

Statement of Investments

January 31, 2017 (Unaudited)

Nationwide Portfolio Completion Fund

Common Stocks 10.5%

	Shares	Market Value
Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) 9.4%		
Acadia Realty Trust	8,325	\$ 265,068
Activia Properties, Inc.	53	259,282
AEON REIT Investment Corp.	83	90,461
Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc.	6,851	759,228
American Campus Communities, Inc.	10,727	521,547
American Homes 4 Rent, Class A	18,386	409,640
Apartment Investment & Management Co., Class A	13,149	579,476
Apple Hospitality REIT, Inc.	10,917	218,558
Argosy Property Ltd.	26,897	20,228
Artis Real Estate Investment Trust	10,000	94,063
Ascendas Real Estate Investment Trust	217,000	378,895
Ashford Hospitality Prime, Inc.	2,722	36,584
Ashford Hospitality Trust, Inc.	8,444	64,174
AvalonBay Communities, Inc.	11,293	1,957,190
Befimmo SA	1,526	83,688
Beni Stabili SpA SIIQ *	103,995	58,489
Big Yellow Group plc	11,274	97,431
Boardwalk Real Estate Investment Trust	2,000	72,530
Boston Properties, Inc.	13,244	1,733,640
Brandywine Realty Trust	16,980	273,378
British Land Co. plc (The)	88,219	648,427
Brixmor Property Group, Inc.	22,788	549,874
BWP Trust	27,719	61,406
Camden Property Trust	6,506	543,706
Canadian Apartment Properties REIT	5,500	134,071
Canadian Real Estate Investment Trust	900	32,722
CapitaLand Commercial Trust	208,500	225,883
CapitaLand Mall Trust	205,800	282,791
Care Capital Properties, Inc.	6,950	171,735
CBL & Associates Properties, Inc.	17,238	187,032
Cedar Realty Trust, Inc.	7,536	45,291
Champion REIT	24,000	12,963
Charter Hall Retail REIT	6,512	20,886
Chesapeake Lodging Trust	4,693	120,141
Cofinimmo SA	1,103	123,857
Colony Starwood Homes	3,769	118,535
Columbia Property Trust, Inc.	10,475	233,069
Corporate Office Properties Trust	7,226	229,931
Cousins Properties, Inc.	27,524	233,954
Crombie Real Estate Investment Trust	4,300	44,512
CubeSmart	15,991	401,854
Daiwa Office Investment Corp.	29	152,599
DCT Industrial Trust, Inc.	7,452	333,030
DDR Corp.	27,308	414,535
Derwent London plc	11,975	372,530
Dexus Property Group	82,369	561,119
DiamondRock Hospitality Co.	16,662	187,781
Digital Realty Trust, Inc.	13,610	1,464,844
Douglas Emmett, Inc.	12,320	466,189
Dream Office Real Estate Investment Trust	3,500	51,670
Duke Realty Corp.	29,954	728,781
DuPont Fabros Technology, Inc.	6,499	308,573
Easterly Government Properties, Inc.	986	19,424
EastGroup Properties, Inc.	2,616	185,134
Education Realty Trust, Inc.	5,647	227,066
Equity Commonwealth *	10,035	309,479
Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc.	6,337	468,558
Equity One, Inc.	7,493	233,707
Equity Residential	30,470	1,851,662
Essex Property Trust, Inc.	5,267	1,181,388
Eurocommercial Properties NV CVA-NL	3,591	133,327
Extra Space Storage, Inc.	11,022	794,135
Federal Realty Investment Trust	5,516	774,612
FelCor Lodging Trust, Inc.	12,067	92,916

Common Stocks (continued)

