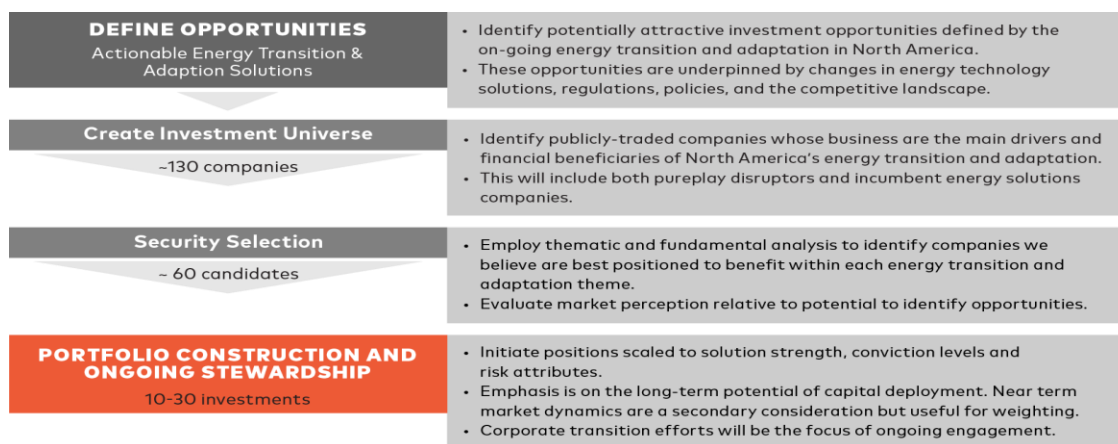


## Investment Philosophy

We believe the North American energy transition is a defining economic catalyst for the coming decades. As electrification accelerates across multiple facets of the economy, from industry to transportation to digital infrastructure, the electric grid must evolve to deliver the reliability, resilience, and efficiency required to meet this structural demand. This shift has triggered a multi-decade capital investment cycle across generation, transmission, storage, and demand-side systems, offering long-term growth potential. At the same time, rising frequency and intensity of extreme weather events is straining the backbone of critical infrastructure, elevating the need for resilience, restoration, and asset protection as a critical and underserved investment opportunity.

The strategy's objective is to provide long-term capital appreciation by investing primarily in equity securities of companies providing solutions related to reducing the environmental footprint of the current energy system and adaptation to climate change.

## Investment Process Overview



## Investment Process

Our investment process combines top-down analysis with fundamental stock selection using a proven approach to thematic investing. We map companies with significant opportunities to the key themes driving North America's energy transition and adaptation. This will include both incumbent energy solutions and pureplay disruptors. The Strategy aims to provide investors with exposure to the multi-decade energy transition and adaptation currently underway. The manager will assess fundamentals, business maturity, policy, macro drivers and market perception to identify companies we believe have attractive growth prospects. In addition, assessing technological advancements, the competitive landscape and cost decline trajectory are also critical inputs in stock selection. The result is a differentiated portfolio of 10 to 30 holdings from all capitalization ranges.

In conjunction with Solactive, AGF Investments has helped to create the Solactive Energy Transition and Adaptation Opportunities Index to track the performance of the transition and adaptation landscape. Solactive's Natural Language Processing (NLP) tool called ARTIS, was used to help identify the universe that captures different opportunities within energy transition and adaptation and goes beyond the typical rules-based index construction approach.

## Quick Facts

### Investment Style

All Cap, Agnostic

### Investment Approach

Thematic, Fundamental, Bottom up

### Inception Date

February 28, 2023 <sup>^</sup>

### Benchmark

Solactive US Energy Transition and Adaptation Opportunities Index

## Investment Team

Martin Grosskopf , MES, MBA, VP & Portfolio Manager

## Additional investment resources

Canada: 53

United States: 5

Ireland: 1

<sup>^</sup>Inception date is of the Composite for the AGF U.S. Energy Transition and Adaptation Strategy.

## Annualized GIPS Composite Performance (%) - USD

	Gross <sup>^</sup>	Net <sup>o</sup>	Benchmark <sup>*</sup>	Active (Gross)	Active (Net)
3 mo.	15.7	15.5	9.6	6.1	5.9
YTD	15.7	15.5	9.6	6.1	5.9
1 year	99.8	98.5	42.8	57.0	55.6
2 year	39.3	38.3	22.0	17.3	16.3
3 year	24.2	23.4	16.9	7.3	6.5
SPSD <sup>1</sup>	22.8	21.9	16.8	5.9	5.1

## Calendar Year GIPS Composite Performance (%) - USD

	Gross <sup>^</sup>	Net <sup>o</sup>	Benchmark <sup>*</sup>	Active (Gross)	Active (Net)
2025	56.7	55.7	24.0	32.8	31.7
2024	4.8	4.1	14.4	-9.6	-10.3

## Sector Allocation (%) <sup>2</sup>

	Portfolio <sup>^</sup>	Benchmark <sup>*</sup>	Active
Industrials	34.1	30.6	3.6
Energy	13.8	9.7	4.0
Materials	12.5	23.9	-11.4
Utilities	12.3	20.0	-7.7
ETF	10.1	-	10.1
Cons. Staples	7.9	1.5	6.4
Financials	5.1	0.1	5.0
Cons. Disc.	2.4	10.3	-7.9
Info. Tech.	1.8	3.9	-2.1

