



# **Interim Report to Unitholders**

June 30, 2025



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The interim management report of fund performance is an analysis and explanation that is designed to complement and supplement an investment fund's interim financial statements. A copy of the interim financial statements has been included within the Interim Report to Unitholders. You can also get a copy of the interim financial statements at your request, and at no cost, by calling 1-888-622-1813, by visiting our website at www.sprott.com or SEDAR at www.sedarplus.ca or by writing to us at: Sprott Asset Management LP, Royal Bank Plaza, South Tower, 200 Bay Street, Suite 2600, P.O. Box 26, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2J1.

Unitholders may also contact us using one of these methods to request a copy of the investment fund's proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record, or quarterly portfolio disclosure.

## Interim Management Report of Fund Performance (in U.S. dollars)

## Management Discussion of Fund Performance

#### Investment Objective and Strategies

Sprott Physical Copper Trust (the "Trust") is a closed-end investment trust established on April 12, 2024 under the laws of the Province of Ontario, Canada and its provisions and features are set out in an amended and restated trust agreement dated as of May 10, 2024. Sprott Asset Management LP (the "Manager") is the manager of the Trust. WMC Energy B.V. is the technical advisor (the "Advisor") to the Manager.

The Trust was created to invest and hold substantially all of its assets in physical copper. The Trust seeks to provide a secure, convenient and exchange-traded investment alternative for investors interested in holding physical copper without the inconvenience that is typical of a direct investment in physical copper. The Trust intends to achieve its objective by investing primarily in long-term holdings of unencumbered, fully allocated, physical copper and does not speculate with regard to short-term changes in copper prices.

#### Recent Developments

On June 6, 2024, the Trust closed its initial public offering of 10,000,000 transferable units (the "Units") at a price of \$10 per Unit (the "Offering") and generated gross proceeds of \$100 million. Canaccord Genuity Corp., BMO Nesbitt Burns Inc. and Cantor Fitzgerald Canada Corporation (as "Joint Bookrunners") and RBC Dominion Securities Inc. and TD Securities Inc. (together with the Joint Bookrunners, the "Underwriters") acted as underwriters of the IPO. The units commenced trading on the same day in both U.S. dollars and Canadian dollars on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("TSX") under the symbols "COP.U" and "COP.UN".

On June 20, 2024, in connection with the Offering, the Underwriters partially exercised the over-allotment option and purchased 1,000,000 transferable Units at the initial public offering price of \$10.00 per Unit (the "Over Allotment Exercise") and generated gross proceeds of \$10 million.

Of the \$110 million gross proceeds raised through the above transactions, the Trust paid approximately \$6.1 million in respect of underwriting commissions and other expenses, invested \$100.4 million in physical copper at an average cost of \$10,025.87 per metric ton and retained \$3.5 million in cash in order to provide available funds for the Trust's ongoing expenses and potential redemptions.

On July 8, 2024, the Trust entered into a Sales Agreement with Cantor Fitzgerald Canada Corporation, Virtu Canada Corp., Canaccord Genuity Corp. and BMO Nesbitt Burns Inc. whereby the Trust may, in its sole discretion and subject to its operating and investment restrictions, offer and sell trust units through an "at the market offering" program (the "ATM Program") in transactions on the TSX through a market maker in Canada pursuant to a prospectus supplement to a short form base shelf prospectus filed with the Ontario Securities Commission, as principal regulator, and with each of the securities commissions or similar regulatory authorities in each of the provinces and territories of Canada.

#### Risks

The risks of investing in the Trust are detailed in the Trust's most recent prospectus or any amendments thereto. During the period, there were no changes to the Trust that materially affected the overall risk level associated with an investment in the Trust.

#### **Results of Operations**

For the six months ended June 30, 2025, the unrealized gains on physical copper amounted to \$15.5 million and net realized losses on physical copper amounted to \$1.7 million, compared to the unrealized losses of \$4.8 million and no net realized gains or losses during the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024.