	Shares	Market Value
Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) (continued)		
First Industrial Realty Trust, Inc.	10,654	\$ 275,406
First Potomac Realty Trust	8,633	88,402
Fonciere Des Regions	4,419	368,348
Forest City Realty Trust, Inc., Class A	19,088	432,152
Franklin Street Properties Corp.	9,866	125,792
Frontier Real Estate Investment Corp.	34	154,825
Fukuoka REIT Corp.	39	62,611
Gecina SA	3,441	443,727
GGP, Inc.	50,503	1,254,495
Global One Real Estate Investment Corp.	12	45,416
Goodman Group	140,241	736,449
Goodman Property Trust	65,449	60,252
GPT Group (The)	161,850	574,763
Great Portland Estates plc	31,329	245,175
Growthpoint Properties Ltd.	219,388	429,230
H&R Real Estate Investment Trust	9,780	169,558
Hammerson plc	65,175	449,208
HCP, Inc.	41,708	1,264,587
Healthcare Realty Trust, Inc.	10,726	324,032
Hersha Hospitality Trust	4,082	81,599
Highwoods Properties, Inc.	7,837	402,900
Hoshino Resorts REIT, Inc.	12	64,088
Hospitality Properties Trust	13,798	429,532
Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	62,435	1,128,200
Hudson Pacific Properties, Inc.	10,074	356,720
Hulic Reit, Inc.	82	142,376
Hyprop Investments Ltd.	23,193	206,315
Ichigo Hotel REIT Investment Corp.	26	29,316
Immobiliare Grande Distribuzione SIIQ SpA	45,509	34,192
Independence Realty Trust, Inc.	5,348	49,362
Intu Properties plc	71,531	243,974
Investa Office Fund	38,941	132,875
Is Gayrimenkul Yatirim Ortakligi A/S	6,330	2,601
Japan Excellent, Inc.	103	128,720
Japan Prime Realty Investment Corp.	73	292,950
Japan Real Estate Investment Corp.	101	573,924
Japan Retail Housing Investments, Inc.	115	84,138
Japan Retail Fund Investment Corp.	218	466,102
Kenedix Office Investment Corp.	35	206,571
Kenedix Residential Investment Corp.	23	63,856
Kenedix Retail REIT Corp.	35	84,349
Keppel REIT	86,000	61,591
Kilroy Realty Corp.	7,681	574,923
Kimco Realty Corp.	36,142	899,574
Kite Realty Group Trust	6,948	166,891
Kiwi Property Group Ltd.	116,519	123,515
Klepierre	19,307	733,152
Land Securities Group plc	66,967	839,269
LaSalle Hotel Properties	8,967	270,534
Liberty Property Trust	12,992	498,763
Life Storage, Inc.	3,689	300,469
Link REIT	179,500	1,226,628
LTC Properties, Inc.	3,324	155,131
Macerich Co. (The)	10,421	715,819
Mack-Cali Realty Corp.	8,103	227,046
Mapletree Logistics Trust	57,800	43,132
MCUBS MidCity Investment Corp.	23	73,160
Mercialys SA	3,435	67,243
Mid-America Apartment Communities, Inc.	9,234	876,768
Monogram Residential Trust, Inc.	10,900	110,853
Mori Hills REIT Investment Corp.	117	159,141
Mori Trust Sogo Reit, Inc.	65	104,322
National Storage Affiliates Trust	3,190	70,978
NexPoint Residential Trust, Inc.	1,632	37,716
Nippon Building Fund, Inc.	119	683,411
NorthStar Realty Europe Corp.	4,840	58,128

