

# **FUND FACTS BMO Global Strategic Bond Fund**

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This document contains key information you should know about Series I (Series I) units of BMO Global Strategic Bond Fund. You can find more detailed information in the simplified prospectus offering this series of units of the fund. Ask your adviser for a copy, contact the manager, BMO Investments Inc., at 1-800-665-7700 or mutualfunds@bmo.com or visit www.bmo.com/mutualfunds.

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Total value on March 5, 2012:

Date fund created: (Series I) May 9, 2008 Portfolio manager(s): PIMCO Canada Corp.

Distributions: Distribution monthly, comprised of any income, capital gains earned or return of capital.

Management expense ratio (MER): Fees and expenses are

negotiated and paid by each Series I investor Minimum investment: Determined on a contractual basis

Portfolio Allocation

6.0% Brazil

4.5% Canada

3.7% Mexico

52.3% United States 11.3% Other

7.1% Luxembourg

3.9% Netherlands

/Payables

#### What does the fund invest in?

This fund's objective is to provide a fixed monthly distribution and capital appreciation potential by investing primarily in debt instruments issued by governments and corporations from around the world.

The charts below provide you with a snapshot of the fund's investments on March 5, 2012. The fund's investments will change.

\$804.1 Million

## Top 10 investments (March 5, 2012)

- Province of Quebec, Bonds, 5.000% Dec 1, 2041
- United States Government, Treasury Bills, 0.078% May 17,
- Petroleos de Venezuela S.A., Senior, Unsecured, Notes, Callable, 5.375% Apr 12, 2027
- Brazil Notas do Tesouro Nacional, Series F, Notes, Unsubordinated, 10.000% Jan 1, 2017
- Cash/Receivables /Payables
- Fannie Mae, TBA, 4.000, Apr 13, 2042 6.
- New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, Revenue Bonds, Utilities Revenue, Callable, 5.000% Jun 15, 2043
- Fannie Mae, Unsecured, Notes, 0.625% Oct 30, 2014
- Freddie Mac, Unsecured, Notes, 0.625% Dec 29, 2014
- 10. Russian Federation, Series 144A, Senior, Secured, Unsubordinated, Multi-Step Coupon, Sinking Funds, 7.500% Mar 31, 2030

#### **Total investments 462**

The top 10 investments make up 15.5% of the fund.

## 2.9% Ireland 2.6% United Kingdom 2.2% Venezuela 2.2% Indonesia 1.3% Cash/Receivables

Investment mix (March 5, 2012)

## How has the fund performed?

This section tells you how this series of the fund has performed since inception. Returns are after expenses have been deducted. These expenses reduce the series' returns.

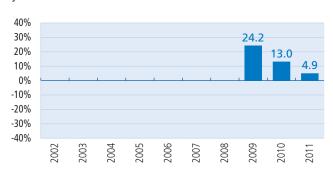
It's important to note that this doesn't tell you how the series will perform in the future. Also, your actual after-tax return will depend on your personal tax situation.

## Average return

As at February 29, 2012, a person who invested \$1,000 in this series of the fund since its inception now has \$1,267. This works out to an annual compound return of 6.4%.

## Year-by-year returns

This chart shows how the series has performed in each of the past 3 completed calendar years. The series dropped in value in 0 of the 3 years.





## How risky is it?

When you invest in a fund, the value of your investment can go down as well as up. BMO Investments Inc. has rated this fund's risk as Low to Medium.

For a description of the specific risks of this fund, see the simplified prospectus offering this series of units of the fund.



## Are there any guarantees?

Like most mutual funds, this fund doesn't have any guarantees. You may not get back the amount of money you invest.

#### Who is this fund for?

#### Consider this fund if:

- you want regular monthly cash flow with the potential for capital gains primarily through investments in non-investment grade bonds from around the world
- you are comfortable with low to medium investment risk (i.e. you are willing to accept some fluctuations in the market value of your investment)
- you plan to hold this investment for the medium to long term
- it is held in non-registered accounts because it's designed to pay out regular monthly income. Distributions paid on funds you hold in a BMO registered plan must be reinvested in the fund.

Before you invest in any fund, you should consider how it would work with your other investments and your tolerance for risk.

#### A word about tax

Depending on the tax rules and tax rates that apply to you and the fund, you may have to pay tax on your portion of the fund's earnings and gains, whether paid out to you in cash or reinvested in the fund. Also, you may have to pay tax on any gain you realize when you redeem or sell your investment in the fund. However, if you hold your investment in a registered account such as a Registered Retirement Savings Plan or a Tax-Free Savings Account, generally you will not have to pay tax on earnings or gains that are held in the registered account.

### How much does it cost?

The following section describes the fees and expenses you could pay to buy, own and sell Series I units of the fund.

The fund has other series of units. The fees and expenses are different for each series. You should ask about other series of units that may be suitable for you.

## 1. Sales charges

You pay no sales or redemption charges if you buy, redeem or switch Series I units of the fund through BMO Investments Inc.

#### 2. Fund expenses

Separate fees and expenses are negotiated and paid by each Series I investor.

## 3. Other fees

Series I units are for institutional investors, for use within managed asset programs or structured products, who negotiate and pay separate fees to BMO Investments Inc.

The maximum annual management fee and expenses payable by a Series I investor will not be greater than 1.75%, the management fee payable in respect of units of the fund.

You may have to pay other fees when you buy, hold, sell or switch units of the fund.

## Fee What you pay

Short-term trading fee Up to 2% of the amount that you redeem or switch if you buy or switch and then redeem or switch units of the

fund within 30 days of purchasing or switching them. This penalty will be paid directly to the fund.



## What if I change my mind?

Under securities law in some provinces and territories, you have the right to:

- withdraw from an agreement to buy mutual fund units or shares within two business days after you receive a simplified prospectus, or
- cancel your purchase within 48 hours after you receive confirmation of the purchase.

In some provinces and territories, you also have the right to cancel a purchase, or in some jurisdictions, claim damages, if the simplified prospectus, annual information form or financial statements contain a misrepresentation. You must act within the time limit set by the securities law in your province or territory.

For more information, see the securities law of your province or territory or ask a lawyer.

## For more information

Contact BMO Investments Inc. or your adviser for a copy of the simplified prospectus offering this series of units of the fund and other disclosure documents. These documents and the Fund Facts make up the fund's legal documents.

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