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June 30, 2021 (Unaudited)

Nationwide Variable Insurance Trust

Mozaic Fund

NVIT J.P. Morgan MozaicSM Multi-Asset Fund



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Dear Investor,

During this unprecedented time of challenge and volatility, Nationwide continues to diligently care for our associates, communities, and ultimately, you our investors. We remain steadfastly committed to protecting people, businesses, and futures with extraordinary care. Equity markets were sharply higher during the semi-annual reporting period ended June 30, 2021, as vaccine optimism, a reopening of the economy and continued fiscal and monetary stimulus drove investor activity.

U.S. economic activity improved from the unprecedented challenges from the outbreak, though the lasting implications remain unclear.

Economic growth continued to recover from the unprecedented damage caused by the COVID-19 outbreak, with growth rates of 6.4% in the first quarter of 2021 and growth rates of an estimated 10% in the second quarter. Economists estimate a continued rebound in the third and fourth quarter, estimating 7% growth for the full calendar year, which would be the fastest growth since 1984. Corporate profits also rebounded through the reporting period, with the S&P 500® Index ("S&P 500") managing growth of 47% in the first quarter of 2021 along with estimated growth of 60% in the second quarter, and anticipate estimated growth of up to 36% for the full year of 2021.

The S&P 500 was higher in five of the six-months during the reporting period.

Equity markets rallied during the reporting period despite continued volatility and uncertainty as investors flocked to equities, as economic and earnings outlook improved. The S&P 500 began the fiscal year sluggish following a strong end to 2020. The removal of political uncertainty and prospect for a vaccine rollout was balanced against valuation concerns, resulting in a 1% decline in January. The remainder of the reporting period reacted positively, influenced by drastically reduced COVID-19 cases and the reopening of the economy. This was a driving force behind positive returns in the final five months of the 6-month reporting period, ranging from 1% to 5%. The government has greatly aided the recovery through the use of aggressive fiscal stimulus and the Federal Reserve's accommodative monetary regime. This has driven a sharp recovery in investor, consumer and business confidence that

is driving the improved economic data. For the full reporting period, the S&P 500 finished with a return of 15%, which is the second-best start to a year since 1998. Fixed income returns were mixed, with higher interest rates punishing long-dated bonds, but improving spreads aiding credit-sensitive investments.

International markets participated in the risk-on environment, with the MSCI EAFE® Index returning 8.8% and the MSCI Emerging Markets® Index returning 7.5% for the reporting period. Following an extended period of underperformance due to the financial crisis, international markets started the period by outperforming the S&P 500, though performance faded late in the period as the rest of the world lagged the U.S. in vaccine rollout and economic recovery.

The market rally was notable for broad participation, compared with the narrow leadership of large-cap technology names over the past several years. Nearly all risk assets saw impressive gains, though value indexes outperformed growth and small-cap indexes staged an impressive rebound versus large-cap indexes. Leading sectors for the period included Energy, Real Estate and Communication Services, while Utilities, Consumer Staples and Materials sectors lagged.

Fixed-income markets were mixed, with a sharp move higher in long-term interest rates offsetting the improving credit spreads. The Federal Reserve continues to stimulate aggressively, with the Fed Funds target rate effectively 0% and the bond-buying program steady at \$120 billion per month. The Fed's balance sheet has nearly doubled in the past 18 months, with current assets at \$8.1 trillion. Interest rates spiked in the first half of the reporting period, with the 10-year Treasury yield rising from 0.93% to 1.74% before falling to 1.45% by period end on fading inflation concerns. The 2-year yield rose to 0.25% from 0.12%, with the majority of movement late in the period on increasing bets that the Fed will raise interest rates next year. Credit spreads narrowed throughout the period as investors searched for market yield.

The market movement has been impressive but substantial challenges remain to bring the economy back to a sense of normalcy and self-sustaining without the use of aggressive fiscal and monetary policy.

The following chart provides returns for various market segments for the six-month reporting period ended June 30, 2021:

Index	Semiannual Total Return (as of June 30, 2021)
Bloomberg Barclays Emerging Markets USD Aggregate Bond	-0.59%
Bloomberg Barclays Municipal Bond	1.06%
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 1-3 Year Government/Credit Bond	0.00%
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. 10-20 Year Treasury Bond	-7.16%
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond	-1.60%
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield	3.62%
MSCI EAFE®	8.83%
MSCI Emerging Markets®	7.45%
MSCI ACWI ex USA	9.16%
Russell 1000® Growth	12.99%
Russell 1000® Value	17.05%
Russell 2000®	17.54%
S&P 500®	15.25%

Source: Morningstar

As volatility continues in the markets, it is important to remember that investing is a long-term process. While difficult, it is often wise to remain vigilant and informed during periods of stress but avoid the temptation to try to react on emotion as it often leads to suboptimal outcomes. As always, we feel that the best way for you to reach your financial goals is to consistently adhere to a disciplined and patient investment strategy. We urge investors to seek investments based on a sound asset allocation strategy, and a long-term perspective and regular conversations. Nationwide Funds encourages you to speak regularly with a financial professional to ensure that your portfolio maintains the right balance for your goals. At Nationwide, we continue to take a steady approach to seeking long-term growth. We remain confident in our ability to help investors navigate the markets for years to come. Thank you for investing with us. We deeply value your trust.

Sincerely,



Michael S. Spangler
President and CEO
Nationwide Variable Insurance Trust

Asset Allocation¹

Foreign Government Securities	11.7%
Supranational	7.2%
Corporate Bond	2.9%
Futures Contracts	1.6%
Other assets in excess of liabilities [§]	76.6%
	100.0%

Top Industries²

Banks	13.3%
Other Industries	86.7%
	100.0%

Top Holdings²

Nederlandse Waterschapsbank NV, 1.88%, 4/14/2022	13.4%
Asian Development Bank, 2.00%, 2/16/2022	13.3%
Erste Abwicklungsanstalt, 2.63%, 3/4/2022	12.6%
European Investment Bank, 2.88%, 12/15/2021	11.7%
Kommuninvest I Sverige AB, 0.50%, 2/2/2022	11.6%
European Stability Mechanism, 2.13%, 11/3/2022	11.1%
State of North Rhine-Westphalia Germany, 2.38%, 9/16/2021	10.9%
Kommunalbanken A/S, 1.50%, 8/31/2021	7.7%
International Finance Corp., 1.13%, 7/20/2021	7.7%
	100.0%

Top Countries²

Germany	23.4%
Netherlands	13.3%
Sweden	11.6%
United States	11.1%
Norway	7.8%
Other Countries	32.8%
	100.0%

[§] Please refer to the Statements of Assets and Liabilities for additional details.

¹ Percentages indicated are based upon net assets as of June 30, 2021.

² Percentages indicated are based upon total investments as of June 30, 2021.

As a shareholder of the Fund, you incur two types of costs: (1) transaction costs, including sales charges (loads) paid on purchase payments and redemption fees; and (2) ongoing costs, including investment advisory fees, administration fees, distribution fees and other Fund expenses. The examples below are intended to help you understand your ongoing costs (in dollars) of investing in the Fund and to compare these costs with the ongoing costs of investing in other mutual funds. Per Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") requirements, the examples assume that you had a \$1,000 investment in the Class at the beginning of the reporting period (January 1, 2021) and continued to hold your shares at the end of the reporting period (June 30, 2021).

Actual Expenses

For each Class of the Fund in the table below, the first line provides information about actual account values and actual expenses. You may use the information in this line, together with the amount you invested, to estimate the expenses that you paid from January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021. Simply divide your account value by \$1,000 (for example, an \$8,600 account value divided by \$1,000 = 8.6), then multiply the result by the number in the first line of each Class under the heading entitled "Expenses Paid During Period" to estimate the expenses you paid on your account during this period.

Hypothetical Expenses for Comparison Purposes

The second line of each Class in the table below provides information about hypothetical account values and hypothetical expenses based on the Class' actual expense ratio and an assumed rate of return of 5% per year before expenses, which is not the Class' actual return. The hypothetical account values and expenses may not be used to estimate the actual ending account balance or expenses you paid for the period from January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021. You may use this information to compare the ongoing costs of investing in the Class of the Fund and other funds. To do so, compare this 5% hypothetical example with the 5% hypothetical examples that appear in the shareholder reports of the other funds.

Please note that the expenses shown in the table are meant to highlight your ongoing costs only and do not reflect any transaction costs, such as sales charges (loads) or redemption fees. If these transaction costs were included, your costs would have been higher. Therefore, the second line for each Class in the table is useful in comparing ongoing costs only, and will not help you determine the relative total costs of owning different funds. The examples also assume all dividends and distributions are reinvested.

Schedule of Shareholder Expenses Expense Analysis of a \$1,000 Investment

	Beginning Account Value(\$) 1/1/21	Ending Account Value(\$) 6/30/21	Expenses Paid During Period (\$) 1/1/21 - 6/30/21	Expense Ratio During Period (%) 1/1/21 - 6/30/21 ^(a)
NVIT J.P. Morgan MozaicSM Multi-Asset Fund				
Class II Shares				
Actual ^(b)	1,000.00	1,040.00	4.35	0.86
Hypothetical ^{(b)(c)}	1,000.00	1,020.53	4.31	0.86
Class Y Shares				
Actual ^(b)	1,000.00	1,042.70	2.18	0.43
Hypothetical ^{(b)(c)}	1,000.00	1,022.66	2.16	0.43

- (a) The Example does not include charges that are imposed by variable insurance contracts. If these charges were reflected, the expenses listed below would be higher.
- (b) Expenses are equal to the Fund's annualized expense ratio multiplied by the average account value from January 1, 2021 through June 30, 2021 multiplied by 181/365 to reflect one-half year period. The expense ratio presented represents a six-month, annualized ratio in accordance with Securities and Exchange Commission guidelines.
- (c) Represents the hypothetical 5% return before expenses.

