
DFA Global Real Estate Securities Fund

Management Report of Fund Performance

For the period ended June 30, 2017

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Results of Operations

The Fund held approximately 385 securities in 18 approved markets as at June 30, 2017. In general, cash exposure was low throughout the period with an average cash balance of less than 1% of the Fund's Net Asset Value. As a result of the Fund's investment strategy, performance was determined principally by broad structural trends in global real estate securities markets rather than the behavior of a limited number of securities.

For the six months ended June 30, 2017, total returns were -0.01% for the Class F units, -0.55% for the Class A units, +0.19% for the Class I units, and -0.32% for the S&P Developed REIT Index (net dividends) ("Index").

The Fund's Class F and Class I units outperformed the Index. After the deduction of fees, the Fund's Class A units underperformed the Index. Withholding tax rate differences between the Fund and the Index had a positive impact on relative performance for the year. Additionally, the portfolio's holdings in the US outperformed those of the index due to differences in REIT classification and eligibility between the Fund and Index.

Returns for the Index are not diminished by management and administrative expenses associated with managing a portfolio of securities.

Net returns of Class A units were diminished by trailer fees payable to securities dealers. Dealers generally pay a portion of these fees to investment professionals for services they provide to their clients.

Recent Developments

Dimensional pursues a disciplined quantitative approach to identify securities for purchase or sale. In contrast to many investment firms, Dimensional does not seek to predict the future course of business conditions, stock market trends, interest rates, or currency exchange rates. Dimensional believes that securities markets are highly competitive and prices reflect information quickly enough that efforts to outperform the market ordinarily promise little or no payoff after taking account of research and transaction costs. Dimensional seeks to

capture a market rate of return associated with various broad risk factors while reducing individual company, country and industry risk through diversification.

Douglas W. Diamond was appointed to the Independent Review Committee for the Funds effective June 22, 2017.

Related-Party Transactions

Dimensional is the manager, trustee, and principal portfolio advisor of the Fund. As manager, Dimensional is responsible for the overall management and administration of the Fund. As trustee, Dimensional holds legal title to the Fund's investments in trust for the Fund's unitholders. For its services, Dimensional receives management fees that are calculated as a percentage of the average Net Asset Value of the Fund. These fees are calculated daily and payable monthly.

As principal portfolio advisor, Dimensional is responsible for managing the investment portfolio of the Fund directly or through sub-advisors. Dimensional has retained its ultimate parent company, that Dimensional Fund Advisors LP ("Dimensional U.S."), to act as the Fund's sub-advisor. Dimensional U.S. is responsible for investment analysis and decision making, implementing securities transactions, selecting broker-dealers, acquiring research information, voting proxies, and monitoring the Fund's investment guidelines. Dimensional has also engaged its affiliates, DFA Australia Limited, and Dimensional Fund Advisors Ltd., as sub-advisors to the Fund. The fees of the sub-advisors are paid by Dimensional.

Dimensional has adopted written policies and procedures with respect to the supervision and monitoring of the services provided by Dimensional, Dimensional U.S. and the other subadvisors to the Fund, and received standing instructions from the Fund's Independent Review Committee ("IRC") to act in accordance with these policies and procedures. These standing instructions require Dimensional to report to the IRC any material exceptions to compliance with these policies and procedures.

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Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the six months ended June 30, 2017 and from the past five years, as applicable. Per unit data is derived from the Fund's financial statements.

Ratios and supplemental data are derived from the Fund's Net Asset Value.