During the six months ended June 30, the Trust issued no units through the at-the-market offering program (the "ATM Program"), and redeemed 165,522 units for \$1.2 million of cash. Comparatively, for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024, the Trust issued no units through the ATM Program and redeemed no units.

The value of the net assets¹ of the Trust as at June 30, 2025 was \$102.0 million or \$9.38 per unit, compared to \$90.1 million or \$8.16 per unit as at December 31, 2024. The Trust held 10,046 metric tons of physical copper as at June 30, 2025 compared to 10,166 metric tons at December 31, 2024. As at June 30, 2025, the spot price of physical copper was \$10,126.11 per metric ton compared to the spot price of physical copper of \$8,778.83 per metric ton as at December 31, 2024. The Trust returned 14.9% compared to the return on spot copper of 15.3% for the six months ended June 30, 2025. Comparatively, for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024, the Trust returned -10.7% compared to the return on spot copper of -4.5%.

The units of the Trust closed at \$7.65 on the TSX on June 30, 2025 compared to closing price \$6.53 on the TSX on December 31, 2024. These units are denominated in U.S. dollars on the exchange. During the six months ended June 30, 2025, the Trust's units traded on the TSX at an average discount to net asset value of approximately 15.6%, compared to an average discount of approximately 5.1% for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024.

The Trust pays its own expenses, which include, but are not limited to, audit, legal, and trustee fees, unitholder reporting expenses, general and administrative fees, filing and listing fees payable to applicable securities regulatory authorities and stock exchange, storage fees and commission of 1% on the sale and purchase of physical copper, and any expenses associated with the Independent Review Committee of the Trust. Operating expenses<sup>2</sup> for the six months ended June 30, 2025 amounted \$0.5 million, and amounted to 1.11% of average net assets<sup>3</sup> during the period on an annualized basis, compared to \$0.1 million and 1.77% for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024.

#### **Related Party Transactions**

The transactions between the Trust and its related parties during the reporting period are outlined below:

#### Management Fees

The Trust pays the Manager, a monthly management fee equal to ½12 of 0.50% of the value of the net assets of the Trust (determined in accordance with the Trust's trust agreement), plus any applicable sales taxes. The management fee is calculated and accrued daily and payable monthly in arrears on the last day of each month. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, the Trust incurred management fees of \$0.2 million (not including applicable sales taxes) compared to a nominal amount for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024. As at June 30, 2025, the Trust has no management fee payable<sup>4</sup> (not including applicable sales taxes) compared to a nominal amount of management fee payable<sup>4</sup> (not including applicable sales taxes) as at December 31, 2024.

Net assets are equal to total assets less total liabilities (or total equity) on the statement of financial position.

The operating expenses non-GAAP measure is calculated for the year-to-date to June 30, 2025 as total expenses per the unaudited statements of comprehensive income (loss) less management fees of \$0.2 million, commissions of \$nil, sales tax of \$nil, and net foreign exchange losses (gains) of \$nil (amounts for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024 were \$nil, \$1.0 million, \$nil, and \$nil, respectively).

Average net assets is the average of the daily net asset value of the Trust for the applicable period.

Included in Accounts payable on the unaudited statements of financial position, if any.

#### Commissions and Additional Fees

Pursuant to the management agreement, the Trust pays the Manager a commission of 1% of the gross value of any purchases or sales of copper, plus any applicable sales taxes, provided that the Manager shall be responsible for any and all third party brokerage fees, commissions and service charges and other similar fees relating to all such transactions. The Trust also pays the Manager an enhancement fee equal to 50% of the profit on all other transactions involving copper, which are not outright purchases or sales of copper, such as lending and exchange transactions. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, enhancement fees due to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount and commissions and other services due to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount (not including applicable sales taxes) respectively for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024. As at June 30, 2025, enhancement fees payable to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount (not including applicable sales taxes), and commissions and other services payable to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount (not including applicable sales taxes), compared to \$nil and \$nil respectively as at December 31, 2024.

