

Semi-Annual Management Report of Fund Performance
As at June 30, 2025

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This semi-annual Management Report of Fund Performance includes certain statements that are “forward looking statements”. All statements, other than statements of historical fact, included in this Management Report of Fund Performance that address activities, events or developments that the Fund expects or anticipates will or may occur in the future, including such things as anticipated financial performance, are forward looking statements. The words “may”, “could”, “would”, “should”, “believe”, “plan”, “anticipate”, “expect”, “intend”, “forecast”, “objective” and similar expressions are intended to identify forward looking statements.

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About This Report

This semi-annual Management Report of Fund Performance of Lysander-Canso Strategic Loan Fund (the “Fund”) contains financial highlights for the period ended June 30, 2025 but does not contain the complete financial statements of the Fund. This report should be read in conjunction with the interim financial statements of the Fund for the period ended June 30, 2025. Lysander Funds Limited (the “Manager”) is the manager of the Fund. You can get a copy of the financial statements at your request, and at no cost, by calling toll-free 1 877 308 6979, by writing to Lysander Funds Limited, 3080 Yonge St., Suite 4000, Toronto, Ontario, M4N 3N1, by visiting our website at www.lysanderfunds.com or at SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.ca.

Unitholders may also contact Lysander Funds Limited using one of these methods to obtain a copy of the Fund’s proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record, or quarterly portfolio disclosure.

Investment objective

The Fund’s objective is to achieve income returns by investing primarily in floating rate debt instruments and short term securities.

Investment Strategies

The Fund’s portfolio manager is Canso Investment Counsel Ltd. (“Portfolio Manager” or “Canso”), a company under common control as the Manager. The Fund’s portfolio will primarily be invested in floating rate debt instruments and short term securities. The Fund will not be leveraged. The Fund may invest up to 100% of its assets in foreign securities. More details are contained in the Fund’s simplified prospectus.

Risks

The risks of this Fund remain as discussed in the Fund’s most recent simplified prospectus.

Results of Operations

The Fund returns for the six-month period ended June 30, 2025 were 1.25% for Series A, 1.48% for Series F and 1.46% for Series O.

The net assets of the Fund were approximately \$712.3 million at June 30, 2025. There were net subscriptions of approximately \$708.9 million during the period.

There were no unusual changes to the components of revenue and expenses of the Fund and there were no unusual events or transactions, economic changes or market conditions that affected performance beyond what would be reasonably expected or as described below.

The Fund did not borrow money during the period except for immaterial short-term cash overdrafts.

Recent Developments

Early in the period, markets in both Canada and the US experienced a brief honeymoon period, driven by greater economic growth expectations following the inauguration of US President Trump. However, economic growth expectations were pared back later in the period, and replaced with greater levels of economic uncertainty with the announcement of certain US trade and economic policies - namely, the announcement of the “Liberation Day” reciprocal tariffs in the US on April 2nd, and the subsequent pause on those tariffs announced on April 9th; and

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the announcement of the One, Big, Beautiful Bill in the US on May 20, 2025.

During the period, the Bank of Canada reduced its overnight policy rate twice, each by 25bps, to end the period at a level of 2.75%. In their March 2025 policy rate announcement, the Bank of Canada noted: "Economic growth in the first quarter of 2025 will likely slow as the intensifying trade conflict weighs on sentiment and activity".

During the period, the Federal Reserve (the "Fed") kept the upper bound of the Fed Funds Target Rate steady at a level of 4.5%. The Fed's policy stance reflected cautiousness over mixed economic data releases – especially between "soft" survey-based data and "hard" real economic data – and the potential for a resurgence of inflation.

The Fund maintains a large weight in high quality credit as both credit and interest rate risk remains high. The Fund held a 45.1% weight in floating rate NHA MBS and 20.2% in Canadas. The higher quality, liquid positions will allow the Fund to take advantage of future market opportunities. The Fund held 9.4% in HY bonds. A few of the credits that the Fund invested in include Avis Budget, LRCNs, Honda Credit Canada, Hertz and VW Credit Canada. At the end of the period, the Fund's term to maturity was 3.1 years and duration was 0.6 years with a yield to maturity of 4.6%.

