



The City of Toronto – Sinking Funds LDI Portfolio

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Firm Overview

ABOUT US

Publicly-traded, independent Canadian investment management firm

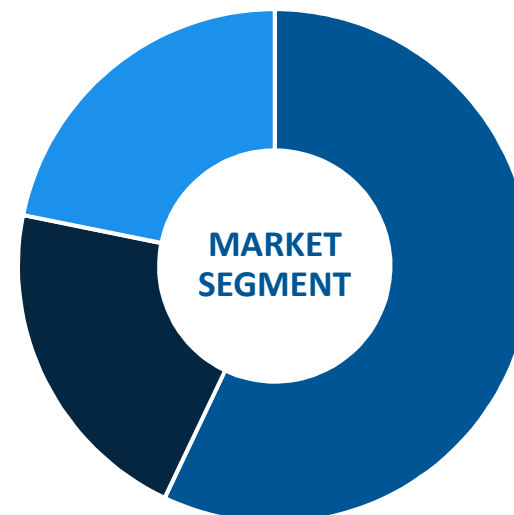
850+ employees including more than 200+ investment professionals

Depth and expertise in traditional and alternative strategies

Headquartered in Montreal with offices across Canada, the United States, Europe and Asia

ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT

\$158.1B*



Institutional Markets	\$90.2B	57%
Retail	\$33.4B	21%
Private Wealth	\$34.5B	22%
Total	\$158.1B	100%

*As of March 31st, 2020

Fixed Income Solutions Team

Investment Team



CAROLINE GRANDOIT, FSA, CFA, CERA
Vice President and Portfolio Manager,
Cross Asset Solutions

3 years with the firm, 14 in the industry



TOMMY OUELLET, FSA, FCIA, CFA, CQF
Vice President and Portfolio Manager,
Fixed Income Solutions