The Fund's Net Assets per Unit (\$) ⁽¹⁾

CLASS A	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 15.39	\$ 15.50	\$ 13.38	\$ 10.42	\$ 9.83	\$ 8.46
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	0.41	0.48	0.42	0.46	0.40	0.39
Total expenses	(0.13)	(0.25)	(0.24)	(0.21)	(0.19)	(0.16)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.03)	0.63	0.28	0.12	0.24	0.08
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.35)	(0.75)	1.91	2.89	0.17	1.17
Total increase (decrease) from operations⁽²⁾	\$ (0.10)	\$ 0.11	\$ 2.37	\$ 3.26	\$ 0.62	\$ 1.48
Distributions:						
From income (excluding dividends)	—	—	—	—	—	—
From dividends	(0.22)	(0.22)	(0.22)	(0.31)	(0.14)	(0.13)
From capital gains	—	(0.12)	—	—	—	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Annual Distributions⁽³⁾	(0.22)	(0.34)	(0.22)	(0.31)	(0.14)	(0.13)
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 15.09	\$ 15.39	\$ 15.50	\$ 13.38	\$ 10.42	\$ 9.80
CLASS F	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 15.33	\$ 15.44	\$ 13.33	\$ 10.37	\$ 9.79	\$ 8.43
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	0.41	0.48	0.41	0.47	0.40	0.39
Total expenses	(0.04)	(0.08)	(0.08)	(0.07)	(0.07)	(0.06)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.03)	0.58	0.28	0.13	0.25	0.08
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.36)	(0.59)	1.91	2.85	0.22	1.17
Total increase (decrease) from operations⁽²⁾	\$ (0.02)	\$ 0.39	\$ 2.52	\$ 3.38	\$ 0.80	\$ 1.58
Distributions:						
From income (excluding dividends)	—	—	—	—	—	—
From dividends	(0.30)	(0.38)	(0.40)	(0.43)	(0.26)	(0.24)
From capital gains	—	(0.12)	—	—	—	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Annual Distributions⁽³⁾	(0.30)	(0.50)	(0.40)	(0.43)	(0.26)	(0.24)
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 15.03	\$ 15.33	\$ 15.44	\$ 13.33	\$ 10.37	\$ 9.75
CLASS I	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Net Assets, beginning of period	\$ 15.18	\$ 15.29	\$ 13.20	\$ 10.27	\$ 9.69	\$ 8.35
Increase (decrease) from operations:						
Total revenue	0.41	0.47	0.41	0.46	0.39	0.39
Total expenses	—	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.02)	(0.02)	(0.01)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.03)	0.62	0.29	0.13	0.21	0.10
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	(0.35)	(0.60)	1.92	2.83	0.23	1.06
Total increase (decrease) from operations⁽²⁾	\$ 0.03	\$ 0.48	\$ 2.61	\$ 3.40	\$ 0.81	\$ 1.54
Distributions:						
From income (excluding dividends)	—	—	—	—	—	—
From dividends	(0.33)	(0.45)	(0.46)	(0.48)	(0.30)	(0.29)
From capital gains	—	(0.12)	—	—	—	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Annual Distributions⁽³⁾	(0.33)	(0.57)	(0.46)	(0.48)	(0.30)	(0.29)
Net Assets, end of period	\$ 14.88	\$ 15.18	\$ 15.29	\$ 13.20	\$ 10.27	\$ 9.66

(1) This information is derived from the Fund's audited annual financial statements and the Fund's unaudited semi-annual financial statements. For the financial years beginning on or after January 1, 2014, the financial highlights were derived from the Fund's financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"). For the financial year ended December 31, 2013, the financial highlights were restated to comply with IFRS reporting. For financial years beginning before January 1, 2013, the financial highlights were derived from the Fund's financial statements prepared in accordance with Canadian GAAP. For financial years beginning on or after January 1, 2013, all references to "Net Assets" or "Net Assets per Unit" in the financial highlights are references to net assets attributable to holders of redeemable units determined in accordance with IFRS as presented in the financial statements of the Fund.

(2) Net Assets and distributions are based on the actual number 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.

(3) Distributions were paid in cash/reinvested in additional units of the Fund, or both.

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Ratios and Supplemental Data