Corporate Bond 2.9%

	Principal Amount (\$)	Value (\$)
NETHERLANDS 2.9%		
Banks 2.9%		
Nederlandse Waterschapsbank NV, Reg. S, 1.88%, 4/14/2022	850,000	861,110
Total Corporate Bond (cost \$861,272)		861,110

Foreign Government Securities 11.7%

GERMANY 5.1%		
Erste Abwicklungsanstalt, Reg. S, 2.63%, 3/4/2022	800,000	813,013
State of North Rhine- Westphalia Germany, Reg. S, 2.38%, 9/16/2021	700,000	703,122
		1,516,135
NORWAY 1.7%		
Kommunalbanken A/S, Reg. S, 1.50%, 8/31/2021	500,000	501,050
SWEDEN 2.5%		
Kommuninvest I Sverige AB, Reg. S, 0.50%, 2/2/2022	750,000	751,391

Foreign Government Securities

	Principal Amount (\$)	Value (\$)
UNITED STATES 2.4%		
European Stability Mechanism, Reg. S, 2.13%, 11/3/2022	700,000	717,471
Total Foreign Government Securities (cost \$3,486,688)		3,486,047
Supranational 7.2%		
Asian Development Bank, 2.00%, 2/16/2022	850,000	859,864
European Investment Bank, 2.88%, 12/15/2021	750,000	759,397
International Finance Corp., 1.13%, 7/20/2021	500,000	500,280
Total Supranational (cost \$2,119,414)		2,119,541
Total Investments (cost \$6,467,374) — 21.8%		6,466,698
Other assets in excess of liabilities — 78.2%		23,173,513
NET ASSETS — 100.0%		\$ 29,640,211

Reg. S Regulation S - Security was purchased pursuant to Regulation S under the Securities Act of 1933, which exempts from registration securities offered and sold outside of the United States. Such security cannot be sold in the United States without either an effective registration statement filed pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933 or pursuant to an exemption from registration. Currently there is no restriction on trading this security.

Futures contracts outstanding as of June 30, 2021:

Description	Number of Contracts	Expiration Date	Trading Currency	Notional Amount (\$)	Value and Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) (\$)
Long Contracts					
LME Aluminum Base Metal	12	7/2021	USD	755,850	68,833
LME Nickel Base Metal	4	7/2021	USD	436,944	34,236
LME Zinc Base Metal	7	7/2021	USD	519,794	19,073
E-Mini Crude Oil	27	8/2021	USD	982,395	67,465
Natural Gas	14	8/2021	USD	507,360	63,351
NY Harbor ULSD	1	8/2021	USD	89,489	60
RBOB Gasoline	2	8/2021	USD	186,766	3,926
Copper	8	9/2021	USD	857,800	(41,896)
Euro-Bund	64	9/2021	EUR	13,099,028	74,275
LME Aluminum Base Metal	12	9/2021	USD	757,350	20,814
LME Nickel Base Metal	4	9/2021	USD	437,136	1,183
LME Zinc Base Metal	6	9/2021	USD	446,550	(1,418)
Low Sulphur Gasoil	3	9/2021	USD	179,925	3,823
Mini-DAX Index	26	9/2021	EUR	2,393,602	(22,254)
NASDAQ 100 Micro E-Mini Equity Index	77	9/2021	USD	2,240,546	82,600
Russell 2000 E-Mini Index	17	9/2021	USD	1,961,630	2,603
S&P 500 Micro E-Mini Index	143	9/2021	USD	3,066,278	39,198
TOPIX Index	18	9/2021	JPY	3,148,116	1,767
U.S. Treasury 10 Year Note	102	9/2021	USD	13,515,000	69,618
E-Mini Crude Oil	1	10/2021	USD	35,445	(20)
					<u>487,237</u>
Short Contracts					
LME Aluminum Base Metal	(12)	7/2021	USD	(755,850)	(24,711)
LME Nickel Base Metal	(4)	7/2021	USD	(436,944)	(4,008)
LME Zinc Base Metal	(7)	7/2021	USD	(519,794)	7,185
					<u>(21,534)</u>
					<u>465,703</u>

As of June 30, 2021, the Fund had \$1,077,978 segregated as collateral with the broker for open futures contracts. This amount is included in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities under Deposits with broker for futures contracts.

Currency:

EUR	Euro
JPY	Japanese Yen
USD	United States Dollar

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

	NVIT J.P. Morgan MozaicSM Multi- Asset Fund
Assets:	
Investment securities, at value	\$ 6,466,698
Cash	21,185,781
Deposits with broker for futures contracts	1,398,473
Foreign currencies, at value	243,170
Interest receivable	40,981
Receivable for capital shares issued	479,302
Receivable for variation margin on futures contracts	41,893
Receivable for reimbursement from investment adviser (Note 3)	26,540
Prepaid expenses	14,502
Total Assets	29,897,340
Liabilities:	
Payable for capital shares redeemed	575
Accrued expenses and other payables:	
Investment advisory fees	1,003
Fund administration fees	111,656
Distribution fees	4,935
Administrative servicing fees	18,348
Accounting and transfer agent fees	1,003
Custodian fees	2,548
Compliance program costs (Note 3)	25
Offering costs	41,723
Professional fees	47,686
Printing fees	18,182
Other	9,445
Total Liabilities	257,129
Net Assets	\$ 29,640,211
Cost of investment securities	6,467,374
Cost of foreign currencies	243,536
Represented by:	
Capital	\$ 28,281,839
Total distributable earnings (loss)	1,358,372
Net Assets	\$ 29,640,211

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	NVIT J.P. Morgan MozaicSM Multi- Asset Fund
Net Assets:	
Class II Shares	\$ 26,493,020
Class Y Shares	<u>3,147,191</u>
Total	<u><u>\$ 29,640,211</u></u>
Shares Outstanding (unlimited number of shares authorized):	
Class II Shares	2,546,817
Class Y Shares	<u>299,306</u>
Total	<u><u>2,846,123</u></u>
Net asset value and offering price per share (Net assets by class divided by shares outstanding by class, respectively):	
Class II Shares	\$ 10.40
Class Y Shares	\$ 10.51

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	NVIT J.P. Morgan MozaicSM Multi- Asset Fund
INVESTMENT INCOME:	
Interest income	\$ 7,411
Foreign tax withholding	1,118
Total Income	<u>8,529</u>
EXPENSES:	
Investment advisory fees	29,779
Fund administration fees	80,953
Distribution fees Class II Shares	25,040
Administrative servicing fees Class II Shares	18,291
Professional fees	42,377
Printing fees	8,672
Trustee fees	10,951
Custodian fees	680
Accounting and transfer agent fees	143
Compliance program costs (Note 3)	33
Index licensing fee	10,610
Other	4,143
Total expenses before expenses reimbursed	<u>231,672</u>
Expenses reimbursed by adviser (Note 3)	<u>(142,693)</u>
Net Expenses	<u>88,979</u>
NET INVESTMENT LOSS	<u>(80,450)</u>
REALIZED/UNREALIZED GAINS (LOSSES) FROM INVESTMENTS:	
Net realized gains (losses) from:	
Transactions in investment securities	(97)
Expiration or closing of futures contracts (Note 2)	926,152
Foreign currency transactions (Note 2)	6,259
Net realized gains (losses)	<u>932,314</u>
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation in the value of:	
Investment securities	(467)
Futures contracts (Note 2)	140,952
Translation of assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies (Note 2)	<u>(13,005)</u>
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation	<u>127,480</u>
Net realized/unrealized gains (losses)	<u>1,059,794</u>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS	<u><u>\$ 979,344</u></u>

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NVIT J.P. Morgan Mozaic SM Multi-Asset Fund			
	Six Months Ended		Year Ended
	June 30, 2021 (Unaudited)		December 31, 2020
OPERATIONS:			
Net investment loss	\$ (80,450)	\$	(44,886)
Net realized gains	932,314		40,699
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation	127,480		345,916
Change in net assets resulting from operations	979,344		341,729
Distributions to Shareholders From:			
Distributable earnings:			
Class II	—		(63,619)
Class Y	—		(3,222)
Change in net assets from shareholder distributions	—		(66,841)
Change in net assets from capital transactions	11,762,148		10,580,679
Change in net assets	12,741,492		10,855,567
Net Assets:			
Beginning of period	16,898,719		6,043,152
End of period	\$ 29,640,211	\$	16,898,719
CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS:			
Class II Shares			
Proceeds from shares issued	\$ 10,247,399	\$	10,175,770
Dividends reinvested	—		63,619
Cost of shares redeemed	(514,492)		(669,018)
Total Class II Shares	9,732,907		9,570,371
Class Y Shares			
Proceeds from shares issued	2,076,861		1,030,370
Dividends reinvested	—		3,222
Cost of shares redeemed	(47,620)		(23,284)
Total Class Y Shares	2,029,241		1,010,308
Change in net assets from capital transactions	\$ 11,762,148	\$	10,580,679
SHARE TRANSACTIONS:			
Class II Shares			
Issued	1,012,882		1,039,330
Reinvested	—		6,461
Redeemed	(50,630)		(68,977)
Total Class II Shares	962,252		976,814
Class Y Shares			
Issued	199,253		106,300
Reinvested	—		328
Redeemed	(4,705)		(2,370)
Total Class Y Shares	194,548		104,258
Total change in shares	1,156,800		1,081,072

Amounts designated as "—" are zero or have been rounded to zero.