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Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) (continued)		
Orix JREIT, Inc.	204	\$ 333,707
Parkway, Inc. *	3,599	76,623
Pebblebrook Hotel Trust	6,350	189,929
Pennsylvania Real Estate Investment Trust	6,832	122,361
Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc., Class A	10,614	230,536
Precinct Properties New Zealand Ltd.	21,624	19,594
Premier Investment Corp.	73	85,031
Prologis, Inc.	45,664	2,230,686
PS Business Parks, Inc.	1,165	130,527
Public Storage	12,486	2,684,490
Quality Care Properties, Inc. *	8,521	157,298
Ramco-Gershenson Properties Trust	5,986	97,332
Regency Centers Corp.	8,535	595,146
Retail Opportunity Investments Corp.	10,349	219,399
Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.	6,084	138,168
RioCan Real Estate Investment Trust	13,600	271,843
RLJ Lodging Trust	10,960	254,382
SA Corporate Real Estate Ltd.	165,090	69,834
Saul Centers, Inc.	892	56,633
Scentre Group	465,666	1,553,886
Segro plc	64,579	375,139
Senior Housing Properties Trust	22,194	422,796
Seritage Growth Properties, Class A	1,770	72,216
Shaftesbury plc	16,467	181,832
Silver Bay Realty Trust Corp.	2,275	38,334
Simon Property Group, Inc.	26,543	4,877,807
SL Green Realty Corp.	8,592	936,270
Smart Real Estate Investment Trust	5,300	130,418
Sun Communities, Inc.	5,213	410,576
Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc.	17,836	262,546
Suntec Real Estate Investment Trust	237,800	292,258
Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc.	7,596	259,707
Taubman Centers, Inc.	5,089	360,505
Tier REIT, Inc.	3,868	70,436
Tokyu REIT, Inc.	63	78,372
UDR, Inc.	21,514	751,914
Unibail-Rodamco SE	8,729	2,011,613
United Urban Investment Corp.	246	392,372
Universal Health Realty Income Trust	2,073	128,775
Urban Edge Properties	8,518	238,248
Vastned Retail NV	1,262	46,544
Ventas, Inc.	31,184	1,923,117
Vornado Realty Trust	14,701	1,562,863
Washington Prime Group, Inc.	18,508	178,602
Washington Real Estate Investment Trust	6,367	200,242
Weingarten Realty Investors	10,371	369,519
Welltower, Inc.	31,791	2,107,743
Wereldhave NV	3,288	144,128
Westfield Corp.	164,667	1,097,731
Workspace Group plc	11,587	110,052
Xenia Hotels & Resorts, Inc.	8,607	157,938
		<u>75,204,512</u>
Real Estate Management & Development 1.1%		
Aeon Mall Co. Ltd.	10,730	155,510
Atrium European Real Estate Ltd.	4,201	17,640
BR Malls Participacoes SA *	48,110	223,977
Buwog AG *	5,500	131,244
CA Immobilien Anlagen AG *	4,749	93,560
Capital & Counties Properties plc	63,995	219,550
CapitaLand Ltd.	258,500	603,273
Castellum AB	23,711	326,635
Central Pattana PCL	75,800	121,662
Daibiru Corp.	7,700	69,843
Fabege AB	14,188	241,595

Common Stocks (continued)		
	Shares	Market Value
Real Estate Management & Development (continued)		
First Capital Realty, Inc.	6,700	\$ 106,582
Gateway Lifestyle	8,994	13,846
Global Logistic Properties Ltd.	250,300	461,298
Grainger plc	19,902	59,669
Hang Lung Properties Ltd.	173,000	425,766
Heiwa Real Estate Co. Ltd.	4,800	66,708
Hongkong Land Holdings Ltd.	92,500	603,806
Hulic Co. Ltd.	18,100	176,492
Hysan Development Co. Ltd.	32,342	147,397
Immofinanz AG*	71,679	131,632
Kungsleden AB	15,988	103,016
LEG Immobilien AG *	5,287	415,850
Leopalace21 Corp.	24,400	139,774
Mitsui Fudosan Co. Ltd.	88,000	2,031,674
NTT Urban Development Corp.	11,000	96,760
PSP Swiss Property AG REG	2,877	258,873
Robinsons Land Corp.	85,500	43,164
SM Prime Holdings, Inc.	932,975	557,125
Swiss Prime Site AG REG*	5,606	466,998
Tokyu Fudosan Holdings Corp.	52,200	305,154
		<u>8,816,073</u>
Total Common Stocks (cost \$78,569,458)		<u>84,020,585</u>

