

# Hybrid Income Funds



Semi-Annual Report 2004

Mulvihill World Financial Split Fund

#### Message to Shareholders

Mulvihill World Financial Split Fund was launched on February 17, 2004, with initial prices of \$15.00 for Class A shares and \$10.00 for Preferred shares. As of June 30, 2004, the net assets of the Fund were \$430.3 million, or \$22.83 per unit, compared to \$23.87 per unit at inception. Class A shares, listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange as WFS, closed on June 30, 2004 trading at \$13.60, while Preferred shares, listed as WFS.PR.A, closed at \$10.44.

Distributions of \$0.44 per Class A share and \$0.19 per Preferred share were made to shareholders on June 30, 2004. Based on the initial share prices, these distributions represent an 8 percent annual yield for Class A shares and a 5.25 percent annual yield for Preferred shares.

The main cause of the decline in net asset value was the general weakness of global financial services equities due to fears about rising interest rates. The TSX Financial Services Index was relatively flat during the period, while the S&P 500 Financials Index and the MSCI World Financial Services Index declined by 3.9 percent and 3.6 percent respectively. Some central banks, such as those in the U.K. and Australia, have already begun tightening monetary policy, and the U.S. Federal Reserve made the first of an expected series of rate hikes at the end of June. The Bank of Canada has yet to follow suit, and a low interest rate environment is expected to continue until significant inflationary pressure develops. Meanwhile, market volatility remains low but is sufficient to maintain option writing programs.

The Fund's portfolio of financial service equities is diversified geographically, with roughly 43 percent invested in the U.S., 30 percent in Canada and 27 percent in international markets. A prudent level of cash is also being maintained for defensive purposes.

We would like to take this opportunity to welcome all shareholders, and thank them for their support.

August 2004

#### Management's Responsibility for Financial Reporting

This report has been prepared in accordance with the Accounting Standards Board guidelines.

The accompanying financial statements of World Financial Split Corp. (operating as Mulvihill World Financial Split Fund) (the "Fund") and all the information in this semi-annual report are the responsibility of the management of Mulvihill Capital Management Inc., (the "Manager"), and have been approved by the Board of Directors (the "Board").

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles and include certain amounts that are based on estimates and judgments. Management has ensured that the other financial information presented in this semi-annual report is consistent with those of the other Hybrid Income Funds financial statements.

The Manager is also responsible for maintaining a system of internal controls designed to provide reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded and that accounting systems provide timely, accurate and reliable financial information.

The Audit Committee meets periodically with management and external auditors to discuss internal controls, the financial reporting process, various auditing and financial reporting issues, and to review the annual report, the financial statements and the external auditors' report. Deloitte & Touche LLP has full and unrestricted access to the Audit Committee and the Board.

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August 2004

#### **Financial Statements**

#### Interim Statement of Financial Position

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ASSETS			
Investments at market value			
(average cost - \$304,539,694)	\$ 291,377,8	399	
Short-term investments			
(average cost - \$147,601,053)	147,359,6	641	
Cash	67,3	384	
Dividends receivable	543,82		
Interest receivable	257,201		
Due from brokers	339,407		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 439,945,3	356	
LIABILITIES			
Due to brokers	\$ 8,929,9	976	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	688,37		
Redeemable Preferred shares	188,500,000		
TOTAL LIABILITIES	198,118,353		
EQUITY			
Class A shares	261,500,6	525	
Deficit	(19,673,622)		
	241,827,0	003	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$ 439,945,356		
Number of Units Outstanding	18,850,000		
Net Asset Value per Unit			
Preferred share	\$ 10.00	000	
Class A share	12.82	290	
	\$ 22.82	290	

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### Interim Statement of Operations and Deficit

For the period from inception on February 17, 2004 to June 30, 2004 (Unaudited)