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	Operations			Distributions			Ratios/Supplemental Data							
	Net Asset Value, Beginning of Period	Net Investment Income (Loss)(a)	Net Realized and Unrealized Gains (Losses) from Investments	Total from Operations	Net Investment Income	Net Realized Gains	Total Distributions	Net Asset Value, End of Period	Total Return(b)(c)	Net Assets at End of Period	Ratio of Expenses to Average Net Assets(d)	Ratio of Net Investment Income (Loss) to Average Net Assets(d)	Ratio of Expenses (Prior to Reimbursements) to Average Net Assets(d)(e)	Portfolio Turnover(b)(f)
NVIT J.P. Morgan Mozaic SM Multi-Asset Fund														
Class II Shares														
Six Months Ended June 30, 2021 (Unaudited)	\$ 10.00	(0.04)	0.44	0.40	—	—	—	\$ 10.40	4.00%	\$ 26,493,020	0.86%	(0.78)%	2.21%	0.00%
Year Ended December 31, 2020	\$ 9.94	(0.04)	0.15	0.11	(0.02)	(0.03)	(0.05)	\$ 10.00	1.10%(g)	\$ 15,842,426	0.93%	(0.43)%	4.02%	0.00%
Period Ended December 31, 2019(h)	\$ 10.00	0.02	(0.06)	(0.04)	(0.02)	—	(0.02)	\$ 9.94	(0.45%(g))	\$ 6,038,169	0.93%	0.77%	9.05%	0.00%
Class Y Shares														
Six Months Ended June 30, 2021 (Unaudited)	\$ 10.08	(0.02)	0.45	0.43	—	—	—	\$ 10.51	4.27%(g)	\$ 3,147,191	0.43%	(0.35)%	1.77%	0.00%
Year Ended December 31, 2020	\$ 9.97	(0.01)	0.15	0.14	—	(0.03)	(0.03)	\$ 10.08	1.44%(g)	\$ 1,056,293	0.43%	(0.12)%	3.09%	0.00%
Period Ended December 31, 2019(h)	\$ 10.00	0.03	(0.06)	(0.03)	—	—	—	\$ 9.97	(0.30%(g))	\$ 4,983	0.43%	1.26%	8.33%	0.00%

Amounts designated as "—" are zero or have been rounded to zero.

- (a) Per share calculations were performed using average shares method.
(b) Not annualized for periods less than one year.
(c) The total returns do not include charges that are imposed by variable insurance contracts. If these charges were reflected, returns would be lower than those shown.
(d) Annualized for periods less than one year.
(e) During the period, certain fees may have been waived and/or reimbursed. If such waivers/reimbursements had not occurred, the ratios would have been as indicated.
(f) Portfolio turnover is calculated on the basis of the Fund as a whole without distinguishing among the classes of shares.
(g) Includes adjustments in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and as such, the net asset values for financial reporting purposes and the returns based upon those net asset values may differ from the net asset values and returns for shareholder transactions.
(h) For the period from October 7, 2019 (commencement of operations) through December 31, 2019. Total return is calculated based on inception date of October 4, 2019 through December 31, 2019.

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1. Organization

Nationwide Variable Insurance Trust ("NVIT" or the "Trust") is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"), as an open-end management investment company, organized as a statutory trust under the laws of the State of Delaware. The Trust has authorized an unlimited number of shares of beneficial interest ("shares"), without par value. The Trust currently offers shares to life insurance company separate accounts to fund the benefits payable under variable life insurance policies and variable annuity contracts. As of June 30, 2021, the Trust operates sixty-five (65) separate series, or mutual funds, each with its own objective(s) and investment strategies. This report contains the financial statements and financial highlights for the NVIT J.P. Morgan MozaicSM Multi-Asset Fund ("Mozaic Multi-Asset" or the "Fund"), a series of the Trust.

Nationwide Fund Advisors ("NFA") serves as investment adviser to the Fund. NFA is a wholly owned subsidiary of Nationwide Financial Services, Inc. ("NFS"), a holding company which is a direct wholly owned subsidiary of Nationwide Corporation. Nationwide Corporation, in turn, is owned by Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company and Nationwide Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Shares of the Fund are held by separate accounts established by Nationwide Life Insurance Company ("NLIC"), a wholly owned subsidiary of NFS, Nationwide Life and Annuity Insurance Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of NLIC, and other unaffiliated insurance companies.

The Fund currently offers Class II and Class Y shares. Each share class of the Fund represents interests in the same portfolio of investments of the Fund and the classes are identical except for any differences in the distribution or service fees, administrative services fees, class specific expenses, certain voting rights, and class names or designations.

The Fund is a diversified fund, as defined in the 1940 Act.

Basis of Consolidation. The accompanying consolidated financial statements of the Fund include the account of NW Securities Fund (the "Subsidiary"), which is a wholly-owned and controlled subsidiary of the Fund and primarily invests in commodity-related instruments, such as futures contracts. The Subsidiary also may buy short-term fixed income securities or hold cash to serve as margin or collateral for the Subsidiary's derivatives positions. The Subsidiary enables the Fund to hold these commodity-related instruments and satisfy regulated investment company tax requirements. The Fund may invest up to 25% of its total assets in the Subsidiary. Intercompany accounts and transactions, if any, have been eliminated. The Subsidiary is subject to the same investment policies and restrictions that apply to the Fund, except that the Subsidiary is not registered as an investment company under the 1940 act and may invest without limitation in commodity-related instruments.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies followed by the Fund in the accounting and the preparation of its financial statements. The Fund is an investment company and follows accounting and reporting guidance in the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Accounting Standards Codification Topic 946 ("ASC 946"). The policies are in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"), including, but not limited to, ASC 946. The preparation of financial statements requires fund management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of income and expenses for the period. The Fund utilizes various methods to measure the value of its investments on a recurring basis. Amounts received upon the sale of such investments could differ from those estimated values and those differences could be material.

(a) Security Valuation

U.S. GAAP defines fair value as the price that the Fund would receive to sell an asset or pay to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Pursuant to procedures approved by the Board of Trustees of the Trust (the "Board of Trustees"), NFA assigns a fair value, as defined by U.S. GAAP, to the Fund's investments in accordance with a hierarchy that prioritizes the various types of inputs used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to readily available unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements) when market prices are not readily available or reliable.

The three levels of the hierarchy are summarized as follows.

- Level 1 — Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets
- Level 2 — Other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices of similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 — Significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

Changes in valuation techniques may result in transfers into or out of an investment's assigned level within the hierarchy.

An investment's categorization within the hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair valuation in its entirety. The inputs or methodology used to value investments are not intended to indicate the risk associated with investing in those investments.

Securities for which market-based quotations are readily available are valued at the current market value as of "Valuation Time". Valuation Time is as of the close of regular

trading on the New York Stock Exchange (usually 4:00 p.m. Eastern time). Equity securities are generally valued at the last quoted sale price or official closing price, or, if there is no such price, the last quoted bid price provided by an independent pricing service approved by the Board of Trustees. Prices are taken from the primary market or exchange on which each security trades. Shares of registered open-end management investment companies are valued at net asset value ("NAV") as reported by such company. Shares of exchange traded funds ("ETFs") are generally valued at the last quoted sale price or official closing price, or, if there is no such price, the last quoted bid price provided by an independent pricing service. Master limited partnerships ("MLPs") are publicly traded partnerships and are treated as partnerships for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Investments in MLPs are valued at the last quoted sale price or official closing price, or, if there is no such price, the last quoted bid price provided by an independent pricing service. Equity securities, shares of registered open-end management investment companies, shares of ETFs and MLPs valued in this manner are generally categorized as Level 1 investments within the hierarchy. Repurchase agreements are valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair value, and are generally categorized as Level 2 investments within the hierarchy.

Debt and other fixed-income securities are generally valued at the bid evaluation price provided by an independent pricing service as approved by the Board of Trustees. Evaluations provided by independent pricing service providers may be determined without exclusive reliance on quoted prices and may use broker-dealer quotations, individual trading characteristics and other market data, reported trades or valuation estimates from their internal pricing models. The independent pricing service providers' internal models use inputs that are observable such as issuer details, interest rates, yield curves, prepayment speeds, credit risks/spreads, default rates, anticipated timing of principal repayments, and quoted prices for similar assets and are generally categorized as Level 2 investments within the hierarchy. Debt obligations generally involve some risk of default with respect to interest and/or principal payments.

The Board of Trustees has delegated authority to NFA, and the Trust's administrator, Nationwide Fund Management LLC ("NFM"), to assign a fair value under certain circumstances, as

described below, pursuant to valuation procedures approved by the Board of Trustees. NFA and NFM have established a Fair Valuation Committee ("FVC") to assign these fair valuations. The fair value of a security may differ from its quoted or published price. Fair valuation of portfolio securities may occur on a daily basis.

Securities may be fair valued in certain circumstances, such as where (i) market-based quotations are not readily available; (ii) an independent pricing service does not provide a value or the value provided by an independent pricing service is determined to be unreliable in the judgment of NFA/NFM or its designee; (iii) a significant event has occurred that affects the value of the Fund's securities after trading has stopped (e.g., earnings announcements or news relating to natural disasters affecting an issuer's operations); (iv) the securities are illiquid; (v) the securities have defaulted or been delisted from an exchange and are no longer trading; or (vi) any other circumstance in which the FVC believes that market-based quotations do not accurately reflect the value of a security.

