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An investment portfolio of Canadian and U.S. securities, balancing longterm growth potential with the stability of fixed income.

About Investors Group

Historically, Investors can trace its origins back to the year 1894, when it was founded in Minneapolis under the name of Investors Diversified Services. By offering individuals a guaranteed savings plan through investment certificates, the original company provided many Americans with their first real opportunity to save money.

That principle proved to be successful for both the company and its clients and by 1926 IDS had expanded into Canada. In 1940, Investors Syndicate of Canada was created with its head office in Winnipeg.

By the end of World War II, the company had demonstrated dramatic growth. In 1950, Investors established its first mutual fund which was to be followed by development of a family of 14 investment funds over the next 36 years.

In 1956 the company was purchased by a group of Canadian investors. The year 1969 was also significant in our corporate history. At that time, Power Corporation of Canada acquired a majority interest in Investors. Today, operating as the Investors Group, the company coordinates the activities of its wholly-owned subsidiary companies.

Investors Syndicate Limited is the marketing and distribution arm. It offers investment funds, guaranteed investment certificates and other financial products through its representatives based in 56 financial planning centres across Canada. In the province of Quebec, these services are provided by **Les Services Investors Limitée**.

Investors Group Trust Co. Ltd. specializes in the employee benefit planning field. This includes pension plan consulting and design, administration, custodianship and investment management functions.

I.G. Investment Management Ltd. manages the portfolios of our investment funds including the mortgage and real estate investments. It also provides a full mortgage service to clients.

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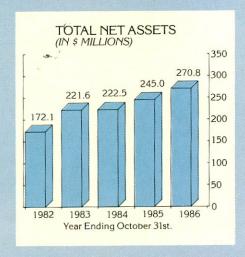
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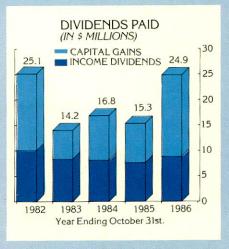
Our cover photograph, taken near Victoria, British Columbia, is one of a series depicted in our 12 annual reports for 1986. Each cover photograph represents a Canadian province or territory. This is an appropriate theme for the Investors Group — which through its coast-to-coast network of financial planners assists individual Canadians in planning their financial future.

Si vous préférez recevoir ce rapport annuel en français, veuillez vous adresser au secrétaire du Fonds: B.S. Toni, Le Groupe Investors, 280 Broadway, Winnipeg (Manitoba) R3C 3B6

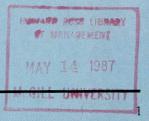
Financial Overview	1986
Total Net Assets	\$270,787,720
Number of Shareholders	16,318
Asset Value per Share:	
High	\$ 8.191
Low	\$ 7.321
Close	\$ 7.772
Dividends Paid	\$ 24,960,433
Dividends Paid per Share	\$.760

Highlights









President's Report to Shareholders



Arthur V. Mauro, Q.C., President

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to present the Annual Report and financial statements for the year ended October 31, 1986.

Total net assets at fiscal year-end were \$270,788,000, an increase of 10.5% from prior year-end. Net asset value per share at fiscal year-end equalled \$7.77, up from \$7.64 at fiscal year-end 1985.

During the past twelve-month period your Fund distributed \$0.26 per share in regular income dividends, as well as \$0.50 per share as capital gains dividend. Including dividend distributions, the total rate of return was 12.08%. Over the past five years, from October of 1981, your Fund has increased at an average annual rate of 14.58%, significantly higher than the Consumer Price Index average annual increase of 5.44% over the same period.

In our last Annual Report we indicated continued strength in the capital markets. Intense market activity in the first half of 1986 confirmed this outlook. The markets reacted favourably to the gradual decline in interest rates in anticipation of commensurate economic stimulative effects. Shifts within the international currency markets resulted in significant moves in selected currencies, particularly the U.S. dollar. This fostered the belief that such shifts would make North American producers more competitive in the international marketplace. In addition, inflation was contained at low levels, aided significantly by the dramatic drop in oil prices.

Despite the positive factors, the economies of Canada and the United States were weaker than expected. This was due in part to changes in the consumer sector which shifted to lower savings rates and higher personal debt levels. Further strains to the Canadian consumer segment came with the additional personal tax burdens introduced early in 1986. Other negative economic influences during 1986 included continued burdening government deficits and deteriorating trade flows.