CLASS A	June 30, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	Dec 31, 2015	Dec 31, 2014	Dec 31, 2013	Dec 31, 2012
Total net asset value (\$) (000's) ⁽¹⁾	24,987	23,786	18,525	15,373	11,736	9,861
Number of units outstanding (000's) ⁽¹⁾	1,656	1,545	1,195	1,149	1,127	1,003
Management expense ratio ⁽²⁾	1.62% ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾	1.62%	1.67%	1.75%	1.75%	1.75%
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorption ⁽²⁾	1.62% ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾	1.62%	1.63%	1.73%	1.73%	1.78%
Trading expense ratio ⁽³⁾	0.01% ⁽⁵⁾	0.02%	0.01%	0.01%	0.02%	0.02%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁽⁴⁾	1.99%	9.49%	5.37%	4.73%	19.86%	4.36%
Net asset value per unit (\$)	15.09	15.39	15.50	13.38	10.42	9.83
CLASS F	June 30, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	Dec 31, 2015	Dec 31, 2014	Dec 31, 2013	Dec 31, 2012
Total net asset value (\$) (000's) ⁽¹⁾	177,353	169,094	166,683	137,737	94,751	77,759
Number of units outstanding (000's) ⁽¹⁾	11,799	11,028	10,797	10,333	9,137	7,945
Management expense ratio ⁽²⁾	0.49% ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾	0.50%	0.52%	0.59%	0.61%	0.62%
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorption ⁽²⁾	0.49% ⁽⁵⁾⁽⁶⁾	0.50%	0.52%	0.59%	0.61%	0.62%
Trading expense ratio ⁽³⁾	0.01% ⁽⁵⁾	0.02%	0.01%	0.01%	0.02%	0.02%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁽⁴⁾	1.99%	9.49%	5.37%	4.73%	19.86%	4.36%
Net asset value per unit (\$)	15.03	15.33	15.44	13.33	10.37	9.79
CLASS I	June 30, 2017	Dec 31, 2016	Dec 31, 2015	Dec 31, 2014	Dec 31, 2013	Dec 31, 2012
Total net asset value (\$) (000's) ⁽¹⁾	116,174	101,755	83,351	61,951	37,868	42,061
Number of units outstanding (000's) ⁽¹⁾	7,807	6,703	5,453	4,693	3,688	4,340
Management expense ratio ⁽²⁾	0.05% ⁽⁵⁾	0.06%	0.07%	0.12%	0.13%	0.13%
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorption ⁽²⁾	0.05% ⁽⁵⁾	0.06%	0.07%	0.12%	0.13%	0.13%
Trading expense ratio ⁽³⁾	0.01% ⁽⁵⁾	0.02%	0.01%	0.01%	0.02%	0.02%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁽⁴⁾	1.99%	9.49%	5.37%	4.73%	19.86%	4.36%
Net asset value per unit (\$)	14.88	15.18	15.29	13.20	10.27	9.69

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⁽²⁾ Management expense ratio is based on total expenses (excluding broker commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) for the stated year and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average Net Asset Value during the period.

⁽³⁾ The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average Net Asset Value during the period.

⁽⁴⁾ The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio advisor 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 year. The higher a Fund's portfolio turnover in a year, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund in the year, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of the Fund.

⁽⁵⁾ Percentages are annualized.

⁽⁶⁾ Effective June 28, 2017, the management fee was changed for Class A and Class F of the Fund. Had the change to the management fee been in effect throughout 2017, the MER of each Class would have been as follows- Class A: 1.52% and Class F: 0.39%.

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Management Fees

Dimensional receives management fees for its service as Manager of the Fund. These fees are calculated as a percentage of the Net Asset Value of the Fund and are calculated daily and payable monthly. The table below shows the annual management fee rates for each class of units of the Fund.

Annual Rate	Class A	Class F	Class I
Management Fees*	1.25%	0.25%	0%

* On June 28, 2017, the management fee for each class of units of the Fund was changed from 1.35% for class A and 0.35% for class F to the rates listed above.

Dimensional pays a trailer fee to dealers out of the management fee received for Class A units of the Fund. This trailer fee is generally calculated as a percentage of the average daily Net Asset Value of Class A units of the Fund held by the dealer's clients or by the dealer on behalf of the clients. The maximum annual trailer fee for the Class A units of the Fund is 1.00%. The balance of the management fees are for the general management and administrative services provided to the Fund. The table below shows a breakdown of the services received by the Fund as a percentage of management fees.

	Class A	Class F	Class I
Management and Administrative Services	20%	100%	0%
Trailer Fees	80%	0%	0%
	100%	100%	0%

No management fees are charged to the Fund with respect to Class I units. Instead, each Class I investor pays a separate fee directly to the manager of the Fund.

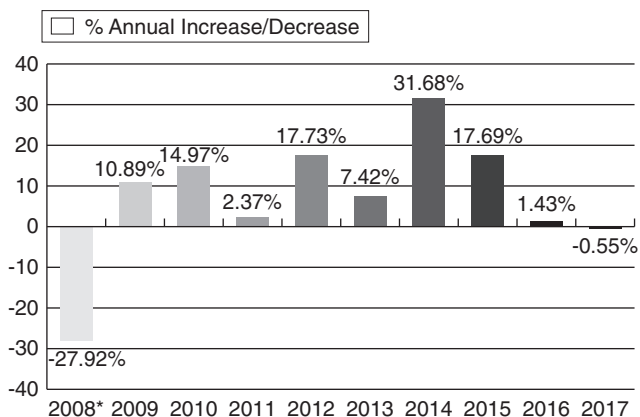
Past Performance

The performance information shown assumes that all distributions made by the Fund during the periods shown were reinvested in additional units of the Fund. The performance information does not take into account any sales, redemption, distribution, or other optional charges that would have reduced returns or performance. How the Fund has performed in the past does not necessarily indicate how it will perform in the future.

