

**Fund Information**

Inception Date	December 1994
IFSC Category	Canadian Equity
Plan Eligibility:	RRSP Yes
	Non-Registered Yes
Management Fee / MER	2.60% / 2.74%

**Segregated Fund Investment Objective**

The objective of this segregated fund is to invest all of its assets in the Canada Life Canadian Equity Fund (Laketon), a pooled fund managed by Laketon Investment Management Ltd., or another substantially similar underlying fund.

**Investor Profile (of underlying fund)**

Suited to the investor seeking growth opportunities over the long term.

**Investment Objective (of underlying fund)**

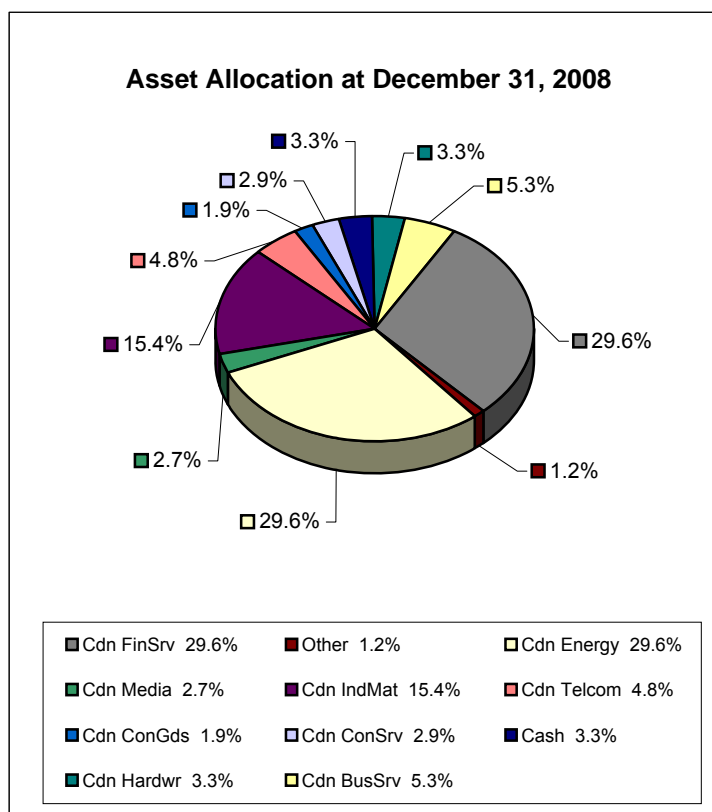
The objective is to provide long-term capital appreciation through a portfolio of broadly diversified, large and medium capitalization Canadian equities. The fund provides investors with an optimal mix of stocks by emphasizing above-average risk/reward characteristics relative to the S&P/TSX Composite Index. The fund focuses on growth-oriented securities with significant proven and sustainable earnings potential.

**Investment Strategy (of underlying fund)**

- Laketon's equity process is driven by a fundamental bottom-up process that seeks investments having long-term or superior growth prospects with reasonable valuations.

**FaithLife Financial Benchmark**

S&P/TSX Composite Index \*



**Top 10 Holdings of the Underlying Fund as at Dec. 31, 2008**

Barrick Gold Corp.	7.8%
EnCana Corp.	6.7%
Royal Bank of Canada	6.0%
Goldcorp Inc.	5.9%
TransCanada Corp.	5.1%
The Toronto-Dominion Bank	4.9%
Canadian National Railway Co.	4.6%
The Bank of Nova Scotia	4.0%
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd.	4.0%
Potash Corp. of Saskatchewan Inc.	4.0%

**Top 10 Total Percentage of Fund 52.9%**

**Fund Risks**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Special Equities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Currency	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Market
<input type="checkbox"/> Securities Lending	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Interest Rate	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Derivative	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Credit
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Underlying Fund	<input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Market	<input type="checkbox"/> Sovereign	<input type="checkbox"/> Index

The following table shows the simple returns for the monthly periods and the historical annual compound total return of the FORTRESS Canadian Equity Fund (Growth), compared to the performance of the S&P/TSX Composite Index to September 30, 2009.