In this economic environment, investment activity in your Fund was concentrated on improving income flow. At the same time, Fund management positioned the portfolio for long-term capital appreciation without the assumption of undue risk. In this regard, a selection of Government of Canada bonds was added early in the fiscal year. As well, several small non-dividend-paying holdings were replaced with equities with potential for long-term earnings and dividend growth. The effect of this investment activity leaves Investors Mutual of Canada with a strong income flow as well as the promise of continued capital growth.

Turning to the future, the outlook is for weak to moderate growth. Capacity utilization rates in most industries are not strong enough to suggest growth in capital spending or investment by business. Inventory levels are high, resulting in little immediate need for inventory replenishment. Government spending is not expected to provide incremental growth, given the restraints required to reduce the

accumulated deficits. However, one area where potential for growth does exist is trade. The relatively large price declines of North American goods, expressed in devalued North American currencies, should help our competitiveness in the international marketplace.

On a more positive note, we remain confident that important economic underpinnings such as low inflation and a stable interest rate structure will continue. These important factors should provide gradual signs of improving economic growth, leading to longer term gains.

As a balanced portfolio, Investors Mutual will provide its shareholders continued opportunities for capital appreciation from its common stock holdings as well as an opportunity to receive a satisfactory income flow through its holdings in bonds, debentures and preferred stocks.

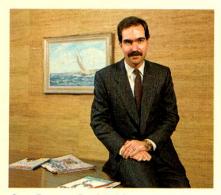
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Arthur V. Mauro, Q.C.

Winnipeg, Canada November 28, 1986



About Investors Mutual of Canada



Scott Penman, Portfolio Manager, Investors Mutual of Canada Ltd.

The objective of Investors Mutual of Canada is to provide shareholders with an opportunity to mix capital gains with income returns. The Fund's assets are primarily invested in Canada, but a strong U.S. representation has been maintained to achieve diversity. The Fund's net assets are divided approximately as follows: 78% Canadian equities; 9.5% U.S. equities, 5.5% bonds and 7% reserves.

A Look At Investments:

The reasons for investing your money are as numerous as the investment options available to you.

You may want to save money for a specific goal, like paying off a mortgage or financing your children's education, planning for retirement, or saving taxes. Or, you may simply wish to achieve a better-than-average rate of return on the funds you have available.

Decisions on when, where and how to invest will reflect individual circumstances. How do you choose an investment program? What type of investments should you consider? The answers will depend on your personal objectives and how much they change over time. Your personal objectives, however, are the key.

Here are some of the factors that will influence your selection of an investment: your need for a regular income from the investment, for stability and preservation of capital, and your tax situation. Other factors include the time available to accomplish your objectives and whether you need to have ready access to your money.

The most significant of these factors is your tolerance of investment risk, or your personal "comfort zone". That is, how comfortable you are with respect to future capital and income variability.

Ten Largest Equity Holdings in Investors Mutual of Canada

One way to gain a better understanding of the nature of this fund is to summarize the ten largest investments or "equity holdings" that make up its portfolio.

The schedule at right provides you with an informed look at the companies that together comprise 28.73% of Investors Mutual of Canada Ltd. The percentage each holding forms of the portfolio's net assets is shown on the left.

% of Net Assets	Company	Overview
3.89%	Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	Canada's third largest bank.
3.29%	The Seagram Company Limited	Primarily a producer and marketer of distilled spirits and wine.
3.18%	Bell Canada Enterprises Inc.	A holding company, which, through its subsidiaries, is the largest Canadian supplier of telecommunication services and equipment.
2.78%	The Pagurian Corporation Limited	A high-growth corporate finance and management company.
2.68%	Canadian Pacific Limited	A major Canadian-based conglomerate involved primarily in transportation and natural resources.
2.66%	MacLean Hunter Limited	A well diversified communications company with operations in North America and Europe.
2.65%	The Royal Bank of Canada	Canada's largest chartered bank.
2.55%	Dupont Canada Inc.	A manufacturer and distributor of a wide variety of chemicals, fibres, plastics and films.
2.53%	International Business Machines Corporation	The world's largest computer manufacturer and distributor.
2.52%	Bank of Montreal	Canada's second largest chartered bank.

Getting Started On Your Financial Plan

An Investment Concept:

With its clients in mind, Investors developed an investment concept called Managing for Capital Growth. Here's how it works:

You and your Investors Financial Planner sit down to assess a number of important factors: your long-term goals, "comfort zone" and your personal understanding of investments. You will also discuss your current financial position and tax situation. All of these factors combine to dictate your investment direction. Then, together you devise a step-by-step plan to achieve your goals.

