate in our opinion. For example, the past benchmark does not include Emerging Markets whereas the fund has holdings in these markets consistent with its prospectus and investment policy statement.

Mawer New Canada Benchmark History (changes made prospectively):

Jan 1988: BMO Weighted Small Cap (Blended)

Oct 2016: S&P/TSX Small Cap

Rationale for Change: S&P/TSX SmallCap Index is a better benchmark in our opinion. For example, it provides better comparability, liquidity and a more readily available data set.

Mawer Global Small Cap Benchmark History (changes made prospectively):

Oct 2007: Russell Global Small Cap

Oct 2016: ACWI Small Cap (net)

Rationale for Change: MSCI ACWI (net) excluding US Index is a better representation of the mandate in our opinion. For example, the past benchmark does not include emerging markets whereas the fund has holdings in these markets consistent with its prospectus and investment policy statement.

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