



# **PURPOSE SILVER BULLION FUND**

**INTERIM MANAGEMENT REPORT  
OF FUND PERFORMANCE**

**For the financial period ended June 30, 2025**

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Securityholders may also contact us using one of these methods to request a copy of the investment fund's proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record, or quarterly portfolio disclosure.

### CAUTION REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This report may contain forward-looking statements about the Fund, including its strategy, expected performance and condition. Forward-looking statements include statements that are predictive in nature, that depend upon or refer to future events or conditions, or that include words such as "expects," "anticipates," "intends," "plans," "believes," "estimates," or negative versions thereof and similar expressions.

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Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, and actual events and results could differ materially from those expressed or implied in any forward-looking statements made by the Fund. Any number of important factors could contribute to these digressions, including, but not limited to, general economic, political and market factors, interest and foreign exchange rates, global equity and capital markets, business competition, technological change, changes in government regulations, unexpected judicial or regulatory proceedings, and catastrophic events. We stress that the abovementioned list of important factors is not exhaustive. We encourage you to consider these and other factors carefully before making any investment decisions, and urge you to avoid placing undue reliance on forward-looking statements. Further, you should be aware of the fact that the Fund has no specific intention of updating any forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, prior to the release of the next Management Report of Fund Performance.

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## INTERIM MANAGEMENT REPORT OF FUND PERFORMANCE

The Management Report of Fund Performance (“MRFP”) contains financial highlights. *Purpose Silver Bullion Fund’s* (the “Fund”) financial statements are included at the back of the MRFP.

The management report of fund performance presents the views of the manager and the portfolio management team concerning significant factors and developments that have affected the Fund’s performance and outlook.

Please read the caution on the inside of the cover page regarding forward-looking statements.

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES AND STRATEGIES

*Purpose Silver Bullion Fund* (the “Fund”) invests in and holds substantially all of its assets in long-term holdings of silver bullion in order to provide investors with a secure, convenient, low-cost alternative for investors interested in holding an investment in silver bullion.

The Fund invests in and holds unencumbered silver bullion on a long-term basis in 1,000-ounce international bar sizes, and not to speculate with regard to short-term changes in silver prices, in order to provide investors with the ability to effectively invest in unencumbered silver bullion in a convenient and secure manner, without the associated inconvenience and relatively high transaction, handling, storage, insurance and other costs typical of a direct silver bullion investment.

Purpose Investments Inc., (“Purpose” or the “Manager”) is the manager and trustee of the Fund. Silver Administrators Ltd. (the “Administrator”) acts as the administrator of the Fund pursuant to an Administrative Services Agreement with the Fund. The Fund’s investment strategy is to invest substantially all of the assets of the Fund in Silver Bullion.

The Fund’s registered office is located at 130 Adelaide St. West, Suite 3100, PO Box 109, Toronto, Ontario, M5H 3P5.

### RISK

The risks of investing in the Fund are disclosed in the Fund’s prospectus and there have been no significant changes during the period that affected the overall level of risk associated with the Fund.

### RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The Fund offers ETF units listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the tickers SBT and SBT.B and mutual fund classes in currency hedged, non-currency hedged and US Dollar purchase option.

The net asset value per unit as at:

Class	June 30, 2025 (\$)	December 31, 2024 (\$)
ETF Units	18.42	15.10
ETF Non-Currency Hedged Units (expressed in CAD)	25.97	22.04
ETF Non-Currency Hedged Units (expressed in USD)	19.07	15.33

During the period ended June 30, 2025 the Fund did not pay any distributions.

### RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

There were no changes to the Manager of the Fund, nor were there any material changes to the investment philosophy or process. The Manager actively monitors the positioning of the Fund’s portfolio for changes in current market conditions and the economic environment.

### RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### FUND MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES

Purpose is deemed to be a related party as Manager of the Fund, often also appointing itself to such roles as trustee and/or portfolio manager. Accordingly, Purpose is responsible for the day-to-day administration of the Fund and receives a management fee in consideration for its services. No management fees or administration fees are payable by a Fund that, to a reasonable person, would duplicate a fee payable by the underlying funds of that fund for the same service. In addition, the Fund will not pay any sales fees or redemption fees upon a purchase or redemption of securities of an underlying fund where (a) the underlying fund is managed by Purpose or an affiliate or associate of Purpose, or (b) a reasonable person would consider that fee to duplicate a fee payable by an investor in the Fund. Please refer to the “Management Fee” section for fees paid to Purpose.

Purpose has also established an Independent Review Committee (“IRC”) as required by National Instrument 81-107 *Independent Review Committee for Investment Funds*. The mandate of the IRC is to review, and provide input on, the Manager’s written policies and procedures that deal with conflict of interest matters in respect of the Fund. IRC members receive fees and reimbursement of expenses for services provided to the Fund and other Purpose managed funds and such costs are allocated among all the Funds on a fair and reasonable basis. The fees for services rendered to the Fund are reported in the Statements of Comprehensive Income.

The Fund is permitted to purchase, sell and hold units or shares in other investment funds for which Purpose is the manager. With respect to the purchase, sale or holdings in such units or shares, Purpose relies on standing instructions from the IRC as a positive recommendation permitting such investments subject to Purpose complying with its established policies and procedures regarding fund-on-fund investments and reporting on such compliance periodically to the IRC.

#### INDEPENDENT REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Manager is required to comply with the policies and procedures presented to the IRC with respect to various potential conflicts of interest including valuation and the allocation of operating expenses and to provide periodic reports to the IRC in accordance with NI 81-107.

The members of the Independent Review Committee as at June 30, 2025 were Douglas G. Hall (Chair), Jean M. Fraser and Karen A. McRae.

Effective January 1, 2025, Randall C. Barnes ceased to be a director and independent board committee member. Karen A. McRae was appointed to be a director and independent board committee member on January 1, 2025.



## 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 years ended December 31, except 2025 which is provided as at June 30:

### NET ASSETS PER UNIT <sup>1</sup>

ETF Units (TSX: SBT)	2025 <sup>a</sup> (\$)	2024 (\$)	2023 (\$)	2022 (\$)	2021 (\$)	2020 (\$)
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	<b>15.10</b>	<b>12.57</b>	<b>12.84</b>	<b>12.65</b>	<b>14.71</b>	<b>10.42</b>
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total revenue	0.02	-	0.04	0.01	-	-
Total expenses	(0.05)	(0.08)	(0.10)	(0.13)	(0.07)	(0.07)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	0.29	1.19	2.40	(3.07)	(0.41)	1.12
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	3.08	1.55	(2.66)	3.87	(2.06)	2.02
Total increase (decrease) from operations <sup>2</sup>	3.34	2.66	(0.32)	0.68	(2.54)	3.07
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>18.42</b>	<b>15.10</b>	<b>12.57</b>	<b>12.84</b>	<b>12.65</b>	<b>14.71</b>

Notes:

a) Information presented is for the period January 1, 2025 to June 30, 2025.

- This information is derived from the Fund's financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS. For purposes of unitholder transactions, the Net Asset Value is calculated in accordance with the valuation rules as set out in the Fund's prospectus. The Fund's accounting policies for measuring the fair value of investments and derivatives are consistent with those used in measuring the Net Asset Value for transactions with unitholders.
- 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.

### RATIOS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

ETF Units (TSX: SBT)	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total net asset value (\$) (000s) <sup>1</sup>	10,870	4,983	5,091	10,912	3,480	2,207
Number of units outstanding (000s) <sup>1</sup>	590	330	405	850	275	150
Management expense ratio <sup>2</sup>	0.36%	0.29%	0.32%	0.28%	0.32%	0.38%
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions <sup>2</sup>	0.36%	0.29%	0.32%	0.28%	0.32%	0.38%
Trading expense ratio <sup>3</sup>	0.36%	0.10%	0.44%	0.82%	0.17%	0.16%
Portfolio turnover rate <sup>4</sup>	6.36%	6.58%	7.50%	8.84%	23.39%	21.90%
Closing market price (\$)	18.50	15.08	12.89	12.83	12.58	14.49