There have been no changes to the Manager or Portfolio Manager, or change of control of the Manager, or of the Fund. There have been no actual or planned reorganizations, mergers or similar transactions involving the Fund.

There were no changes to the membership of the Fund's Independent Review Committee ("IRC").

Related Party Transactions

The Manager provides or arranges to provide for the provision of all general management and administrative services required by the Fund in its day-to-day operations, including but not limited to, calculating and reporting the net asset value of the Fund and its series, preparing all offering documents, unitholder recordkeeping and other administrative services. The Manager receives a management fee for these services. The fee is calculated based on a percentage of the net asset value of the Fund as disclosed in the simplified prospectus.

The Fund paid \$512 (including HST) in management fees to the Manager for the period ended June 30, 2025.

The Portfolio Manager is responsible for all investment advice provided to the Fund including providing investment analysis

and recommendations, making investment decisions and arranging for the acquisition and disposition of portfolio investments. Fees for providing these services are included in the management fee. Portfolio management fees for the Portfolio Manager's services are paid from the management fee.

The Manager paid \$278 (including HST) to the Portfolio Manager for the period ended June 30, 2025.

The Manager relied, or may rely on standing instructions from the IRC in respect of securities traded amongst mutual funds, closed end funds, managed accounts or pooled funds managed by the Manager or an affiliate of the Manager. In such cases the Manager is required to comply with the Manager's written policies and procedures presented to the IRC and provide periodic reports to the IRC in accordance with National Instrument 81-107.

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Financial Highlights

Series A*

Period ended		30-Jun.-25
Net assets per unit¹		
Net assets, beginning of period	\$	10.00
Operations:		
Total revenue		0.13
Total expenses		(0.06)
Realized gains (losses)		0.04
Unrealized gains (losses)		0.02
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$	0.13
Distributions:		
From income (excluding dividends)	\$	(0.07)
From dividends		-
From capital gains		-
Total distributions^{2 3}	\$	(0.07)
Net assets, end of period^{2 3}	\$	10.06
Ratios and supplemental data		
Net asset value ⁴	\$	10,125
Units outstanding		1,007
Management expense ratio ⁵	%	1.55
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorption		1.55
Portfolio turnover rate ⁶		10.29
Trading expense ratio ⁷		-
Net asset value per unit, end of period	\$	10.06

Notes

* Series A commenced operations on January 31, 2025

1 The information is derived from the Fund's unaudited semi-annual and/or audited annual financial statements. All per unit figures presented are referenced to net assets determined in accordance to IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

2 Net assets and distributions are based on the actual numbers of units outstanding at the relevant time. The increase (decrease) from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding over the financial period. This table is not intended to be a reconciliation of beginning to ending net assets per unit.

3 Distributions were paid in cash or reinvested in additional units, or both.

4 This information is provided at the end of the period shown.

5 The management expense ratio ("MER") is based on the total expenses of the period ended, including the Fund's proportionate share of the MER, if any, of any underlying fund in which the Fund has invested, and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period.

6 The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio manager 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 period. The higher a fund's portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by the fund in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the period. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a fund. The portfolio turnover rate is calculated based on the lesser of purchases or sales of securities divided by the weighted average market value of portfolio securities, excluding short term securities.

7 The trading expense ratio ("TER") represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. Where the Fund invests in any underlying fund, the TER includes the Fund's proportionate share of the commissions of any underlying fund in which the Fund invested.