		2004
REVENUE		
Interest, net of foreign exchange	\$	2,056,603
Dividends		3,224,477
Withholding taxes		(478,771)
		4,802,309
Net realized gain on investments and options		3,358,831
TOTAL REVENUE		8,161,140
EXPENSES		
Management fees		1,775,605
Service fees		363,709
Custodian and other expenses		194,536
GST and capital taxes		137,757
TOTAL EXPENSES		2,471,607
Net Realized Income before Distributions		5,689,533
Preferred share distributions		(3,639,935)
Net Realized Income		2,049,598
Unrealized depreciation of investments,		
options, and foreign currency during the period		(13,403,395)
NET LOSS FOR THE PERIOD	\$	(11,353,797)
NET LOSS PER UNIT (based on weighted		
average number of units outstanding		
during the period of 18,787,037)	\$	(0.6043)
DEFICIT		
Balance, beginning of period	Ś	_
Net loss for the period		(11,353,797)
Distributions on Class A Shares		(8,319,825)
BALANCE, END OF PERIOD	\$	(19,673,622)
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### Interim Statement of Changes in Net Assets

For the period from inception on February 17, 2004 to June 30, 2004 (Unaudited)

		2004
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$	_
Net Realized Income before Distributions		5,689,533
Unit Transactions		
Proceeds from units issued, net of issue costs	2	61,500,625
Distributions		
Preferred shares		(3,639,935)
Class A shares		(8,319,825)
		11,959,760)
Unrealized Depreciation of Investments, Options and Foreign Currency during		
the Period	(	13,403,395)
Changes in Net Assets during the Period	2	41,827,003
NET ASSETS, END OF PERIOD	\$ 241,827,003	
Distribution per Unit		
Distribution per Preferred share	\$	0.193100
Distribution per Class A share	\$	0.441237

### Financial Statements

#### Statement of Investments

	Par Value	Average Cost	Market Value
SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS			
Treasury Bills			
Government of Canada - August 26, 2004 Government of Canada, USD	48,930,000	\$48,647,071	\$48,647,071
- September 17, 2004 Government of Canada	300,000	407,853	400,902
- October 7, 2004 United States Treasury Bills, USD	70,240,000	69,753,732	69,753,732
- August 5, 2004	6,750,000	9,210,210	9,036,911
Total Treasury Bills		128,018,866	127,838,616
Bankers Acceptance Bank of Montreal - September 10, 2004	10,000,000	9,949,600	9,949,600
Discount Commercial Paper			
Export Development Corporation, USD - July 26, 2004 Export Development Corporation, USD	1,100,000	1,504,446	1,472,413
- August 3, 2004 Export Development Corporation, USD	700,000	939,371	937,419
- August 26, 2004 Export Development Corporation, USD	1,400,000	1,881,841	1,873,187
- September 10, 2004 Province of Ontario, USD	650,000	871,835	868,761
- July 13, 2004	700,000	953,084	937,635
Total Discount Commercial Pape	r	6,150,577	6,089,415
Promissory Note Province of Prince Edward Island			
- September 16, 2004	3,500,000	3,482,010	3,482,010
		147,601,053	147,359,641
Accrued Interest			257,201
TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS		\$147,601,053	\$147,616,842