Creating an Investment Portfolio:

What you will be doing, in effect, is creating an investment portfolio. Managing for Capital Growth includes sample investment portfolios for you to review and adapt to your personal circumstances. Each sample holds true to one basic investment philosophy: the key to investment success is diversity — spreading your investment dollars among the choices or alternatives you feel comfortable with.

Making Your Plan Work:

Implementing your plan is the next step. Your Investors Financial Planner will assist you by offering you an extensive range of financial planning products — including 14 different investment funds. Each fund has a clearly defined objective so that you can select a combination of funds closest to your personal goals. In addition, your Investors

Financial Planner can offer you a range of guaranteed investments such as Guaranteed Investment Certificates (GICs) or Income Deferred Certificates (IDCs), insurance products and annuities.

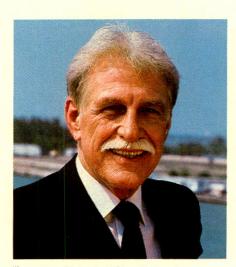
Built-in Flexibility:

It is advisable to review your goals and your investment plan on a yearly basis. Even the best-laid plans will need to be updated. Just as no one investment is right for all economic times, a change in your personal situation, such as marriage, children, a new job, an inheritance or a windfall, should trigger a change in your investment plan.

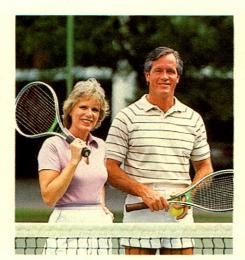
Retirement is a special situation:

As you approach retirement, a whole new set of personal goals and financial challenges will confront you. The old investment rules will no longer apply and your investment objectives will change dramatically. To meet this situation, Investors has introduced a second investment concept for individuals on the verge of retirement: Managing for Retirement Income.

Of course, your Investors Financial Planner is available to discuss Managing for Retirement Income or Managing for Capital Growth with you at your convenience.



"Investors Mutual of Canada has been a part of my investment plan for over 20 years. It has always given me just the right mix between growth and income — and that's a comfortable feeling."

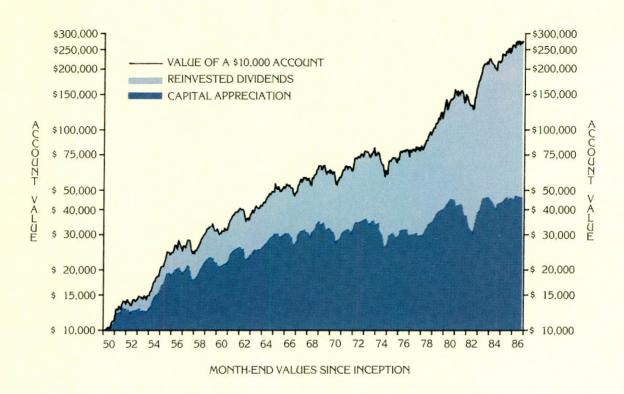


"Our Investors representative showed us how we could get a better return on our savings through a regular investment in Mutual of Canada."



"I'm really happy with the personal service my Investors Financial Planner provides not to mention the return on the money I've invested. My Mutual of Canada investment, for example, grew by over 12% this year!"

Historical Growth Pattern



10 Year History October 31, 1976 to October 31, 1986

If \$10,000 was invested 10 years ago on October 31, 1976 in	Year Ending Oct. 31	Market Value of Account	Annual Rate of Return
Investors Mutual of Canada, the account would have grown as shown in the table:	1976 1977	\$ 10,000 10,096	1.0 %
ASSUMPTIONS: • no acquisition fee	1978 1979	12,151 14,621 18,790	20.4 % 20.3 % 28.5 %
all income and capital gains dividends reinvested in the Fund	1980 1981 1982	17,847 20,378	26.5 % (5.0)% 14.2 %
NOTE:	1983	27,239	33.7 %
Past performance of the fund is no indication of what the future performance of the fund will be.	1984 1985 1986	27,647 31,452 35,252	1.5 % 13.8 % 12.1 %

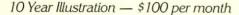
The colour spectrum below illustrates the degree of variability among Investors funds, relative to each other. "Low variability" funds on the left normally experience little fluctuation in price over the long term, and generate greater investment income than the high variability/low income funds on the right.

