



# Manager: Evolve Funds Group Inc.

# High Interest Savings Account Fund – Unhedged ETF Units

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This document contains key information you should know about High Interest Savings Account Fund. You can find more detailed information about this exchange-traded fund (ETF) in its prospectus. Ask your representative for a copy of the prospectus, visit the Evolve Funds Group Inc. ("Evolve") website at www.evolveetfs.com, or contact Evolve at info@evolveetfs.com or 416.214.4884 or 1.844.370.4884.

Before you invest, consider how the ETF would work with your other investments and your tolerance for risk.

**QUICK FACTS** 

Date ETF Started: November 21, 2019 Fund Manager: Evolve Funds Group Inc.
Total value on June 30, 2023: \$4,389,024,381 Portfolio Manager: Evolve Funds Group Inc.

Management Expense Ratio (MER): 0.07% Distributions: Monthly

TRADING INFORMATION (12 months ending June 30, 2023)

Ticker Symbol: HISA Average daily volume: 793,336

Exchange: Aequitas NEO Exchange Inc. (NEO) Number of days traded: 251 out of 252

Currency: CAD

PRICING INFORMATION (12 months ending June 30, 2023)

Market Price: \$50.00 - \$50.22 Net Asset Value (NAV): \$50.00 - \$50.22

Average bid-ask spread: 0.02%

For updated Quick Facts, Trading Information and Pricing Information, visit www.evolveetfs.com.

# WHAT DOES THE ETF INVEST IN?

The ETF seeks to maximize monthly income while preserving capital and liquidity by investing primarily in high interest deposit accounts.

The charts below give you a snapshot of the ETF's investments on June 30, 2023. The ETF's investments will change.

Top 10 Investments (June 30, 2023) % of Net Asset Valu	
National Bank of Canada Cash Account	49.6%
CIBC Cash Account	27.6%
Scotia Bank Cash Account	19.4%
BMO Cash Account	2.8%
Total % of top 10 investments	99.4%
Total number of investments	4

% of Assets
99.4%

# **HOW RISKY IS IT?**

The value of the ETF can go down as well as up. You could lose money. One way to gauge risk is to look at how much an ETF's returns change over time. This is called "volatility".

In general, ETFs with higher volatility will have returns that change more over time. They typically have a greater chance of losing money and may have a greater chance of higher returns. ETFs with lower volatility tend to have returns that change less over time. They typically have lower returns and may have a lower chance of losing money.

# **RISK RATING**

Evolve has rated the volatility of this ETF as **low**. This rating is based on how much the ETF's returns have changed from year to year. It doesn't tell you how volatile the ETF will be in the future. The rating can change over time. An ETF with a low risk rating can still lose money.

Low	Low to Medium	Medium	Medium to High	High

For more information about the risk rating and specific risks that can affect the ETF's returns, see the "Risk Factors" section of the ETF's prospectus.

## **NO GUARANTEES**

ETFs do not have any guarantees. You may not get back the amount of money you invest. Although the ETF primarily invests in bank deposit accounts, the ETF is not covered by the Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other government deposit insurer.



# HOW HAS THE ETF PERFORMED?

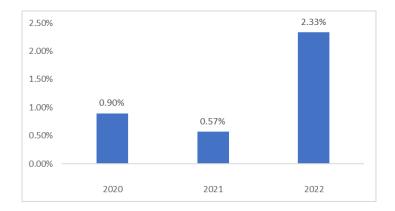
This section tells you how Unhedged ETF Units of the ETF have performed over the past 3 years. Returns¹ after expenses have been deducted. These expenses reduce the ETF's returns.

<sup>1</sup> Returns are calculated using the ETF's net asset value (NAV)

# Year-by-year returns

This chart shows how Unhedged ETF Units of the ETF performed in the past 3 years. The ETF dropped in value in 0 of the 3 years.

The range of returns and change from year to year can help you assess how risky the ETF has been in the past. It does not tell you how the ETF will perform in the future.



# Best and worst 3-month returns

This table shows the best and worst returns for the Unhedged ETF Units of the ETF in a 3-month period over the past 3 years. The best and worst 3-month returns could be higher or lower in the future. Consider how much of a loss you could afford to take in a short period of time.