## Top 10 Holdings (% of total assets)

Total Holdings: 24

Company Name	Country	Sector	Weight <sup>^</sup>
AGF US Market Neutral Anti-Beta Fund	United States	ETF	8.1
Nextpower Inc.	United States	Industrials	7.9
Baker Hughes Co.	United States	Energy	7.7
Darling Ingredients Inc.	United States	Cons. Staples	7.7
Planet Labs PBC	United States	Industrials	6.9
GE Vernova LLC	United States	Industrials	5.7
Cameco Corp.	Canada	Energy	5.6
HA Sustainable Infrastructure Capital Inc.	United States	Financials	4.9
Albemarle Corp.	United States	Materials	4.6
Brookfield Renewable Corp.	Canada	Utilities	4.6
<b>Total</b>			<b>63.7</b>

## Portfolio Characteristics

	Portfolio <sup>^</sup>	Benchmark <sup>*</sup>
Active Share	78.9%	-
Price to Earnings	36.6	32.3
Forward Earnings Growth	62.8%	40.8%
Forward Sales Growth	11.1%	10.2%
Forward Price to Earnings	20.9	21.4
Price to Earnings Growth	1.8	2.2
Return on Equity	6.0%	11.5%

## Risk Characteristics (3 year annualized) - USD

	Portfolio <sup>^</sup>	Benchmark <sup>*</sup>
Beta	1.3	1.0
Information Ratio	0.6	-
Sharpe Ratio	0.8	0.7
Standard Deviation	25.0%	17.5%
Tracking Error	12.9%	-

## Market Cap Allocation - USD

	Portfolio <sup>^</sup>	Benchmark <sup>*</sup>
More than \$50 billion	21.9	71.8
\$10 to 50 billion	26.8	15.3
\$5 to 10 billion	27.2	7.2
Less than \$5 billion	24.1	5.6
Weighted Average Market Cap (billions)	67.3	206.9

Source: AGF Investments, as at March 31, 2026. <sup>^</sup> AGF U.S. Energy Transition and Adaptation Strategy; <sup>o</sup> Portfolio (net of max. institutional fee); <sup>\*</sup> Solactive US Energy Transition and Adaptation Opportunities Index; <sup>1</sup>SPSD is Since Performance Start Date of the AGF U.S. Energy Transition and Adaptation Strategy, February 9, 2023. Performance is based on AGF Energy Transition & Adaptation Strategy composite. Strategy characteristics are based on the AGF U.S. Energy Transition and Adaptation Strategy (non-fee paying) representative account which is included in the composite. <sup>2</sup> Does not include cash position of 3.27%. Top 10 Holdings represent approximately 63.7% of total assets of the AGF U.S. Energy Transition and Adaptation Strategy (non-fee paying) representative account as at March 31, 2026 which is subject to change. Past performance is not indicative of future results. This report is not complete without disclaimer.

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## AGF Investments

# AGF U.S. Energy Transition and Adaptation GIPS Composite (USD) Report

February 28, 2023 - December 31, 2024

Year	Gross of Fee Composite Return (%)	Net of Fee Composite Return (%)	Benchmark Return (%)	Number of Portfolios	Internal Dispersion (%)	Composite 3-Yr St Dev (%)	Benchmark 3-Yr St Dev (%)	Composite AUM (\$USD mil)	Firm AUM (\$USD mil)
2023*	-0.85	-1.43	4.03	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.49	24,659
2024	4.82	4.09	14.41	1	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.51	26,367

\*Periods denoted are for results for partial year periods for March 1, 2023 - December 31, 2023. This does not represent annualized data.

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### Benchmark Description

The benchmark is the Solactive US Energy Transition and Adaptation Opportunities Index. The Solactive US Energy Transition and Adaptation Opportunities Index is a representation of securities involved in the US Energy Transition through activities in the energy production, energy raw materials, infrastructure, and technologies that are required for the energy transition.

### Composite Description

The AGF U.S. Energy Transition and Adaptation Composite includes all portfolios that invest primarily in equity securities of companies providing solutions related to reducing the environmental footprint of the current energy system and adaptation to climate change.

### Composite Creation Date and Inception Date

The composite was created in February 2023. The composite's inception was in February 2023.

### Currency

Valuations and returns are computed and stated in U.S. Dollars.

### Minimum Portfolio Size

There is no minimum portfolio size required for inclusion into the composite.

### Calculation Methodology

Results reflect the reinvestment of dividends, income and other earnings.

Gross-of-fees returns are presented before management expenses and custodial fees, but after all trading expenses and withholding taxes.

Net of fees returns are calculated by deducting the maximum institutional fee charged from the gross of fee return.

Composite returns are calculated using asset-weighted returns by weighing the individual account returns using beginning-of-period values.

### Internal Dispersion Measure

Internal dispersion is calculated using the asset-weighted standard deviation of all accounts included in the composite for the entire year; it is not presented for periods less than one year or when there were five or fewer portfolios in the composite for the entire year as this is not considered meaningful.

### Three-Year Annualized Ex-Post Standard Deviation

The three-year annualized standard deviation measures the variability of the composite and the benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period. The standard deviation is presented once the composite has three full calendar years of performance. Gross returns are used to calculate risk measures.

### Fee Schedule

The maximum management fee for the strategy is 0.70% per annum.

### Additional Information

The portfolios in this composite are valued at systematic adjusted fair value. Policies for fair value and systematic adjusted fair value portfolios, calculating performance, preparing compliant presentations, and a complete list and description of firm composites are available upon request at GIPS@AGF.com.

As at December 31, 2024, 100% of this composite was represented by non-fee paying portfolios.

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