Notes:

- The financial information presented in the Ratios and Supplemental Data table is derived from the Fund's net asset value calculated for fund pricing purposes ("NAV") and is provided as at December 31 of the year shown except 2025 which is shown as at June 30.
- The management expense ratio ("MER") is calculated as the total expenses, excluding distributions, commissions and other portfolio transaction costs, for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of the average daily NAV of the Fund. The Manager, at its sole discretion, may waive management fees or absorb expenses. Such waivers and absorptions can be terminated at any time.
- The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of the Fund's daily average NAV. The trading expense ratio is calculated at the portfolio level and applies to all classes of units of the Fund.
- The portfolio turnover rate is based on the lesser of purchases or proceeds of sales of securities for the year, excluding cash, short-term notes, and bonds having maturity dates at acquisition of one year or less, divided by the average value of the portfolio securities for the year. The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's investment 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 the portfolio turnover rate in a year, the greater the trading costs payable in the year and the greater the chance of taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and fund performance. The portfolio turnover rate is calculated at the portfolio level and applies to all classes of units of the Fund.

### NET ASSETS PER UNIT <sup>1</sup>

ETF Non-Currency Hedged Units (TSX: SBT.B)	2025 <sup>a</sup> (\$)	2024 (\$)	2023 (\$)	2022 (\$)	2021 (\$)	2020 (\$)
<b>Net assets, beginning of period</b>	<b>22.04</b>	<b>16.79</b>	<b>17.39</b>	<b>15.83</b>	<b>18.33</b>	<b>12.80</b>
<b>Net assets (USD), beginning of period</b>	<b>15.33</b>	<b>12.69</b>	<b>12.84</b>	<b>12.51</b>	<b>14.40</b>	<b>9.86</b>
<b>Increase (decrease) from operations:</b>						
Total expenses	(0.08)	(0.14)	(0.11)	(0.10)	(0.11)	(0.10)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	1.32	0.85	0.67	(0.04)	0.47	0.30
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	2.70	4.63	(1.20)	1.78	(2.85)	5.30
Total increase (decrease) from operations <sup>2</sup>	3.94	5.34	(0.64)	1.64	(2.49)	5.50
<b>Net assets, end of period</b>	<b>25.97</b>	<b>22.04</b>	<b>16.79</b>	<b>17.39</b>	<b>15.83</b>	<b>18.33</b>
<b>Net assets (USD), end of period</b>	<b>19.07</b>	<b>15.33</b>	<b>12.69</b>	<b>12.84</b>	<b>12.51</b>	<b>14.40</b>

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### RATIOS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

ETF Non-Currency Hedged Units (TSX: SBT.B)	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total net asset value (\$) (000s) <sup>1</sup>	60,340	55,840	44,628	52,317	46,421	56,045
Number of units outstanding (000s) <sup>1</sup>	2,323	2,533	2,658	3,008	2,933	3,058
Management expense ratio <sup>2</sup>	0.42%	0.44%	0.47%	0.52%	0.48%	0.49%
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions <sup>2</sup>	0.42%	0.44%	0.47%	0.52%	0.48%	0.49%
Trading expense ratio <sup>3</sup>	0.19%	0.06%	0.19%	0.17%	0.19%	0.20%
Portfolio turnover rate <sup>4</sup>	0.69%	5.41%	1.55%	0.99%	3.98%	2.20%
Closing market price (SBT.B) (\$)	26.06	22.41	16.78	17.37	15.88	14.34

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### ADMINISTRATION FEES

The Fund pays the Manager a declining fee, plus applicable HST, on a monthly basis in arrears, as follows:

Total Assets Under Management of the Fund	% of the Fund's total assets*, plus applicable federal and provincial taxes (including HST)
On the first US\$100 million or less	0.40% per annum
On the next US\$100 million to US\$200 million	0.30% per annum
On US\$200 million or over	0.20% per annum

\* "Total Assets" mean the total assets of the Fund of a particular valuation date, valuing silver bullion, silver certificates and other investments at market value and cash, short-term government securities, short-term deposits with financial institutions and prime commercial paper at cost less any outstanding payables or other indebtedness of the Fund.