The FVC will assign a fair value according to fair value methodologies. Information utilized by the FVC to obtain a fair value may include, among others, the following: (i) a multiple of earnings; (ii) the discount from market value of a similar, freely traded security; (iii) the yield-to-maturity for debt issues; or (iv) a combination of these and other methods. Fair valuations may also take into account significant events that occur before Valuation Time but after the close of the principal market on which a security trades that materially affect the value of such security. To arrive at the appropriate methodology, the FVC may consider a non-exclusive list of factors, which are specific to the security, as well as whether the security is traded on the domestic or foreign markets. The FVC monitors the results of fair valuation determinations and regularly reports the results to the Board of Trustees. The Fund attempts to establish a price that it might reasonably expect to receive upon the current sale of that security. That said, there can be no assurance that the fair value assigned to a security is the price at which a security could have been sold during the period in which the particular fair value was used to value the security. To the extent the significant inputs used are observable, these securities are classified as Level 2 investments; otherwise, they are classified as Level 3 investments within the hierarchy.

The following table provides a summary of the inputs used to value the Fund's net assets as of June 30, 2021. Please refer to the Consolidated Statement of Investments for additional information on portfolio holdings.

Mozaic Multi-Asset

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets:				
Corporate Bond	\$ —	\$ 861,110	\$ —	\$ 861,110
Foreign Government Securities	—	3,486,047	—	3,486,047
Futures Contracts	560,010	—	—	560,010
Supranational	—	2,119,541	—	2,119,541
Total Assets	\$ 560,010	\$ 6,466,698	\$ —	\$ 7,026,708

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Liabilities:				
Futures Contracts	\$ (94,307)	\$ —	\$ —	(94,307)
Total Liabilities	\$ (94,307)	\$ —	\$ —	(94,307)
Total	\$ 465,703	\$ 6,466,698	\$ —	6,932,401

Amounts designated as "—", which may include fair valued securities, are zero or have been rounded to zero.

(b) Cash Overdraft

The Fund may have overdrawn U.S. dollar and/or foreign currency balances with the Fund's custodian bank, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. ("JPMorgan"). To offset the overdraft, JPMorgan advanced an amount equal to the overdraft. Consistent with the Fund's borrowing policy, the advance is deemed a temporary loan to the Fund. Such loan is payable upon demand and bears interest from the date of such advance to the date of payment at the rate agreed upon with JPMorgan under the custody agreement. This advance is separate from, and was not made pursuant to, the credit agreement discussed in Note 4. A Fund with an overdraft is subject to a lien by JPMorgan on the Fund's account and JPMorgan may charge the Fund's account for any amounts owed to JPMorgan. JPMorgan also has the right to set off as appropriate and apply all deposits and credits held by or owing to JPMorgan against such amount, subject to the terms of the custody agreement.

As of June 30, 2021, the Fund did not have overdrawn balances.

(c) Foreign Currency Transactions

The accounting records of the Fund are maintained in U.S. dollars. The Fund may, nevertheless, engage in foreign currency transactions. In those instances, the Fund will convert foreign currency amounts into U.S. dollars at the current rate of exchange between the foreign currency and the U.S. dollar in order to determine the value of the Fund's investments, assets, and liabilities.

Purchases and sales of securities, receipts of income, and payments of expenses are converted at the prevailing rate of exchange on the respective date of such transactions. The accounting records of the Fund do not differentiate that portion of the results of operations resulting from changes in foreign exchange rates from those resulting from changes in the market prices of the relevant securities. Each portion contributes to the net realized gains or losses from transactions in investment securities and net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation in the value of investment securities. Net currency gains or losses, realized and unrealized, that are a result of differences between the amount recorded on the Fund's accounting records, and the U.S. dollar equivalent amount actually received or paid for interest or dividends, receivables and payables for investments sold or purchased, and foreign cash, are included in the Consolidated Statement of Operations under "Net realized gains (losses) from foreign currency transactions" and "Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation in the value of translation of assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies", if applicable.

(d) Futures Contracts

The Fund is subject to equity price and/or interest rate risk in the normal course of pursuing its objective. The Fund entered into financial futures contracts ("futures contracts") to manage currency risk, to equitize cash balances, to more efficiently manage the portfolio, to modify exposure to volatility, to increase or decrease the baseline equity exposure, to gain exposure to and/or hedge against changes in interest rates, for the purpose of reducing active risk in the portfolio, to gain exposure to and/or hedge against the value of equities and/or to gain exposure to foreign currencies, as applicable, to meet the Fund's stated investment strategies as shown in the Fund's Prospectus. Futures contracts are contracts for delayed delivery of securities or currencies at a specific future date and at a specific price or currency amount.

Upon entering into a futures contract, the Fund is required to segregate an initial margin deposit of cash and/or other assets equal to a certain percentage of the futures contract's notional value. Under a futures contract, the Fund agrees to receive from or pay to a broker an amount of cash equal to the daily fluctuation in value of the futures contract. Subsequent receipts or payments, known as "variation margin" receipts or payments, are made each day, depending on the fluctuation in the fair value of the futures contract, and are recognized by the Fund as unrealized gains or losses. Futures contracts are generally valued daily at their settlement price as provided by an independent pricing service approved by the Board of Trustees, and are generally categorized as Level 1 investments within the hierarchy.

A "sale" of a futures contract means a contractual obligation to deliver the securities or foreign currency called for by the contract at a fixed price or amount at a specified time in the future. A "purchase" of a futures contract means a contractual obligation to acquire the securities or foreign currency at a fixed price at a specified time in the future. When a futures contract is closed, the Fund records a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the value of the futures contract at the time it was opened and its value at the time it was closed.

Should market conditions change unexpectedly, the Fund may not achieve the anticipated benefits of futures contracts and may realize a loss. The use of futures contracts for hedging purposes involves the risk of imperfect correlation in the movements in the price of the futures contracts and the underlying assets. The Fund's investments in futures contracts entail limited counterparty credit risk because the Fund invests only in exchange traded futures contracts, which are settled through the exchange and whose fulfillment is guaranteed by the credit of the exchange.

The Fund's futures contracts are reflected in the Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities under "Receivable/Payable for variation margin on futures contracts", in a table in the Consolidated Statement of Investments and in the Consolidated

Statement of Operations under "Net realized gains (losses) from expiration or closing of futures contracts" and "Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation in the value of futures contracts", as applicable.

The following is a summary of the Fund's derivative instruments categorized by risk exposure as of June 30, 2021:

Fair Values of Derivatives not Accounted for as Hedging Instruments as of June 30, 2021:

Mozaic Multi-Asset Assets:		Statement of Assets and Liabilities	Fair Value
Futures Contracts(a)			
Commodity risk	Receivable/payable for variation margin on futures contracts	\$	289,949
Equity risk	Receivable/payable for variation margin on futures contracts		126,168
Interest rate risk	Receivable/payable for variation margin on futures contracts		143,893
Total		\$	560,010
Liabilities:			
Futures Contracts(a)			
Commodity risk	Receivable/payable for variation margin on futures contracts		(72,053)
Equity risk	Receivable/payable for variation margin on futures contracts	\$	(22,254)
Total		\$	(94,307)

(a) Includes cumulative appreciation/(depreciation) of futures contracts as reported in the Statement of Investments. Only current day's variation margin is reported within the Statement of Asset and Liabilities.

The Effect of Derivative Instruments on the Consolidated Statement of Operations for the Six Months Ended June 30, 2021

Mozaic Multi-Asset Realized Gains (Losses):		Total
Futures Contracts		
Commodity risk	\$	524,790
Equity risk		899,554
Interest rate risk		(498,192)
Total		\$ 926,152

Change in Unrealized Appreciation/Depreciation on Derivatives Recognized in the Consolidated Statement of Operations for the Six Months Ended June 30, 2021

Mozaic Multi-Asset Unrealized Appreciation/Depreciation:		Total
Futures Contracts		
Commodity risk	\$	(17,878)
Equity risk		(32,604)
Interest rate risk		191,434
Total		\$ 140,952

The following is a summary of the Fund's average volume of derivative instruments held during the six months ended June 30, 2021:

Mozaic Multi-Asset Futures Contracts:		
Average Notional Balance Long	\$	28,619,608
Average Notional Balance Short	\$	838,292

The Fund is required to disclose information about offsetting and related arrangements to enable users of the financial statements to understand the effect of those arrangements on the Fund's financial position. As of June 30, 2021, the Fund has entered into futures contracts. The futures contracts agreement does not provide for a netting arrangement.

(e) Security Transactions and Investment Income

Security transactions are accounted for on the date the security is purchased or sold. Security gains and losses are calculated on the identified cost basis. Interest income is recognized on the accrual basis and includes, where applicable, the amortization of premiums or accretion of discounts, and is recorded as such on the Fund's Consolidated Statement of Operations.

Foreign income may be subject to foreign withholding taxes, a portion of which may be reclaimable at various rates. Under applicable foreign law, a withholding tax may be imposed on interest and dividends paid by a foreign security. Foreign income subject to foreign withholding taxes is recorded net of the applicable withholding tax.

(f) Distributions to Shareholders

Distributions from net investment income, if any, are declared and paid quarterly. Distributions from net realized capital gains, if any, are declared and distributed at least annually. All distributions are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Dividends and distributions to shareholders are determined in accordance with federal income tax regulations, which may differ from U.S. GAAP. These "book/tax" differences are considered either permanent or temporary. Permanent differences are reclassified within the capital accounts based on their nature for federal income tax purposes; temporary differences do not require reclassification. These reclassifications have no effect upon the NAV of the Fund. Any distribution in excess of current and accumulated earnings and profits for federal income tax purposes is reported as a return of capital distribution.

(g) Federal Income Taxes

The Fund elected to be treated as, and intends to qualify each year as, a "regulated investment company" ("RIC") by complying with the requirements of Subchapter M of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"), as amended, and to make cash distributions of net investment income and net realized capital gains sufficient to relieve the Fund from all, or substantially all, federal income taxes. The aforementioned distributions may be made in cash or via consent dividends. Consent dividends, when authorized, become taxable to the shareholders as if they were paid in cash.

