

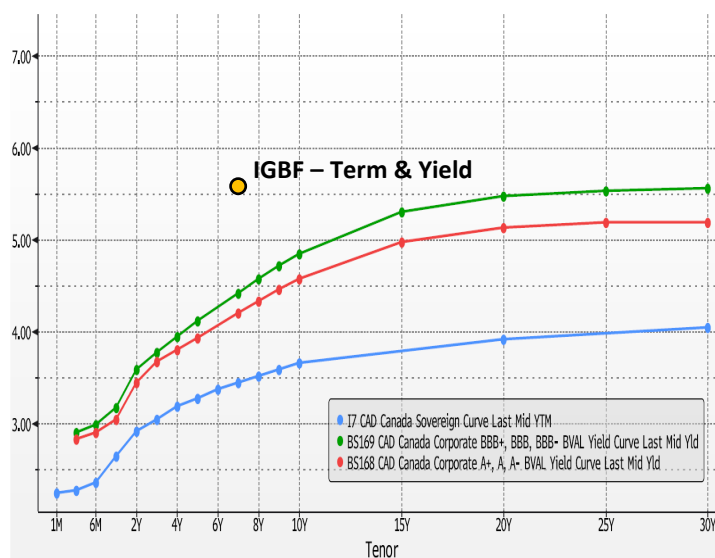
RIDGEWOOD CANADIAN INVESTMENT GRADE BOND FUND

Fund Code: MWM900

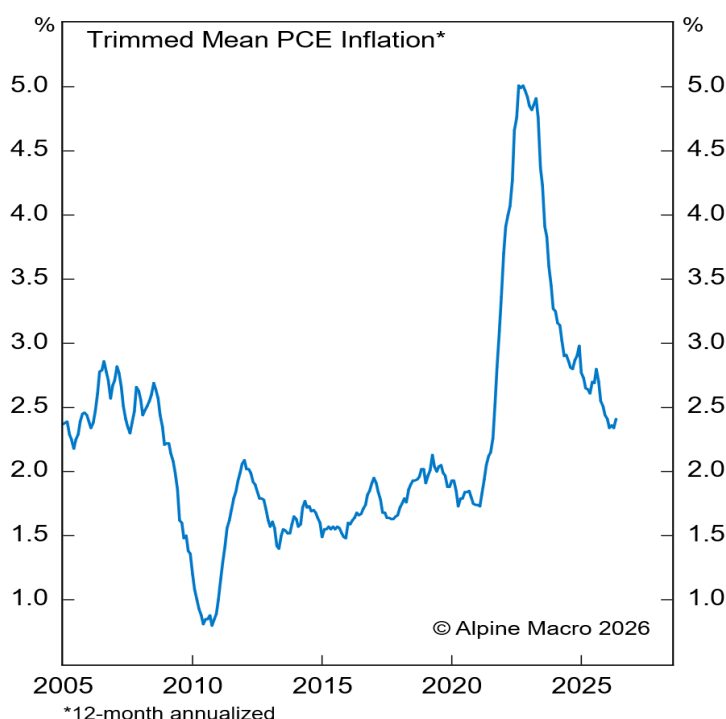
Bond Market Outlook

- Both the Fed and Bank of Canada held their respective benchmark rates unchanged during their July meetings.
- The FTSE Bond Universe returned -1.6% in July as the market experienced heightened volatility.
- Trimmed Mean PCE (Personal Consumption Expenditures Price Index) is considered by many economists (and cited by some FOMC members) as a cleaner read on underlying inflation trend/persistence, since it lets the "excluded" categories float based on actual data rather than a fixed list.

Canadian Yield Curves ¹



Source: Bloomberg



NAV: \$14.28

Current Yield = 5.62%

Portfolio YTM = 5.69%

Term = 6.80 years

Leverage = 34%

Portfolio Update

- The fund added 2 financial Limited Recourse Capital Notes in July. Bank of Nova Scotia 5.987% 2031 and National Bank 6.067% 2031.
- Long-term Canada bonds were sold to facilitate the trades.

