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## IFIC Monthly Investment Fund Statistics – August 2022

### *Mutual Fund and Exchange-Traded Fund Assets and Sales*

**September 23, 2022 (Toronto)** – The Investment Funds Institute of Canada (IFIC) today announced investment fund net sales and net assets for August 2022.

Mutual fund assets totalled \$1.827 trillion at the end of August 2022. Assets decreased by \$37.6 billion or 2.0% compared to July 2022. Mutual funds recorded net redemptions of \$3.1 billion in August 2022.

ETF assets totalled \$298.7 billion at the end of August 2022. Assets decreased by \$5.0 billion or 1.6% compared to July 2022. ETFs recorded net sales of \$1.5 billion in August 2022.

#### **Mutual Fund Net Sales/Net Redemptions (\$ Millions)\***

Asset Class	Aug. 2022	Jul. 2022	Aug. 2021	YTD 2022	YTD 2021
Long-term Funds					
Balanced	(2,429)	(3,278)	4,390	(9,298)	49,071
Equity	(338)	(1,377)	2,532	1,800	30,374
Bond	(379)	(308)	1,680	(6,834)	13,136
Specialty	89	(80)	337	1,214	4,323
Total Long-term Funds	(3,056)	(5,043)	8,939	(13,118)	96,904
Total Money Market Funds	(52)	500	63	2,814	(6,483)
Total	(3,108)	(4,543)	9,002	(10,305)	90,420

#### **Mutual Fund Net Assets (\$ Billions)\***

Asset Class	Aug. 2022	Jul. 2022	Aug. 2021	Dec. 2021
Long-term Funds				
Balanced	896.5	917.0	998.9	1,024.9
Equity	648.2	661.4	725.2	747.7
Bond	230.6	234.5	261.5	261.5
Specialty	22.0	22.0	20.0	22.2
Total Long-term Funds	1,797.3	1,835.0	2,005.7	2,056.3
Total Money Market Funds	29.7	29.7	27.3	26.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,827.1</b>	<b>1,864.7</b>	<b>2,033.0</b>	<b>2,082.7</b>

\* Please see below for important information regarding this data.

**ETF Net Sales/Net Redemptions (\$ Millions)\***

Asset Class	Aug. 2022	Jul. 2022	Aug. 2021	YTD 2022	YTD 2021
Long-term Funds					
Balanced	17	202	273	1,384	2,893
Equity	1,190	(730)	3,379	10,003	23,914
Bond	(347)	719	1,137	3,147	8,804
Specialty	21	375	300	1,160	6,373
Total Long-term Funds	881	566	5,088	15,695	41,983
Total Money Market Funds	594	938	(62)	3,324	(1,278)
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,475</b>	<b>1,505</b>	<b>5,026</b>	<b>19,019</b>	<b>40,705</b>

**ETF Net Assets (\$ Billions)\***

Asset Class	Aug. 2022	Jul. 2022	Aug. 2021	Dec. 2021
Long-term Funds				
Balanced	11.8	12.1	11.0	12.1
Equity	191.2	194.1	209.0	225.2
Bond	75.8	77.7	87.0	89.6
Specialty	10.3	10.7	11.8	13.6
Total Long-term Funds	289.1	294.7	318.8	340.5
Total Money Market Funds	9.6	9.1	6.0	6.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>298.7</b>	<b>303.7</b>	<b>324.8</b>	<b>347.1</b>

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IFIC direct survey data (which accounts for approximately 85% of total mutual fund industry assets and approximately 83% of total ETF industry assets) is complemented by estimated data to provide comprehensive industry totals.

IFIC makes every effort to verify the accuracy, currency and completeness of the information; however, IFIC does not guarantee, warrant, represent or undertake that the information provided is correct, accurate or current.

**\* Important Information Regarding Investment Fund Data:**

1. Mutual fund data is adjusted to remove double counting arising from mutual funds that invest in other mutual funds.
2. Starting with January 2022 data, ETF data is adjusted to remove double counting arising from Canadian-listed ETFs that invest in units of other Canadian-listed ETFs. Any references to IFIC ETF assets and sales figures prior to 2022 data should indicate that the data has not been adjusted for ETF of ETF double counting.
3. The Balanced Funds category includes funds that invest directly in a mix of stocks and bonds or obtain exposure through investing in other funds.
4. Mutual fund data reflects the investment activity of Canadian retail investors.
5. ETF data reflects the investment activity of Canadian retail and institutional investors.

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