Such fees shall be payable on or before the 10th day following the end of each such month. The Manager may, from time to time in its discretion, waive all or a portion of the management fee charged at any given time.

The Manager shall pay to Silver Administrators Ltd. an amount as agreed upon between the Manager and Silver Administrators Ltd. out of the management fees.

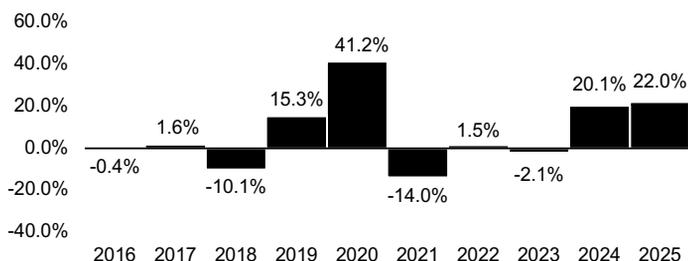
### PAST PERFORMANCE

Please note that the performance information shown in this section assumes that all dividends made by the Fund, if any, in the periods shown were reinvested in additional securities of the Fund. It does not take into account sales, redemptions, distributions or other optional charges, or income taxes payable by any investor, which would have reduced the returns. The performance of the Fund in the past does not necessarily indicate how it will perform in the future.

#### YEAR-BY-YEAR RETURNS

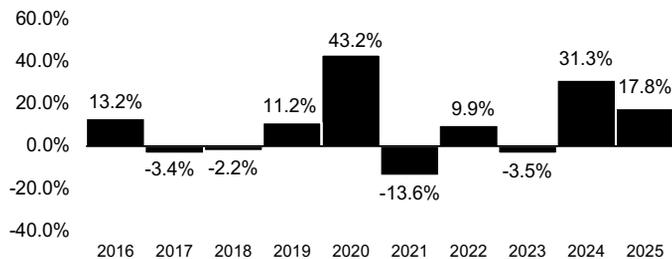
The bar chart shows the performance of the units for the financial period in percentage terms, indicating how much an investment made on the first day of the period would have grown or decreased by the last day of the period.

##### ETF Units - NAV



Return labelled 2025 is for the period from January 1, 2025 to June 30, 2025.  
Return labelled 2016 is for the period from May 24, 2016 to December 31, 2016.

##### ETF Non-Currency Hedged Units - NAV



Return labelled 2025 is for the period from January 1, 2025 to June 30, 2025.

### SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

As at June 30, 2025

#### ASSET MIX

	% of Fund's Net Asset Value
<b>Long Positions</b>	
Silver Bars	100.43
Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.40
Net Other Assets	(0.83)
<b>Total Net Asset Value</b>	<b>100.00</b>

#### TOP HOLDINGS

	% of Fund's Net Asset Value
Silver Bars	100.43
Cash and Cash Equivalents	0.40

The investment portfolio may change due to ongoing portfolio transactions. An updated listing is available quarterly.

## FUND INFORMATION

### MANAGER

Purpose Investments Inc.  
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### BULLION ADMINISTRATORS

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### REGISTRAR AND TRANSFER AGENT

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Toronto, ON M5J 0B6

### TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE LISTING

Ticker Symbol: SBT, SBT.B

## INDEPENDENT REVIEW COMMITTEE OF PURPOSE SILVER BULLION FUND

### DOUGLAS G. HALL

Chair of the Independent Review Committee

### RANDALL C. BARNES<sup>1</sup>

Member of the Independent Review Committee

### JEAN M. FRASER

Member of the Independent Review Committee

### KAREN A. McRAE<sup>2</sup>

Member of the Independent Review Committee

## OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF PURPOSE INVESTMENTS INC.

### SOM SEIF

Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Directors

### TYLER MEYRICK

Chief Financial Officer and Director

### SINI ERME

Chief Compliance Officer

1. Randall C. Barnes ceased to be an independent review committee member on January 1, 2025.
2. Karen A. McRae was appointed to be an independent review committee member on January 1, 2025.

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