Year-by-Year Returns

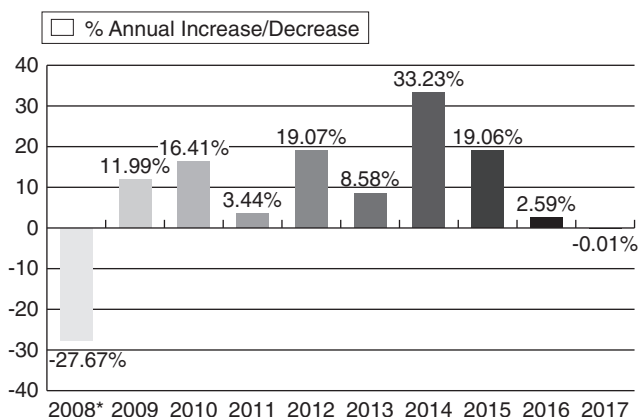
The bar charts show the Fund's annual performance for each of the financial years shown, and how the Fund's performance has changed from year to year. The charts show, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on the first day of each financial year would have increased or decreased by the last day of that financial year, or as the case may be, of the interim period.

DFA Global Real Estate Securities Fund – Class A



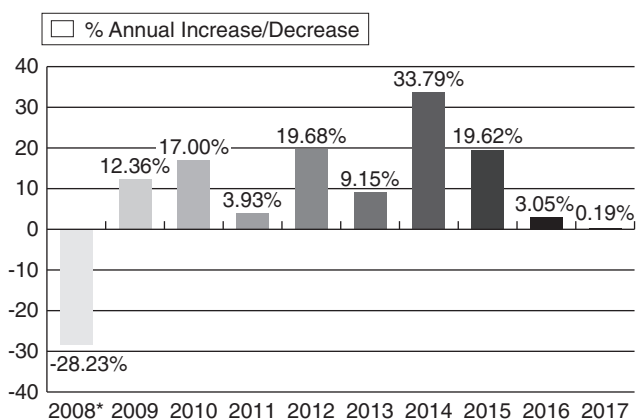
* The information for 2008 is for the period from January 11, 2008 to December 31, 2008.

DFA Global Real Estate Securities Fund – Class F



* The information for 2008 is for the period from January 10, 2008 to December 31, 2008.

DFA Global Real Estate Securities Fund – Class I



* The information for 2008 is for the period from January 8, 2008 to December 31, 2008.

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Summary of Investment Portfolio

as at June 30, 2017 (unaudited)

Country Mix	% of Fund's Net Asset Value
Australia	7.25
Belgium	0.67
Canada	1.65
China	0.03
France	2.05
Germany	0.19
Great Britain	4.65
Hong Kong	1.82
Ireland	0.13
Italy	0.05
Japan	7.34
Mexico	0.74
Netherlands	2.57
New Zealand	0.41
Singapore	2.76
South Africa	1.38
Spain	0.36
United States of America	65.04
Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.43
Net Other Assets	0.48
	<u>100.00</u>

Top 25 Issuers	% of Fund's Net Asset Value
01 Simon Property Group Inc.	4.00
02 Equinix Inc.	2.57
03 Prologis Inc.	2.40
04 Public Storage	2.37
05 Welltower Inc.	2.10
06 Unibail-Rodamco SA	2.09
07 AvalonBay Communities Inc.	2.04
08 Ventas Inc.	1.92
09 Equity Residential	1.88
10 Boston Properties Inc.	1.46
11 Scentre Group	1.45
12 The Link REIT	1.43
13 Digital Realty Trust Inc.	1.39
14 Essex Property Trust Inc.	1.31
15 Vornado Realty Trust	1.24
16 HCP Inc.	1.17
17 Realty Income Corp.	1.16
18 Westfield Group	1.07
19 GGP Inc.	1.05
20 Host Hotels & Resorts Inc.	1.05
21 Mid-America Apartment Communities Inc.	0.94
22 American Tower Corp.	0.93
23 Land Securities Group PLC	0.90
24 Goodman Group	0.90
25 Alexandria Real Estate Equities Inc.	0.85
	<u>39.67</u>
Total Net Asset Value:	\$318,514,430

All holdings in the Fund are long positions.

The Fund's investment portfolio may change due to the Fund's ongoing portfolio transactions. Quarterly updates are available within 60 days of each quarter end where an annual or interim report is not published by visiting www.ca.dimensionalfund.com or by calling Dimensional collect at 604-685-1633 or by writing to Dimensional at 745 Thurlow Street, Suite 2110, Vancouver, BC, Canada, V6E 0C5.