

CLEARBRIDGE MLP AND MIDSTREAM TOTAL RETURN FUND INC. (CTR)

Investment overview

Offers a total-return oriented portfolio of primarily energy master limited partnerships (MLPs) and midstream entities

Provides the opportunity for attractive, "tax-deferred" distributions with a combined emphasis on capital appreciation

Targets companies with the potential to grow their businesses and distributions over time

Asset allocation (%) as of Dec. 31, 2021 Diversified Energy Infrastructure 44.0 Liquids Transportation & Storage 25.9 Gathering/Processing 25.8 Cash 3.1 Propane 1.3

Top equity notatings (%) as of Dec. 31, 2021	
MPLX LP MLP	7.4
Enterprise Products Partners LP	7.3
Energy Transfer Equity LP	7.1
Targa Resources Corp	7.0
WESTERN MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP	6.3
Oneok Inc	5.2
DCP Midstream Partners LP	5.1
Williams Cos Inc	4.8
Plains All Amer Pipeline LP MLP	4.5
Delek Logistics Partners LP	4.1
Total	58.8

Top equity holdings (%) as of Doc 31, 2021

- Net Asset Value (NAV) is total assets less total liabilities divided by the number of shares outstanding. Market Price, determined by supply and demand, is the price an investor purchases or sells the fund. The Market Price may differ from a fund's NAV.
- ² Distribution rate is calculated by annualizing the most recent distribution amount paid, excluding special distributions, divided by the closing market price or NAV. As of 11/30/2021, the fund estimates that the distributions will be paid from: 100.00% investment income; 0.00% realized capital gains; and, 0.00% return of capital. The Distribution Rate is subject to change and is not a quotation of Fund performance. The Board of Directors may terminate or suspend the managed distribution policy at any time. Any such termination or suspension could have an adverse effect on the market price of the Fund's shares. A return of capital is not taxable and results in a reduction in the tax basis of a shareholder's investment. For more information about a distribution's composition refer to the Fund's distribution press release or, if applicable, the Section 19 notice located in the press release section of our website.
- ³ The difference between total assets and net assets, if any, is due primarily to the Fund's use of borrowings and other liabilities; net assets do not include borrowings. The Fund may employ leverage in the form of loans, preferred stock, reverse repurchase agreements and/or other instruments. When the Fund engages in transactions that have a leveraging effect on the Fund's portfolio, the value of the Fund will be more volatile and all other risks will tend to be compounded.

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Growth of \$10,000 investment

Market Price - Inception through Dec. 31, 2021



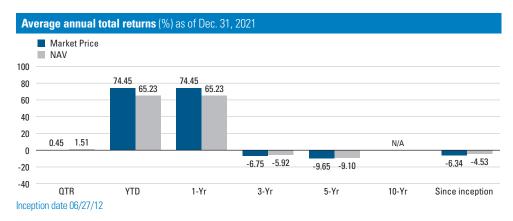
Performance shown represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. Returns based on Market Price assume reinvestment of all distributions at the Dividend Reinvestment Plan Price and the deduction of management fees, operating expenses and all other fund expenses. Returns do not reflect the deduction of brokerage commissions or taxes that investors may pay on distributions or the sale of shares.

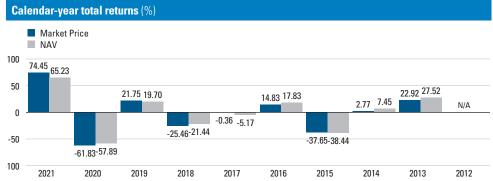
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XCTRX
NYSE
06/27/12
\$29.30
\$23.70
-19.1%
\$0.4200
7.1%
5.7%
Quarterly

Portfolio characteristics as of Dec. 31, 2021	
Total Assets	\$286.0M
Loans	15.7%
Fixed Rate Notes	9.6%
Preferred Shares	4.3%
Reverse Repos	0.0%
Net Assets ³	\$207.1M

Percentages are based on total portfolio as of quarter-end and are subject to change at any time. For informational purposes only and not to be considered a recommendation to purchase or sell any security. Negative allocations and allocations in excess of 100% are primarily due to the Fund's unsettled trade activity.

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Portfolio management

Michael Clarfeld, CFA (industry since 2000), Chris Eades (industry since 1992) and Peter Vanderlee, CFA (industry since 1999) manage your Fund.

ClearBridge Investments offers institutional and individual investors a variety of traditional and alternative equity strategies. With an investment heritage dating back over 50 years, ClearBridge offers distinctive manager insights and proprietary fundamental research.

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All investments are subject to risks, including the possible loss of principal. Investments in MLP securities are subject to unique risks. The Fund's concentration of investments in energy related MLPs and midstream entities subject it to the risks of MLPs, midstream entities and the energy sector, including the risks of declines in energy and commodity prices, decreases in energy demand, adverse weather conditions, natural or other disasters, changes in government regulation, and changes in tax laws. Leverage may result in greater volatility of NAV and the market price of common shares and increases a shareholder's risk of loss. The Fund may invest in small capitalization or illiquid securities which can increase the risk and volatility of the Fund. The Fund may make significant investments in derivative instruments. Derivative instruments can be illiquid, may disproportionately increase losses, and have a potentially large impact on Fund performance.

MLP cash distributions are generally tax deferred. Noncash expenses, such as depreciation or depletion, usually offset income derived from an MLP's operations. To the extent that these expenses exceed income, cash distributions are considered return of capital under tax law. As such, they are not taxed when received. Instead, the distribution, in the form of return of capital, reduces a unit holder's cost basis. This adjusted cost basis, in turn, results in a higher capital gain or lower capital loss when the units are sold. Of course, there can be no assurances that distributions from an MLP will be tax deferred. The Fund will be treated as a regular corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes and, as a result, unlike most investment companies, is subject to corporate income tax to the extent the Fund recognizes taxable income. Any taxes paid by the Fund will reduce the amount available to pay distributions to investors, and therefore investors in the Fund will likely receive lower distributions than if they invested directly in MLPs or midstream entities.

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