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# TACT SHEET

## INFLATION PROTECTED BOND 529 OPTION

This fund is a member of the BlackRock College Advantage Plan\*

#### **Investment Approach**

Seeks to maximize real return consistent with preservation of real capital and prudent investment management by investing primarily in inflation-indexed bonds of varying maturities.

#### % AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (3/31/24)1

Without Sales Charge	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Inception
Unit Class A	-0.36	-0.94	2.28	1.61	2.29
Unit Class C	-1.11	-1.68	1.67	1.31	2.08
Unit Class I	-0.14	-0.70	_	_	2.08
With Sales Charge	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Inception
Unit Class A	-3.35	-1.94	1.66	1.30	2.07
Unit Class C	-2.10	-1.68	1.67	1.31	2.08
U.S. TIPS <sup>2</sup>	0.46	-0.53	2.49	2.21	2.97

#### % CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (PERFORMANCE WITHOUT SALES CHARGES)1

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD	1Q24
Unit Class A	7.81	11.33	5.33	-11.84	3.36	0.14	0.14
Unit Class C	7.05	10.50	4.53	-12.48	2.64	-0.08	-0.08
Unit Class I	7.90	11.63	5.66	-11.63	3.62	0.14	0.14
U.S. TIPS <sup>2</sup>	8.43	10.99	5.96	-11.85	3.90	-0.08	-0.08

Performance data quoted represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. Investment returns and principal values may fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than that shown. All returns assume reinvestment of all dividend and capital gain distributions. Refer to **www.blackrock.com** for current month-end performance. Investment returns reflect total fund operating expenses, net of all fees, waivers, and/or expense reimbursements. Index performance is shown for illustrative purposes only. It is not possible to invest directly in an unmanaged index.

The share classes have different sales charges, fees and other features.

Returns with sales charge reflect the deduction of current maximum initial sales charge of 4% for Unit Class A and applicable contingent deferred sales charges (CDSC) for Unit Class C. The maximum CDSC of 1% for Unit Class C is reduced to 0% after 1 year.

Unit Class I are purchased with no initial sales charge, no CDSC charge applied and no ongoing sales charge. Only available to certain clients or intermediaries.

#### SECTOR ALLOCATION

	(% Notional Exposures)		(% Notional Exposures)
<b>US Government Related</b>	82.3	Emerging Markets	0.8
Net Derivatives	26.0	Investment Grade Credit	0.3
Agency Mortgages	6.2	Equity	0.2
Securitized Products	5.3	Other	0.0
High Yield	1.9	Non-US Developed	-2.3

#### CREDIT QUALITY (% MARKET VALUE)

AAA Rated	AA Rated	A Rated	BBB Rated	BB Rated	B Rated	Not Rated	Cash	Deriv- atives	ı
1.4	113.5	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.1	3.3	-20.6	0.2	

The fund itself has not been rated by an independent rating agency. Credit quality ratings on underlying securities of the fund are received from S&P, Moody's and Fitch and converted to the equivalent S&P major rating category. This breakdown is provided by BlackRock and takes the median rating of the three agencies when all three agencies rate a security, the lower of the two ratings if only two agencies rate a security and one rating if that is all that is provided. Unrated securities do not necessarily indicate low quality. Below-investment-grade is represented by a rating of BB and below. Ratings and portfolio credit quality may change over time.

#### **INCEPTION DATE**

	Inception	NASDAQ Symbol
Class A	09/29/09	BORAX
Class C	09/29/09	BORCX
Class I	07/15/19	BORIX

#### **Portfolio Managers**

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#### PORTFOLIO STATISTICS

	Option
Number of Holdings	204
Weighted Avg. Life <sup>3</sup>	8.78 yrs
Effective Duration <sup>3</sup>	6.35 yrs

#### TOTAL EXPENSE RATIO (% OF ASSETS)

	Total
Unit Class A	0.73
Unit Class C	1.48
Unit Class I	0.48

Expenses stated as of the fund's most recent program description.

#### **UNIT CLASS IDENTIFERS**

	CUSIP
Unit Class A	19452P859
Unit Class C	19452P842
Unit Class I	19452P156

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