



## iShares S&P Global Consumer Discretionary Index Fund (CAD-Hedged) Information sheet

# XCD

The iShares S&P Global Consumer Discretionary Index Fund (CAD-Hedged) seeks to provide long-term capital growth by replicating, to the extent possible, the performance of the S&P Global 1200 Consumer Discretionary Canadian Dollar Hedged Index, net of expenses. The S&P Global 1200 Consumer Discretionary Canadian Dollar Hedged Index is a float-adjusted, market capitalization-weighted index. It includes constituents of the S&P Global 1200 Index included in the consumer discretionary sector and sub-industries as defined by the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®). The Index is hedged to Canadian dollars.

### Fundamentals

Fund Characteristics	
Ticker	XCD
Inception Date	26-Mar-13
Index	S&P Global 1200 Consumer Discretionary Canadian Dollar Hedged Index
Net Assets (\$ millions) <sup>1</sup>	4
Distribution Frequency	Semi-annually
Management Fee <sup>2</sup>	0.63%
Index Characteristics	
Number of Holdings	174
Dividend Yield	1.77%
Price-to-Earnings (P/E)	20.29
Price-to-Book (P/B)	2.48
Total Market Capitalization (\$ millions)	1.23

Source: Morningstar Inc., Bloomberg L.P. and BlackRock Canada.

### Cumulative Index Performance Since Inception (January 2007) - February 2013



Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC & BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited  
As of 02/28/13

### Fund Details

Ticker Symbol:	XCD
Stock Exchange:	TSX
Commencement Date:	March 26, 2013
Management Fee <sup>2</sup> :	0.63%
Distribution Frequency:	Semi-Annually
RSP Eligible:	Yes
Net Asset Value (\$ millions) <sup>1</sup> :	4.00

<sup>1</sup> As of 25 March 2013.

<sup>2</sup> Management Fee is equal to the trustee fee paid by the fund to BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited ("BlackRock Canada"), and does not include applicable taxes or other fees and expenses of the fund. For any iShares fund which invests in other iShares ETFs, Management Fee also includes any fees paid to BlackRock Canada or its affiliates by such fund(s).

### Index Performance

PERIOD	PERFORMANCE
YTD	7.79%
1 YR	19.02%
3 YR	16.04%
5 YR	6.07%
10 YR	-
Since Inception (January 2007)	1.51%

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC & BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited. As of 02/28/13

### Top Holdings – Index

HOLDING NAME	WEIGHT
Toyota Motor Corp.	5.4%
Comcast Corp.	3.7%
Home Depot Inc.	3.6%
Walt Disney Co.	3.4%
McDonald's Corp.	3.4%
Amazon.com Inc.	3.4%
Honda Motor Co.	2.4%
Daimler AG	2.1%
News Corporation	2.1%
Time Warner Inc.	1.8%
<b>Sum of Top 10 Holdings</b>	<b>31.3%</b>

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC & BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited. As of 02/28/13. Information on the securities listed above are subject to change and has been provided strictly for illustrative purposes.

## Sector Breakdown

SUB-SECTOR	WEIGHT
Media	22.4%
Automobiles	18.8%
Specialty Retail	14.2%
Hotels Restaurants & Leisure	12.2%
Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods	9.0%
Auto Components	6.6%
Multiline Retail	5.7%
Internet & Catalog Retail	5.4%
Household Durables	3.7%
Leisure Equipment & Products	1.1%
Distributors	0.7%
Diversified Consumer Services	0.3%

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC & BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited  
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## Country Breakdown

COUNTRY	WEIGHT
UNITED STATES	55.01%
JAPAN	14.92%
BRITAIN	6.30%
GERMANY	6.04%
FRANCE	5.14%
SOUTH KOREA	2.62%
SWITZERLAND	2.12%
CANADA	1.76%
SWEDEN	1.42%
SPAIN	1.07%
HONG KONG	0.69%
NETHERLANDS	0.60%
ITALY	0.58%
LUXEMBOURG	0.49%
MEXICO	0.43%
CHILE	0.38%
FINLAND	0.21%
AUSTRALIA	0.16%
GREECE	0.06%

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In addition, apart from scheduled rebalances, index providers may carry out additional ad hoc rebalances to their benchmark indices in order to; for example, correct an error in the selection of index constituents. Where the benchmark index of a fund is rebalanced and the fund in turn rebalances its portfolio to bring it in line with its benchmark index, any transaction costs arising from such portfolio rebalancing will be borne by the fund and, by extension, its unitholders.

Therefore, errors and additional ad hoc rebalances carried out by an index provider to a fund's benchmark index may increase the costs of the fund.

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