BMO Managed Solutions Guide

Managed Solutions are investment portfolios that address specific client needs. Whether that is to accumulate wealth, to draw down savings, or to save for your child's education, managed solutions aim to deliver the investment outcomes your clients expect. Each of the Managed Solutions showcased below are built following the asset allocation framework defined by the BMO Global Asset Management Multi-Asset Solutions Team (MAST).

Accumulation

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BMO SelectTrust™ Portfolios

- Risk-based solutions that offer long term growth potential
- 6 globally diversified portfolios built around a client's risk profile¹
- Capitalize on active mutual funds and passive ETFs



BMO ETF Portfolios

- Risk-based solutions built on BMO's vast ETF platform
- 6 globally diversified portfolios built around a client's risk profile¹
- Unlock new client opportunities in a fee conscious landscape



BMO Target Education Portfolios

- Target date solutions built for your child's post secondary education
- Built-in risk management that takes the stress out of investing so clients can focus on maximizing government incentives



BMO Ascent Portfolios

- 5 globally diversified risk-based solutions
- Exclusive and cost effective solution for \$75,000 minimum
- Core-Satellite pension style investment approach



BMO Managed Portfolios

- 5 risk-based solutions that are globally-oriented with exposure to small-cap investments
- 10-15% alternative investments
- Primarily active mandates, with ETFs for tactical shifts



BMO Sustainable Portfolios

- Suite of 5 multiasset portfolios that incorporate ESG principles
- Designed to give investors exposure to diversified global asset classes
- Focus on investments committed to positive environmental, social and governance outcomes





BMO Retirement Portfolios

- Solutions built for clients in or near retirement that delivers downside protection, a smooth return path, and growth
- Built with institutional strategies that address the needs of retirees
- Opportunity to consolidate assets



Why Invest in Managed Solutions?



Managed Solutions are a set of all-in-one prepackaged portfolios that offer:

- **Ease of Use:** Created for clients seeking anall-inone core solution that can meet their long-term goals
- More Return, Less Risk: Portfolios designed totarget the maximum potential return for a given level of risk
- Wide range of underlying products: Invest in actively managed mutual funds and/or passively managed Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs)

BMO GAM's Five Lenses Strategy

BMO Global Asset Management's (BMO GAM) managed solutions follow the asset allocation policy set by the Multi-Asset Solutions Team.

Sourcing knowledge from a global network of investment professionals, the Team uses an extensive multi-step process, referred to as the Five Lenses, to define a long term investment outlook. BMO GAM's portfolios are strategically managed and clients should expect to see regular portfolio shifts.

Lens 1: Asset Mix

Equities Fixed Income Cash

Lens 2: Asset Class – Equities

Regional Equities
Alternative Investments

Lens 3:

Asset Class - Fixed Income

Duration², Credit³, Yield Curve⁴, Alts

Lens 4: Style/Factor

Style Factors

Lens 5: Implementation

Active vs. Passive Derivatives⁵ Currency

BMO (Company) Global Asset Management

- ¹ Risk Profile: Comprised of a client's risk tolerance (i.e. client's willingness to accept risk) and risk capacity (i.e. a client's ability to endure potential financial loss)
- ² Duration is a measure of a bond's sensitivity to changes in interest rates. It is expressed in years and helps investors understand how much the price of a bond is likely to change when interest rates move. Essentially, duration estimates the percentage change in a bond's price for a 1% change in interest rates.
- ³ Investment Grade (IG) Credit: A rating given to bonds indicating their risk of default.
- ⁴ Yield curve: A line that plots the interest rates of bonds having equal credit quality but differing maturity dates. A normal or steep yield curve indicates that long-term interest rates are higher than short-term interest rates. A flat yield curve indicates that short-term rates are in line with long-term rates, whereas an inverted yield curve indicates that short-term rates.
- ⁵ Derivatives: A financial security with a value that is reliant upon, or derived from, an underlying asset or group of assets. The derivative itself is a contract between two or more parties based upon the asset or assets. Its price is determined by fluctuations in the underlying asset.

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