

## **Annual Management Report of Fund Performance**

*For the Year Ended March 31, 2019*

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## Management Discussion of Fund Performance

June 3, 2019

This Management Discussion of Fund Performance presents the portfolio management team's view on the significant factors and developments during the period ended March 31, 2019, that have affected the ETF's performance and outlook. If the ETF was established during the period, "period" represents the period from inception to the end of the fiscal period. For information on the ETF's longer-term performance, as applicable, please refer to the *Past Performance* section of the report. In this report, "Mackenzie" refers to Mackenzie Financial Corporation, the manager of the ETF. In addition, net asset value ("NAV") refers to the value of the ETF as calculated for subscription and redemption purposes, on which the discussion of ETF performance is based.

### Investment Objective and Strategies

The ETF seeks to replicate, to the extent reasonably possible and before fees and expenses, the performance of the TOBAM Maximum Diversification Emerging Index, or any successor thereto. It invests primarily in equity securities of emerging markets.

### Risk

The risks of the ETF remain as discussed in the ETF's Prospectus.

The ETF is suitable for medium- to long-term investors looking for an emerging markets global equity fund to hold as part of their portfolio, who can handle the volatility of stocks in emerging markets and who have a medium tolerance for risk.

### Results of Operations

#### Investment Performance

During the year, the ETF returned  $-4.1\%$  (after deducting fees and expenses). This compares with a return of  $-3.8\%$  for the ETF's broad-based index, the MSCI Emerging Markets (Net) Index, and a return of  $-4.3\%$  for the ETF's narrow index, the TOBAM Maximum Diversification Emerging Index. Effective March 1, 2019, the methodology of the narrow index changed to take into account the deduction of withholding tax from the foreign income and dividends of its constituents, which is more representative of how foreign income and dividends are taxed in the ETF. Applying the previous methodology for the full year, the narrow index return was also  $-4.3\%$ . All index returns are calculated on a total return basis in Canadian dollar terms. Investors cannot invest in an index without incurring fees, expenses and commissions, which are not reflected in the index returns.

Developing countries struggled over the year to achieve economic – and consequently market – growth, as they were weighed down by higher U.S. interest rates and a strengthening U.S. dollar. Chinese equities declined due to trade disputes and a slowing economy, but experienced a partial recovery in early 2019.

The ETF's core investment philosophy is to seek enhanced diversification through a balanced exposure to all relevant risk factors in the emerging equity markets. As a result of this approach, the ETF may have less concentrated risk exposures than those of a market capitalization weighted index, such as the broad-based index.

The ETF underperformed the broad-based index, with stock selection in Taiwan, Indonesia and South Korea detracting from performance. In sector terms, stock selection in industrials, health care and energy detracted. Conversely, overweight exposure to India and stock selection in South Africa and Mexico contributed to performance. In sector terms, stock selection in communication services, materials and consumer staples contributed. Given the ETF's mandate, the return of the narrow index is a more meaningful comparison.

The difference in performance between the ETF and the narrow index resulted from the ETF's sampling methodology, which replicates the performance of the narrow index by holding a representative subset of the securities included in the narrow index. Management fees and other operating expenses partially offset the positive impact of the sampling methodology.

Over the year, changes were made to the ETF's holdings to reflect changes in the composition of the narrow index.

### Net Assets

The ETF's NAV increased by 0.5% to \$114.7 million at March 31, 2019, from \$114.2 million at March 31, 2018. This change was composed primarily of \$7.5 million in net losses (after including dividend and interest income) from investment performance, after deducting fees and expenses, \$10.1 million in net sales, and \$2.0 million in cash distributions.

At March 31, 2019, 11.3% of the ETF's NAV was held as inventory by the ETF's designated broker primarily for the purpose of sales to investors in the secondary market. See also *Other Related Party Transactions* for the percentage of the ETF's NAV owned by related parties. As a result of these investments, the ETF is subject to large transaction risk as discussed in the Prospectus. Mackenzie manages this risk to reduce the possibility of any adverse effect on the ETF or on its investors, through such processes as settling transactions in kind, charging creation and/or redemption fees for transactions settling in cash, and establishing appropriate order cut-off times for transactions.

### Recent Developments

Because the ETF is an index fund, neither market expectations nor recent developments affect the composition of the portfolio.



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## Related Party Transactions

The following arrangements result in fees paid by the ETF to Mackenzie or to companies affiliated with the ETF.

### Management Fees

The management expense ratio ("MER") for the ETF of 0.62% during the year ended March 31, 2019, was lower than the MER of 0.68% for the year ended March 31, 2018, due to a decrease in the management fee rate. On October 10, 2018, the management fee paid by the ETF to Mackenzie decreased to an annual rate of 0.50% from 0.60%.

The management fee for the ETF is calculated and accrued daily as a percentage of its NAV. The ETF's management fees were used by Mackenzie to pay for the costs of managing the investment portfolio of the ETF, including providing investment analysis and recommendations, making investment decisions, making brokerage arrangements for the purchase and sale of the investment portfolio, providing other services and licensing the index, and to pay for all costs and expenses (other than certain specified fund costs as more fully described in the Prospectus) required to operate the ETF.