The Fund recognizes a tax benefit from an uncertain position only if it is more likely than not that the position is sustainable, based solely on its technical merits and consideration of the relevant taxing authorities' widely understood administrative practices and precedents. Each year, the Fund undertakes an affirmative evaluation of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing tax returns to determine whether it is more likely than not (i.e., greater than 50 percent) that each tax position will be sustained upon examination by a taxing authority. The Fund is not aware of any tax positions for which it is reasonably possible that the total amounts of unrecognized tax benefits will significantly change in the next twelve months.

The Fund files a U.S. federal income tax return and, if applicable, returns in various foreign jurisdictions in which it invests. Generally, a Fund is subject to examinations by such taxing authorities for up to three years after the filing of the return for the tax period.

The Fund's investment in its Subsidiary is intended to provide additional exposure to commodities while allowing the Fund to satisfy the requirements applicable to a RIC. The Subsidiary, which has a November 30 year end for income tax purposes, is a controlled foreign corporation under the Code. As a U.S. shareholder of a controlled foreign corporation, the Fund will include in its taxable income its share of the Subsidiary's current earnings and profits (including future realized gains). Any deficit generated by the Subsidiary will be disregarded for purposes of computing the Fund's taxable income in the current period and also disregarded for all future periods.

(h) Allocation of Expenses, Income and Gains and Losses

Expenses directly attributable to a Fund are charged to that Fund. Expenses not directly attributable to a Fund are allocated proportionally among various or all series of the Trust. Income, fund level expenses, and realized and unrealized gains or losses are allocated to each class of shares of a Fund based on the value of the outstanding shares of that class relative to the total value of the outstanding shares of that Fund. Expenses specific to a class (such as Rule 12b-1 and administrative services fees) are charged to that specific class.

3. Transactions with Affiliates

Under the terms of the Trust's Investment Advisory Agreement, NFA manages the investment of the assets and supervises the daily business affairs of the Fund in accordance with policies and procedures established by the Board of Trustees. NFA has selected J.P. Morgan Investment Management Inc. (the "Subadviser") as subadviser for the Fund, and provides investment management evaluation services in monitoring, on an ongoing basis, the performance of the Subadviser.

Under the terms of the Investment Advisory Agreement, the Fund pays NFA an investment advisory fee based on the Fund's average daily net assets. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Fund paid investment advisory fees to NFA according to the following schedule.

Fee Schedule	Advisory Fee (annual rate)
All assets	0.28%

For the six months ended June 30, 2021, the effective advisory fee rates before and after expense reimbursements due to the expense limitation agreement described below, were as follows:

Fund	Effective Advisory Fee Rate Before Expense Reimbursements	Effective Advisory Fee Rate After Expense Reimbursements
Mozaic Multi-Asset	0.28%	0.00%

From these fees, pursuant to the subadvisory agreement, NFA pays fees to the unaffiliated subadvisers.

The Trust and NFA have entered into a written Expense Limitation Agreement that limits the Fund's operating expenses, (excluding any interest, taxes, brokerage commissions and other costs incurred in connection with the purchase and sales of portfolio securities, acquired fund fees and expenses, short sale dividend expenses, Rule 12b-1 fees, fees paid pursuant to an Administrative Services Plan, excludable sub administration fees, other expenditures which are capitalized in accordance with U.S. GAAP, expenses incurred by the Fund in connection with any merger or reorganization, and other non-routine expenses not incurred in the ordinary course of the Fund's business) from exceeding the amounts listed in the following table until April 30, 2022.

Classes	Amount (annual rate)
All Classes	0.43%

NFA may request and receive reimbursement from the Fund for advisory fees waived or other expenses reimbursed by NFA pursuant to the Expense Limitation Agreement at a date not to exceed three years from the month in which the corresponding waiver or reimbursement to the Fund was made. However, no reimbursement may be made unless: (i) the Fund's assets exceed \$100 million and (ii) the total annual expense ratio of the class making such reimbursement is no higher than the

amount of the expense limitation that was in place at the time NFA waived the fees or reimbursed the expenses and does not cause the expense ratio to exceed the current expense limitation. Reimbursement by the Fund of amounts previously waived or reimbursed by NFA is not permitted except as provided for in the Expense Limitation Agreement. The Expense Limitation Agreement may be changed or eliminated only with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

As of June 30, 2021, the cumulative potential reimbursements for the Fund, listed by the period or year in which NFA waived fees or reimbursed expenses to the Fund are:

Fund	Period Ended December 31, 2019 Amount(a)	Fiscal Year 2020 Amount	Six Months Ended June 30, 2021 Amount	Total
Mozaic Multi-Asset	\$ 110,748	\$ 330,037	\$ 142,693	\$ 583,478

(a) For the period from October 7, 2019 (commencement of operations) through December 31, 2019.

NFM, a wholly owned subsidiary of NFS Distributors, Inc. ("NFS DI") (a wholly owned subsidiary of NFS), provides various administrative and accounting services for the Fund and serves as Transfer and Dividend Disbursing Agent for the Fund. NFM

has entered into agreements with third-party service providers to provide certain sub-administration and sub-transfer agency services to the Fund. NFM pays the service providers a fee for these services.

Under the terms of a Joint Fund Administration and Transfer Agency Agreement, the fees for such services are based on the sum of the following: (i) the amount payable by NFM to its sub-administrator and sub-transfer agent; and (ii) a percentage of the combined average daily net assets of the Trust and Nationwide Mutual Funds ("NMF"), a Delaware statutory trust and registered investment company that is affiliated with the Trust, according to the following fee schedule.

Combined Fee Schedule

Up to \$25 billion	0.025%
\$25 billion and more	0.020%

For the six months ended June 30, 2021, NFM earned \$80,953 in fees from the Fund under the Joint Fund Administration and Transfer Agency Agreement.

In addition, the Trust pays out-of-pocket expenses reasonably incurred by NFM in providing services to the Fund and the Trust, including, but not limited to, the cost of pricing services that NFM utilizes.

Under the terms of the Joint Fund Administration and Transfer Agency Agreement and a letter agreement between NFM and the Trust, the Trust has agreed to reimburse NFM for certain costs related to the Fund's portion of ongoing administration, monitoring and annual (compliance audit) testing of the Trust's Rule 38a-1 Compliance Program subject to the pre-approval of the Trust's Audit Committee. These costs are allocated among the series of the Trust based upon their relative net assets. For the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Fund's portion of such costs amounted to \$33.

Under the terms of a Distribution Plan pursuant to Rule 12b-1 under the 1940 Act, Nationwide Fund Distributors LLC ("NFD"), the Fund's principal underwriter, is compensated by the Fund for expenses associated with the distribution of certain classes of shares of the Fund. NFD is a wholly owned subsidiary of NFSDI. These fees are based on average daily net assets of Class II shares of the Fund at an annual rate of 0.25%.

Under the terms of an Administrative Services Plan, the Fund pays fees to servicing organizations, such as broker-dealers, including NFS, and financial institutions, that agree to provide administrative support services to the shareholders of certain classes. These services may include, but are not limited to, the following: (i) establishing and maintaining shareholder accounts; (ii) processing purchase and redemption transactions; (iii) arranging bank wires; (iv) performing shareholder sub-accounting; (v) answering inquiries regarding the Fund; and (vi) other such services. These fees are calculated at an annual rate of up to 0.25% of the average daily net assets of Class II shares of the Fund.

For the six months ended June 30, 2021, the effective rates for administrative services fees were as follows:

Fund	Class II
Mozaic Multi-Asset	0.18%

For the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Fund's total administrative services fees were as follows:

Fund	Amount
Mozaic Multi-Asset	\$ 18,291

4. Line of Credit and Interfund Lending

The Trust and NMF (together, the "Trusts") have entered into a credit agreement with JPMorgan, The Bank of New York Mellon, and Wells Fargo Bank National Association (the "Lenders"), permitting the Trusts, in aggregate, to borrow up to \$100,000,000. Advances taken by a Fund under this arrangement would be primarily for temporary or emergency purposes, including the meeting of redemption requests that otherwise might require the untimely disposition of securities, and are subject to the Fund's borrowing restrictions. The line of credit requires a commitment fee of 0.15% per year on \$100,000,000. Such commitment fee shall be payable quarterly in arrears on the last business day of each March, June, September and December and on the termination date. Borrowings under this arrangement accrue interest at a rate of 1.25% per annum plus the higher of (a) if ascertainable and available, the Eurodollar Rate as of such day for a transaction settling two business days after such day, (b) the Federal Funds Effective Rate in effect on such day and (c) the Overnight Bank

Funding Rate in effect on such day; provided, however, that if the Federal Funds Rate calculated in accordance with the foregoing shall be less than zero, such rate shall be deemed to be zero percent (0%) for the purposes of this Agreement. If an Index Rate Unavailability Event occurs in respect of the Eurodollar Rate, the Federal Funds Rate shall be determined without reference to clause (a) of this definition. Interest costs, if any, would be shown on the Statement of Operations. No compensating balances are required under the terms of the line of credit. In addition, a Fund may not draw any portion of the line of credit that is provided by a bank that is an affiliate of the Fund's subadviser, if applicable. In addition to any rights and remedies of the Lenders provided by law, each Lender has the right, upon any amount becoming due and payable by the Fund, to set-off as appropriate and apply all deposits and credits held by or owing to such Lender against such amount, subject to the terms of the credit agreement. The line of credit is renewed annually, and next expires on July 8, 2021. During the

six months ended June 30, 2021, the Fund had no borrowings under the line of credit.