5 years with the firm, 11 in the industry



HUGO SARKISIAN, M.Sc.
Vice President and Portfolio Manager

12 years with the firm, 15 in the industry



MARTIN DIONNE, FCIA, FSA
Assistant Vice President

2 years with the firm, 16 in the industry



STEVE GUIGNARD, FSA, ACIA
Lead Analyst

2 years with the firm, 8 in the industry



KATHARINE WELLS, B.Sc
Analyst

2 years with the firm, 4 in the industry



SIMON-PIERRE GADOURY, MQF
Analyst

1 year with the firm, 1 in the industry



INTEGRATED FIXED INCOME TEAM

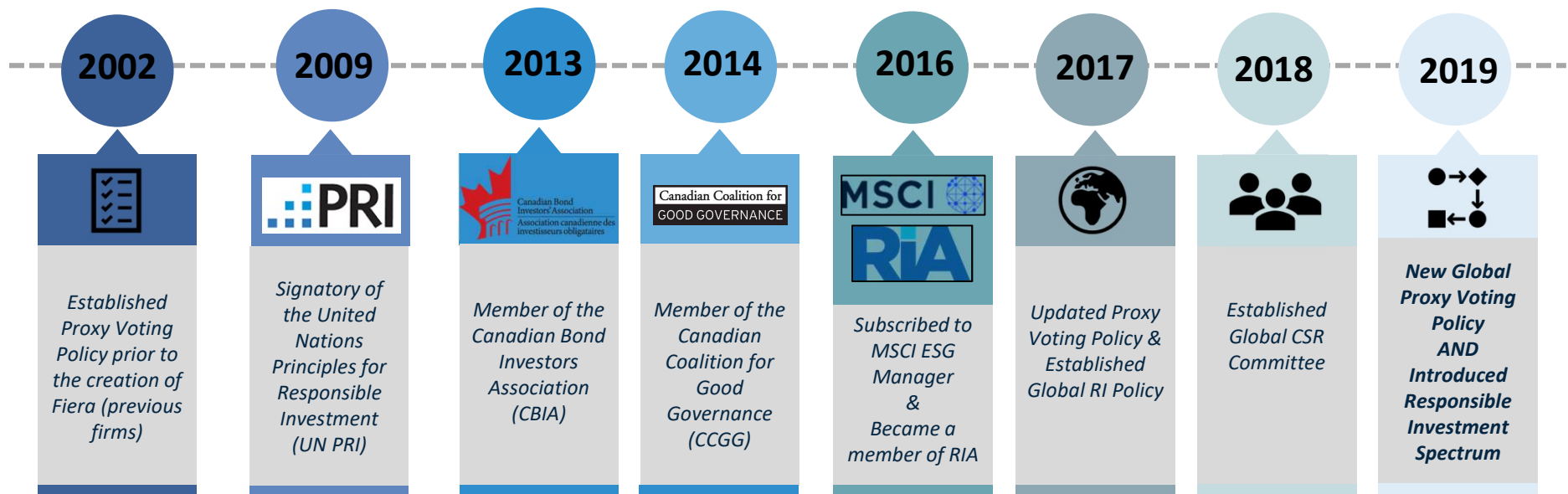
Actuarial Expertise

Quantitative Finance Expertise

Trading & Execution

Responsible Investing at Fiera

Timeline



Fiera Capital's investment process reflects its belief that organizations that successfully manage ESG factors create more resilient businesses/assets and are better positioned to deliver sustainable value over the long term

