



# SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

EXCEL  
**BRIC FUND**  
For the periods ended March 31, 2011 and 2010

The Fund's independent auditors have not performed a review of these Interim Financial Statements in accordance with standards established by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants. Important information about the Fund is contained in the Simplified Prospectus. Read the prospectus carefully before investing. Past performance is no assurance or indicator of future returns. Fund unit values and investment returns will fluctuate.

Dear Excel Investor,

As emerging markets continue to power global growth Excel Funds is exceptionally well positioned to help Canadian investors benefit from the rapid industrialization of emerging markets. Despite some turbulence in the early part of this year, emerging markets have begun to outperform again and look poised to show strength for the remainder of the year.

Having introduced three new funds in 2010, Excel now offers a total of eleven mutual funds focused on emerging markets which is more than any other company in Canada. The Excel Emerging Markets Fund, the Excel EM High Income Fund and the Excel EM Capital Income Fund are the newest additions to the Excel Funds family.

- The Excel Emerging Markets Fund – Features a diversified array of emerging market investments and is the ideal way to gain exposure to some of the fastest growing regions in the world. Furthermore, it allows investors to benefit from both capital appreciation and currency appreciation as the economies of emerging markets continue to strengthen.
- The Excel EM High Income Fund – An actively managed, diversified portfolio of sovereign and corporate emerging markets fixed income instruments, for investors seeking an income stream from emerging market debt that has a higher yield as well as currency appreciation potential.
- The Excel EM Capital Income Fund – A variation of the Excel EM High Income Fund that uses forward contracts to generate a monthly payout which is characterized as capital gains. This makes it a tax-efficient investment vehicle for investors who wish to hold the Excel High Income Fund in non-registered accounts.

A key element of our strategy is to continue engaging the world's best emerging markets asset managers. As such, we continue to maintain strong relationships with world class sub-advisers such as the major Indian mutual fund company, Birla SunLife AMC Ltd., Baring International Investment Limited, Itaú-Unibanco, the southern hemisphere's largest bank and most recently, Amundi Asset Management, the eighth largest asset manager in the world.

Overall, emerging markets continue to exhibit strengthening demographic and economic fundamentals. Middle class incomes continue to rise at a rapid rate which in turn is fuelling consumption growth. Robust foreign direct investment flows, rising infrastructure spending and improvements, steadily improving credit quality, strong fiscal management and highly responsive monetary policy all continue to underlie the strong economic performance of emerging markets.

We continue to be especially excited by India's prospects as we feel it represents the single biggest growth opportunity for at least the next few decades. This year India's GDP is slated to grow 8.3% with personal income growth continuing to trend at well over 10% per annum. Looking further out, by 2030 India will have added about 250 million to its workforce, 700 million more will live in its cities and its middle class will have expanded tenfold from about 50 million to over 500 million.

Overall we continue to believe that the strong fundamentals underpinning the performance of emerging markets will be in place for the foreseeable future. While there may be bursts of volatility and temporary macroeconomic disruptions emerging markets remain poised to deliver sustainable long-term growth.

As we enter the most exciting period of our history, I want to thank all investors for continuing to support Excel Funds as we remain firmly committed to providing the best emerging market mutual funds in Canada. For more information, please visit [www.excelfunds.com](http://www.excelfunds.com) or contact us at (888) 813-9813. The Excel Funds team welcomes every opportunity to assist you and contribute to your success.

Best regards,



Bhim D. Asdhir  
President and Chief Executive Officer

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*This Interim Management Report of Fund Performance contains financial highlights but does not contain the annual financial statements of the investment fund. This report should be read in conjunction with the investment fund's complete interim financial statements for the period. The interim financial statements have not been reviewed by the investment fund's external auditors. Unitholders may contact us by calling 1-888-813-9813, by writing to us at Excel Funds, 2000 Argentia Road, Plaza 4, Suite 280, Mississauga, ON, L5N 1W1, or by visiting our website at [www.excelfunds.com](http://www.excelfunds.com) to request a copy of the investment fund's interim or annual financial statements, proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record, quarterly portfolio disclosure and annual activity report prepared by the Independent Review Committee.*

## **Interim Management Report of Fund Performance**

This Interim Management Report of Fund Performance presents management's view of the significant factors and developments during the six-month period ended March 31, 2011 that have affected the Excel BRIC Fund's (the "Fund") performance and outlook. In this report, "Excel" or "Manager" refers to Excel Funds Management Inc, the manager of the Fund.

## **Results of Operations**

The Fund's portfolio is constructed based on an asset allocation framework that allocates primarily to four mutual funds, the Excel China Fund, Excel India Fund, Excel Latin America Fund and Excel Emerging Europe Fund, (the "Underlying Funds") each representing distinct asset class opportunities, and with unique risk and return expectations. The Fund primarily holds Series I units of the Underlying Funds. The performance of Series I units is substantially similar to that of regular mutual fund units, save for differences in expense structure.

For the six-month period ended March 31, 2011 the Fund's Series A and F declined by 3.3% and 2.9% respectively. Over the same period the Fund's benchmark, the Morgan Stanley Capital International ("MSCI") BRIC Index increased by 1.1%. The Fund was overweight in Russia, which was a positive contributor and the best-performing BRIC country over the last six months. As well, the Fund was overweight in India, which was a negative contributor over the last six months.