Upon any unitholders' redemption for cash, the unitholders pay the Manager an administration fee equivalent to 1.0% of the aggregate Class Net Asset Value of the redeemed Units as at the applicable redemption date. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, administration fees charged to the unitholders from the Manager amounted to a nominal amount, compared to \$nil for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024.

### Financial Highlights

The following tables show selected key financial information about the Trust and are intended to help you understand the Trust's financial performance for the period indicated. All dollar amounts are expressed in U.S. dollars.

The Trust's Net Assets Per Unit<sup>1</sup>

	For the six	
	months ended	For the
	June 30, 2025	period ended
	(unaudited)	December 31, 2024 <sup>2</sup>
	\$	\$
Net assets, beginning of period	8.16	10.00 <sup>3</sup>
Increase (decrease) from operations4:		
Total revenue	0.01	0.02
Total expenses	(0.07)	(0.19)
Realized gains (losses) for the period	(0.16)	_
Unrealized gains (losses) for the period	1.41	(1.14)
Total increase (decrease) from operations	1.19	(1.31)
Net assets, end of period	9.38	8.16

- 1 This information is derived from the Fund's unaudited semi-annual and audited annual financial statements.
- 2 2024 information is for the period from June 6, 2024 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2024.
- 3 Initial net assets
- 4 Net assets per unit is calculated based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant period end date. The increase/decrease from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding over the period shown. This table is not intended to be a reconciliation of the beginning to ending net assets per unit.

#### Ratios and Supplemental Data

	For the six months ended June 30, 2025 (unaudited)	For the period ended December 31, 2024 <sup>1</sup>
Total net asset value (000's) <sup>2</sup>	\$101,950	\$90,067
Number of Units outstanding <sup>2</sup>	10,869,335	11,034,857
Management expense ratio <sup>3</sup>	1.61%	2.03%
Trading expense ratio⁴	0.00%	1.86%
Portfolio turnover rate <sup>5</sup>	38.10	_
Net asset value per Unit	\$9.38	\$8.166
Closing market price – TSX	\$7.65	\$6.53

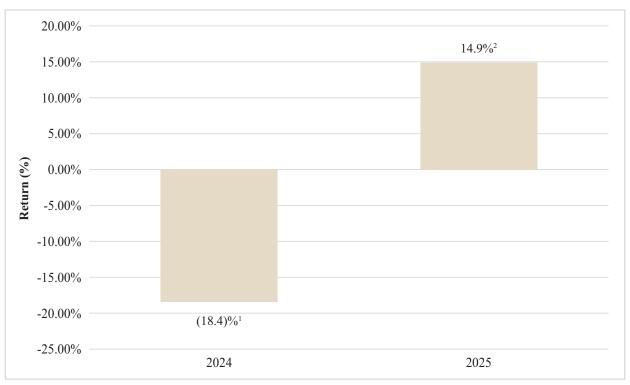
- 1 2024 information is for the period from June 6, 2024 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2024
- This information is provided as at the date shown, as applicable.
- 3 Management expense ratio ("MER") is based on total expenses (including applicable sales taxes and excluding commissions) for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of average daily net asset value during the period.
- 4 The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and is expressed as an annualized percentage of average daily net asset value during the period shown.
- The Trust's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Trust's portfolio adviser trades its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover rate of 100% is equivalent to the Trust buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher the Trust's portfolio turnover rate in a period, the greater the trading costs payable by the Trust in the period, and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains in the period. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of the Trust.
- As at December 31, 2024, there was a difference between the previously reported net asset value per Unit of \$8.20 as at the date of the financial statements compared to the total equity per unit of \$8.16 as presented in the statement of financial position, for a difference of \$0.04. This difference was the result of additional information collected up to the date the financial statements were prepared and available to be issued. The valuation/cancellation of Units was not affected by this difference

#### Past Performance

The indicated rates of return are the historical total returns including changes in unit values and assumes reinvestment of all distributions in additional units of the Trust. These returns do not take into account sales, distribution or optional charges or income taxes payable by any unitholder that may reduce returns. Please note that past performance is not indicative of future performance. All rates of returns are calculated based on the net asset value of the units of the Trust.