Integration of ESG Factors

Approach - Fixed Income Team

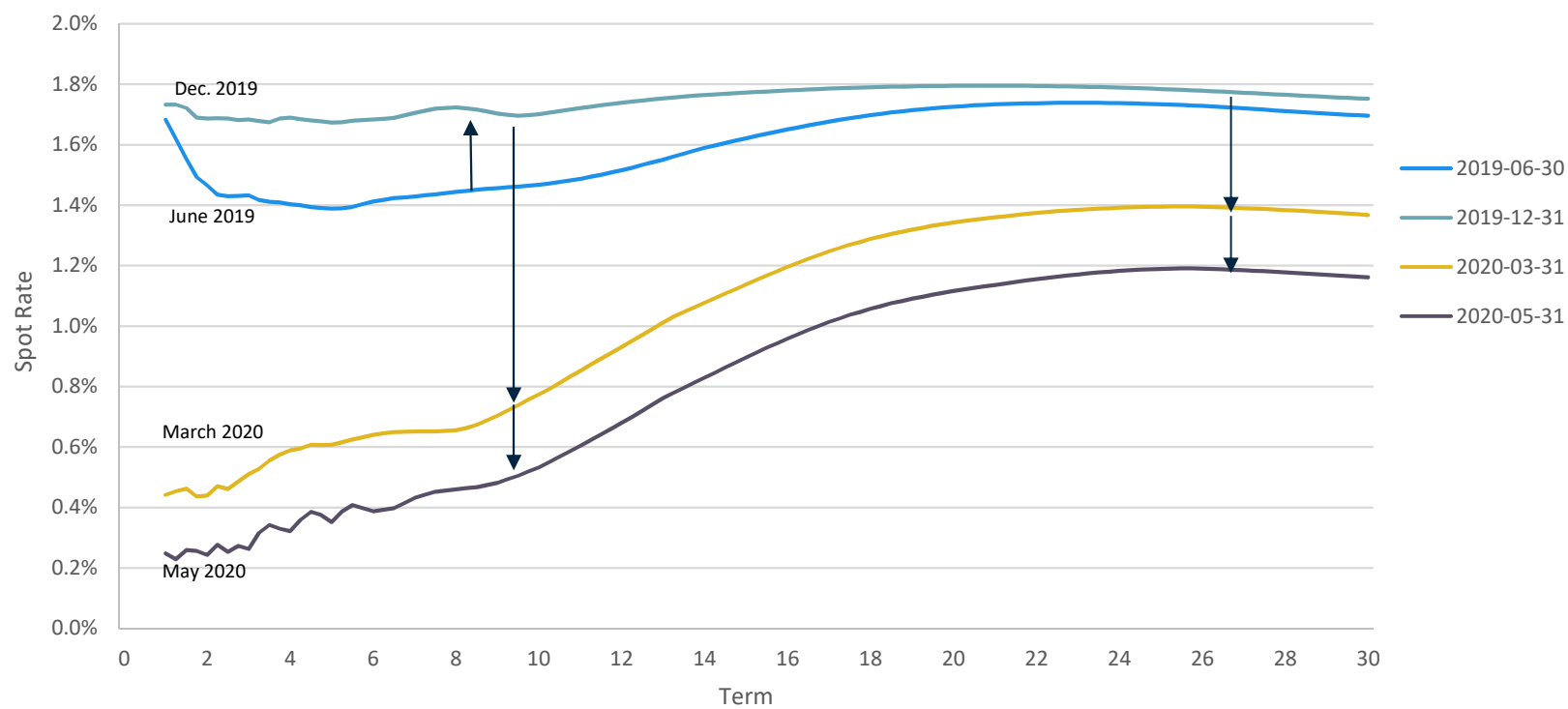


- ▶ Our credit review and approval procedures incorporate an assessment of environmental, social and governance (ESG) practices of the issuers in which the team invests
- ▶ If an area of concern is identified, the team assesses the potential impact this may have on the financial performance of the issuer
- ▶ When the team believes there could be a material impact on the business or financial profile of the issuer it is factored into the assessment of the issuer's securities or the team modifies its judgement on the required returns to compensate for these additional risk factors
- ▶ Various sources of information used: company disclosures; discussions with management; news items; and third party information such as MSCI ESG Manager and Bloomberg
- ▶ Our Credit Committee review process incorporates a discussion of ESG related concerns for each issuer
 - All credit approvals incorporate these discussions and identified concerns are noted in the formal credit review documentation