### **Financial Statements**

#### Statement of Investments

	Number of Shares	Average Cost	Market Value
INVESTMENTS			
Canadian Common Shares			
Financials			
Bank of Montreal	217,500	\$12,006,930	\$ 11,607,975
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	175,000	11,714,455	11,410,000
Great-West Lifeco Inc.	177,500	9,004,196	8,555,500
IGM Financial Inc.	164,000	5,556,653	5,361,160
Manulife Financial Corporation	70,000	3,424,842	3,783,500
National Bank of Canada	140,000	6,347,600	6,020,000
Royal Bank of Canada	140,000	8,693,080	8,278,200
Sun Life Financial Services of Canada Inc.	290,000	10,872,497	11,138,900
The Bank of Nova Scotia	325,000	11,086,839	11,641,500
The Toronto-Dominion Bank	250,000	11,144,095	10,720,000
Total Financials		89,851,187	88,516,73
Total Canadian Common Shares		\$89,851,187	\$ 88,516,735
Non-North American Common Sh	nares		
Financials			
	216 000	\$ 6.789.664	\$ 638573/
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR	216,000	\$ 6,789,664 6 410 799	
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR	314,500	6,410,799	5,110,599
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR Allied Irish Banks ADR	314,500 163,000	6,410,799 6,896,128	5,110,599 6,772,63
Financials ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR Allied Irish Banks ADR Banco Bilbao Vizcaya ADR Barclavs PLC ADR	314,500 163,000 478,600	6,410,799 6,896,128 8,881,606	5,110,599 6,772,635 8,662,734
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR Allied Irish Banks ADR Banco Bilbao Vizcaya ADR Barclays PLC ADR	314,500 163,000 478,600 221,000	6,410,799 6,896,128 8,881,606 11,100,839	5,110,599 6,772,639 8,662,734 10,329,239
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR Allied Irish Banks ADR Banco Bilbao Vizcaya ADR Barclays PLC ADR Credit Suisse Group ADR	314,500 163,000 478,600 221,000 205,000	6,410,799 6,896,128 8,881,606 11,100,839 10,302,147	5,110,599 6,772,639 8,662,734 10,329,239 9,842,529
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR Allied Irish Banks ADR Banco Bilbao Vizcaya ADR Barclays PLC ADR Credit Suisse Group ADR HSBC Holdings PLC ADR	314,500 163,000 478,600 221,000	6,410,799 6,896,128 8,881,606 11,100,839 10,302,147 9,027,998	5,110,599 6,772,639 8,662,734 10,329,239 9,842,529 8,537,038
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR Allied Irish Banks ADR	314,500 163,000 478,600 221,000 205,000 85,000	6,410,799 6,896,128 8,881,606 11,100,839 10,302,147	5,110,599 6,772,639 8,662,734 10,329,239 9,842,529 8,537,038 6,800,027
ABN Amro Holdings N.V. ADR Aegon N.V. ADR Allied Irish Banks ADR Banco Bilbao Vizcaya ADR Barclays PLC ADR Credit Suisse Group ADR HSBC Holdings PLC ADR ING Group N.V. ADR UBS AG ADR	314,500 163,000 478,600 221,000 205,000 85,000 214,000	6,410,799 6,896,128 8,881,606 11,100,839 10,302,147 9,027,998 7,321,889	5,110,599 6,772,639 8,662,734 10,329,239 9,842,529 8,537,038 6,800,027 12,766,696
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### Statement of Investments (continued)

	Number of Shares		Average Cost		Market Value
INVESTMENTS (continued)					
United States Common Shares	;				
Financials					
Allstate Corp.	115,000	\$	7,075,993	\$	7,177,382
American Express Company	180,000		12,826,045		12,399,812
American International Group Inc.	138,000		13,500,811		13,188,496
Citigroup Inc.	200,000		13,283,670		12,468,995
Franklin Resource Inc.	144,100		11,030,811		9,675,576
Goldman Sachs Group Inc.	50,000		6,432,474		6,312,261
J.P. Morgan Chase & Co.	160,000		8,564,155		8,316,954
Merrill Lynch & Co.	141,000		11,451,660		10,204,706
Metlife Inc.	150,000		7,119,047		7,209,895
Morgan Stanley	183,000		14,685,936		12,947,523
Northern Trust Corp.	100,000		6,525,238		5,668,700
The Charles Schwab Corporation	263,000		4,435,149		3,388,657
U.S. Bancorp	75,000		2,735,580		2,771,334
Wachovia Corp.	173,000		10,880,372		10,321,781
Total Financials		1	30,546,941	1	22,052,072
Total United States Common Shar	res	\$1	30,546,941	\$1	22,052,072
Forward Exchange Contracts Sold USD \$1,935,000, Bought CAD \$2,537,505 @ 0.762560 - July 7, 2004 Sold USD \$11,914,000, Bought CAD \$16,038,663 @ 0.742830 - July 14, 2004 Sold USD \$20,000,000, Bought CAD \$27,182,777 @ 0.735760 - July 21, 2004 Sold USD \$1,960,000, Bought CAD \$2,702,256 @ 0.725320 - July 21, 2004 Sold USD \$3,038,000, Bought CAD \$4,171,473 @ 0.728280 - August 4, 2004 Sold USD \$20,000,000, Bought CAD \$27,618,969 @ 0.724140 - August 18, 2004 Sold USD \$4,679,000, Bought CAD				\$	(57,233 60,443 356,224 73,253
\$4,171,473 @ 0.728280 - August 4 Sold USD \$20,000,000, Bought CAD	,				95,535 781,256
\$4,171,473 @ 0.728280 - August 4 Sold USD \$20,000,000, Bought CAD \$27,618,969 @ 0.724140 - August	18, 2004				•