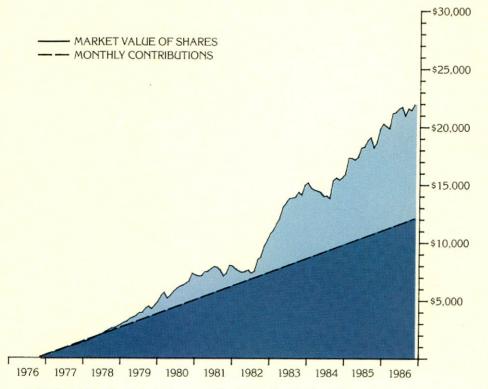
5 year rate of return: 14.6% per annum 10 year rate of return: 13.4% per annum

INCOME/LOW VARIABILITY

MONEY MARKET MORTGAGE BOND REAL PROPERTY DIVIDEND MUTUAL OF RETIREMENT FUND FUND CANADA MUTUAL

Dollar Cost Averaging





8.5% Acquisition Fee deducted from contributions — Free Dividend Reinvestment

Year Ending Oct. 31	Cumulative Contribution	Cumulative Dividends Reinvested	Number of Shares in Account	Closing Share Price	Closing Market Value
1977	\$ 1,200	\$ 40	222.553	\$ 4.893	\$ 1,089
1978	2,400	134	447.822	5.624	2,519
1979	3,600	327	653.134	6.426	4,197
1980	4,800	792	867.566	7.614	6,606
1981	6,000	1,773	1,160.250	6.279	7,285
1982	7,200	2,979	1,561.875	6.138	9,587
1983	8,400	3,825	1,840.675	7.624	14,033
1984	9,600	4,924	2,140.705	7.175	15,360
1985	10,800	6,027	2,436.894	7.640	18,618
1986	12,000	7,965	2,830.797	7.772	22,001

Effective Annual Rate of Return on \$100 monthly contributions: 11.7% per annum

Every investor faces the same critical problem: when is the best time to invest?

A perennial problem, but a very important one to deal with. The simplest and most convenient way to solve this dilemma of the "right time to buy" is the concept of dollar cost averaging.

Quite simply, dollar cost averaging means buying equal dollar amounts of a given investment at regularly specified time intervals.

Here's how it works:

The general principle is based on the fact that security prices continually fluctuate. Through dollar cost averaging, you'll use these price fluctuations to your advantage. Your money buys more shares when prices are down and fewer shares when prices are high. The end result is a reduction over time in the average price paid for the shares purchased.

Using the dollar cost averaging approach in combination with Investors Mutual of Canada will allow you not only to accumulate capital in a practical and convenient way, but at the same time become a shareholder in a broad, professionally managed portfolio of securities.

An example of dollar cost averaging applied to Investors Mutual of Canada is illustrated by the accompanying graph. It shows how an investment of \$100-a-month over the 10-year period from 1976 to 1986, has grown by following this concept.

CAPITAL GROWTH/HIGH VARIABILITY

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Statement of Net Assets	October 31, 1986 with comparati	ve figures for 1985
Assets:	1986	1985
Investments, at market value in Canadian funds:		
Canadian common stocks	\$154,426,565	148,856,383
United States common stocks	25,792,135	19,508,829
Canadian preferred stocks	56,733,263	56,194,774
Government of Canada bonds	13,370,000	
Canadian corporation bonds	1,905,000	3,165,000
	252,226,963	227,724,986
The average cost of the investments as at October 31, 1986 was \$204,076,306 (1985 — \$195,901,504)		
Other Assets:		
Demand notes	15,416,276	17,354,808
Accrued interest and dividends receivable	678,059	593,828
Due from brokers	3,879,137	334,02
Income taxes receivable	17,407	106,85
	19,990,879	18,389,50
Total Assets	272,217,842	246,114,49
Liabilities:		
Outstanding cheques less bank deposits and cash in transit	575,392	808,19
Due to brokers	650,300	_
Accrued expense	53,867	46,08
Accounts payable	150,563	164,72
Total Liabilities	1,430,122	1,019,00
NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO OUTSTANDING SHARES	\$ 270,787,720	245,095,48
Represented by:		
Contributed capital	\$ 66,326,906	45,148,48
Undistributed net investment income	721,917	385,20
Undistributed net realized gains from investments	155,588,240	167,738,32
Unrealized appreciation of investments	48,150,657	31,823,48
TOTAL — representing		
net assets applicable to outstanding shares (note 3)	\$ 270,787,720	245,095,48
See accompanying notes to financial statements.		
On Behalf of the Board:		
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Statement of Changes in Net Assets	Year Ended October 31, 1986 with comparativ	e figures for 1985
	1986	1985
Net assets, beginning of year	\$ 245,095,489	222,515,873
Add:		
Net investment income	9,128,134	7,647,713
Profit from sale of investments and from foreign exchange — net	3,889,503	18,459,804
Unrealized appreciation of investments for the period — net	16,327,175	4,198,194
Proceeds from sale of Mutual Fund shares less commission paid	57,194,750	40,806,888
	331,635,051	293,628,472
Deduct:		
Payments on redemption of Mutual Fund shares Dividends paid from: (note 2)	35,886,898	33,222,877
Net investment income	8,920,850	7,597,884
Profit from sale of investments	16,039,583	7,712,222
	60,847,331	48,532,983
Net assets, end of year	<u>\$ 270,787,720</u>	245,095,489
See accompanying notes to financial statements.		