The Net Assets of the Fund increased from \$15.3 million as at September 30, 2010 to \$21.2 million as at March 31, 2011. The increase arose primarily as a result of investor net purchases of \$6.6 million. For the six-month period ended March 31, 2011, the Fund paid operating expenses of \$332,386. This amount is gross of expenses of \$129,701 which have been waived by the Manager. The Manager may stop waiving management fees and other expenses in future without notice.

At March 31, 2011, the Fund had an asset mix of 32.7% Excel China Fund, 28.4% Excel India Fund, 18.3% Excel Latin America Fund, 15.4% Excel Emerging Europe Fund and 5.2% of other Net Assets comprised primarily of equities and cash.

## **Recent Developments**

BRIC equity markets have been impacted by the uncertainty surrounding the economic recovery in the United States ("U.S"), the European debt crisis, the upheaval in the Middle East and the earthquake in Japan. Risk aversion has caused investors to sell equities in favour of U.S. government bonds and cash. The BRIC countries continue to display strong economic and financial fundamentals. Foreign reserves in BRIC countries are high, and provide significant stability against any potential financial shocks. The global economic recovery continues at two rates. The International Monetary Fund projects the growth for 2011 and 2012 in emerging and developing economies to remain buoyant at approximately 6.5%, which is triple the growth projected for developed economies. The stock markets in BRIC markets are not immune to volatility in global markets. Excel Investment Counsel Inc. ("EICI" or the "Portfolio Manager") proactively acts to market volatility by readjusting the portfolio to take advantage of markets that have compelling valuations. The Fund remains fully invested, as the Portfolio Manager expects the BRIC equity markets to increase and offer strong investment returns.

The Excel BRIC Fund is overweight India and Russia, and underweight Brazil. Over the longer term, the Portfolio Manager believes that the portfolio is well positioned in their respective markets to benefit from higher domestic consumption, long-term infrastructure developments and global demand for commodities. The long-term investment case for India is very compelling, and with the recent short-term correction, the Portfolio Manager believes that valuations are very attractive, along with a strong outlook for corporate earnings growth in that market. The Excel India Fund focuses on sectors that benefit from the domestic economy, such as financials, consumer discretionary and infrastructure. The Portfolio Manager expects the recent recovery in the BRIC markets to continue.

EICI provides analysis and makes asset allocation decisions as to which of the Underlying Funds the Fund invests in and the target weighting of the Fund's assets. EICI monitors the performance of the Fund and the dynamic allocations between the Underlying Funds and may adjust the target allocation at any time at its sole discretion. EICI's Asset Allocation Committee rebalances the Fund's allocations on a quarterly basis utilizing EICI's proprietary quantitative model.

## **Future Accounting Changes**

### **International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”)**

In January 2006, the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants (“CICA”) Accounting Standards Board (“AcSB”) adopted a strategic plan for the direction of accounting standards in Canada. As part of that plan, the AcSB confirmed in February 2008 that IFRS will replace Canadian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (“Canadian GAAP”) for fiscal years commencing in 2011 for profit oriented Canadian publicly accountable enterprises. In September 2010, the AcSB approved a one year deferral from IFRS adoption for investment companies that are applying Accounting Guideline 18, “Investment Companies”.

Subsequent to the September 2010 announcement, the AcSB announced in January 2011, to extend another year deferral of the mandatory IFRS changeover date to prevent Canadian investment companies and segregated accounts of life insurance enterprises from having to change their current account treatment for controlled investors while the International Accountant Standards Board finalizes its planned investment company standards. As a result the Fund will adopt IFRS for its interim and annual financial statements for its fiscal year beginning on October 1, 2013. The IFRS compliant financial statements will be on an IFRS comparative basis.

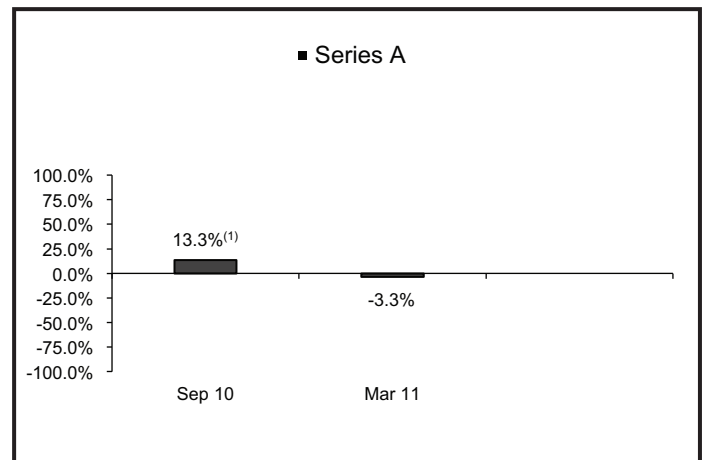
**Past Performance**

Sales commissions, trailing commissions, management fees and expenses all may be associated with mutual fund investments. Please read the prospectus before investing. The indicated rates of return do not take into account sales, redemptions, distributions, optional charges or income taxes payable by any investor that would have reduced returns. It should be noted that mutual funds are not guaranteed as their value changes frequently and past performance may not be repeated. The Fund's performance numbers assume that all distributions are reinvested in additional units of the Fund. If you hold this Fund outside of a registered plan, income and capital gains distributions that are paid to you increase your income for tax purposes whether paid to you in cash or reinvested in additional units. The amount of the reinvested taxable distributions is added to the adjusted cost base of the units that you own. This would decrease your capital gains or increase your capital loss when you later redeem from the Fund, thereby ensuring that you are not taxed on this amount again. Please consult your tax advisor regarding your personal tax situation.