**Annual Compound Returns:**

	1-month	3-month	6-month	1-Year	2-Year	3-Year	4-Year	5-Year	10-Year	Since Inception
FORTRESS Canadian Equity Fund (Growth)	4.5%	8.7%	28.9%	-3.6%	-8.1%	1.0%	3.4%	8.5%	4.4%	6.0%
Benchmark	5.1%	10.6%	32.7%	0.5%	-7.2%	1.8%	3.6%	8.3%	7.3%	9.1%

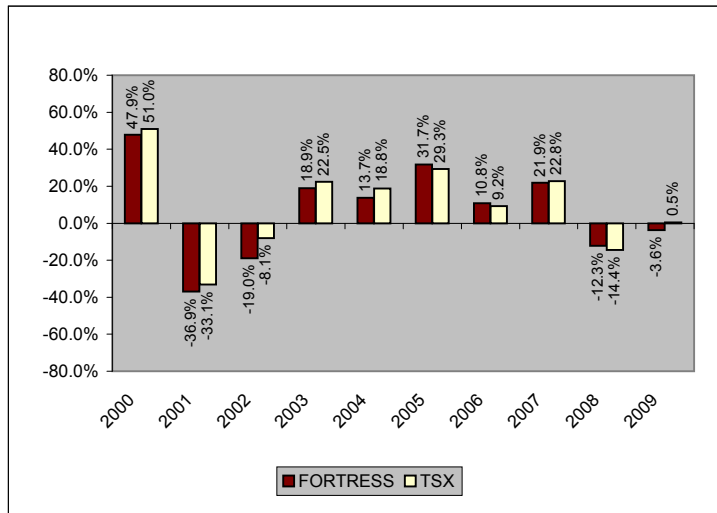
\* S&P/TSX Composite Index -- A market capitalization weighted index of the largest, most widely held stocks traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

The performance data shown reflects changes in unit values and assumes that all income/realized net gains are retained by the Fund in the periods shown and are reflected in higher unit values of the Fund. It does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution or other optional charges or income taxes payable that would have reduced returns.

**Past results are not indicative of future performance of the Fund.**

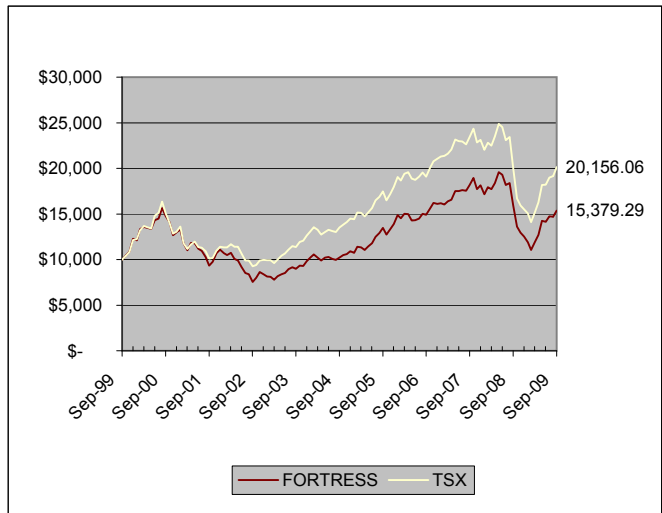
**Year-by-Year Returns as of September 30, 2009**

The Year-by-Year Returns chart shows the annual performance of the Fund, compared to the performance of the S&P/TSX Composite Index. It illustrates how the Fund's performance has changed from year to year.



**Overall Past Performance as of September 30, 2009**

The Overall Past Performance graph shows the growth of a hypothetical \$10,000 investment in the FORTRESS Canadian Equity Fund (Growth), compared to that of the S&P/TSX Composite Index over the past 10 years.



**Financial Highlights:**

**The Fund's Net Asset Value per Unit**

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Net asset value at Dec. 31 of year shown	184.40	235.89	272.20	306.93	212.08

**Ratios and Supplemental Data**

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Net assets (000's) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$15,270	\$17,538	\$18,333	\$20,034	\$13,383
Number of units outstanding <sup>(1)</sup>	82,811	74,350	67,350	65,274	63,103
Management expense ratio <sup>(2)</sup>	2.81%	2.80%	2.79%	2.75%	2.74%
Portfolio turnover rate <sup>(3)</sup>	68.55%	77.92%	149.89%	136.04%	90.55%

<sup>(1)</sup> As at December 31st of the year shown.

<sup>(2)</sup> The Management expense ratio is based on total expenses for the year shown, including the expenses of the underlying fund, expressed as an annualized percent of daily average net assets during the year, and includes GST.

<sup>(3)</sup> The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio adviser manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the year. The higher a fund's portfolio turnover rate in a year, the greater the trading costs payable by the fund in the year 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 a Fund.

If you would like to obtain either the Fund's semi-annual unaudited or annual audited financial statements, or a detailed description of the Fund's investment policy, please send your request in writing to *Member Services, FaithLife Financial, 470 Weber Street North, Waterloo, Ontario N2J 4G4.*

**Any amount that is allocated to a segregated fund is invested at the risk of the contractholder and may increase or decrease in value.**

The Financial Highlights tables (left) show selected key financial information about the FORTRESS Funds and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the past 5 years. This information is derived from the Fund's audited financial statements.