Pursuant to an exemptive order issued by the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") (the "Order"), the Fund may participate in an interfund lending program among Fund managed by NFA. The program allows the participating Funds to borrow money from and loan money to each other for temporary purposes, subject to the conditions in the Order. A loan can only be made through the program if the interfund loan rate on that day is more favorable to both the borrowing and lending Funds as compared to rates available through short-term bank loans or investments in overnight repurchase agreements and money market funds, respectively, as detailed in the Order. Further, a Fund may participate in the program only if and to the extent that such participation is consistent with its investment objectives and limitations. Interfund loans have a maximum duration of seven days and may be called on one business day's notice. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Fund did not engage in interfund lending.

5. Investment Transactions

For the six months ended June 30, 2021, there were no purchases and sales of long-term securities.

6. Portfolio Investment Risks

Risks Associated with Interest Rates

Prices of fixed-income securities generally increase when interest rates decline and decrease when interest rates increase. Prices of longer-term securities generally change more in response to interest rate changes than prices of shorter-term securities. To the extent a Fund invests a substantial portion of its assets in fixed-income securities with longer-term maturities, rising interest rates are more likely to cause the value of the Fund's investments to decline significantly.

Risks Associated with Foreign Securities and Currencies

Investments in securities of foreign issuers carry certain risks not ordinarily associated with investments in securities of U.S. issuers. These risks include foreign currency fluctuations, future disruptive political and economic developments and the possible imposition of exchange controls or other unfavorable foreign government laws and restrictions. In addition, investments in certain countries may carry risks of expropriation of assets, confiscatory taxation, political or social instability, or diplomatic developments that adversely affect investments in those countries.

Certain countries also may impose substantial restrictions on investments in their capital markets by foreign entities, including restrictions on investments in issuers in industries deemed sensitive to relevant national interests. These factors may limit the investment opportunities available and result in a lack of liquidity and high price volatility with respect to securities of issuers from developing countries.

Risks Associated with Variable Rate Securities

Mortgage-Backed Securities — Mortgage-backed securities are fixed-income securities that give the holder the right to receive a portion of principal and/or interest payments made on a pool of residential or commercial mortgage loans. Such securities may be issued or guaranteed by U.S. government agencies or instrumentalities or may be issued by private issuers, generally originators in mortgage loans, including savings and loan associations, mortgage bankers, commercial banks, investment bankers, and special purpose entities. Adjustable rate mortgage-backed securities are collateralized by or represent interests in mortgage loans with variable rates of interest. These variable rates of interest reset periodically to align themselves with market rates. The Fund will not benefit from increases in interest rates to the extent that interest rates rise to the point where they cause the current coupon of the underlying adjustable rate mortgages to exceed any maximum allowable annual or lifetime reset limits (or "cap rates") for a particular mortgage. During periods of declining interest rates, income to the Fund derived from adjustable rate mortgage-backed securities which remain in a mortgage pool will decrease in contrast to the income on fixed rate mortgage-backed securities, which will remain constant. Adjustable rate mortgages also have less potential for appreciation in value as interest rates decline than do fixed rate investments.

Asset-Backed Securities — Asset-backed securities are fixed-income securities issued by a trust or other legal entity established for the purpose of issuing securities and holding certain assets, such as credit card receivables or auto leases, which pay down over time and generate sufficient cash to pay holders of the securities. Almost any type of fixed-income assets may be used to create an asset-backed security, including other fixed-income securities or derivative instruments such as swaps. Payments or distributions of principal and interest on asset-backed securities may be supported by nongovernmental credit enhancements similar to those utilized in connection with mortgage-backed securities. The credit quality of most asset-backed securities depends primarily on the credit quality of the assets underlying such securities, how well the entity issuing the security is insulated from the credit risk of the originator or any other affiliated entities, and the amount and quality of any credit enhancement of the securities. To the extent a security interest exists, it may be more difficult for the issuer to enforce the security interest as compared to mortgage-backed securities.

Collateralized Mortgage Obligations ("CMOs") and Multiclass Pass-Through Securities — CMOs are multi-class debt obligations which are collateralized by mortgage loans or pass-through certificates. Multiclass pass-through securities are interests in a trust composed of whole loans or private pass-throughs (referred to as "Mortgage Assets"). Often, CMOs are collateralized by Government National Mortgage Association Pass-Through Certificates ("Ginnie Maes"), Federal National Mortgage Association Pass-Through Certificates ("Fannie Maes"), or Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation Pass-Through Certificates ("Freddie Macs"), but also may be collateralized by Mortgage Assets. Payments of principal and interest on the Mortgage Assets, and any reinvestment income

thereon, provide the funds to pay debt service on the CMOs or make scheduled distributions on the multiclass pass-through securities. CMOs may be issued by agencies or instrumentalities of the U.S. government, or by private originators of, or investors in, mortgage loans, including savings and loan associations, mortgage banks, commercial banks, investment banks and special purpose subsidiaries of the foregoing. In order to form a CMO, the issuer assembles a package of traditional mortgage-backed pass-through securities, or actual mortgage loans, and uses them as collateral for a multi-class security. Each class of CMOs, often referred to as a "tranche", is issued at a specified fixed or floating coupon rate and has a stated maturity or final distribution date. Principal prepayments on the Mortgage Assets may cause the CMOs to be retired substantially earlier than their stated maturities or final distribution dates. Interest is paid or accrues on all classes of the CMOs on a monthly, quarterly or semi-annual basis. As market conditions change, and particularly during periods of rapid or unanticipated changes in market interest rates, the attractiveness of the CMO classes and the ability of the structure to provide the anticipated investment characteristics may be reduced significantly. Such changes can result in volatility in the market value, and in some instances reduced liquidity, of the CMO class.

Stripped Mortgage Securities — Stripped mortgage securities are derivative multiclass mortgage securities. Stripped mortgage securities are structured with two or more classes of securities that receive different proportions of the interest and principal distributions on a pool of mortgage assets. A common type of stripped mortgage security will have at least one class receiving only a small portion of the interest and a larger portion of the principal from the mortgage assets, while the other class will receive primarily interest and only a small portion of the principal. In the most extreme case, one class will receive all of the interest ("IO" or interest-only), while the other class will receive the entire principal ("PO" or principal-only class). The yield to maturity on IOs, POs and other mortgage-backed securities that are purchased at a substantial premium or discount generally are extremely sensitive not only to changes in prevailing interest rates but also to the rate of principal payments (including prepayments) on the related underlying mortgage assets, and a rapid rate of principal payments may have a material adverse effect on such securities' yield to maturity. If the underlying mortgage assets experience greater than anticipated prepayments of principal, the Fund may fail to fully recoup its initial investment in these securities even if the securities have received the highest rating by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization.

Collateralized Debt Obligations ("CDOs") — CDOs are a type of asset-backed security and include, among other things, collateralized bond obligations ("CBOs"), collateralized loan obligations ("CLOs") and other similarly structured securities. A CBO is a trust which is backed by a diversified pool of high

risk, below investment grade fixed-income securities. A CLO is a trust typically collateralized by a pool of loans, which may include, among others, domestic and foreign senior secured loans, senior unsecured loans and subordinate corporate loans, including loans that may be rated below investment grade or equivalent unrated loans. Normally, CBOs, CLOs and other CDOs are privately offered and sold, and thus are not registered under the securities laws. As a result, investments in CDOs may be characterized by the Fund as illiquid securities. In addition to the risks associated with debt instruments (e.g., interest rate risk and credit risk), CDOs carry additional risks including, but not limited to: (i) the possibility that distributions from collateral securities will not be adequate to make interest or other payments; (ii) the quality of the collateral may decline in value or default; (iii) the possibility that the Fund may invest in CDOs that are subordinate to other classes; and (iv) the complex structure of the security may not be fully understood at the time of investment and may produce disputes with the issuer or unexpected investment results.

7. Indemnifications

Under the Trust's organizational documents, the Trust's Officers and Trustees are indemnified by the Trust against certain liabilities arising out of the performance of their duties to the Trust. In addition, the Trust has entered into indemnification agreements with its Trustees and certain of its Officers. Trust Officers receive no compensation from the Trust for serving as its Officers. In addition, in the normal course of business, the Trust enters into contracts with its vendors and others that provide for general indemnifications. The Trust's maximum liability under these arrangements is unknown, as this would involve future claims made against the Trust. Based on experience, however, the Trust expects the risk of loss to be remote.

8. New Accounting Pronouncements and Other Matters

On July 27, 2017, the United Kingdom's Financial Conduct Authority announced its intention to cease sustaining LIBOR after 2021. US Federal Reserve Bank's Alternative Reference Rates Committee (the "SOFR committee") selected Secured Overnight Financing Rate (SOFR) as the preferred alternative to the U.S. dollar LIBOR. The SOFR committee has noted the stability of the repurchase market on which the rate is based. New York Federal Reserve began publication of the rate in April 2018. Markets are slowly developing in response to these new reference rates. Uncertainty related to the liquidity impact of the change in rates, and how to appropriately adjust these rates at the time of transition, poses risks for the Fund. These risks are likely to persist until new reference rates and fallbacks for both legacy and new instruments and contracts are commercially accepted and market practices become settled. Management is currently evaluating the implications of the change and its impact on financial statement disclosures and reporting requirements.