Structured Notes 5.3%		
	Principal Amount	Market Value
JPMorgan Chase Bank NA		
Commodity Note (indexed to the Bloomberg Roll Select Commodity Total Return Index), three-month U.S Dollar LIBOR-0.30% due 02/09/18 (b)(c)	\$ 18,700,000	19,627,453
UBS AG Commodity Note (indexed to the Bloomberg Roll Select Commodity Return Index), three-month U.S Dollar LIBOR due 07/03/17 (a)(b)	270,000	299,996
UBS AG Commodity Note (indexed to the Bloomberg Roll Select Commodity Return Index), three-month U.S Dollar LIBOR due 01/05/18 (a)(b)	21,430,000	21,907,270
Total Structured Notes (cost \$40,400,000)		<u>41,834,719</u>

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Nationwide Portfolio Completion Fund (Continued)

Investment Company 79.9%		
	Shares	Market Value
Money Market Fund 79.9%		
JPMorgan U.S. Government Money Market Fund - Institutional Shares, 0.43% (d)	636,482,920	\$ 636,482,920
Total Investment Company (cost \$636,482,920)		636,482,920
Total Investments		
(cost \$755,452,378) (e) — 95.7%		762,338,224
Other assets in excess of liabilities — 4.3%		34,350,828
NET ASSETS — 100.0%		\$796,689,052

* Denotes a non-income producing security.

- (a) Variable Rate Security. The rate reflected in the Statement of Investments is the rate in effect on January 31, 2017. The maturity date represents the actual maturity date.
- (b) Security is linked to the Bloomberg Roll Select Commodity Total Return Index. Security does not guarantee any return of principal at maturity but instead, will pay at maturity or upon exchange, an amount based on the closing value of the Bloomberg Roll Select Commodity Total Return Index. Although these instruments are primarily debt obligations, they indirectly provide exposure to changes in the value of the underlying commodities. Holders of the security have the right to exchange these notes at any time.
- (c) Rule 144A, Section 4(2), or other security which is restricted as to sale to institutional investors. These securities were deemed liquid pursuant to procedures approved by the Board of Trustees. The aggregate value of these securities at January 31, 2017 was \$19,627,453 which represents 2.46% of net assets.
- (d) Represents 7-day effective yield as of January 31, 2017.
- (e) At January 31, 2017, the tax basis cost of the Fund's investments was \$755,715,631, tax unrealized appreciation and depreciation were \$11,481,226 and \$(4,858,633), respectively.

AB	Stock Company
AG	Stock Corporation
A/S	Minimum Capital Public Traded Company
CVA	Dutch Certificate
Ltd.	Limited
NA	National Association
NL	Netherlands
NV	Public Traded Company
PCL	Public Company Limited
plc	Public Limited Company
REG	Registered Shares
REIT	Real Estate Investment Trust
SA	Stock Company
SE	European Public Limited Liability Company
SIQ	Listed Real Estate Investment Company
SpA	Limited Share Company

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Nationwide Portfolio Completion Fund (Continued)

At January 31, 2017, the Fund's open swap contracts were as follows:

Centrally cleared credit default swaps on credit indices --- sell protection¹

Reference Entity	Fixed Annual Rate Received by Fund	Notional Amount ²	Implied Credit Spread as of January 31, 2017 ³	Termination Date	Upfront Premium (Received)/Paid ⁴	Unrealized Appreciation/(Depreciation)
Markit CDX Emerging Markets Index Series 26	1.00%	\$146,990,000	2.369%	12/20/21	\$(8,937,526)	\$276,029
Markit CDX North America High Yield Index Series 27	5.00	148,560,000	3.522	12/20/21	5,345,724	4,712,535
					<u>\$(3,591,802)</u>	<u>\$4,988,564</u>

CDX Credit Default Swap Index

1 The Fund, as a seller of credit protection, receives periodic payments and any upfront premium from the protection buyer, and the Fund is obligated to make a contingent payment, upon occurrence of a credit event with respect to an underlying reference obligation, as defined under the terms of each individual swap contract.