Evolution of Interest Rates

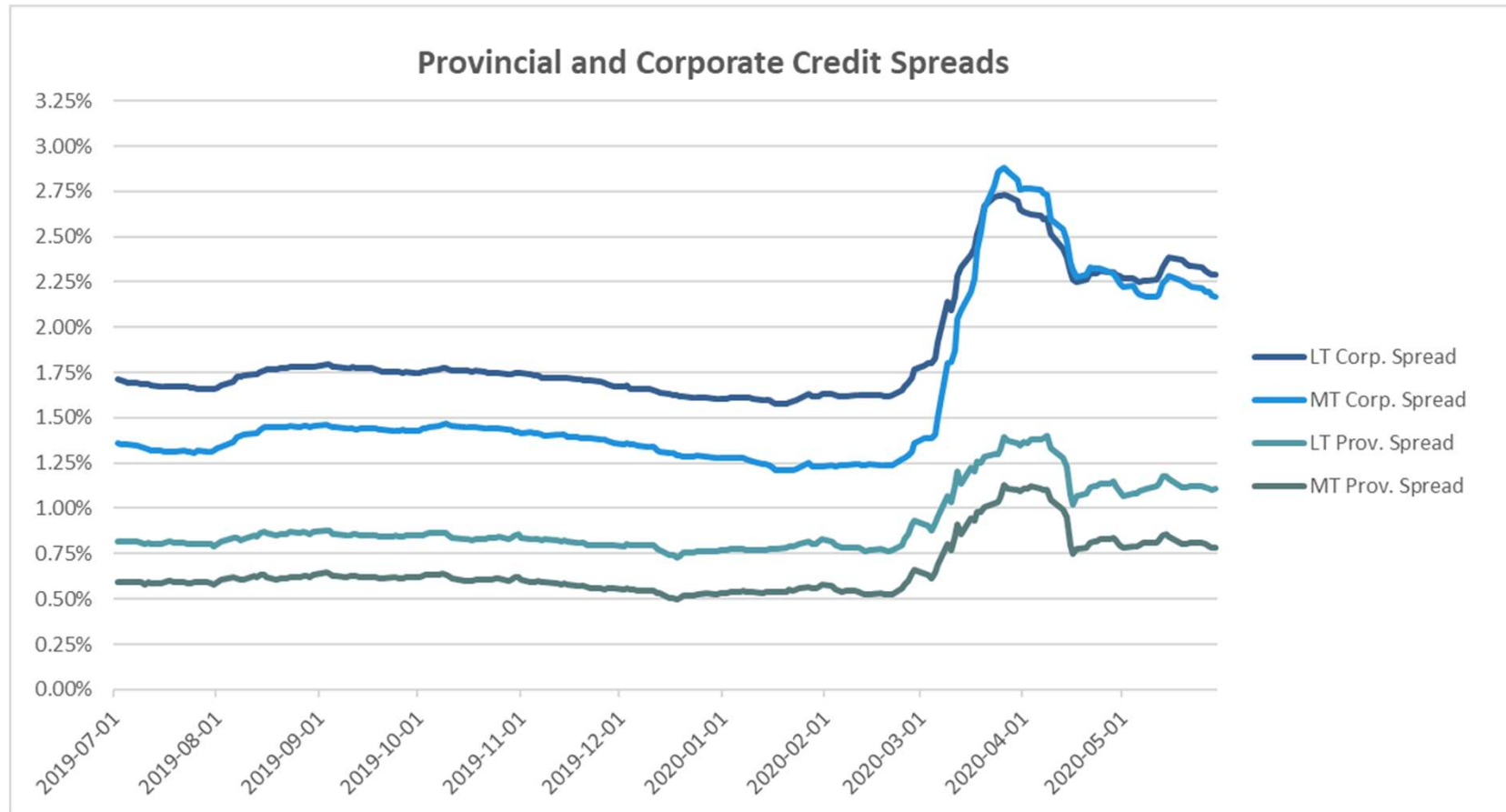
Shape of the Yield Curve

Government of Canada Yield Curve



2019 Q3/Q4: Flattening curve
2020 YTD: Sharp decrease - more pronounced in short and mid terms

Evolution of Provincial and Corporate Spreads



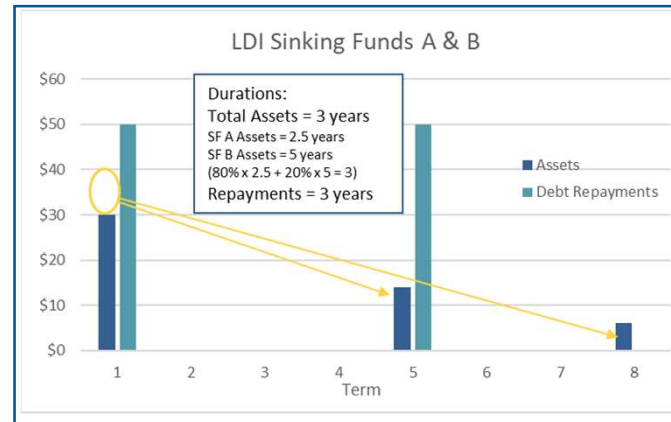
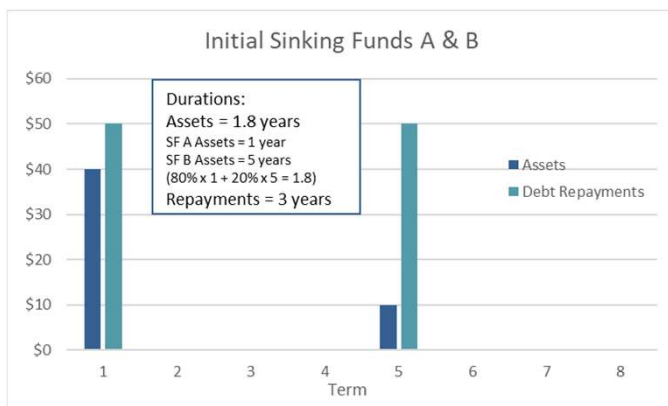
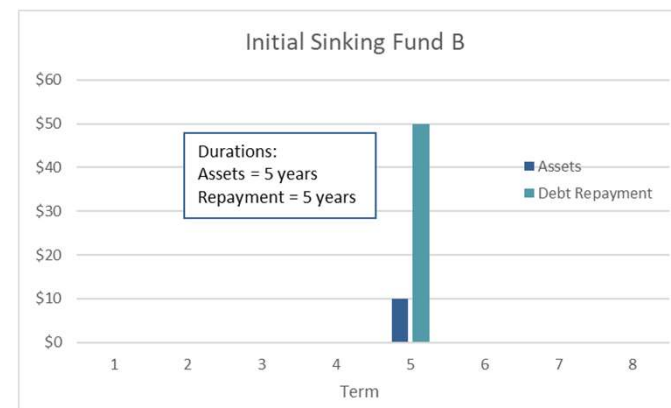
Source: Fiera Capital and FTSE Canada

LDI Mandate Objectives

◆ Main Objectives :