Investment Income Income: Dividends Interest Expenses: (note 4)	\$ 9,758,303 2,885,203 12,643,506	1985
Income: Dividends Interest Expenses: (note 4)	2,885,203	
Dividends Interest Expenses: (note 4)	2,885,203	
Interest Expenses: (note 4)	2,885,203	
Expenses: (note 4)		9,808,975
	12643506	626,416
		10,435,391
Management fees Audit fees	3,300,615	2,984,144
Directors fees and expense	11,972	9,735
Custodian fees	8,523 9,669	9,429 12,854
Postage	57,208	48,535
Printing and stationery	37,895	23,155
Miscellaneous expense	16,167	13,429
	3,442,049	3,101,281
Income before taxes	9,201,457	7,334,110
Income taxes (note 1)	73,323	(313,603
Net investment income (note 2)	\$ 9,128,134	7,647,713
Realized and unrealized gains from	<u> </u>	7,047,713
investments: (note 1) Realized gains from investment transactions Profit from sale of investments Proceeds from sales Cost of investments sold Net realized profit Profit from foreign exchange Total realized gains from investments Unrealized appreciation of investments: Balance, beginning of year Unrealized appreciation for the period — net Balance, end of year See accompanying notes to financial statements.	\$ 88,909,113 85,090,002 3,819,111 70,392 \$ 3,889,503 \$ 31,823,482 16,327,175 \$ 48,150,657	51,387,726 32,959,276 18,428,450 31,354 18,459,804 27,625,288 4,198,194 31,823,482
Statement of Changes in Investments	Year Ended October 31, 1986 with compar	ative figures for 1985
investments at average cost,	1986	1985
beginning of year	\$ 195,901,504	190,196,580
Cost of investments purchased	93,264,804	38,664,200
	289,166,308	228,860,780
Deduct:		
Proceeds from sale of investments	88,909,113	51,387,726
Less profit from sale of investments	3,819,111	18,428,450
Cost of investments sold	85,090,002	32,959,276
nvestments at average cost, end of year	\$ 204,076,306	195,901,504