### **Financial Statements**

### Statement of Investments (continued)

	Number of Contracts	Proceeds	Market Value
INVESTMENTS (continued)			
OPTIONS			
Written Cash Covered Put Option Fannie May - July 2004 @ \$70 U.S. Bancorp - July 2004 @ \$28	(100 shares pe (900) \$ (500)		(90,501) (45,395)
Total Written Cash Covered Put O	ptions	(170,004)	(135,896)
Written Covered Call Options ABN Ambro Holdings N.V. ADR	(100 shares per c	ontract)	
- July 2004 @ \$22 Aegon N.V. ADR - July 2004 @ \$12 Allstate Corp July 2004 @ \$45 American Express Company	(1,500) (1,000) (860)	(66,505) (24,465) (57,884)	(66,204) (4,884) (196,321)
- July 2004 @ \$52 American International Group Inc.	(1,350)	(85,071)	(38,991)
- July 2004 @ \$73 Bank of Montreal - July 2004 @ \$53 Bank of Montreal - July 2004 @ \$54	(885) (500) (1,000)	(146,265) (25,000) (53,750)	(22,716) (50,402) (15,000)
Barclays PLC ADR - July 2004 @ 37 Banco Bilbao Vizcaya ADR	(1,105)	(109,467)	(13,958)
- July 2004 @ \$14 Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce		(58,625)	(19,368)
- July 2004 @ \$67 Citigroup Inc July 2004 @ \$48 Credit Suisse Group ADR	(1,350) (1,000)	(74,200) (101,634)	(61,680) (3,739)
- July 2004 @ \$35 Credit Suisse Group ADR	(1,000)	(145,944)	(137,427)
- July 2004 @ \$36 Franklin Resource Inc July 2004 @ \$ Franklin Resource Inc July 2004 @ \$ Goldman Sachs Group Inc.		(108,847) (71,583) (62,174)	(107,182) (23,219) (10,103)
Goldman Sachs Group Inc August 2004 @ \$95 Great-West Lifeco Inc July 2004 @ \$ HSBC Holdings PLC ADR - July 2004 @ \$1 ING Group N.V. ADR - July 2004 @ \$2 ING Group N.V. ADR - August 2004 @ J.P. Morgan Chase & Co July 2004 @ \$	) \$75 (637) 3 (750) \$24 (250)	(128,761) (33,000) (85,372) (44,799) (20,024) (88,634)	(181,002) (1,192) (87,089) (74,098) (29,254) (147,134)

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### Statement of Investments (continued)

of	Number Contracts	Proceeds	Market Value
INVESTMENTS (continued)			
OPTIONS (continued)			
Written Covered Call Options (10	0 shares per	contract) (con	tinued)
Manulife Financial Corporation			
- July 2004 @ \$53	(350)	(19,950)	(42,760)
Merrill Lynch & Co July 2004 @ \$57	(1,410)	(196,717)	(5,322)
Metlife Inc July 2004 @ \$36	(1,125)	(75,766)	(77,627)
Morgan Stanley - July 2004 @ \$54	(1,281)	(140,892)	(44,205)
National Bank of Canada			
- July 2004 @ \$44	(700)	(25,200)	(10,641)
Northern Trust Corp July 2004 @ \$42	(1,000)	(116,622)	(67,870)
Royal Bank of Canada - July 2004 @ \$60	(705)	(30,315)	(17,625)
The Charles Schwab Corporation			
- July 2004 @ \$10	(1,300)	(44,603)	(8,654)
Sun Life Financial Services of Canada Inc			
- July 2004 @ \$39	(1,087)	(58,698)	(87,212)
Sun Life Financial Services of Canada Inc			
- August 2004 @ \$39	(1,088)	(60,493)	(91,643)
The Bank of Nova Scotia			
- July 2004 @ \$34	(750)	(32,625)	(114,282)
The Bank of Nova Scotia			
- July 2004 @ \$35	(1700)	(48,850)	(167,880)
The Toronto-Dominion Bank			
- July 2004 @ \$46	(250)	(14,000)	(8)
The Toronto-Dominion Bank			
- August 2004 @ \$45	(893)		(13,237)
UBS AG ADR - July 2004 @ \$76	(1,000)		(130)
U.S. Bancorp - July 2004 @ \$28	(250)		(9,987)
Wachovia Corp July 2004 @ \$48	(1,500)	(125,131)	(16)
Total Written Covered Call Optio	ns	(2,765,051)	(2,050,062)
TOTAL OPTIONS		\$(2,935,055)	\$ (2,185,958)
TOTAL INVESTMENTS		\$304,539,694	\$291,377,899