9. Federal Tax Information

As of June 30, 2021, the tax cost of investments (including derivative contracts) and the breakdown of unrealized appreciation/ (depreciation) for the Fund was as follows:

Fund	Tax Cost of Investments	Unrealized Appreciation	Unrealized Depreciation	Net Unrealized Appreciation/ (Depreciation)
Mozaic Multi-Asset	\$ 6,467,374	\$ 560,302	\$ (95,275)	\$ 465,027

10. Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic

The global pandemic outbreak of an infectious respiratory illness caused by a novel coronavirus known as COVID-19 has resulted in substantial market volatility and global business disruption, affecting the global economy and the financial health of individual companies in significant and unforeseen ways. COVID-19 has resulted in, among other things, travel restrictions, closed international borders, enhanced health screenings at ports of entry and elsewhere, disruption of and delays in healthcare service preparation and delivery, prolonged quarantines, significant disruptions to business operations, market closures, cancellations and restrictions, supply chain disruptions, lower consumer demand, and significant volatility and declines in global financial markets, as well as general concern and uncertainty. Instability in the United States, European and other credit markets has made it more difficult for borrowers to obtain financing or refinancing on attractive terms or at all. In particular, because of the current conditions in the credit markets, borrowers may be subject to increased interest expenses for borrowed money and tightening underwriting standards. In addition, stock prices as well as yield could be negatively impacted to the extent that issuers of equity securities cancel or announce the suspension of dividends or share buybacks.

The COVID-19 pandemic could continue to inhibit global, national and local economic activity, and constrain access to

capital and other sources of funding. Various recent government interventions have been aimed at curtailing the distress to financial markets caused by the COVID-19 outbreak. There can be no guarantee that these or other economic stimulus plans (within the United States or other affected countries throughout the world) will be sufficient or will have their intended effect. In addition, an unexpected or quick reversal of such policies could increase market volatility, which could adversely affect the Fund's investments. The duration and future impact of COVID-19 are currently unknown, which may exacerbate the other risks that apply to the Fund and could negatively affect Fund performance and the value of your investment in the Fund.

11. Subsequent Events

The Trusts' credit agreement has been renewed through July 7, 2022. The renewed credit agreement provides for a similar arrangement that was effective during the six months ended June 30, 2021 (discussed above under "Line of Credit and Interfund Lending").

Management has evaluated the impact of subsequent events on the Fund and has determined that there are no additional subsequent events requiring recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

Nationwide LRMP disclosure

The Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) adopted Rule 22e-4 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the “Liquidity Rule”), which requires all open-end funds (other than money market funds) to adopt and implement a program reasonably designed to assess and manage the fund’s “liquidity risk,” defined as the risk that the fund could not meet requests to redeem shares issued by the fund without significant dilution of remaining investors’ interests in the fund.

Each series (the “Funds”) of Nationwide Variable Insurance Trust (the “Trust”) has adopted and implemented a liquidity risk management program in accordance with the Liquidity Rule (the “Program”). The Trust’s Board of Trustees (the “Board”) has designated Nationwide Fund Management LLC (“NFM”) as the Program Administrator for each Fund. NFM has established a Liquidity Risk Management Committee (the “LRMC”), composed of senior members from relevant groups in the Nationwide organization, to manage the Program for each of the Funds.

As required by the Liquidity Rule, the Program includes policies and procedures that provide for: (1) assessment, management, and review (no less frequently than annually) of each Fund’s liquidity risk; (2) classification of each of the Fund’s portfolio holdings into one of four liquidity categories (Highly Liquid, Moderately Liquid, Less Liquid, and Illiquid); (3) for Funds that do not primarily hold assets that are Highly Liquid, establishing and maintaining a minimum percentage of the Fund’s net assets in Highly Liquid investments (called a “Highly Liquid Investment Minimum” or “HLIM”); and (4) prohibiting the Fund’s acquisition of Illiquid investments that would result in the Fund holding more than 15% of its net assets in Illiquid assets. The Program

also requires reporting to the SEC (on a non-public basis) and to the Board if the Fund’s holdings of Illiquid assets exceed 15% of the Fund’s net assets. Funds with HLIMs must have procedures for addressing HLIM shortfalls, including reporting to the Board and, with respect to HLIM shortfalls lasting more than seven consecutive calendar days, reporting to the SEC (on a non-public basis).

In assessing and managing each Fund’s liquidity risk, the LRMC considers, as relevant, a variety of factors, including: (1) the Fund’s investment strategy and liquidity of portfolio investments during both normal and reasonably foreseeable stressed conditions; (2) short-term and long-term cash flow projections for the Fund during both normal and reasonably foreseeable stressed conditions; and (3) the Fund’s holdings of cash and cash equivalents and any borrowing arrangements. Classification of the Fund’s portfolio holdings in the four liquidity categories is based on the number of days it is reasonably expected to take to convert the investment to cash (for Highly Liquid and Moderately Liquid holdings) or sell or dispose of the investment (for Less Liquid and Illiquid investments), in current market conditions without significantly changing the investment’s market value. Each Fund in the Trust primarily holds assets that are classified as Highly Liquid, and therefore is not required to establish an HLIM.

At a meeting of the Trust’s Board of Trustees held on June 16, 2021, the Program Administrator provided a written report to the Board addressing the Program’s operation and assessing the adequacy, and effectiveness of its implementation for the annual period from December 1, 2019 through November 30, 2020. The report concluded that the Program is reasonably designed to assess and manage the Fund’s liquidity risk and has been implemented and is operating effectively.

Each Trustee who is deemed an “interested person,” as such term is defined in the 1940 Act, is referred to as an “Interested Trustee.” Those Trustees who are not “interested persons,” as such term is defined in the 1940 Act, are referred to as “Independent Trustees.” The name, year of birth, position and length of time served with the Trust, number of portfolios overseen, principal occupation(s) and other directorships/trusteeships held during the past five years, and additional information related to experience, qualifications, attributes, and skills of each Trustee and Officer are shown below. There are 65 series of the Trust, all of which are overseen by the Board of Trustees and Officers of the Trust. The address for each Trustee and Officer is c/o Nationwide Funds Group, One Nationwide Plaza, Mail Code 5-02-210, Columbus, OH 43215.

Independent Trustees

Paula H. J. Cholmondeley		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1947	Trustee since July 2000	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Ms. Cholmondeley focuses full time on corporate governance. She sits on public company boards and is also on the faculty of the National Association of Corporate Directors. She has served as a Chief Executive Officer of Sorrel Group (management consulting company) since January 2004. From April 2000 through December 2003, Ms. Cholmondeley was Vice President and General Manager of Sappi Fine Paper North America.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² Director of Dentsply International, Inc. (dental products) from 2002 to 2016, Terex Corporation (construction equipment) from 2004 to present, Bank of the Ozarks, from 2016 to present, and Kapstone Paper and Packaging Corporation from 2016 to 2018.		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Ms. Cholmondeley has significant board and governance experience; significant executive experience, including continuing service as chief executive officer of a management consulting company and past service as an executive of a manufacturing-based public company and past experience as an executive in a private service-based company. Ms. Cholmondeley is a former certified public accountant and former chief financial officer of both public and private companies.		
Lorn C. Davis		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1968	Trustee since January 2021	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Mr. Davis has been a Managing Partner of College Hill Capital Partners, LLC (private equity) since June 2016. From September 1998 until May 2016, Mr. Davis originated and managed debt and equity investments for John Hancock Life Insurance Company (U.S.A.)/Hancock Capital Management, LLC, serving as a Managing Director from September 2003 through May 2016.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² Board Member of Outlook Group Holdings, LLC from July 2006 to May 2016, serving as Chair to the Audit committee and member of the Compensation committee, Board Member of MA Holdings, LLC from November 2006 to October 2015, Board Member of IntegraColor, Ltd. from February 2007 to September 2015, Board Member of The Pine Street Inn from 2009 to present, currently serving as Treasurer and Chair of the Audit and Finance Committee, and Member of the Advisory Board (non-fiduciary) of Mearthane Products Corporation from September 2019 to present.		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Mr. Davis has significant board experience; significant past service at a large asset management company and significant experience in the investment management industry. Mr. Davis is a Chartered Financial Analyst and earned a Certificate of Director Education from the National Association of Corporate Directors in 2008.		
Phyllis Kay Dryden		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1947	Trustee since December 2004	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Ms. Dryden became President of Energy Dispute Solutions, LLC in December 2012, and since 2016 has acted as CEO, leading a company providing strategy consulting, arbitration, and mediation services. She has been a management consultant since 1996, first as a partner of Mitchell Madison Group (management consulting), then as a managing partner and head of west coast business development for marchFIRST (internet consulting), returning to Mitchell Madison Group in 2003 as an associated partner until January 2010 and thereafter as an independent strategy consultant through December 2012. Ms. Dryden was VP and General Counsel of Lucasfilm, Ltd. from 1981 to 1984, SVP and General Counsel of Charles Schwab and Co. Inc. from 1984 to 1992, and EVP and General Counsel of Del Monte Foods from 1992 to 1995. She presently serves as chairman of the board of Mutual Fund Directors Forum.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² Director and Vice-Chair of Smithsonian Institution Environmental Research Board from 2016 to present, and Director of Smithsonian Institution Libraries Board from 2007 to 2015.		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Ms. Dryden has significant board experience and significant executive, management consulting, and legal experience, including past service as general counsel for a major financial services firm and a public company.		
Barbara I. Jacobs		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1950	Trustee since December 2004	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Retired. From 1988 through 2003, Ms. Jacobs was a Managing Director and European Portfolio Manager of CREF Investments (Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association—College Retirement Equities Fund). Ms. Jacobs also served as Chairman of the Board of Directors of KICAP Network Fund, a European (United Kingdom) hedge fund, from January 2001 through January 2006.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² Trustee and Board Chair of Project Lede from 2013 to present.		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Ms. Jacobs has significant board experience and significant executive and portfolio management experience in the investment management industry.		

