

# PFXF VanEck Vectors Preferred Securities ex Financials ETF



As of January 31, 2020

## Fund Details

Fund Ticker	PFXF
Intraday NAV (IIV)	PFXFIV
Index Ticker	WHPSL
Total Net Assets (\$M)	810.58
Number of Holdings	129
Exchange	NYSE Arca
Commencement	07/16/12
Distribution Frequency	Monthly

## Yield\*

30-Day SEC Yield	5.25%
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\*30-Day SEC Yield reflects the investment income earned after deducting a fund's expenses for the period. This yield does not necessarily reflect the yield that an investor will receive. Distributions may vary from time to time.

## Fees & Expenses\*

Management Fee	0.40%
Other Expenses	0.06%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses	--
Gross Expense Ratio	0.46%
Fee Waivers and Expense Reimbursement	-0.05%
Net Expense Ratio	0.41%

\*Expenses for PFXF are capped contractually at 0.40% until September 1, 2020. Cap excludes acquired fund fees and expenses, interest expense, trading expenses, taxes and extraordinary expenses.

## Fund Description

The VanEck Vectors<sup>®</sup> Preferred Securities ex Financials ETF (PFXF<sup>®</sup>) seeks to replicate as closely as possible, before fees and expenses, the price and yield performance of the Wells Fargo<sup>®</sup> Hybrid and Preferred Securities ex Financials Index. The Index is intended to track the overall performance of U.S.-listed preferred securities excluding those with a financial sector classification, including securities that, in Wells Fargo Securities LLC's judgment, are functionally equivalent to preferred securities such as convertible securities, depository preferred securities and perpetual subordinated debt.

## Top 10 Holdings

Holding Name	Maturity	% of Net Assets
BECTON DICKINSON AND CO	05/01/2020	4.66
SEMPRA ENERGY	01/15/2021	3.14
SOUTHERN CO/THE	08/01/2022	2.81
DOMINION ENERGY INC	06/01/2022	2.54
NEXTERA ENERGY INC	09/01/2022	2.35
AT&T INC	11/01/2066	2.01
DTE ENERGY CO	11/01/2022	1.91
AVANTOR INC	05/15/2022	1.89
AT&T INC	Perpetual	1.79
DUKE ENERGY CORP	Perpetual	1.62
<b>Top 10 Total</b>		<b>24.72</b>

These are not recommendations to buy or to sell any security. Securities and holdings may vary.

## Performance History: Average Annual Total Returns\* (%)

Month End as of 01/31/20	1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	07/16/12	LIFE
PFXF (NAV)	2.58	3.38	2.58	14.13	7.25	5.63	--	--	6.25
PFXF (Share Price)	2.49	3.51	2.49	13.98	7.46	5.51	--	--	6.28
WHPSL (Index)	1.84	3.48	1.84	14.63	7.30	5.64	--	--	6.26
Performance Differential (NAV - Index)	0.74	-0.10	0.74	-0.50	-0.05	-0.01	--	--	-0.01

Quarter End as of 12/31/19	1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	07/16/12	LIFE
PFXF (NAV)	1.51	0.87	20.16	20.16	7.58	5.60	--	--	5.96
PFXF (Share Price)	1.51	0.92	20.41	20.41	7.62	5.53	--	--	6.00
WHPSL (Index)	2.32	1.74	20.69	20.69	7.60	5.59	--	--	6.08
Performance Differential (NAV - Index)	-0.81	-0.87	-0.53	-0.53	-0.02	0.01	--	--	-0.12

\*Returns less than one year are not annualized.

In the absence of temporary expense waivers or reimbursements, the 30-Day SEC Yield for VanEck Vectors Preferred Securities ex Financials ETF would have been 5.22% on 01/31/20.

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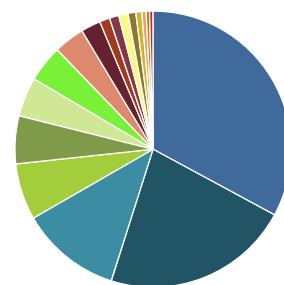
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## Top 10 Countries

Country	% of Net Assets
United States	94.85
Bermuda	3.29
Canada	1.99
<b>Top 10 Total</b>	<b>100.13</b>

## Industry Weightings

Sector	% of Net Assets
Electric	32.9
REITS	22.0
Telecommunications	11.8
Healthcare-Products	6.6
Pipelines	5.6
Insurance	4.6
Gas	4.3
Agriculture	3.6
Auto Manufacturers	2.3
Chemicals	1.2
Internet	1.1
Energy-Alternate Sources	1.1
Water	0.9
Retail	0.7
Office/Business Equip	0.5
Sovereign	0.4
Diversified Finan Serv	0.4
Other/Cash	-0.1



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