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Statement of Investments

as at October 31, 1986

	No. of Shares	Average Cost	Market Value
COMMON STOCK			
Metals and Minerals Alcan Aluminium Limited	125,000	\$ 5,251,691	\$ 5,375,000
Falconbridge Limited	147,500 12,500	3,153,625 25,000	2,599,687 28,750
Falconbridge Limited Deferred Payment Right Teck Corporation Class B Sub-voting	115,000	2,858,258	2,731,250
reck Corporation Class & Sub-Voting		11,288,574	10,734,687
Gold and Silver Placer Development Limited	154,000	3,587,775	4,908,750
Integrated Oils Imperial Oil Limited Class A	100,000	5,148,330	4,650,000
Shell Canada Limited Class A	64,175	371.272 5,519.602	1,524,156 6,174,156
Oil and Gas Producers	227,400	1,970,798	2,586,675
Bow Valley Industries Ltd. Norcen Energy Resources Limited Voting Ordinary	87,100	595,325	1,208,513 1,143,188
Norcen Energy Resources Limited Non-voting Ordinary	87,100 172,300	595,325 2,464,636	1,356,862
Westmin Resources Limited	112,500	5,626,084	6,295,238
Paper and Forest Products	200,000	2,750,000	3,200,000
Canfor Corporation MacMillan Bloedel Limited	53,300	1,706,959	2,185,300
		4,456,959	5,385,300
Oil Well Equipment and Services *Schlumberger Limited	33,750	2,010,926	1,490,231
Distilleries The Seagram Company Limited	102,550	2,340,238	8,921,850
Consumer Products — Misc. Imasco Limited	134,000	4,620,175	4,673,250
Communication and Media International Thomson Organisation Limited	500,000	3,966,561	6,375,000
Maclean Hunter Limited Class X	204,000	807,275	3,774,000
Maclean Hunter Limited Class Y Non-voting	197,104	1,865,292 6,639,128	3,436,902 13,585,902
Merchandising			
Canadian Tire Corporation Limited Class A Non-voting	163,500 315,000	1,725,639 2,090,834	2,391,188 5,197,500
Grafton Group Limited Class A Non-voting *Sears, Roebuck and Co.	65,000	4,197,146	3,920,930
		8,013,619	11,509,618
Health Care *National Medical Enterprises, Inc.	123,200	4,041,346	4,219,107
Banks Bank of Montreal	200,000	5,403,645	6,825,000
The Bank of Nova Scotia	250,000	3,452,950	4,093,750
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce A — Warrants	529,400 70,000	5,273,643 227,000	10,124,775 411,250
The Royal Bank of Canada	216,150	3,794,114	7,186,988
The Toronto-Dominion Bank	222,338	786,257 18,937,609	5,030,397 33,672,160
Insurance and Financial Service	510,000	6,496,942	7,522,500
The Pagurian Corporation Limited Class A Non-voting Utilities			
British Columbia Telephone Company	160,000 232,075	3,159,325 4,846,305	4,260,000 8,615,784
Bell Canada Enterprises Inc. Canadian Utilities Limited (Non-voting) Class A	75,000	1,424,500	1,453,125
Canadian Utilities Limited (Voting) Class B	75,000	1,424,000	1,453,125
TransAlta Utilities Corporation Class A	107,100	3,060,722 13,914,852	2,945,250 18,727,284
Steel	157,400	1,584,157	1,731,400
Harris Steel Group Inc. Class A Non-voting Ipsco Inc.	199,000	2,638,270	1,567,125
		4,222,427	3,298,525
*General Electric Company	58,000	3,541,915	6,170,562
Chemicals Dupont Canada Inc. Class A	181,950	4,662,550	6,914,100
Electronics *Raytheon Company	35,000	2,893,957	3,121,265
Telecommunications Northern Telecom Limited	104,600	2.213,662	4,707,000
Northern relectiff Limited	10-1,500		