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Series F*

Period ended	30-Jun.-25	
Net assets per unit ¹		
Net assets, beginning of period	\$	10.00
Operations:		
Total revenue		0.13
Total expenses		(0.04)
Realized gains (losses)		0.04
Unrealized gains (losses)		0.02
Total increase (decrease) from operations ²	\$	0.15
Distributions:		
From income (excluding dividends)	\$	(0.08)
From dividends		-
From capital gains		-
Total distributions ^{2 3}	\$	(0.08)
Net assets, end of period ^{2 3}	\$	10.07
Ratios and supplemental data		
Net asset value ⁴	\$	152,230
Units outstanding		15,119
Management expense ratio ⁵	%	1.00
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorption		1.00
Portfolio turnover rate ⁶		10.29
Trading expense ratio ⁷		-
Net asset value per unit, end of period	\$	10.07

Notes

* Series F commenced operations on January 31, 2025

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3 Distributions were paid in cash or reinvested in additional units, or both.

4 This information is provided at the end of the period shown.

5 The management expense ratio ("MER") is based on the total expenses of the period ended, including the Fund's proportionate share of the MER, if any, of any underlying fund in which the Fund has invested, and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period.

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7 The trading expense ratio ("TER") represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. Where the Fund invests in any underlying fund, the TER includes the Fund's proportionate share of the commissions of any underlying fund in which the Fund invested.

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Series O*

Period ended	30-Jun.-25
Net assets per unit¹	
Net assets, beginning of period	\$ 10.00
Operations:	
Total revenue	0.11
Total expenses	-
Realized gains (losses)	0.04
Unrealized gains (losses)	0.01
Total increase (decrease) from operations²	\$ 0.16
Distributions:	
From income (excluding dividends)	\$ (0.08)
From dividends	-
From capital gains	-
Total distributions^{2 3}	\$ (0.08)
Net assets, end of period^{2 3}	\$ 10.07
Ratios and supplemental data	
Net asset value ⁴	\$ 712,106,898
Units outstanding	70,718,895
Management expense ratio ⁵	% 0.08
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorption	0.08
Portfolio turnover rate ⁶	10.29
Trading expense ratio ⁷	-
Net asset value per unit, end of period	\$ 10.07

Notes

* Series O commenced operations on March 7, 2025

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2 Net assets and distributions are based on the actual numbers of units outstanding at the relevant time. The increase (decrease) from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding over the financial period. This table is not intended to be a reconciliation of beginning to ending net assets per unit.

3 Distributions were paid in cash or reinvested in additional units, or both.

4 This information is provided at the end of the period shown.

5 The management expense ratio ("MER") is based on the total expenses of the period ended, including the Fund's proportionate share of the MER, if any, of any underlying fund in which the Fund has invested, and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period.

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7 The trading expense ratio ("TER") represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. Where the Fund invests in any underlying fund, the TER includes the Fund's proportionate share of the commissions of any underlying fund in which the Fund invested.

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Management Fees

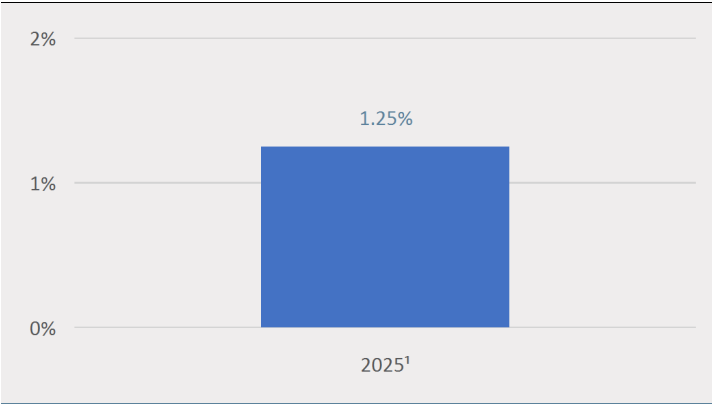
The Manager provides or arranges the provision of all general management and administrative services required by the Fund, and as described in the section “Related Party Transactions” above.

In consideration for such services, the Manager receives a monthly management fee, based on the net asset value of each Series, calculated daily and payable monthly. The Fund pays a management fee at a rate of 1.25% per annum for Series A units and at a rate of 0.75% per annum for Series F units. No management fee is charged to the Fund with respect to Series O units, but investors are charged a negotiated management fee.