#### Notes to Financial Statements

June 30, 2004

#### 1. Basis of Presentation

The interim financial statements for the Fund have been prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting standards ("GAAP"). However, not all disclosures required by GAAP for annual financial statements have been presented.

These interim financial statements follow the same accounting policies and method of application as those of the other Mulvihill Hybrid Income Funds.

#### 2. Establishment of the Fund

Mulvihill World Financial Split Fund (the "Fund") is a mutual fund corporation established under the laws of the Province on Ontario on December 5, 2003. The Fund began operations on February 17, 2004. All shares outstanding on June 30, 2011 (the "Termination Date") will be redeemed by the Fund on that date unless otherwise determined by a majority vote of each class of shareholders.

The manager of the Fund is Mulvihill Fund Services Inc. and the Fund's investment manager is Mulvihill Capital Management Inc. The Royal Trust Company is the custodian of the assets of the Fund.

#### 3. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

The Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants ("CICA") issued Section 1100, "Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP")" of the CICA Handbook - Accounting, which establishes standards for financial reporting. Section 1100 applies to all entities, with the exception of rate-regulated operations, for fiscal years beginning on or after October 1, 2003. As a result, certain disclosures previously considered GAAP by virtue of general use in the investment funds industry, are no longer considered GAAP. This section primarily impacts the disclosure of an investment fund's financial statements, and accordingly, has no impact on the valuation of a fund or in the calculation of the net asset value per unit of a fund. The Funds, in conjunction with other investment industry funds, continue to assess the impact of Section 1100 on their financial statements.

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#### Statement of Portfolio Transactions

A copy of the Statement of Portfolio Transactions (unaudited) for Mulvihill World Financial Split Fund for the period ended June 30, 2004 may be obtained without charge by writing to the Fund at 121 King St. W., Suite 2600, Toronto ON M5H 3T9.

#### Hybrid Income Funds Managed by Mulvihill Structured Products

#### Mulvihill Platinum

Mulvihill Pro-AMS *U.S. Fund*Mulvihill Pro-AMS *RSP Fund*Mulvihill Pro-AMS *100 Plus (Cdn \$) Fund*Mulvihill Pro-AMS *100 Plus (U.S. \$) Fund*Mulvihill Pro-AMS *RSP Split Share Fund* 

#### Mulvihill Premium

Mulvihill Premium Canadian Fund
Mulvihill Premium U.S. Fund
Mulvihill Premium Oil & Gas Fund
Mulvihill Premium 60 Plus Fund
Mulvihill Premium Canadian Bank Fund
Mulvihill Premium Global Plus Fund
Mulvihill Premium Split Share Fund
Mulvihill Premium Global Telecom Fund
Mulvihill World Financial Split Fund

#### Mulvihill Summit

Mulvihill Summit Digital World Fund

#### Mutual Funds Managed by Mulvihill Capital Management

Mulvihill Canadian Money Market Fund
Mulvihill Canadian Bond Fund
Mulvihill Canadian Equity Fund
Mulvihill Global Equity Fund
Mulvihill U.S. Equity Fund
Premium Global Income Fund
Premium Canadian Income Fund

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