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

	No. of Shares	Average Cost	Market Value
*International Business Machines Corporation	40,000	2,479,485	6,870,040
Management Companies Canadian Pacific Limited	468.850	5,181,515	7,267,175
The Enfield Corporation Limited	200,000	2,399,300	4,050,000
TOTAL COMMON STOCK		7,580,815 \$ 125,088,640	\$ 180,218,700
PREFERRED STOCK — FIXED			
Anglo-Canadian Telephone Company \$2.65 Cum. Red. \$50 p.v. British Columbia Telephone Company 5.15% Cum. Red. \$100 p.v.	20,000 29,815	\$ 1,000,000 3,012,255	\$ 635,000 1,848,530
British Columbia Telephone Company 7.40% Cum. Red. \$25 p.v. Carling O'Keefe Limited \$2.65 Cum. Red. Series B \$50 p.v.	60,000 121,995	1,500,000 6,197,024	1,387,500 3,751,346
Celanese Canada Inc. \$2.16 Cum. Red. \$25 p.v. Dome Petroleum Limited 7.76% Cum. Red. Series A \$25 p.v.	20,573 50,000	740,729 1,175,000	493,752 120,000
Grafton Group Limited \$3.00 Series A n.p.v.	49,250	1,814,114	1,849,928
Hudson's Bay Company \$1.80 Cum. Red. Series A \$22.50 p.v. Inter-City Gas Corporation 8.25% Cum. Red. First Pfd. Series B \$20 p.v.	61,279 10,633	1,388,185 212,660	1,164,301 210,002
Minorco Canada Limited 6% Cum. Red. Series A Pfd. \$100 p.v. Minorco Canada Limited 6.25% Cum. Red. Series B Pfd. \$100 p.v.	47,000 2,500	4,700,000 246,250	2,608,500 150,313
Power Corporation of Canada Limited 4.75% Cum. Red. First Pfd. 1965 Series \$50 p.v.	90,750	4,310,625	3,811,500
Quebec-Telephone 4.75% Cum. Red. 1965 Series \$20 p.v.	90,500	1,728,550	1,074,688 4,209,600
The Toronto-Dominion Bank \$1.835 Cum. Red. First Pfd. Class A \$25 p.v. United Corporations Limited \$1.50 Cum. Red. Second Pfd. 1963 Series n.p.v.	175,400 25,225	4,385,000 752,381	419,366
Weston (George) Limited 6.0% Cum. Red. Second Series \$100 p.v.	2,800	278,872 33,441,645	214,900 23,949,226
PREFERRED STOCK — EQUITY		33,7.1.,013	25,5 (5)225
Canada Development Corporation 8% Cum. Red. Conv. Class B \$100 p.v. (Ret. 10-02-85 to 03-31-88)	27,850	3,194,841	2,781,519
Dofasco Inc. \$2.60 Conv. Pfd. \$32.50 p.v. Noranda Inc. 7.75% Cum. Red. Conv. Pfd. Series C \$25 p.v.	130,000 82.000	4,225,000 2,050,000	4,420,000 2,419,000
Nova, An Alberta Corporation 6.5% Cum. Red. Conv. Second Pfd. \$25 p.v. Non-voting	53,300	1,332,500	1,079,325
Torstar Corporation \$1.70 Cum. Red. Conv. First Pfd. Third Series \$22.50 p.v.	80,000	1,800,000	4,670,000
Westmin Resources Limited 8.5% Conv. Pfd. Class B Series 1 \$25 p.v.	80,000	2,000,000 14,602,341	1,720,000
PREFERRED STOCK — RETRACTABLES	120,000	3,000,000	2,000,000
Imasco Limited 7.375% Cum. Red. Ret. First Pfd. Series C \$25 p.v. (07-17-93) Stelco Inc. 10% Cum. Red. Ret. Series D \$25 p.v. (11-01-90)	120,000 57,500	3,000,000 1,437,500	3,060,000 1,509,375
TransAlta Utilities Corporation 8.40% Cum. Red. Ret. First Pfd. \$25 p.v. (03-27-92) Union Gas Limited 9.875% Cum. Red. Ret. Class B Series 4 \$20 p.v. (08-30-90)	200,000 120,219	4,922,000 2,404,380	5,375,000 2,644,818
Weston (George) Limited 7.75% Cum. Red. Ret. Pfd. Series A \$25 p.v. (12-01-96)	120,000	3,000,000 14,763,880	3,105,000 15,694,193
TOTAL PREFERRED STOCK		\$ 62,807,866	\$ 56,733,263
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA BONDS	Par Value		
11.75% 10·15·93 10.75% 12·15·95	\$ 10,000,000 2,000,000	\$ 10,843,800 2,081,000	\$ 11,200,000 2,170,000
		12,924,800	13,370,000
CORPORATION BONDS — CONVERTIBLE GEAC Computer Corporation Limited Conv. Deb. 9.0% 10-01-95	1,500,000	1,500,000	255,000
The Royal Bank of Canada 11.25% Conv. Deb 12-09-91	1,500,000	1,755,000 3,255,000	1,650,000
TOTAL BONDS		\$ 16,179,800	1,905,000 \$ 15,275,000
TOTAL INVESTMENTS		\$ 204,076,306	\$ 252,226,963
Total Net Assets:			
Total Investments Investment rated demand notes			\$ 252,226,963 7,485,516
Farm Credit Corporation of Canada 8.32/7.82% 11-19-86			747,238
Federal Business Development Bank 8.18/7.68% 11-04-86			849,433
8.20/7.70% 11-05-86 8.17/7.67% 11-10-86			549,541
8.17/7.67% 11-12-86			698,601 997,558
8.15/7.65% 11-14-86 8.15/7.65% 11-17-86			1,645,246 348,761
8.20/7.70% 11-19-86 Pioneer Grain Company Limited			1,394,382
8.45% 12-02-86 Cash and other net assets			700,000 3,144,481
TOTAL NET ASSETS			\$ 270,787,720
*United States Investments			
See accompanying notes to financial statements			

Auditors' Report to the Shareholders

We have examined the statement of net assets of Investors Mutual of Canada Ltd. as at October 31, 1986 and 1985 and the statements of operations, changes in net assets and changes in investments for the two years then ended. We have also examined the statement of investments as at October 31, 1986. Our examinations were made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the company as at October 31, 1986 and 1985, the investments of the company as at October 31, 1986 and the results of its operations and the changes in its net assets and investments for the two years ended October 31, 1986 in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis.

Peat Marwick Mitchell & Co. Chartered Accountants Winnipeg, Canada November 28, 1986

Investors Mutual of Canada Ltd.

