

**Financial 15 Split Corp** is an Investment Corporation designed to pay monthly cash dividends. The Corporation invests in a diversified, portfolio consisting of 15 financial services companies, made up of Canadian and U.S. issuers. Two types of shares are available, a Class A and a Preferred.

## Distributions

	FTN	FTN (specials)	FTN.PR.A	Total
Total to Date	\$6.4542	\$0.50	\$2.9989	\$9.9530
2009 YTD	\$0.3771		\$0.3063	\$0.6834
2008	\$1.1771		\$0.5250	\$1.7021
2007	\$1.20		\$0.5250	\$1.7250
2006	\$1.20	\$0.25	\$0.5250	\$1.9750
2005	\$1.20	\$0.25	\$0.5250	\$1.9750
2004	\$1.20		\$0.5250	\$1.7250
2003 (one month)	\$0.10		\$0.0676*	\$0.1676

\*For the period Nov 14/03 to Dec 31/03 (initial distribution)

## Commentary

Most major equity market indices strengthened during the month of July as prospects for a 2009 second half economic recovery appeared to gain further momentum. Of particular note was an increase in commodity prices which appears to be indicative of a rebound in economic growth, especially in the developing economies.

Although economic conditions continue to remain difficult, it appears the cumulative efforts of governments around the world to stabilize the financial system have gained some traction. Financial services companies, which have raised significant amounts of capital in recent months, continued an impressive recovery as share prices continue to rebound from their March lows. The historic low interest rate environment appears to be providing very favorable conditions for these companies to rebuild their earnings power. Several US financial services companies began to repay government loans, which was also a positive signal for market participants.

It appears the worst of the deleveraging and capital market liquidation may have already occurred and if so, this will be positive for investors focusing on fundamentals of the underlying companies. In addition to improving fundamentals, the historic high levels of low yielding cash and money market instruments "sitting on the sidelines" could prove to be a further catalyst for further market gains if investors shift some of this money towards equities.

Attractive dividend yields, low historic valuations and significant option premiums available in the market place continue to bode well for the portfolio. The Manager continues to actively manage the relative weightings of the companies held within the portfolio.

	One Month to July 31, 2009	Year to Date July 31, 2009
TSX	3.97%	20.02%
S&P 500	7.41%	9.32%
DJII	8.58%	4.50%
NASDAQ	7.82%	25.46%

## Details

Total Net Assets:	\$137,152,701
Units Outstanding:	7,666,445
Inception Date:	Nov 14, 2003
Termination Date:	Dec 1, 2015
Net Asset Value:	\$17.89 (July 31/09)
Cash Weighting:	9%
U.S. Equity Weighting:	25%
Canadian Equity Weighting:	66%

<b>FTN.PR.A</b> Trading Price:	\$9.36 (July 31/09)
Current Yield:	5.6% annually
Asset Coverage:	179%
Market Capitalization:	\$71,757,925
<b>FTN</b> Trading Price:	\$9.74 (July 31/09)
Current Yield:	15.5% annually*
Market Capitalization:	\$74,671,174

\*Last distribution annualized.

## Top Holdings (sorted by weight)

CI Fund Management	CIX-T
Bank of Montreal	BMO-T
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	CM-T
AGF	AGF-T
Manulife Financial	MFC-T
Bank of America	BAC-N
Goldman Sachs	GS-N
JPMorgan	JPM-N
Royal Bank	RY-T
Wells Fargo & Co.	WFC-N
Toronto-Dominion Bank	TD-T
Great-West Lifeco	GWO-T
National Bank	NA-T
Bank of Nova Scotia	BNS-T
Sun Life Financial	SLF-T

Weightings subject to change at any time.