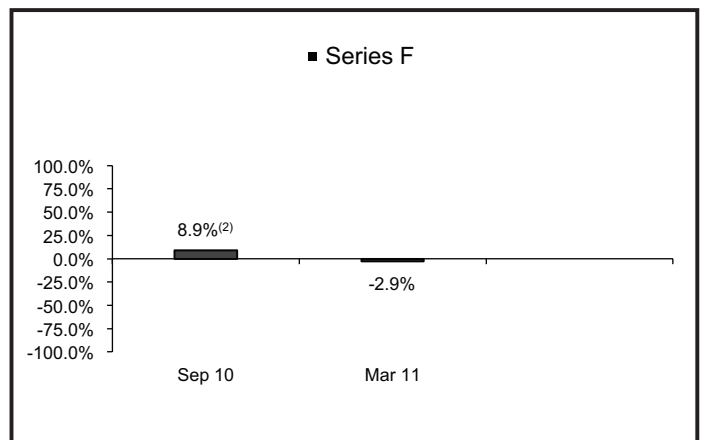
The past performance of the Fund is set out in the following charts. All returns are calculated in Canadian Dollars, and unit values are expressed in Canadian Dollars.

**Year-by-Year Returns**

The bar charts show the performance of each series of the Fund for each for the six-month period ended March 31, 2011 and for previous period from inception to September 30, 2010. The charts show in percentage terms how an investment made on October 1 or inception would have increased or decreased by September 30 of the fiscal year. The past performance of the Fund is not necessarily an indication of how it will perform in the future.



(1) Return from November 2, 2009 to September 30, 2010



(2) Return from November 20, 2009 to September 30, 2010

There were no units issued of Series I of the Excel BRIC Fund as of March 31, 2011.

**Summary of Investment Portfolio**

As at March 31, 2011

**Portfolio Allocation\***

| Asset Class                       | % of Net Asset Value |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Financial Services                | 20.1%                |
| Oil & Gas                         | 12.8%                |
| Industrial & Manufacturing        | 10.0%                |
| Metals & Mining                   | 9.1%                 |
| Information Technology            | 8.2%                 |
| Other Net Assets                  | 6.9%                 |
| Telecommunications                | 5.8%                 |
| Consumer Products                 | 5.7%                 |
| Pharmaceutical & Healthcare       | 3.6%                 |
| Real Estate & Property Management | 3.1%                 |
| Automotive                        | 2.4%                 |
| Conglomerates                     | 1.8%                 |
| Infrastructure & Development      | 1.8%                 |
| Mutual Funds                      | 1.7%                 |
| Advertising & Media               | 1.3%                 |
| Shipping & Transportation         | 1.3%                 |
| Retail & Merchandising            | 1.2%                 |
| Cement                            | 0.7%                 |
| Electronics                       | 0.7%                 |
| Agricultural & Forestry Products  | 0.6%                 |
| Media & Advertising               | 0.6%                 |
| Utilities & Energy                | 0.6%                 |
| <b>Total</b>                      | <b>100.0%</b>        |

\* The portfolio allocation percentages are based on the Fund's holdings of four underlying funds the Excel Latin America Fund, Excel Emerging Europe Fund, Excel India Fund, and Excel China Fund. The portfolio allocation percentages are based on Net Asset Value and accordingly differ slightly from those in the underlying funds' Statements of Investment Portfolio in the funds' financial statements which are based on Canadian GAAP.

**Top 25 Holdings\***

| Issuer                                       | % of Net Asset Value |
|--|----------------------|
| Cash & Cash Equivalents                      | 7.0%                 |
| Vale SA - SP ADR                             | 2.7%                 |
| Infosys Technologies Limited                 | 1.9%                 |
| China Construction Bank Corporation          | 1.7%                 |
| Reliance Industries Limited                  | 1.6%                 |
| OAQ Gazprom ADR                              | 1.5%                 |
| Sberbank                                     | 1.5%                 |
| Itaú Unibanco Banco Holding SA ADR           | 1.4%                 |
| Lukoil                                       | 1.4%                 |
| America Movil SAB de C.V. ADR 'L'            | 1.4%                 |
| Tencent Holdings Limited                     | 1.2%                 |
| Bharti Airtel Limited                        | 1.2%                 |
| SINA Corporation                             | 1.1%                 |
| CNOOC Limited                                | 1.1%                 |
| ICICI Bank Limited                           | 1.1%                 |
| ITC Limited                                  | 1.0%                 |
| Tata Consultancy Services Limited            | 1.0%                 |
| China Taiping Insurance Holdings Company     | 1.0%                 |
| Rosneft Oil Company GDR                      | 1.0%                 |
| Mobile Telesystems ADR                       | 0.9%                 |
| Wipro Limited                                | 0.9%                 |
| Kingdee International Software Group Company | 0.9%                 |
| Excel EM Capital Income Fund "I" Series      | 0.8%                 |
| Shriram Transport Finance Company Limited    | 0.8%                 |
| State Bank of India                          | 0.8%                 |

\* The top 25 holdings percentages are based on the Fund's holdings of four underlying funds the Excel Latin America Fund, Excel Emerging Europe Fund, Excel India Fund, and Excel China Fund. The top 25 holdings percentages are based on Net Asset Value and accordingly differ slightly from those in the underlying funds' Statements of Investment Portfolio in the financial statements which are based on Canadian GAAP.