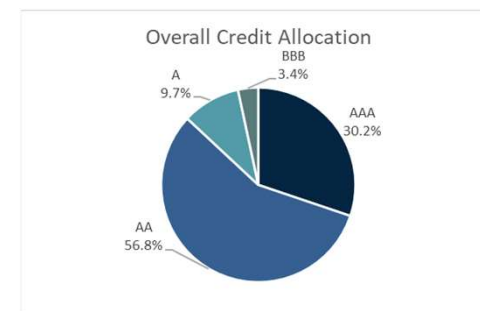
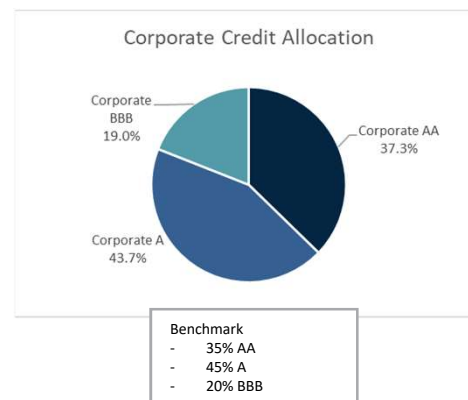
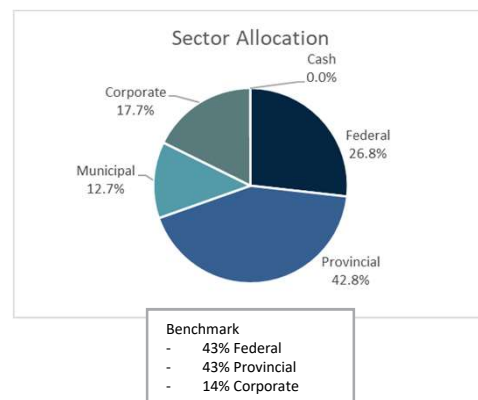
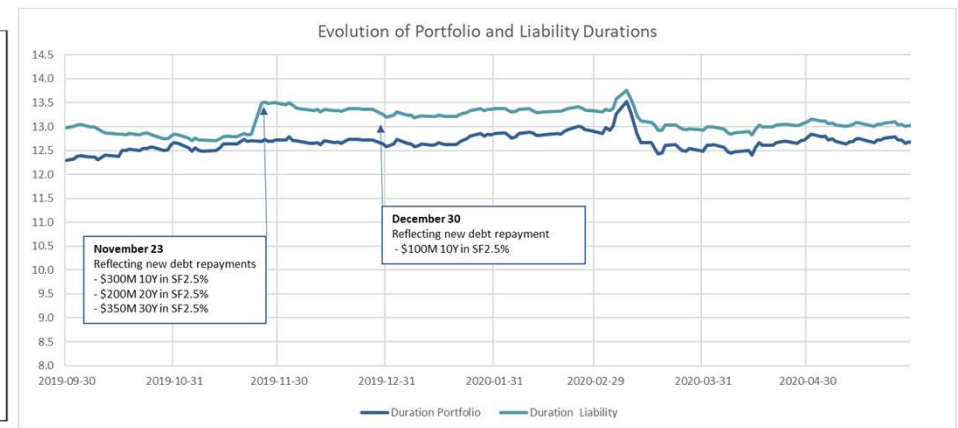
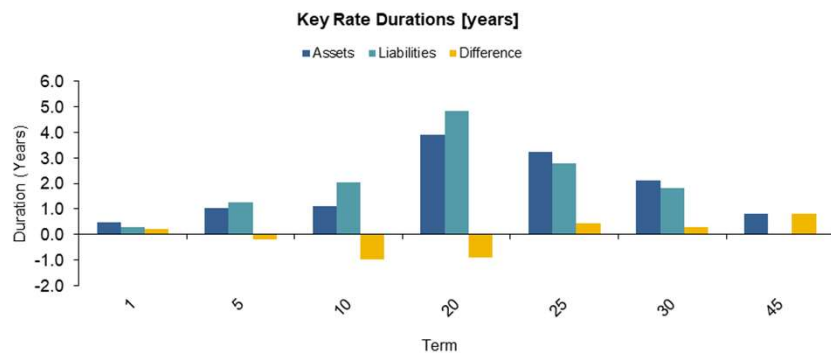
- Ensure orderly repayment of debt issued by the City of Toronto (5 sinking funds)
- Match interest rate exposure: Overall duration of the bond portfolios has to match the duration of all future debt repayments

◆ Simple Illustration :



Portfolio as of May 31, 2020

	Market Value	YTM	Duration (years)	
Assets	\$536.0M	1.78%	12.68 (97.4%)	Guidelines – between 90% and 110% of liability duration
Liabilities		1.71%	13.02	



Portfolio Performance as of May 31, 2020

	Portfolio	Benchmark	Difference
Q1 2020	2.51%	3.44%	-0.94%
May 2020 YTD	7.47%	8.47%	-1.00%
Since Inception	8.08%	8.52%	-0.45%

Benchmark Return: Future debt repayments discounted using a spot rate curve composed of 43% Federal, 43% Provincial and 14% Corporate Bonds.

Comment: Differences in portfolio vs. benchmark returns are mainly due to the curve positioning, including the underweight at the 10-year key rate duration that is currently needed in order to reach the overall duration while maintaining sufficient liquidity for the upcoming maturity repayments at the sub-account level.

Portfolio management objectives:

- Maintain sufficient liquidity in the sub-accounts
- Gradually align portfolio with key rate durations of future repayments
- Invest in new corporate issues on opportunity
- Build a well diversified portfolio
- Avoid realized losses
- Minimize transaction costs



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