

## FUND PROFILE

AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2020

<b>TSX Symbol</b>	CAD Hedged	BPRF
	USD	BPRF.U
<b>CUSIP</b>	BPRF	11221N109
	BPRF.U	11221N208
<b>Inception Date</b>	BPRF	Oct. 15, 2018
	BPRF.U	Aug. 12, 2019
<b>NAV</b>	BPRF	\$26.79
	BPRF.U	\$26.58
<b>Distribution Rate<sup>1</sup></b>	BPRF	4.7%
	BPRF.U	4.7%
<b>Distribution Frequency</b>		Monthly
<b>Total Assets</b>		\$56 million
<b>Management Fee</b>		0.75% p.a.
<b>Management Style</b>		Actively Managed
<b>Manager</b>		Brompton Funds Limited
<b>Sub-Advisor</b>		Flaherty & Crumrine Inc.
<b>Registered Account Eligibility?</b>		Yes
<b>Risk Rating</b>		Low to Medium

## THIS ETF IS FOR INVESTORS WHO ARE:

- Seeking monthly cash distributions
- Seeking stable net asset value.
- Seeking primarily investment-grade income sources

**ESG SCORE<sup>2</sup>**

**B-**

## Portfolio Statistics<sup>3</sup> Dec. 31, 2020

Current Yield	5.3%
YTW	1.2%
Duration (years)	3.0
Average Rating	BBB-

## Overview

This actively managed ETF seeks to provide: (i) stable monthly cash distributions; and (ii) a stable net asset value. The ETF actively invests in a portfolio consisting primarily of U.S. dollar denominated corporate preferred securities, trust preferred securities and other corporate debt. At least 75% of the ETF's portfolio (at the time of investment) consists of securities that are rated investment grade.

The Sub-Advisor, Flaherty & Crumrine, is the longest tenured U.S. investment firm focusing exclusively on managing portfolios of preferred securities for institutional investors. The Sub-Advisor will select a portfolio of preferred investments for the ETF, giving consideration to the opportunity for income, issuer and security diversification, credit quality and duration/interest rate sensitivity.

## Investment Highlights: Preferred Securities

U.S. preferred securities offer:

- Primarily investment-grade securities, with higher yield than many other fixed income categories
- Historical outperformance compared to the S&P/TSX Preferred Share Index with lower volatility
- Low correlation of returns; effective tool to diversify portfolio returns and risk

## Portfolio: December 31, 2020

Rating Distribution	% of Portfolio	Industry Weighting	% of Portfolio
Cash and short-term inv.	6.5%	Banking	41.6%
BBB+	5.1%	Insurance	20.1%
BBB	36.6%	Utilities	15.9%
BBB-	27.8%	Energy	9.7%
BB+	15.1%	Cash and short-term inv.	6.5%
BB	5.3%	Communications	2.5%
BB-	2.5%	Finance	2.4%
B	0.3%	Misc. Industries	1.3%
NR	0.8%		

## Portfolio: December 31, 2020

Top 10 Holdings	% of Portfolio
Cash and short-term investments	6.5%
Wachovia Capital Trust III, floating rate due December 31, 2049	4.0%
Enbridge Inc., 6.00% due January 15, 2077	3.1%
Capital One Financial, 5.00% due December 31, 2049	3.0%
Sempra Energy, 5.75% due July 01, 2079	2.5%
Royal Bank of Canada, 4.50% due November 24, 2080	2.4%
Nextera Energy Capital, 5.65% due May 01, 2079	2.4%
Energy Transfer Operating, 7.60% due December 31, 2049	2.1%
ING Groep NV, 6.75% due December 31, 2049	2.0%
Axis Capital Holdings, 5.50% due December 31, 2049	2.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>30.0%</b>

## Sub-Advisor and Manager

### Sub-Advisor

Established in 1983, Flaherty & Crumrine Incorporated specializes in US dollar denominated preferred securities and corporate debt instruments. The firm uses 30 years of proprietary data on over 1500 preferred securities to carry out intensive credit analysis, thorough vetting of securities' terms and structures, and active portfolio management, with the goal of exploiting pricing inefficiencies in the fixed income markets to provide attractive rates of return on its funds..

### Manager

Founded in 2000, Brompton is an experienced investment fund manager with income focused investment solutions including TSX traded closed-end funds and exchange-traded funds.

## Historical Performance: December 31, 2020

Annual Compound Returns <sup>4</sup>	1-YR	Since Inception (BPRF)	Since Inception (BPRF.U)
Brompton Flaherty & Crumrine Investment Grade Preferred ETF (CAD hedged)	5.1%	8.4%	-
Brompton Flaherty & Crumrine Investment Grade Preferred ETF (USD)	7.9%	-	9.8%

<sup>(1)</sup>Distribution rate based on December 31, 2020 closing market price. Source: Thomson Reuters.

<sup>(2)</sup> Source: Thomson Reuters as at December 31, 2020. Reflects the weighted average ESG Score of the companies held in the portfolio. The ESG Score is an overall score of a company based on the reported information in the environmental, social and corporate governance pillars. Letter grades range from D- for the lowest ESG scores to A+ for the highest scores. See [https://www.refinitiv.com/content/dam/marketing/en\\_us/documents/methodology/esg-scores-methodology.pdf](https://www.refinitiv.com/content/dam/marketing/en_us/documents/methodology/esg-scores-methodology.pdf) for more information.

<sup>(3)</sup>Excludes cash.

<sup>(4)</sup>Returns are for the periods ended December 31, 2020. BPRF inception date October 15, 2018. BPRF.U inception date August 12, 2019. The table shows the ETF's compound returns for each period indicated.

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