The investments and percentages may have changed by the time you purchase units of this Fund. The top 25 holdings are made available quarterly. The "Quarterly Portfolio Disclosure" is posted on the Excel Funds website - [www.excelfunds.com](http://www.excelfunds.com).

## Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the indicated periods. "Net Assets" are calculated in accordance with CICA Handbook Section 3855, "Financial Instruments – Recognition and Measurement" ("Section 3855") and are used for financial reporting purposes. "Net Asset Value" is calculated in accordance with section 14.2 of National Instrument 81-106, "Investment Fund Continuous Disclosure" ("NI 81-106") and is used for transactional pricing purposes. Section 3855 requires the use of valuation techniques for certain types of investments that may differ from those prescribed by NI 81-106. Ratios and Supplemental Data are derived from the Fund's Net Asset Value.

### The Fund's Net Assets Per Unit (\$) <sup>(3)</sup>

| Series A  | Mar-11        | Sep-10              |
|---|---------------|---------------------|
| <b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>                          | <b>5.58</b>   | 5.00 <sup>(4)</sup> |
| Increase (decrease) from operations:                            |               |                     |
| Total revenue   | <b>0.02</b>   | 0.04                |
| Total expenses  | <b>(0.06)</b> | (0.08)              |
| Realized gains (losses) for the period                          | <b>(0.01)</b> | 0.02                |
| Unrealized gains (losses) for the period                        | <b>(0.15)</b> | 0.81                |
| <b>Total increase (decrease) from operations <sup>(1)</sup></b> | <b>(0.20)</b> | 0.79                |
| <b>Distributions <sup>(2)</sup>:</b>                            |               |                     |
| From capital gains  | -             | (0.08)              |
| <b>Net Assets, end of period</b>                                | <b>5.40</b>   | 5.58                |
| Series F  | Mar-11        | Sep-10              |
| <b>Net Assets, beginning of period</b>                          | <b>5.36</b>   | 5.00 <sup>(5)</sup> |
| Increase (decrease) from operations:                            |               |                     |
| Total revenue   | <b>0.02</b>   | 0.02                |
| Total expenses  | <b>(0.04)</b> | (0.03)              |
| Realized gains (losses) for the period                          | <b>(0.01)</b> | 0.03                |
| Unrealized gains (losses) for the period                        | <b>(0.13)</b> | 1.04                |
| <b>Total increase (decrease) from operations <sup>(1)</sup></b> | <b>(0.16)</b> | 1.06                |
| <b>Distributions <sup>(2)</sup>:</b>                            |               |                     |
| From capital gains  | -             | (0.08)              |
| <b>Net Assets, end of period</b>                                | <b>5.20</b>   | 5.36                |

<sup>(1)</sup> Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant time. The increase (decrease) from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding over the financial period.

<sup>(2)</sup> Distributions were paid in cash/reinvested in additional units of the Fund, or both.

<sup>(3)</sup> This table is not intended to be a reconciliation of opening and closing Net Assets per unit.

<sup>(4)</sup> For the period November 2, 2009 to September 30, 2010.

<sup>(5)</sup> For the period November 20, 2009 to September 30, 2010.

### Ratios and Supplemental Data

| Series A   | Mar-11        | Sep-10 |
|--|---------------|--------|
| Net Assets Value (\$) (000's) <sup>(1)</sup>                                 | <b>18,485</b> | 13,351 |
| Net Assets Value per unit <sup>(1)</sup>                                     | <b>5.40</b>   | 5.58   |
| Number of units outstanding (000's) <sup>(1)</sup>                           | <b>3,426</b>  | 2,392  |
| Management expense ratio (%) <sup>(2)</sup>                                  | <b>2.98</b>   | 2.37   |
| Management expense ratio before<br>waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>(2)</sup> | <b>4.75</b>   | 5.20   |
| Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>(3)</sup>                                   | <b>3.27</b>   | 11.85  |
| Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>(4)</sup>                                     | <b>0.46</b>   | 0.42   |
| Series F   | Mar-11        | Sep-10 |
| Net Assets Value (\$) (000's) <sup>(1)</sup>                                 | <b>2,755</b>  | 1,928  |
| Net Assets Value per unit <sup>(1)</sup>                                     | <b>5.20</b>   | 5.36   |
| Number of units outstanding (000's) <sup>(1)</sup>                           | <b>529</b>    | 360    |
| Management expense ratio (%) <sup>(2)</sup>                                  | <b>2.08</b>   | 1.63   |
| Management expense ratio before<br>waivers or absorptions (%) <sup>(2)</sup> | <b>3.66</b>   | 3.55   |
| Portfolio turnover rate (%) <sup>(3)</sup>                                   | <b>3.27</b>   | 11.85  |
| Trading expense ratio (%) <sup>(4)</sup>                                     | <b>0.46</b>   | 0.42   |

<sup>(1)</sup> This information is provided at March 31 or September 30, as applicable.

