

# Manulife Alternative Opportunities Fund

## Harness the power of fixed-income liquid alternatives

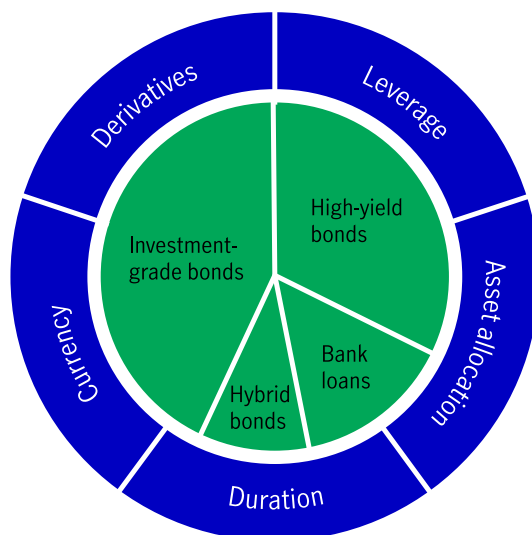
Cushion market downturns, boost return potential, and maintain a solid foundation across market cycles with Manulife Alternative Opportunities Fund. Managed by our Canadian fixed-income team, this core bond plus complement relies on powerful tools to manage risks, pursue total return opportunities, and capitalize on market dislocations.

### **Our goal is simple: to control risk exposures and enhance return potential**

With access to additional investment tools, the team can use leverage, enhanced currency management, and derivatives for hedging or nonhedging purposes. This differs widely from traditional fixed-income solutions, which usually have tighter constraints on leverage and are prohibited from using derivatives for purposes other than hedging.

By complementing your core fixed income with liquid alternative tools, Manulife Alternative Opportunities Fund is designed to target downside protection, enhance upside potential, and drive risk-adjusted returns as we usher in a new era of fixed-income investing.

### **What's in it for investors?**



- ✔ Enhanced downside protection
- ✔ Tactical duration management
- ✔ Increased return potential
- ✔ Road map for all market cycles
- ✔ Transparent and competitive fee structure with no performance fee

## Why Manulife Investments



An established asset manager with global resources and expertise extending across equity, fixed-income, and alternative investments as well as asset allocation strategies.



Our fixed-income teams have been using tools associated with alternative investing such as derivatives and hedging for decades.



Our parent company, Manulife, has a strong insurance heritage and aligned interest with investors through substantial general account investments and solid risk management, having navigated numerous market crises since 1887.



This unwavering commitment to managing risk on behalf of investors, coupled with a long history of investing in private markets and our ability to leverage a global footprint, and rich tradition of financial stewardship are what set us apart.

### Important information

Commissions, trailing commissions, management fees and expenses all may be associated with mutual fund investments. Please read the prospectus before investing. Mutual funds are not guaranteed, their values change frequently, and past performance may not be repeated.

Manulife Alternative Mutual Funds have the ability to invest in asset classes or use investment strategies that are not permitted for conventional mutual funds. The specific strategies that differentiate these alternative mutual funds from conventional mutual funds may include the increased use of derivatives for hedging and nonhedging purposes, the increased ability to sell securities short and the ability to borrow cash to use for investment purposes. If undertaken, these strategies will be used in accordance with the Funds' objectives and strategies, and during certain market conditions, may accelerate the pace at which the Funds decrease in value.

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