### Other Related Party Transactions

Investment funds managed by Mackenzie invest in the ETF in accordance with the investment objectives of those funds. At March 31, 2019, funds managed by Mackenzie owned 12.4% of the ETF's NAV. All related party transactions are based on the current market price.

The ETF did not rely on an approval, positive recommendation or standing instruction from the Mackenzie Funds' Independent Review Committee with respect to any related party transactions.

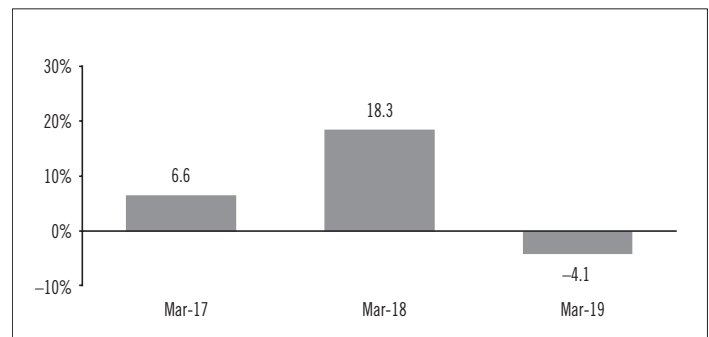
## Past Performance

The ETF's past performance information is presented in the following chart and table. It assumes all distributions made by the ETF in the periods presented are reinvested in additional units of the ETF. The chart and table do not take into account brokerage commissions or income taxes payable by any investor that would have reduced returns. The past performance of the ETF is not necessarily an indication of how it will perform in the future.

If you hold this ETF outside of a registered plan, income and capital gains distributions paid to you increase your income for tax purposes whether paid to you in cash or reinvested in additional units of the ETF. The amount of reinvested taxable distributions is added to the adjusted cost base of the units that you own. This would decrease your capital gain or increase your capital loss when you later sell from the ETF, thereby ensuring that you are not taxed on this amount again. Please consult your tax advisor regarding your personal tax situation.

### Year-by-Year Returns

The following bar chart presents the performance of the ETF for each of the fiscal periods shown. The chart shows, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on the first day of each fiscal period, or on the ETF's inception date (January 23, 2017), as applicable, would have increased or decreased by the last day of the fiscal period presented.



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## Annual Compound Returns

The following table compares the historical annual compound total returns for the ETF with the relevant index or indices shown below for each of the periods ended March 31, 2019. Investors cannot invest in an index without incurring fees, expenses and commissions, which are not reflected in these performance figures.

All index returns are calculated in Canadian dollars on a total return basis, meaning that all dividend payments, interest income accruals and interest payments are reinvested.

Percentage Return:	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Inception
Mackenzie Maximum Diversification Emerging Markets Index ETF	-4.1	n/a	n/a	n/a	9.1
MSCI Emerging Markets (Net) Index*	-3.8	n/a	n/a	n/a	10.4
TOBAM Maximum Diversification Emerging Index	-4.3	n/a	n/a	n/a	10.0
TOBAM Maximum Diversification Emerging Index (Gross Dividend Index)	-4.3	n/a	n/a	n/a	10.0

### \* Broad-based index

The MSCI Emerging Markets (Net) Index is a free float adjusted, market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of emerging markets. It consists of 24 emerging market country indices. Net total returns are after the deduction of withholding tax from the foreign income and dividends of its constituents.

The TOBAM Maximum Diversification Emerging Index is designed to measure the performance of large- and mid-capitalization equity securities that are in advanced and secondary emerging markets and have been selected and weighted to enhance diversification. For periods after February 28, 2019, the returns of the index take into account the deduction of withholding tax from the foreign income and dividends of its constituents. For periods before February 28, 2019, the returns do not take withholding tax into account.

For comparative purposes, this report also shows the returns of the TOBAM Maximum Diversification Emerging Index for each period under the previous methodology, which does not take withholding tax into account.



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## Summary of Investment Portfolio at March 31, 2019

<b>Portfolio Allocation</b>	<b>% of NAV</b>
Equities	99.7
Cash and short-term investments	0.4
Exchange-traded funds/notes	0.2
Other assets (liabilities)	(0.3)

<b>Regional Allocation</b>	<b>% of NAV</b>
India	22.7
China	14.0
South Korea	12.1
Taiwan	12.0
Brazil	9.5
Thailand	8.1
Malaysia	3.0
Mexico	2.9
Indonesia	2.8
Philippines	2.6
South Africa	2.5
Hong Kong	2.3
Other	2.3
Turkey	1.7
Greece	1.4
Cash and short-term investments	0.4
Other assets (liabilities)	(0.3)

<b>Sector Allocation</b>	<b>% of NAV</b>
Financials	15.4
Consumer discretionary	13.5
Information technology	12.0
Communication services	11.4
Consumer staples	10.9
Health care	10.8
Industrials	7.4
Materials	6.5
Energy	6.4
Utilities	4.2
Real estate	1.2
Cash and short-term investments	0.4
Exchange-traded funds/notes	0.2
Other assets (liabilities)	(0.3)

The ETF did not hedge its foreign currency exposure at the end of the period.