<sup>(2)</sup> Management expense ratio is based on total expenses for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average Net Asset Value during the period. In the period a series is established or reinstated, the management expense ratio is annualized from the date of inception or reinstatement.

<sup>(3)</sup> The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio advisor manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the year. The higher a fund's portfolio turnover rate in a year, the greater the trading costs payable by the fund in the year, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the year. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a fund.

<sup>(4)</sup> The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average Net Asset Value during the period.

**Management Fees**

Excel was entitled to receive \$250,294 (2010: \$42,137) in management fees but the Fund paid Excel (after fees absorbed) management fees of \$120,593 (2010: Nil). The management fee for each series is calculated as a percentage of its Net Asset Value, as of the close of business on each business day. The Fund's management fees were used to pay the portfolio managers for managing the investment portfolio, providing investment analysis and recommendations, making investment decisions, making brokerage arrangements for the purchase and sale of the investment portfolio and providing other services. Excel also used the management fees to fund commission payments and other dealer compensation (collectively "distribution-related costs") to registered dealers and brokers for units of the Fund bought and held by investors.

For the six-month period ended March 31, 2011, Excel received administration fees of \$7,309 (2010: \$944) relating to the operation of the Fund.

**Other Related Party Transactions**

Excel has created an Independent Review Committee ("IRC") to review and provide impartial judgment on, among other things, conflict of interest matters. The IRC reviews potential conflicts of interest referred to it by Excel and makes recommendations on whether a course of action achieves a fair and reasonable result for the Excel Funds. In addition, the IRC regularly reviews Excel's policies and procedures relating to conflicts of interest. The IRC prepares, at least annually, a report of its activities for investors, which is available at [www.excelfunds.com](http://www.excelfunds.com) and [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

Excel has retained EICI to act as the portfolio manager of the Fund. EICI is a wholly owned subsidiary of Asdhir Enterprises Inc., which also owns a majority of the voting shares of Excel.

As at March 31, 2011, Excel, the Manager of the Fund held Nil (2010: 30,452) Series "A" units of the Fund.

**Fund Formation and Series Information**

Date of Formation: November 2, 2009

The Fund may issue an unlimited number of units of each series. The number of units of each series that have been issued and are outstanding are disclosed in the *Financial Highlights*.

Series Offered by Excel Funds Management Inc. (2000 Argentia Road, Plaza 4, Suite 280, Mississauga, Ontario, L5N 1W1; 1-888-813-9813; [www.excelfunds.com](http://www.excelfunds.com))

**Series A**

Units of Series A are offered for sale on a continuous basis and can be purchased by submitting a purchase order to your dealer or financial advisor. You may choose from three purchase options when purchasing Series A units of the Fund, namely the Initial Sales Charge Option, Deferred Sales Charge Option or Volume Sales Charge Option. The minimum initial investment in the Fund for the Initial Sales Charge or the Deferred Sales Charge option is \$250. The minimum initial investment in the Fund for the Volume Sales Charge is \$250.

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Inception Date                            | Nov 2, 2009 |
| Management Fees                           | 2.50%       |
| Sales Charges:                            | Up to 5.00% |
| Redemption Charges                        | Up to 5.75% |
| Redemption Charges Under Low Load Option: | Up to 2.50% |

**Series F**

Series F units are offered to investors enrolled in a dealer sponsored fee-for-service and who are subject to an asset based fee rather than commission on each transaction. Series F units are only available through dealers or financial planners who offer certain "wrap" or "fee-for-service" programs that have been approved by Excel. Your dealer or financial advisor must enter into an agreement with Excel before selling Series F units. The minimum initial investment for the F series is \$250.

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Inception Date:                           | Nov 2, 2009 |
| Management Fees:                          | 1.50%       |
| Sales Charges:                            | (1)         |
| Redemption Charges                        | n/a         |
| Redemption Charges Under Low Load Option: | n/a         |

**Series I**

Series I units are designed for institutional investors and are sold pursuant to applicable prospectus exemption

|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Inception Date:                           | Nov 2, 2009 |
| Management Fees:                          | (2)         |
| Sales Charges:                            | n/a         |
| Redemption Charges                        | n/a         |
| Redemption Charges Under Low Load Option: | n/a         |

(1) There are no sales charges payable on Series F units, but Series F investors will generally be required to pay their dealer an advisory or asset-based fee in addition to the Series F management fee payable by the fund.

(2) The management fee on Series I is negotiable between the Institution and Excel Funds Management Inc.

## **A Note on Forward-Looking Statements**

This report may contain forward-looking statements about the Fund, including its strategy, expected performance and condition. Forward-looking statements include statements that are predictive in nature, that depend upon or refer to future events or conditions, or that include words such as “expects”, “anticipates”, “intends”, “plans”, “believes”, “estimates” or negative versions thereof and similar expressions. In addition, any statement that may be made concerning future performance, strategies or prospects, and possible future Fund action, is also forward-looking statement. Forward-looking statements are based on current expectations and projections about future events and are inherently subject to, among other things, risks, uncertainties and assumptions about the Fund and economic factors.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance, actual events and results could differ materially from those expressed or implied in any forward-looking statements made by the Fund. Any number of important factors could contribute to these digressions, including, but not limited to, general economic, political and market factors in North America and international, interest and foreign exchange rates, global equity and capital markets, business competition, technological change, changes in government regulations, unexpected judicial or regulatory proceedings, and catastrophic events.