2 The notional amount is the maximum amount that a seller of a credit default swap would be obligated to pay and a buyer of credit protection would receive, upon occurrence of a credit event.

3 Implied credit spreads are an indication of the seller's performance risk, related to the likelihood of a credit event occurring that would require a seller to make a payment to a buyer. Implied credit spreads are used to determine the value of swap contracts and reflect the cost of buying/selling protection, which may include upfront payments made to enter into the contract. Therefore, higher spreads would indicate a greater likelihood that a seller will be obligated to perform (i.e., make payment) under the swap contract. Increasing values, in absolute terms and relative notional amounts, are also indicative of greater performance risk. Implied credit spreads for credit default swaps on credit indices are linked to the weighted average spread across the underlying reference obligations included in a particular index.

4 Upfront premiums generally related to payments received at the initiation of the swap agreement to compensate for differences between the stated terms of the swap agreement and current market conditions (credit spreads, interest rates and other relevant factors).

Total Return Swap

Counterparty	Payments made by Fund	Payments Received by Fund	Notional Amount	Termination Date	Upfront Premium (Received)/Paid	Unrealized Appreciation/(Depreciation)
UBS AG	Three-month U.S. Dollar LIBOR	MSCI Emerging Markets Index	\$78,002,863	07/06/17	\$42,226	\$3,986,251
					<u>\$42,226</u>	<u>\$3,986,251</u>

At January 31, 2017, the Fund's open futures contracts were as follows:

Number of Contracts	Long Contracts	Expiration	Notional Value Covered by Contracts	Unrealized Appreciation/(Depreciation)
85	Australian 10 Year Bond Future	03/15/17	\$ 8,270,494	\$ 81,423
86	Canada 10 Year Bond	03/22/17	9,083,451	(86,243)
613	EURO-BUND Futures	03/08/17	107,286,852	234,493
51	Japan 10 Year Bond Treasury Future	03/13/17	67,698,875	(110,764)
102	Long Gilt Futures	03/29/17	15,894,502	44,196
			<u>\$ 208,234,174</u>	<u>\$ 163,105</u>

GILT Government Index-Linked Treasury

At January 31, 2017, the Fund has \$2,618,989 segregated as collateral with the broker for open futures contracts.

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In accordance with the authoritative guidance on fair value measurements and disclosures under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, Nationwide Mutual Funds' (the "Trust") investment adviser to the Fund, Nationwide Fund Advisors ("NFA"), assigns a fair value to Fund investments in accordance with a hierarchy that prioritizes the various types of inputs used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to readily available unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements) when market prices are not readily available or reliable.

The three levels of the hierarchy are summarized below.

- Level 1 — Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets
- Level 2 — Other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices of similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 — Significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

Changes in valuation techniques may result in transfers into or out of an investment's assigned level within the hierarchy.

An investment's categorization within the hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair valuation in its entirety. The inputs or methodology used to value investments are not intended to indicate the risk associated with investing in those investments.

The Trust's Board of Trustees (the "Board of Trustees") has delegated authority to NFA, and the Trust's administrator, Nationwide Fund Management LLC ("NFM"), to assign a fair value under certain circumstances, as described below, pursuant to valuation procedures approved by the Board of Trustees. NFA and NFM have established a Fair Valuation Committee ("FVC") to assign these fair valuations. The fair value of a security may differ from its quoted or published price. Fair valuation of portfolio securities may occur on a daily basis.

Securities may be fair valued in certain circumstances, such as where (i) market quotations are not readily available; (ii) an independent pricing service does not provide a value or the value provided by an independent pricing service is determined to be unreliable in the judgment of NFA/NFM or its designee; (iii) a significant event has occurred that affects the value of the Fund's securities after trading has stopped (e.g., earnings announcements or news relating to natural disasters affecting an issuer's operations); (iv) the securities are illiquid; (v) the securities have defaulted or been delisted from an exchange and are no longer trading; or (vi) any other circumstance in which the FVC believes that market quotations do not accurately reflect the value of a security.

