



# CLIFTON BLAKE

MORTGAGE INCOME FUND | May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025

## MONTHLY COMMENTARY

The Canadian economy remained resilient in Q1 2025, with GDP expanding by 2.2%, comfortably beating market expectations of 1.7%. The Bank of Canada ("BoC") held rates steady but signaled that tariffs could prompt a rate cut. The BoC's next rate decision is scheduled for July 30, 2025.

Over the past month, market volatility has subsided, and there are growing signs of reduced economic uncertainty. As a result, we are witnessing a surge in real estate activity and a promising pipeline of new opportunities. The Fund's AUM grew by approximately 4% in May, and we anticipate stronger capital deployment in the second half of the year.

The Mortgage Fund's performance in May remained consistent with previous months, demonstrating continued stability. The Fund remains open to new capital commitments, offering investors access to a proven strategy designed to deliver steady, risk-adjusted returns.

## MANAGER SUMMARY

Manager Clifton Blake

Firm AUM \$1 B

Fund AUM \$270 MM

## ANNUAL RETURNS

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025 YTD Actual	2025 YTD Annualized
Cash	7.80%	7.32%	7.31%	7.81%	7.74%	7.95%	8.00%	9.50%	9.24%	3.63%	8.71%
DRIP	8.08%	7.57%	7.56%	8.09%	7.98%	8.19%	8.24%	9.75%	9.48%	3.67%	8.96%

## FUND PERFORMANCE\*

Distribution Options	Stated Rate	1-Year Return	3-Year Return	5-Year Return	Since Inception
Cash	7.25%	9.02%	9.01%	8.56%	8.12%
DRIP	7.25%	9.26%	9.83%	10.02%	12.22%

## FUND COMPS TO INDICES

Index	1-Year Total Return	3-Year Total Return	5-Year Total Return
Clifton Blake Mortgage Income Fund Trust (DRIP)*	9.26%	9.83%	10.02%
iShares Core Canadian Short Term Bond Index ETF (XSB)	6.77%	3.98%	1.73%
iShares Core Canadian Universe Bond Index ETF (XBB)	7.20%	3.47%	-0.14%
iShares iBoxx \$ High Yield Corporate Bond ETF (HYG)	9.45%	6.07%	4.76%

\*All stated returns are inclusive of NAV changes and distributions.

## FUND OVERVIEW

Launched in 2015, Clifton Blake Mortgage Income Fund (the "Fund") is an open-end fund that invests in a diversified portfolio of mortgages secured by high quality real estate assets, with a focus on well-located real estate in liquid markets backed by strong borrowers. The properties are located in major urban areas and their surroundings, particularly in the Greater Toronto Area. The Fund seeks to provide a fixed income investment with stable monthly returns. The Fund targets an average portfolio LTV between 55%-65% and an average term to maturity less than 12 months.

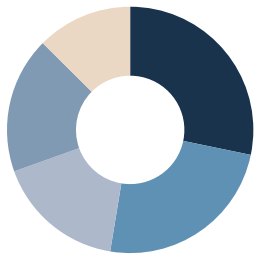
The investment objectives of the Fund are to:

- Preserve capital.
- Achieve stable, above-average returns for short-term secured investments.
- Provide monthly distributions to Unitholders.

## TOP 5 REASONS TO BUY FUND

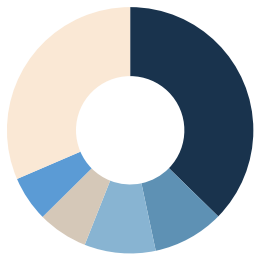
- 1 Steady, undisturbed income stream
- 2 No unit price volatility and low correlation to public markets
- 3 Manager expertise in development, real estate operations and lending
- 4 Balanced portfolio mix
- 5 Geographic concentration in GTA & Southern Ontario

### ASSET MIX



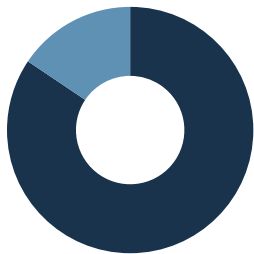
● Residential	28.3%
● Land & Development	24.3%
● Industrial	17.9%
● Mixed Use	16.9%
● Retail & Office	12.6%

### TOP 5 CITIES



● Toronto	37.3%
● Brampton	9.4%
● Barrie	9.3%
● Burlington	6.6%
● Vaughan	5.9%
● Other	31.5%

### LOAN PRIORITY SPLIT



Priority	Count	Weight
● 1st mortgages	44	84.4%
● 2nd mortgages	16	15.6%
	60	100.0%
Weighted average LTV		56.2%
Weighted average TTM		6.84
Portfolio Leverage		11.15%
Average Credit Score of Borrowers		746

### FUND DETAILS

NAV	\$10.0608
Fundserv Code	CBS 1001 Series F CBS 1005 Series B 1% Trailer (monthly)
Fund Structure	Mutual Fund Trust
Fund Status	Private Fund / Offering Memorandum
Eligibility	Accredited Investors or Other Prospectus Exemption
Asset Manager	CBMIFT Manager Ltd.
Registered Plans	RRSP, RRIF, DPSP, TFSA, IPP Eligible
Purchase	T+1
Redemption	Quarterly (T-30; T-45 for Dec)
Management Fee	1.0%
Target Return	7.25%
Incentive Fee	20% over Hurdle Rate (7.25%)
Distribution Frequency	Monthly
Early Redemption Fee	2.0% within 1st year, no fee thereafter
Minimum Purchase	\$25,000 if through an advisor
Fund Administrator	SXXX Fund Services Inc.
Fund Auditor	KPMG LLP
Inception Date	July 2015

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