Keith F. Karlawish		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1964	Trustee since March 2012; Chairman since January 2021	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Mr. Karlawish has been a partner of Park Ridge Asset Management, LLC since December 2008, at which he also serves as a portfolio manager. From May 2002 until October 2008, Mr. Karlawish was the President of BB&T Asset Management, Inc., and was President of the BB&T Mutual Funds and BB&T Variable Insurance Funds from February 2005 until October 2008.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² None		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Mr. Karlawish has significant board experience, including past service on the boards of BB&T Mutual Funds and BB&T Variable Insurance Funds; significant executive experience, including past service at a large asset management company and significant experience in the investment management industry.		
Carol A. Kosel		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1963	Trustee since March 2013	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Retired. Ms. Kosel was a consultant to the Evergreen Funds Board of Trustees from October 2005 to December 2007. She was Senior Vice President, Treasurer, and Head of Fund Administration of the Evergreen Funds from April 1997 to October 2005.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² None		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Ms. Kosel has significant board experience, including past service on the boards of Evergreen Funds and Sun Capital Advisers Trust; significant executive experience, including past service at a large asset management company and significant experience in the investment management industry.		
Douglas F. Kridler		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1955	Trustee since September 1997	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Since 2002, Mr. Kridler has served as the President and Chief Executive Officer of The Columbus Foundation, a \$2.5 billion community foundation with 2,000 funds in 55 Ohio counties and 37 states in the U.S.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² None		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Mr. Kridler has significant board experience; significant executive experience, including service as president and chief executive officer of one of America's largest community foundations and significant service to his community and the philanthropic field in numerous leadership roles.		
David E. Wezdenko		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1963	Trustee since January 2021	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Mr. Wezdenko is a Co-Founder of Blue Leaf Ventures (venture capital firm, founded May 2018). From November 2008 until December 2017, Mr. Wezdenko was Managing Director of JPMorgan Chase & Co.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² Board Director of J.P. Morgan Private Placements LLC from January 2010 to December 2017.		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Mr. Wezdenko has significant board experience; significant past service at a large asset and wealth management company and significant experience in the investment management industry.		

Interested Trustee

M. Diane Koken ³		
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Trust and Length of Time Served ¹	Number of Portfolios Overseen in the Nationwide Fund Complex
1952	Trustee since April 2019	114
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer) Self-employed as a legal/regulatory consultant since 2007. Ms. Koken served as Insurance Commissioner of Pennsylvania, for three governors, from 1997–2007, and as the President of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC) from September 2004 to December 2005. Prior to becoming Insurance Commissioner of Pennsylvania, she held multiple legal roles, including vice president, general counsel, and corporate secretary of a national life insurance company.		
Other Directorships held During the Past Five Years² Director of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company 2007-present, Director of Nationwide Mutual Fire Insurance Company 2007-present, Director of Nationwide Corporation 2007-present, Director of Capital BlueCross 2011-present, Director of NORCAL Mutual Insurance Company 2009-present, Director of Medicus Insurance Company 2009-present, Director of Hershey Trust Company 2015-present, Manager of Milton Hershey School Board of Managers 2015-present, Director and Chair of Hershey Foundation 2016-present, and Director of The Hershey Company 2017-present.		
Experience, Qualifications, Attributes, and Skills for Board Membership Ms. Koken has significant board experience and significant executive, legal and regulatory experience, including past service as a cabinet-level state insurance commissioner and general counsel of a national life insurance company.		

- ¹ Length of time served includes time served with the Trust's predecessors. The tenure of each Trustee is subject to the Board's retirement policy, which states that a Trustee shall retire from the Boards of Trustees of the Trusts effective on December 31 of the calendar year during which he or she turns 75 years of age; provided this policy does not apply to a person who became a Trustee prior to September 11, 2019.
- ² Directorships held in: (1) any other investment companies registered under the 1940 Act, (2) any company with a class of securities registered pursuant to Section 12 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or (3) any company subject to the requirements of Section 15(d) of the Exchange Act, which are required to be disclosed in the SAI. In addition, certain other directorships not meeting the aforementioned requirements may be included for certain Trustees such as board positions on non-profit organizations.
- ³ Ms. Koken is considered an interested person of the Trust because she is a Director of the parent company of, and several affiliates of, the Trust's investment adviser and distributor.

Officers of the Trust

Michael S. Spangler	
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Funds and Length of Time Served¹
1966	President, Chief Executive Officer and Principal Executive Officer since June 2008
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer)	
Mr. Spangler is President and Chief Executive Officer of Nationwide Funds Group, which includes NFA, Nationwide Fund Management LLC and Nationwide Fund Distributors LLC, and is a Senior Vice President of Nationwide Financial Services, Inc., and Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company, LLC. He is also the President of Nationwide Securities. ²	
Brian Hirsch	
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Funds and Length of Time Served¹
1956	Chief Compliance Officer since January 2012; Senior Vice President since December 2015
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer)	
Mr. Hirsch is Vice President of NFA and Chief Compliance Officer of NFA and the Trust. He is also a Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company. ²	
Stephen R. Rimes	
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Funds and Length of Time Served¹
1970	Secretary, Senior Vice President and General Counsel since December 2019
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer)	
Mr. Rimes is Vice President, Associate General Counsel and Secretary for Nationwide Funds Group, and Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company. ² He previously served as Assistant General Counsel for Invesco from 2000-2019.	
Lee T. Cummings	
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Funds and Length of Time Served¹
1963	Senior Vice President, Head of Fund Operations since December 2015; Treasurer and Principal Financial Officer since July 2020
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer)	
Mr. Cummings is Treasurer, Principal Financial Officer, Senior Vice President and Head of Fund Operations of Nationwide Funds Group, and is a Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company. ²	
Steven D. Pierce	
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Funds and Length of Time Served¹
1965	Senior Vice President, Head of Business and Product Development since March 2020
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer)	
Mr. Pierce is Senior Vice President, Head of Business and Product Development for Nationwide Funds Group, and is a Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company. ²	
Christopher C. Graham	
Year of Birth	Positions Held with Funds and Length of Time Served¹
1971	Senior Vice President, Head of Investment Strategies, Chief Investment Officer and Portfolio Manager since September 2016
Principal Occupation(s) During the Past Five Years (or Longer)	
Mr. Graham is Senior Vice President, Head of Investment Strategies and Portfolio Manager for the Nationwide Funds Group, and is a Vice President of Nationwide Mutual Insurance Company. ²	

¹ Length of time served includes time served with the Trust's predecessors.

² These positions are held with an affiliated person or principal underwriter of the Funds.

The Statement of Additional Information ("SAI") includes additional information about the Trustees and is available, without charge, upon request. Shareholders may call 800-848-0920 to request the SAI.

Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Total Return Index (USD): Provides a measure of the performance of the U.S. dollar-denominated investment grade bond market, including investment grade government bonds, investment grade corporate bonds, mortgage pass through securities, commercial mortgage backed securities and asset backed securities that are publicly for sale in the United States.

Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index: An unmanaged, market value-weighted index of U.S. dollar-denominated investment-grade, fixed-rate, taxable debt issues, which includes Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, mortgage-backed securities (agency fixed-rate and hybrid adjustable-rate mortgage pass-throughs), asset-backed securities and commercial mortgage-backed securities (agency and non-agency).

Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield 2% Issuer Capped Index: An unmanaged index that measures the performance of high-yield corporate bonds, with a maximum allocation of 2% to any one issuer.

Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Government/Credit Bond 1-3 Year Index: An unmanaged index that measures the performance of the non-securitized component of the U.S. Aggregate Bond Index with maturities of 1 to 3 years, including Treasuries, government-related issues, and corporates.

Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities (TIPS) IndexSM: An index that measures the performance of the US Treasury Inflation Protected Securities (TIPS) market.

Bloomberg Barclays Mortgage-Backed Securities Index: A market value-weighted index comprising agency mortgage-backed pass-through securities of the Government National Mortgage Association (Ginnie Mae), the Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae), and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac) with a minimum \$150 million par amount outstanding and a weighted-average maturity of at least 1 year.

Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Government/Mortgage Index: Measures the performance of U.S. government bonds and mortgage-related securities, including Ginnie Maes, Freddie Macs, Hybrid ARMs, Fannie Maes, U.S. Treasuries and U.S. Agencies only. It is a subset of US Aggregate index.

Citigroup Non-US Dollar World Government Bond Index (Citigroup WGBI Non-US): An unmanaged, market capitalization-weighted index that reflects the performance of fixed-rate investment-grade sovereign bonds with remaining maturities of one year or more issued outside the United States; generally considered to be representative of the world bond market.

Citigroup US Broad Investment-Grade Bond Index (USBIG[®]): An unmanaged, market capitalization-weighted index that measures the performance of U.S. dollar-denominated bonds issued in the U.S. investment-grade bond market; includes fixed-rate, U.S. Treasury, government-sponsored, collateralized and corporate debt with remaining maturities of one year or more.

Citigroup US High-Yield Market Index: An unmanaged, market capitalization-weighted index that reflects the performance of the North American high-yield market; includes U.S. dollar-denominated, fixed-rate, cash-pay and deferred-interest securities with remaining maturities of one year or more, issued by corporations domiciled in the United States or Canada.

Citigroup World Government Bond Index (WGBI) (Unhedged): An unmanaged, market capitalization-weighted index that is not hedged back to the U.S. dollar and reflects the performance of the global sovereign fixed-income market; includes local currency, investment-grade, fixed-rate sovereign bonds issued in 20-plus countries, with remaining maturities of one year or more.

Note about Citigroup Indexes

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Dow Jones U.S. Select Real Estate Securities IndexSM (RESI): An unmanaged index that measures the performance of publicly traded securities of U.S.-traded real estate operating companies (REOCs) and real estate investment trusts (REITs).

FTSE World ex US Index: An unmanaged, broad-based, free float-adjusted, market capitalization-weighted index that measures the performance of large-cap and mid-cap stocks in developed and advanced emerging countries, excluding the United States.

FTSE World Index: An unmanaged, broad-based, free float-adjusted, market capitalization-weighted index that measures the performance of large-cap and mid-cap stocks in developed and advanced emerging countries, including the United States.

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