The FVC will assign a fair value according to fair value methodologies. Information utilized by the FVC to obtain a fair value may include, among others, the following: (i) a multiple of earnings; (ii) the discount from market value of a similar, freely traded security; (iii) the yield-to-maturity for debt issues; or (iv) a combination of these and other methods. To arrive at the appropriate methodology, the FVC may consider a non-exclusive list of factors, which are specific to the security as well as whether the security is traded on the domestic or foreign markets. The FVC monitors the results of fair valuation determinations and regularly reports the results to the Board of Trustees. The FVC attempts to establish a price that it might reasonably expect to receive upon the current sale of that security. That said, there can be no assurance that the fair value assigned to a security is the price at which a security could have been sold during the period in which the particular fair value was used to value the security. To the extent the inputs used are observable, these securities are classified as Level 2 investments; otherwise, they are classified as Level 3 investments within the hierarchy.

Equity securities listed on a non-U.S. exchange ("non-U.S. securities") are generally fair valued daily by an independent fair value pricing service approved by the Board of Trustees. The fair valuations for these securities may not be the same as quoted or published prices of the securities on the exchange on which the securities trade. Such securities are categorized as Level 2 investments within the hierarchy. If daily fair value prices from the independent fair value pricing service are not available, such non-U.S. securities are generally valued at the last quoted sale price at the close of an exchange on which the security is traded and categorized as Level 1 investments within the hierarchy. Values of foreign securities, currencies, and other assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollars at the exchange rate of said currencies against the U.S. dollar, as of Valuation Time, as provided by an independent pricing service approved by the Board of Trustees.

The following table provides a summary of the inputs used to value the Fund's net assets as of January 31, 2017. Please refer to the Statement of Investments for additional information for portfolio holdings.

		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets:					
Common Stocks					
Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)	\$	54,746,175	\$ 20,458,337	\$ —	\$ 75,204,512
Real Estate Management & Development		697,984	8,118,089	—	8,816,073
Total Common Stocks	\$	55,444,159	\$ 28,576,426	\$ —	\$ 84,020,585
Swap Contracts*		—	8,974,815	—	8,974,815
Futures Contracts		360,112	—	—	360,112
Investment Company		636,482,920	—	—	636,482,920
Structured Notes		—	41,834,719	—	41,834,719
Total Assets	\$	692,287,191	\$ 79,385,960	\$ —	\$ 771,673,151
Liabilities:					
Futures Contracts	\$	(197,007)	\$ —	\$ —	\$ (197,007)
Total Liabilities	\$	(197,007)	\$ —	\$ —	\$ (197,007)
Total	\$	692,090,184	\$ 79,385,960	\$ —	\$ 771,476,144

Amounts designated as "—", which may include fair valued securities, are zero or have been rounded to zero.

* The total return swap contract is included in the table at value. Centrally cleared credit default swap contracts are included in the table at unrealized appreciation/(depreciation).

Transfers between levels are recognized as of the beginning of the reporting period.

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During the period ended January 31, 2017, there were no significant transfers into or out of Level 1, Level 2 or Level 3.

The following is a summary of the Fund's derivative instruments categorized by risk exposure as of January 31, 2017. Please see below for information on the Fund's policy regarding the objectives and strategies for using swap contracts and financial futures contracts.

Swap Contracts

Credit Default Swaps. The Fund entered into credit default swap contracts during the period ended January 31, 2017. Credit default swap contracts are either privately negotiated agreements between the Fund and a counterparty or traded through a futures commission merchant and cleared through a clearinghouse that serves as a central counterparty.