## Top 25 Holdings

<b>Issuer</b>	<b>% of NAV</b>
Infosys Ltd.	1.4
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co. Ltd.	1.3
Petroleo Brasileiro SA - Petrobras	1.3
China Mobile Ltd.	1.3
Hindustan Lever Ltd.	1.3
Shenzhou International Group Holdings Ltd.	1.2
Reliance Industries Ltd.	1.2
CP ALL PCL	1.2
AngloGold Ltd.	1.1
Suzano Papel e Celulose SA	1.1
Sun Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.	1.1
Fomento Economico Mexicano SA de CV UBD	0.9
Grupo Elektra SAB de CV	0.9
Anta Sports Products Ltd.	0.8
China Resources Gas Group Ltd.	0.8
Taiwan Mobile Co. Ltd.	0.8
PT Telekomunikasi Indonesia TBK	0.8
Tata Consultancy Services Ltd.	0.8
Far EasTone Telecommunications Co. Ltd.	0.7
Tingyi (Cayman Islands) Holding Corp.	0.7
Li Ning Co. Ltd.	0.7
Yes Bank Ltd.	0.7
Jollibee Foods Corp.	0.7
Advanced Info Service PCL	0.6
ENN Energy Holdings Ltd.	0.6

<b>Top long positions as a percentage of total net asset value</b>	<b>24.0</b>
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The ETF held no short positions at the end of the period.

The investments and percentages may have changed since March 31, 2019, due to the ongoing portfolio transactions of the ETF.



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## Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the ETF and are intended to help you understand the ETF's financial performance for each of the fiscal periods presented below. In the period when the ETF was established, "period" represents the period from inception to the end of that fiscal period. The inception date can be found under *Past Performance*.

### THE ETF'S NET ASSETS PER SECURITY (\$)¹

Series E (Ticker: MEE)	Mar. 31 2019	Mar. 31 2018	Mar. 31 2017
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	<b>25.37</b>	21.65	20.00
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>			
Total revenue	0.53	0.53	0.05
Total expenses	(0.20)	(0.31)	(0.04)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(1.03)	0.77	0.06
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.76)	2.52	1.58
<b>Total increase (decrease) from operations²</b>	<b>(1.46)</b>	3.51	1.65
<b>Distributions:</b>			
From net investment income (excluding dividends)	(0.35)	(0.26)	—
From dividends	—	—	—
From capital gains	—	—	—
Return of capital	—	(0.01)	—
<b>Total annual distributions³</b>	<b>(0.35)</b>	(0.27)	—
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>23.90</b>	25.37	21.65

(1) These calculations are prescribed by securities regulations and are not intended to be a reconciliation between opening and closing net assets per unit. This information is derived from the ETF's audited annual financial statements. The net assets per unit presented in the financial statements may differ from the net asset value per unit calculated for ETF pricing purposes. An explanation of these differences can be found in the *Notes to Financial Statements*.

(2) Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant time. The increase/decrease from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding over the fiscal period.

(3) Distributions were paid in cash/reinvested in additional units of the ETF, or both.

## RATIOS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

Series E (Ticker: MEE)	Mar. 31 2019	Mar. 31 2018	Mar. 31 2017
Total net asset value (\$000)¹	114,721	114,155	6,496
Units outstanding (000)¹	4,800	4,500	300
Management expense ratio (%)²	0.62	0.68	0.71
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions (%)²	0.62	0.68	0.71
Trading expense ratio (%)³	0.24	0.00	0.29
Trading expense ratio before reimbursements (%)³	0.24	0.00	3.43
Portfolio turnover rate (%)⁴	77.76	38.06	n/a
Net asset value per unit (\$)	23.94	25.32	21.65
Closing market price (\$)⁵	24.13	25.76	21.72

(1) This information is provided as at the end of the fiscal period shown.

(2) Management expense ratio is based on total expenses (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. If the ETF was established in the period, the management expense ratio is annualized from the date of inception. Mackenzie may waive or absorb operating expenses at its discretion and stop waiving or absorbing such expenses at any time without notice.

(3) The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. Mackenzie may reimburse the ETF for certain brokerage commissions and other transaction costs (including those payable to the custodian or its agents). Mackenzie may make these reimbursements at its discretion and stop these reimbursements at any time without notice.

(4) The ETF's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the ETF's portfolio advisor manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the ETF buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher an ETF's portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by the ETF in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of an ETF. The portfolio turnover rate is not provided when the ETF is less than one year old.

(5) Closing market price, or the midpoint of the bid and ask prices in the absence of a closing market price, on the last trading day of the period as reported on the Toronto Stock Exchange.



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