#### Year-by-Year Returns

The bar chart below indicates the performance of the Trust units for the period shown. The chart shows, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on the first day of the period would have increased or decreased by the last day of each period.



- 1 For the period from June 6, 2024 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2024.
- 2 For the six months ended June 30, 2025.

### Summary of Investment Portfolio

The following Top Holdings table shows the 25 largest positions (or all positions if the total number of positions is less than 25) held by the Trust as at June 30, 2025 based on the fair value of the position, expressed as a percentage of the Trust's net asset value.

PORTFOLIO ALLOCAT	TION	
Asset Class	% of Net Asset Value Positio	on
Copper	99.8 Physic	al coppe
Cash	0.6 Cash	
Other assets, less liabilities	(0.4) Other	assets, le
	Total	
Total Net Asset Value (000's)	\$ 101,950	

TOP HOLDINGS	
	% of
	Net Asset
Position	Value
Physical copper	99.8
Cash	0.6
Other assets, less liabilities	(0.4)
Total	100.0

The summary of investment portfolio may change due to the ongoing portfolio transactions of the Trust.

Unaudited interim financial statements

June 30, 2025

# Unaudited statements of comprehensive income (loss) (in thousands of U.S. dollars, except unit amounts)

	For the six months ended June 30, 2025	For the period from April 12, 2024 to June 30, 2024
	\$	\$
Income		
Net realized gains (losses) on sale of copper (note 5)	(1,720)	_
Change in unrealized gains (losses) on copper (note 5)	15,494	(4,784)
Other income	63	177
	13,837	(4,607)
Expenses		
Storage fees	319	44
Management fees (note 8)	240	29
Audit fees	82	16
Listing and regulatory filing fees	51	27
Administrative fees	48	5
Legal fees	19	9
Unitholder reporting costs	10	3
Independent Review Committee fees	4	1
Trustee fees	2	_
Custodial fees	1	_
Net foreign exchange losses (gains)		_
Commissions (note 8)	_	999
	776	1,133
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss)	13,061	(5,740)
Weighted average number of Units	11,008,337	10,391,3041
Increase (decrease) in total equity from operations per Unit	1.19	(0.55)

For the period from June 6, 2024 (commencement of operations) to June 30, 2024.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

## Unaudited statements of financial position

(in thousands of U.S. dollars)

	As at June 30, 2025	As at December 31, 2024
	\$	\$
Assets		
Cash	643	891
Sales tax recoverable	53	189
Copper (note 5)	101,727	89,246
Total assets	102,423	90,326
Liabilities		
Due to manager	68	_
Due to broker	63	_
Accounts payable (note 8)	342	259
Total liabilities	473	259
Equity		
Unitholders' capital	108,400	110,056
Unit premiums and reserves	123	61
Retained earnings (deficit)	(498)	(13,975)
Underwriting commissions and issue expenses	(6,075)	(6,075)
Total equity (note 7)	101,950	90,067
Total liabilities and equity	102,423	90,326
Total equity per Unit	9.38	8.16

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On behalf of the Manager, Sprott Asset Management LP, by its General Partner, Sprott Asset Management GP Inc.:

Kevin Hibber Director John Ciampaglia Director

# Unaudited statements of changes in equity (in thousands of U.S. dollars, except unit amounts) For the period ended June 30, 2025 and 2024