The Fund uses credit default swap contracts to create synthetic long exposure to domestic and emerging markets indices. Under the terms of the swap agreements, upfront payments may be exchanged between the seller and the buyer. These upfront premiums are amortized and accreted daily and are recorded as realized gains or losses upon maturity or termination of the credit default swap contract.

As the protection seller in a credit default swap contract, the Fund receives from the counterparty a periodic stream of payments over the term of the contract, provided that no credit event or default (or similar event) occurs. However, the Fund is required to pay the par (or other agreed-upon) value of a referenced debt obligation to the counterparty in the event of a default (or similar event) by a third party, such as a U.S. or foreign issuer, on the debt obligation. In return, if no credit event or default (or similar event) occurs, the Fund keeps the stream of payments and would have no payment of obligations.

If a credit event or default (or similar event) occurs, the Fund either (i) pays to the counterparty an amount equal to the notional amount of the swap and takes delivery of the referenced obligation, other deliverable obligations or underlying securities comprising the referenced index, or (ii) pays the counterparty a net settlement amount in the form of cash or securities to the notional amount of the swap and the recovery value of the referenced obligation or underlying securities comprising the referenced index. By selling a credit default swap contract, the Fund effectively adds economic leverage to its portfolio because, in addition to its total net assets, the Fund is subject to investment exposure on the notional amount of the swap.

Credit default swap agreements on credit indices involve one party making a stream of payments to another party in exchange for the right to receive a specified return in the event of a write-down, principal shortfall, interest shortfall or default of all or part of the referenced entities comprising the credit index. A credit index is a basket of credit instruments or exposures designed to be representative of some part of the credit market as a whole. These indices are made up of reference credits that are judged by a poll of dealers to be the most liquid entities in the credit default swap market based on the sector of the index. Components of the indices include high-yield securities. Credit indices are traded using credit default swaps with standardized terms including a fixed spread and standard maturity dates. An index credit default swap references all the names in the index, and if there is a default, the credit event is settled based on the name's weight in the index. For most indices, each name has an equal weight in the index. The composition of the indices changes periodically. The use of credit default swaps on indices is often less expensive than it would be to buy many issuer-specific credit default swaps to achieve a similar effect.

Credit default swaps are marked-to-market daily based on valuations from independent pricing services. Credit default swaps are generally categorized as Level 2 investments within the hierarchy.

Implied credit spreads are utilized in determining the market value of credit default swap agreements on credit indices and serve as an indicator of the current status of the payment/performance risk and represent the likelihood or risk of default for the credit derivative. Implied credit spreads utilized in valuing the Fund's investments as of January 31, 2017 are disclosed in the Statement of Investments. The implied credit spread of a particular referenced entity reflects the cost of selling protection on such entity's debt, and may include upfront payments required to be made to enter into the agreement. For credit default swap agreements on credit indices, the quoted market prices and resulting value serve as the indicator of the current status of the payment/performance risk. Wider credit spreads represent a deterioration of the referenced entity's credit soundness and a greater likelihood or risk of default or other credit event occurring as defined under the terms of the agreement.

Certain clearinghouses currently offer clearing for limited types of derivatives transactions, such as credit derivatives. In a centrally cleared credit default swap, immediately following execution of the swap agreement, the swap agreement is novated to a central counterparty (the "CCP") and the Fund's counterparty on the swap agreement becomes the CCP. The Fund is required to interface with the CCP through a broker. Upon entering into a centrally cleared swap, the Fund is required to deposit initial margin with the broker in the form of cash or securities in an amount that varies depending on the size and risk profile of the particular swap. The daily change in valuation of centrally cleared swaps is recorded as a receivable or payable for variation margin. Payments received from (paid to) the counterparty, including at termination, are recorded as realized gain (loss).