We stress that the above-mentioned list of important factors is not exhaustive. We encourage you to consider these and other factors carefully before making any investment decisions and we urge you to avoid placing undue reliance on forward-looking statements. Further, you should be aware of the fact that the Fund has no specific intention of updating any forward-looking statements whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

**Statements of Net Assets**

*As at March 31, 2011 (unaudited) and September 30, 2010 (audited)*

|  | 2011                 | 2010                 |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Assets</b>  |                      |                      |
| Investments, at fair value (*)                           | \$ 20,492,953        | \$ 14,891,509        |
| Cash   | 716,742              | 320,064              |
| Receivable for units issued                              | 80,611               | 145,166              |
|  | <b>21,290,306</b>    | <b>15,356,739</b>    |
| <b>Liabilities</b>                                       |                      |                      |
| Accrued expenses   | 44,095               | 47,269               |
| Payable for units redeemed                               | 6,801                | 29,848               |
|  | <b>50,896</b>        | <b>77,117</b>        |
| <b>Net Assets Represented<br/>by Unitholders' Equity</b> | <b>\$ 21,239,410</b> | <b>\$ 15,279,622</b> |
| <b>Net Assets</b>  |                      |                      |
| Series A   | \$ 18,484,703        | \$ 13,351,161        |
| Series F   | 2,754,707            | 1,928,461            |
|  | <b>\$ 21,239,410</b> | <b>\$ 15,279,622</b> |
| <b>Units Issued and Outstanding (Note 4)</b>             |                      |                      |
| Series A   | 3,425,839            | 2,391,997            |
| Series F   | 529,341              | 359,904              |
| <b>Net Assets Per Unit</b>                               |                      |                      |
| Series A   | \$ 5.40              | \$ 5.58              |
| Series F   | \$ 5.20              | \$ 5.36              |
| * Investments, at Average Cost                           | \$ 19,689,065        | \$ 13,563,288        |

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

Approved by Fund Manager



Bhim D. Asdhir, Director



Glenn W. Cooper, Director

**Statements of Investment Operations**  
*For the six months ended March 31 (unaudited)*

|   | 2011                | 2010 <sup>(1)</sup> |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Investment Income</b>  |                     |                     |
| Distributions   | \$ 64,311           | \$ 55,951           |
|   | <b>64,311</b>       | <b>55,951</b>       |
| <b>Expenses (Note 5)</b>  |                     |                     |
| Management fees   | 250,294             | 42,137              |
| Administration costs  | 64,227              | 21,668              |
| Legal fees  | 8,564               | 7,032               |
| Audit fees  | 6,997               | 7,400               |
| Securityholder reporting costs                                    | 700                 | 2,100               |
| Transaction costs   | 534                 | -                   |
| Custodial fees  | 468                 | 400                 |
| Independent Review Committee                                      | 398                 | 213                 |
| Trustee fees  | 204                 | 181                 |
|   | <b>332,386</b>      | <b>81,131</b>       |
| <b>Net Investment Loss before Absorbed Expenses</b>               | <b>(268,075)</b>    | <b>(25,180)</b>     |
| <b>Expenses Absorbed by Manager (Note 5a)</b>                     | <b>129,701</b>      | <b>45,005</b>       |
| <b>Net Investment (Loss) Gain</b>                                 | <b>(138,374)</b>    | <b>19,825</b>       |
| <b>Realized and Unrealized Gains (Losses) on Investments</b>      |                     |                     |
| Net realized loss on investments                                  | (9,560)             | -                   |
| Loss on foreign exchange  | (2,122)             | (1,573)             |
| Unrealized (depreciation) appreciation in value of investments    | (524,333)           | 48,411              |
| <b>Net (Loss) Gain on Investments</b>                             | <b>(536,015)</b>    | <b>46,838</b>       |
| <b>(Decrease) Increase in Net Assets from Operations</b>          | <b>\$ (674,389)</b> | <b>\$ 66,663</b>    |
| <b>(Decrease) Increase in Net Assets from Operations</b>          |                     |                     |
| Series A  | \$ (606,550)        | \$ 64,222           |
| Series F  | (67,839)            | 2,441               |
|   | <b>\$ (674,389)</b> | <b>\$ 66,663</b>    |
| <b>(Decrease) Increase in Net Assets from Operations Per Unit</b> |                     |                     |
| Series A  | \$ (0.20)           | \$ 0.08             |
| Series F  | (0.16)              | 0.04                |

<sup>(1)</sup> For the period November 2, 2009 (date of inception of the Fund) to March 31, 2010