	Return	3 Months Ending	If you invested \$1,000 at the beginning of the period
Best return	1.05%	December 30, 2022	Your investment would rise to \$1,010.52
Worst return	0.13%	August 31, 2021	Your investment would drop to \$1,001.35

# Average return

This section shows the value and annual compounded rate of return of a hypothetical \$1,000 investment in Unhedged ETF Units of the ETF.

As at June 30, 2023, a person who invested \$1,000 in the fund since inception now has \$1,066.10. This works out to an annual compounded rate of return of 1.79%.



# TRADING ETFs

ETFs hold a basket of investments, like mutual funds, but trade on exchanges like stocks. Here are a few things to keep in mind when trading ETFs:

## **Pricing**

ETFs have two sets of prices: market price and NAV.

#### **Market Price**

ETFs are bought and sold on exchanges at the market price. The market price can change throughout the trading day. Factors like supply, demand, and changes in the value of an ETF's investments can affect the market price.

You can get price quotes any time during the trading day. Quotes have two parts: bid and ask.

The bid is the highest price a buyer is willing to pay if you want to sell your ETF units. The ask is the lowest price a seller is willing to accept if you want to buy ETF units. The difference between the two is called the "bid-ask spread".

In general, a smaller bid-ask spread means the ETF is more liquid. That means you are more likely to get the price you expect.

#### Net Asset Value (NAV)

Like mutual funds, ETFs have a NAV. It is calculated after the close of each trading day and reflects the value of an ETF's investment at that point in time.

NAV is used to calculate financial information for reporting purposes – like the returns shown in this document.

#### Orders

There are two main options for placing trades: market orders and limit orders. A market order lets you buy or sell units at the current market price. A limit order lets you set the price at which you are willing to buy or sell units.

#### Timin

In general, market prices of ETFs can be more volatile around the start and end of the trading day. Consider using a limit order or placing a trade at another time during the trading day.

# WHO IS THIS ETF FOR?

#### Investors:

- seeking exposure to high interest deposit accounts;
- that are looking for a liquid, short term investment; and
- want to receive regular monthly cash flows (if any).

# A WORD ABOUT TAX

In general, you'll have to pay income tax on any money you make on an ETF. How much you pay depends on the tax laws where you live and whether or not you hold the ETF in a registered plan, such as a Registered Retirement Savings Plan or a Tax-Free Savings Account.

Keep in mind that if you hold your ETF in a non-registered account, distributions from the ETF are included in your taxable income, whether you get them in cash or have them reinvested.



# **HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?**

This section shows the fees and expenses you could pay to buy, own and sell Unhedged ETF Units of the ETF. Fees and expenses – including trailing commissions – can vary among ETFs. Higher commissions can influence representatives to recommend one investment over another. Ask about other ETFs and investments that may be suitable for you at a lower cost.

1. BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS	You may have to pay a commission every time you buy and sell Unhedged ETF Units of the ETF. Commissions may vary by brokerage firm. Some brokerage firms may offer commission-free ETFs a minimum purchase amount.	s or require
2. ETF EXPENSES	You don't pay these expenses directly. They affect you because they reduce the ETF's returns. As of December 31, 2022 the ETF's expenses were 0.07% of its value. This equals to \$0.70 for every \$1,000 invested.	
	A	Annual rate
	(as a % of the E	TF's value)
	Management Expense Ratio (MER)	
	This is the total of the ETF's management fee and ETF costs. Evolve waived some of the ETF's	0.07%
	expenses. If it had not done so, the MER would have been higher.	
	Trading Expense Ratio (TER)	
	These are the ETF's trading costs.	0.00%
	ETF Expenses	0.07%
3. TRAILING COMMISSION	The trailing commission is an ongoing commission. It is paid for as long as you own the ETF. It is services and advice that your representative and their firm provide you. This ETF doesn't have a commission.	

# **OTHER FEES**

FEE	What you pay
	An amount may be charged to offset certain transaction costs associated with an issue, exchange or redemption of the units. This charge does not apply to unitholders who buy and sell their units through the facilities of the Toronto Stock Exchange.

# WHAT IF I CHANGE MY MIND?

Under securities law in some provinces and territories, you have the right to 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 prospectus, ETF Facts 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 Evolve or your advisor for a copy of the ETF's prospectus and other disclosure documents. These documents and the ETF Facts make up the ETF's legal documents.

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