Total Return Swaps. The Fund entered into total return swaps to obtain exposure to a foreign market and/or foreign index without owning such securities or investing directly in that foreign market and/or foreign index. Total return swaps are agreement in which the Fund and the counterparty each agree to pay the other party the difference between the relative investment performance that would have been achieved if the notional amount of the total return swap contract had been invested in the particular foreign market and/or foreign indices and the return for payments equal to the fixed or floating rate of interest. The counterparty to a total return swap contract is a financial institution. The Fund has segregated liquid assets to cover its obligations under the total return swap contract.

The Fund entered into total return swaps on a net basis, which means that the two payment streams are netted out, with the Fund receiving or paying, as the case may be, only the net amount of the two payments. Payments are made at the conclusion of a total return swap contract or periodically during its term. Total return swaps normally do not involve the delivery of securities or other underlying assets. Accordingly, the risk of loss with respect to total return swaps is normally limited to the net amount of payments that the Fund is contractually obligated to make. If the counterparty to a total return swap defaults, the Fund's risk of loss consists of the net amount of payments that the Fund is contractually entitled to receive, if any. Total return swaps are marked-to-market daily based on valuations from an independent pricing service. An independent pricing service can utilize daily swap curves and models that incorporate a number of market data factors, such as, but not limited to, discounted cash flows, trades, and values of the underlying reference instruments, such as the foreign market and /or foreign index. Total return swaps are generally categorized as Level 2 investments within the hierarchy.

The Statement of Investments should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and notes to financial statements which are included in the Fund's audited annual report and unaudited semi-annual report.

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Futures Contracts

The Fund is subject to interest rate risk in the normal course of pursuing its objective(s). The Fund entered into financial futures contracts (“futures contracts”) to meet the Fund’s objectives and to obtain and/or manage exposure related to the value of interest rates. Futures contracts are contracts for delayed delivery of securities or currencies at a specific future date and at a specific price or currency amount.

Upon entering into a futures contract, the Fund is required to segregate an initial margin deposit of cash and/or other assets equal to a certain percentage of the futures contract’s notional value. Under a futures contract, the Fund agrees to receive from or pay to a broker an amount of cash equal to the daily fluctuation in value of the futures contract. Subsequent receipts or payments, known as “variation margin” receipts or payments, are made each day, depending on the fluctuation in the fair value of the futures contract, and are recognized by the Fund as unrealized gains or losses. Futures contracts are generally valued daily at their settlement price as provided by an independent pricing service approved by the Board of Trustees, and are generally categorized as Level 1 investments within the hierarchy.

A “sale” of a futures contract means a contractual obligation to deliver the securities or foreign currency called for by the contract at a fixed price or amount at a specified time in the future. A “purchase” of a futures contract means a contractual obligation to acquire the securities or foreign currency at a fixed price at a specified time in the future. When a futures contract is closed, the Fund records a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the value of the futures contract at the time it was opened and its value at the time it was closed.

Should market conditions change unexpectedly, the Fund may not achieve the anticipated benefits of futures contracts and may realize a loss. The use of futures contracts for hedging purposes involves the risk of imperfect correlation in the movements in the price of the futures contracts and the underlying assets. The Fund’s investments in futures contracts entail limited counterparty credit risk because the Fund invests only in exchange-traded futures contracts, which are settled through the exchange and whose fulfillment is guaranteed by the credit of the exchange.

The following tables provide a summary of the Fund’s derivative instruments categorized by risk exposure as of January 31, 2017:

Fair Values of Derivatives not Accounted for as Hedging Instruments as of January 31, 2017

Assets:		Fair Value
Swap Contracts(a)		
Credit risk	Swap contracts, at value	\$ 4,988,564
Equity risk	Swap contracts, at value	3,986,251
Futures Contracts		
Interest rate risk	Unrealized appreciation from futures contracts	360,112
Total		\$ 9,334,927
Liabilities:		
Futures Contracts		
Interest rate risk	Unrealized depreciation from futures contracts	\$ (197,007)
Total		\$ (197,007)

(a) The total retrun swap contract is included in the table at value. Centrally cleared credit default swap contracts are included in the table at unrealized appreciation/(depreciation).

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