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

**Statements of Changes in Net Assets**

*For the six months ended March 31 (unaudited)*

|  | Series A         |                     | Series F         |                           |
|--|------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
|  | 2011             | 2010 <sup>(1)</sup> | 2011             | 2010 <sup>(1)</sup>       |
| <b>Net Assets,</b>                       |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| <b>Beginning of the Period</b>           | \$ 13,351,161    | \$ -                | \$ 1,928,461     | \$ -                      |
| <b>(Decrease) Increase in Net Assets</b> |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| <b>from Operations</b>                   | (606,550)        | 64,222              | (67,839)         | 2,441                     |
| <b>Capital Transactions</b>              |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| Proceeds from issuance of units          | 7,719,150        | 7,809,587           | 1,039,141        | 553,213                   |
| Amounts paid on redemption of units      | (1,979,058)      | (234,926)           | (145,056)        | -                         |
| Distribution reinvestment                | -                | 41,174              | -                | 1,763                     |
| Distribution paid to unitholders         | -                | (41,174)            | -                | (1,763)                   |
| <b>Net Capital Transactions</b>          | <b>5,740,092</b> | <b>7,574,661</b>    | <b>894,085</b>   | <b>553,213</b>            |
| <b>Net Assets,</b>                       |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| <b>End of the Period</b>                 | \$ 18,484,703    | \$ 7,638,883        | \$ 2,754,707     | \$ 555,654                |
|  |                  |                     | <b>Total</b>     |                           |
|  |                  |                     | <b>2011</b>      | <b>2010<sup>(1)</sup></b> |
| <b>Net Assets,</b>                       |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| <b>Beginning of the Period</b>           |                  | \$ -                | \$ 15,279,622    | \$ -                      |
| <b>(Decrease) Increase in Net Assets</b> |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| <b>from Operations</b>                   |                  |                     | (674,389)        | 66,663                    |
| <b>Capital Transactions</b>              |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| Proceeds from issuance of units          |                  |                     | 8,758,291        | 8,362,800                 |
| Amounts paid on redemption of units      |                  |                     | (2,124,114)      | (234,926)                 |
| Distribution reinvestment                |                  |                     | -                | 42,937                    |
| Distribution paid to unitholders         |                  |                     | -                | (42,937)                  |
| <b>Net Capital Transactions</b>          |                  |                     | <b>6,634,177</b> | <b>8,127,874</b>          |
| <b>Net Assets,</b>                       |                  |                     |                  |                           |
| <b>End of the Period</b>                 |                  | \$ -                | \$ 21,239,410    | \$ 8,194,537              |

<sup>(1)</sup> For the period November 2, 2009 (date of inception of the Fund) to March 31, 2010

**Statements of Net Realized Losses on Investments**

*For the six months ended March 31 (unaudited)*

|   | 2011       | 2010 <sup>(1)</sup> |
|---|------------|---------------------|
| <b>Proceeds from Sale of Investments</b>  | \$ 300,000 | \$ -                |
| <b>Investments at Average Cost,</b>       |            |                     |
| <b>Beginning of the Period</b>            | 13,563,288 | -                   |
| <b>Cost of Investments Purchased</b>      | 6,435,337  | 7,907,163           |
|   | 19,998,625 | 7,907,163           |
| <b>Investments at Average Cost,</b>       |            |                     |
| <b>End of the Period</b>                  | 19,689,065 | 7,907,163           |
| <b>Cost of Investments Sold</b>           | 309,560    | -                   |
| <b>Net Realized Losses on Investments</b> | \$ (9,560) | \$ -                |

<sup>(1)</sup> For the period November 2, 2009 (date of inception of the Fund) to March 31, 2010

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

**Statement of Investment Portfolio**

*As at March 31, 2011 (unaudited)*

| Description                           | Number<br>of<br>Units | Average<br>Cost<br>\$ | Fair<br>Value<br>\$  |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| <b>Equities (1.7%)</b>                |                       |                       |                      |
| <b>Metals &amp; Mining (1.7%)</b>     |                       |                       |                      |
| Vale SA - SP ADR                      | 11,000                | 362,243               | 356,145              |
| <b>Mutual Funds (94.8%)</b>           |                       |                       |                      |
| Excel China Fund "I" Series           | 365,071               | 6,738,154             | 6,939,667            |
| Excel Emerging Europe Fund "I" Series | 436,646               | 2,932,691             | 3,276,195            |
| Excel India Fund "I" Series           | 303,618               | 5,785,395             | 6,029,936            |
| Excel Latin America Fund "I" Series   | 522,388               | 3,871,116             | 3,891,010            |
|                                       |                       | <b>19,327,356</b>     | <b>20,136,808</b>    |
| <b>Total Equities</b>                 |                       | <b>19,689,599</b>     | <b>20,492,953</b>    |
| Transaction Costs                     |                       | (534)                 | -                    |
| <b>Total Investments (96.5%)</b>      |                       | <b>\$ 19,689,065</b>  | <b>\$ 20,492,953</b> |
| <b>Other Net Assets (3.5%)</b>        |                       |                       | <b>746,457</b>       |
| <b>Total Net Assets (100.0%)</b>      |                       |                       | <b>\$ 21,239,410</b> |

*The accompanying notes to financial statements are an integral part of this financial statement.*

## 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The interim financial statements of the Excel BRIC Fund (the "Fund") have been prepared in accordance with Canadian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("Canadian GAAP"). They follow the same accounting policies and methods of application as the Fund's financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2010. The Fund's interim financial statements do not include all disclosures required by Canadian GAAP for annual financial statements and accordingly, should be read in conjunction with the financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2010 as set out in the Excel BRIC Fund 2010 Annual Report.

## 2. Future Accounting Changes

### International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS")

In January 2006, the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants ("CICA") Accounting Standards Board ("AcSB") adopted a strategic plan for the direction of accounting standards in Canada. As part of that plan, the AcSB confirmed in February 2008 that IFRS will replace Canadian GAAP for fiscal years commencing in 2011 for profit oriented Canadian publicly accountable enterprises. In September 2010, the AcSB approved a one year deferral from IFRS adoption for investment companies that are applying Accounting Guideline 18, "Investment Companies".