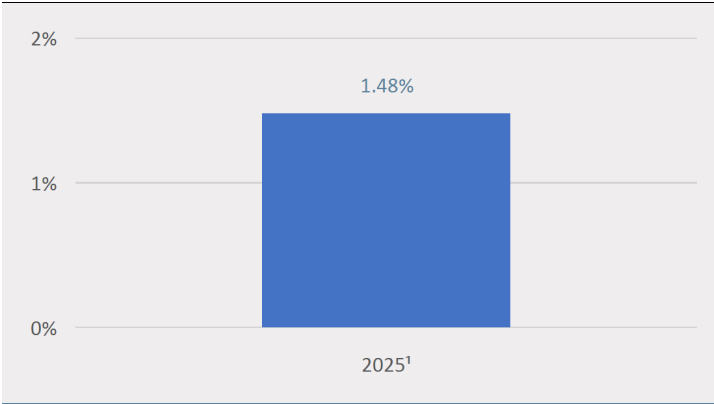
Service fees or trailing commissions of a maximum of 1.00% per annum are paid on Series A units to dealers. This comprises approximately 40% of the management fee of Series A units.

Year-by-Year Returns

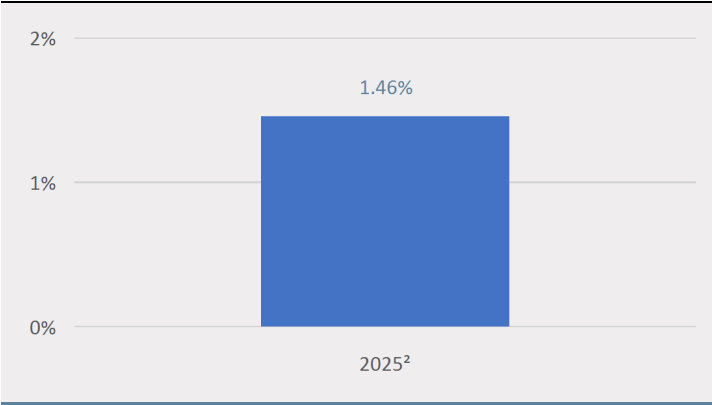
Series A



Series F



Series O



1 For the period January 31 to June 30, 2 For the period March 7 to June 30

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Summary of Investment Portfolio

% of NAV			% of NAV		
Top 25 Issuers			Asset Mix		
First National Financial Corp.	%	28.3	Canadian Fixed Income	%	35.3
Government of Canada		20.2	Cash and Cash Equivalents		3.4
BMO Nesbitt Burns		15.8	Foreign Bank Loans		4.9
The Hertz Corp.		4.7	Foreign Fixed Income		6.7
Honda Canada Finance Inc.		4.0	Mortgage Backed Securities		45.1
VW Credit Canada Inc.		3.6	Preferred Shares		0.5
Cash and Cash Equivalents		3.4	Private Placements		4.0
Metropolitan Life Global Funding		2.8	Other Assets less Liabilities		0.1
Sun Life Financial Inc.		2.5	Total	%	100.0
Avis Budget Car Rental		2.3	Sector		
Air Canada		2.2	Cash and Cash Equivalents	%	3.4
Enbridge Inc.		1.7	Communication Services		1.2
Great-West Lifeco Inc.		1.5	Consumer Discretionary		9.8
Avis Budget Rental Car Funding LLC		1.5	Consumer Staples		7.0
TD Bank Group		1.3	Energy		1.7
Corus Entertainment		1.2	Financials		56.6
IG Investment Management Ltd.		0.9	Government		20.2
Bank of Montreal		0.7	Other Assets less Liabilities		0.1
Royal Bank of Canada		0.5	Total	%	100.0
Bank of Nova Scotia		0.4			
Hertz Vehicle Financing LLC		0.3			
Mileage Plus Holdings LLC		0.1			
Total	%	99.9			



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