NAV Performance (net of fees) ¹

	IGBF	FTSE Universe	Value Added
One Month	-1.9%	-1.6%	-0.3%
YTD 2026	2.7%	0.7%	2.0%
2025	7.9%	2.6%	5.3%
2024	14.6%	4.2%	10.4%
2023	7.0%	6.7%	0.3%
10 yr to Dec 2025	5.6%	1.9%	3.7%

Long Term NAV Performance

Annual to Dec 31	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
RIGBF, Net Performance	-1.6	18.8	9.0	15.1	3.0	5.5	8.8	2.2	14.3	12.0	2.4	-15.2	7.0	14.6	7.9
FTSE TMX Canada Universe Index	9.7	3.6	-1.2	8.8	3.5	1.7	2.5	1.4	6.9	8.7	-2.5	-11.7	6.7	4.2	2.6
Value-Added	-8.7	15.3	10.2	6.3	-0.4	3.8	6.3	0.8	7.4	3.3	4.9	-3.5	0.3	10.3	5.2

Annualized to Dec 31	15 yrs	14 yrs	13 yrs	12 yrs	11 yrs	10 yrs	9 yrs	8 yrs	7yrs	6yrs	5 yrs	4 yrs	3 yrs	2 yrs	1 yr
RIGBF, Net Performance	6.6	7.2	6.4	6.1	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.2	5.7	4.3	2.8	2.9	9.8	11.2	7.9
FTSE TMX Canada Universe Index	2.9	2.4	2.3	2.6	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.9	1.1	-0.4	0.2	4.5	3.4	2.6
Value-Added	3.7	4.8	4.1	3.6	3.3	3.7	3.7	3.4	3.8	3.2	3.2	2.7	5.3	7.7	5.2

Fund Portfolio Snapshot as at July 31, 2026

DBRS Credit Rating	%	Top 10 Holdings	%	Sectors	%
A	10.50	TRANSALTA 7.30% 2029	4.44	Banks	23.51
A H	0.63	REALT 2024-RONA B	3.93	CMBS	18.35
A L	18.87	SAGEN MI 4.95% 2028/81	3.17	Energy	3.59
AA	7.74	IA FINANCIAL 6.921% 2029/84	3.09	Government of Canada	3.58
AA L	0.28	INTACT 5.642% 2031/86	3.02	Insurance	17.55
AAA	2.53	TRANSALTA 6.90% 2030	3.01	Specialty Finance	7.42
BBB	20.39	FORTIS 5.1% 2030/55	2.96	Tech., Media & Telecom	9.50
BBB H	17.72	SAGICOR FINCL 6.359% 2029	2.67	Utilities	16.50
BBB L	21.33	CITIBANK 5.365% 2036	2.58		
		ROYAL BANK USD 7.5% 2029/84	2.57		

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Ridgewood Investment Grade Bond Fund – Conversion to Alternative Mutual Fund

Ridgewood received approval on March 20, 2024 from unitholders to convert the Investment Grade Bond Fund from a closed end fund to an alternative mutual fund; as an alternative mutual fund, we will be using the daily NAV for pricing in the future and will continue to be allowed to use leverage in the fund.

The fund (RIB.UN) has been delisted from the TSX at end of business March 22, 2024. The Investment Grade Bond Fund is available to transact as an alternative mutual fund, using the daily NAV, on Fundserv. The fund code is MWM900.

Fund Facts

- A unique opportunity for retail investors to access the **investment grade bond** market
- Focus on **Canadian issuers**, with up to 25% in non-Canadian investment grade bonds
- **Actively managed** with prudent use of leverage, up to 35% of the total assets of the fund may be borrowed
- **Attractive monthly distribution** yielding 4.45%¹
- **Experienced portfolio manager** with over 20 years of fixed income experience, Mark J. Carpani, CFA has been responsible for managing the fund since its inception in 2009

Ridgewood Capital Asset Management

- Ridgewood was founded in 2008 and manages \$1.95 billion for high net worth individuals and institutional clients
- A top quartile fixed income manager specializing in corporate bonds; fixed income assets represent 78% of total AUM
- The inception date of the Ridgewood Canadian Investment Grade Bond Fund (RIB.UN) was December 18, 2009

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