Subsequent to the September 2010 announcement, the AcSB announced in January 2011, to extend another year deferral of the mandatory IFRS changeover date to prevent Canadian investment companies and segregated accounts of life insurance enterprises from having to change their current account treatment for controlled investors while the International Accountant Standards Board finalizes its planned investment company standards. As a result the Fund will adopt IFRS for its interim and annual financial statements for its fiscal year beginning on October 1, 2013. The IFRS compliant financial statements will be on an IFRS comparative basis.

## 3. Fair Value Disclosure

The Fund's assets recorded at fair value have been categorised based upon a fair value hierarchy in accordance with the amendments to the CICA Handbook Section 3862, "Financial Instruments – Disclosures". The following fair value hierarchy table presents information about the Fund's assets measured at fair value as at March 31, 2011 and September 30, 2010:

As at March 31, 2011:

| Description             | Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1) | Significant other observable inputs (Level 2) | Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) | Total         |
|-------------------------|--|---|---|---------------|
| Mutual Funds & Equities | \$20,492,953   | \$ -  | \$ -                                      | \$ 20,492,953 |

As at September 30, 2010:

| Description  | Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (Level 1) | Significant other observable inputs (Level 2) | Significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) | Total         |
|--------------|--|---|---|---------------|
| Mutual Funds | \$14,891,509   | \$ -  | \$ -                                      | \$ 14,891,509 |

## 4. Unitholders' Equity

The following are units issued, redeemed and average units outstanding for the six-month period ended March 31, 2011 and for the period since November 2, 2009 (date of inception of the Fund) to March 31, 2010.

|          | 2011         |                |                           | 2010         |                |                           |
|----------|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|--------------|----------------|---------------------------|
|          | Units Issued | Units Redeemed | Average Units Outstanding | Units Issued | Units Redeemed | Average Units Outstanding |
| Series A | 1,400,115    | 366,273        | 3,055,041                 | 1,526,544    | 45,015         | 760,174                   |
| Series F | 197,701      | 28,264         | 423,777                   | 112,368      | -              | 62,121                    |

Excel Funds Management Inc. ("Excel" or the "Manager") is the manager, trustee and promoter of the Fund.

As at March 31, 2011, Excel held Nil (2010: 30,452) Series A units of the Fund.

## 5. Management Fees and Operating Expenses

### a) Management Fees

Excel is paid a management fee calculated on each series of units as a percentage of the Net Asset Value of the series, as of the close of business on each business day as disclosed below:

|          | Management Fees | Actual Management Fees  |
|----------|-----------------|---|
| Series A | 2.50%           | Nil – Feb 16/11 to Mar 31/11<br>1.6%-Oct 12/10 to Feb 15/11<br>2.50%- Sep 22/10 to Oct 11/10<br>Nil – Nov 2/09 to Sep 21/10 |
| Series F | 1.50%           | Nil- Feb 16/11 to Mar 31/11<br>0.6% - Oct 12/10 to Feb 15/11<br>Nil – Nov 2/09 to Oct 11/10                                 |

For the six-month period ended March 31, 2011 Excel absorbed \$129,701 (2010: 42,137) in management fees. Excel may discontinue absorbing these expenses at any time in the future without notice.

### b) Operating Expenses

For the six-month period ended March 31, 2011 Excel absorbed \$Nil (2010: 2,868) in operating expenses. Excel may discontinue absorbing these expenses at any time in the future without notice.

For the six-month period ended March 31, 2011, Excel received administration fees of \$7,309 (2010: \$944) relating to the operation of the Fund.

## 6. Financial Instruments and Risk Management

The Fund is exposed to the following financial risks: liquidity risk, interest rate risk, credit risk, currency risk and other market risk. There have been no significant changes to liquidity risk, interest rate risk and credit risk since September 30, 2010.

### Currency Risk

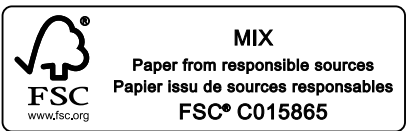
As at March 31, 2011, based on the underlying holdings of the Excel Latin America Fund, Excel Emerging Europe Fund, Excel India Fund and Excel China Fund (the "Excel Funds") if the Canadian dollar had strengthened or weakened by 1 % in relation to all currencies, with all other variables held constant, Net Assets would have decreased or increased, respectively, by approximately \$193,000 (September 30, 2010: \$143,000). In practice, the actual trading results may differ from this sensitivity analysis and the difference could be material.

### Other Market Risk

The impact on Net Assets of the Fund due to a 1% change in the benchmark, using historical correlation between the Fund's return as compared to the return of the Fund's benchmark, as at March 31, 2011, with all other variables held constant, is included in the following table. Regression analysis has been utilized to estimate the historical correlation. The analysis uses 16 data points (September 30, 2010: 10 data points) based on the monthly net returns of the Series A units of the Fund.

| Benchmark                                       | Impact on Net Assets |                    |
|---|----------------------|--------------------|
|   | March 31, 2011       | September 30, 2010 |
| Morgan Stanley Capital International BRIC Index | +or- \$97,000        | +or- \$62,000      |

Since the historical correlation may not be representative of future correlation, actual results could differ from this sensitivity analysis and differences could be material.



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