Notes to Financial Statements

October 31, 1986

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:

The accounting policies of the Company conform with generally accepted accounting principles appropriate to the mutual fund industry. The significant policies are summarized below:

- (a) Investments are recorded at market value which is substantially established by the closing sale price for trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange or alternatively the recognized exchange on which the security is listed or principally traded.
- (b) Demand notes are not considered to be portfolio investments and are therefore excluded from the Statement of Changes in Investments.
- Foreign currency amounts included in the financial statements have been expressed in Canadian dollars on the following basis:

(i) investments, other assets and liabilities at the rate of exchange at the fiscal year end.

- (ii) income, expense, purchases and sales of investments at the rate of exchange prevailing on the respective dates of such transactions.
- (iii) realized gains and losses on foreign exchange are reflected in the Statement of Operations. Unrealized gains and losses on foreign exchange are included in unrealized appreciation or depreciation of investments.

d) Dividend income is recognized at the time the security trades on an ex-dividend basis.

e) The Company is a mutual fund corporation which qualifies as an investment corporation as defined in the Income Tax Act (Canada). Income taxes are calculated on the "taxes payable" basis. Taxes payable on realized net capital gains are recoverable because of capital gains redemptions of Mutual Fund shares or by the payment of capital gains dividends. Such taxes and their recovery have no effect on net income or net assets and accordingly are netted in the accompanying financial statement.

2. Per share information:

Net asset value, average net income, source of dividends paid per share, and average management fees and other expense information is given below:

	1986	1985	1904	1900	1902
The net asset value per share at October 31	\$ 7.77	7.64	7.18	7.62	6.14
The average net income per share	\$.371	.242	.266	.283	.362
The source of dividends paid per share: Net income Profit from sale of investments Total dividends per share	\$.260 .500 \$.760	.240 .250 .490	.265 .300 .565	.290 .215 .505	.360 .580 .940
The average percentage of management fees and other expense to averag Management fees Other expense	% 1.25 .05 % 1.30	1.25 .05 1.30	1.25 .06 1.31	1.13 	.91 .10 1.01

Per share calculations were made as undernoted:

- (a) Net asset value on the number of shares outstanding at the end of the fiscal year.
- (b) Net income on the average of the number of shares outstanding at each month end during the fiscal year.
- (c) Source of dividends on the number of shares outstanding at the date of record for the dividends paid during the fiscal year.
- (d) Average management fees and other expense on the average of the net asset value determined at the end of each business

3. Shares outstanding:	1986	1985
Mutual Fund shares outstanding, beginning of year	32,063,033	31,012,659
Add (deduct): Mutual Fund shares sold in year	7,405,218	5,462,059
Mutual Fund shares redeemed in year	(4,627,918)	(4,411,685)
Mutual Fund shares outstanding, end of year	34,840,333	32,063,033
Common shares outstanding, end of year	3,000	3,000
Total shares outstanding, end of year	34,843,333	32,066,033

4. Management fees and other expense:

- (a) I.G. Investment Management Ltd. is the investment manager and in consideration of the management fee provides investment, advisory and administrative services.
- (b) The Investment Management and Service Agreement was amended effective February 14, 1980 and provides for certain expenses to be paid by the Company; the Agreement was further amended effective March 1, 1983 increasing the monthly fee to 5/48 of 1% of the average net assets from 1/12 of 1% of the first \$100,000,000 of the average net assets and 1/16 of 1% of the average net assets in excess of \$100,000,000.
- (c) Miscellaneous expense comprises bank charges and other miscellaneous expenses.
- (d) The management fees and other expense ratio may vary from mutual fund to mutual fund.

5. Brokers' commissions:

Total commissions paid to brokers in connection with portfolio transactions for the year ended October 31, 1986 amounted to \$466,224 (1985 — \$229,703).

During the year ended October 31, 1986, the Manager acted as an agent in connection with sales of \$2,523,340 (1985 — \$233,550) and purchases of \$ Nil (1985 — \$1,347,000) of portfolio securities between the Company and other Investors Mutual Funds or Pooled Trusts of which it is the Manager. The transactions were at market value with normal terms of settlement. No commission is paid on these transactions.

6. Portfolio transactions

A statement of portfolio transactions (unaudited) for the year ended October 31, 1986 will be provided, without charge, by writing to: Investors Mutual of Canada Ltd.

280 Broadway, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 3B6

7. Dividend reinvestment:

By notice to the Company a shareholder may terminate any authorization given providing for automatic reinvestment of income or capital gains dividends.

8. Current Annual Information Form:

Upon request made to the Company any shareholder is entitled to receive a copy of the Company's current annual information form.

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