	Number of		Retained	Underwriting Commissions	Unit Premiums	
	Units	Unitholders'	Earnings	and Issue	and	
	Outstanding	Capital	(Deficit)	Expenses	Reserves	Total Equity
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance as at April 12, 2024 <sup>1</sup>	1	_	_	_	_	_
Cancellation of Unit <sup>1</sup>	(1)	_	_	_	_	_
Proceeds from issuance of Units (note 7)	11,000,000	110,000	_	_	_	110,000
Cost of redemption of Units (note 7)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) for the period	_	_	(5,740)	_	_	(5,740)
Underwriting commissions and issue expenses	_	_	_	(6,071)	_	(6,071)
Balance as at June 30, 2024	11,000,000	110,000	(5,740)	(6,071)	_	98,189
Balance as at January 1, 2025	11,034,857	110,056	(13,975)	(6,075)	61	90,067
Cancellation of Unit	_	_	_	_	_	_
Proceeds from issuance of Units (note 7)	_	_	_	_	_	_
Cost of redemption of Units (note 7)	(165,522)	(1,656)	416	_	62	(1,178)
Net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) for the period	_	_	13,061	_	_	13,061
Underwriting commissions and issue expenses	_	_	_	_	_	_
Balance as at June 30, 2025	10,869,335	108,400	(498)	(6,075)	123	101,950

Initial unit was issued for a purchase price of \$10 (rounded to the nearest thousand) and subsequently sold for \$10 (rounded to the nearest thousand). Upon completion of such purchase and sale, the initial

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## Unaudited statements of cash flows

(in thousands of U.S. dollars)

	For the six months ended June 30, 2025	For the period from April 12, 2024 to June 30, 2024
	\$	\$
Cash flows from operating activities		
Net income (loss) for the period	13,061	(5,740)
Adjustment to reconcile net income (loss) for the period to net cash from operating activities		
Net realized (gains) losses on sales of copper	1,720	
Change in unrealized (gains) losses on copper	(15,494)	4,784
Net changes in operating assets and liabilities		
(Increase) decrease in sales tax recoverable	136	(28)
Increase (decrease) in due to manager	68	999
Increase (decrease) in due to broker	63	_
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	83	875
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(363)	890
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchases of copper		(99,936)
Sales of copper	1,293	
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	1,293	(99,936)
Cash flows from financing activities		
Proceeds from issuance of Units (note 7)	_	103,930
Payments on redemption of Units (note 7)	(1,178)	_
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(1,178)	103,930
Net increase (decrease) in cash during the period	(248)	4,884
Cash at beginning of period	891	_
Cash at end of period	643	4,884

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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### 1. Organization of the Trusts

Sprott Physical Copper Trust (the "Trust") is a closed-end investment trust created under the laws of the Province of Ontario, Canada, pursuant to a trust agreement dated as of April 12, 2024, as amended and restated on May 10, 2024. The commencement of operations of the Trust was June 6, 2024. Sprott Asset Management LP (the "Manager") acts as the manager of the Trust. RBC Investor Services Trust, a trust company organized under the laws of Canada, acts as the trustee of the Trust. RBC Investor Services Trust also acts as custodian on behalf of the Trust for the Trust's assets other than physical copper. Access World, Pacorini Global Services (PGS), and C. Steinweg Group individually act as custodians on behalf of the Trust for the physical copper owned by the Trust. The Trust's registered office is located at Suite 2600, South Tower, Royal Bank Plaza, 200 Bay Street, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M5J 2J1.

The investment objective of the Trust is to provide a secure, convenient and exchange-traded investment alternative for investors interested in holding physical copper without the inconvenience that is typical of a direct investment in physical copper. The Trust invests and intends to continue to invest primarily in long-term holdings of unencumbered, fully allocated, physical copper and does not speculate with regard to short-term changes in copper prices.

The Trust is authorized to issue an unlimited number of redeemable, transferable trust units (the "Units"). All issued Units have no par value, are fully paid for, and are listed and traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange (the "TSX"). The date of inception and trading symbols of the Trust are as follows:

Trust	Trust Agreement date	Initial Public Offering date	TSX USD and CAD symbols, respectively
Sprott Physical Copper Trust	April 12, 2024, as amended and restated as of May 10, 2024	June 6, 2024	COP.U, COP.UN

The unaudited statements of financial position for the Trusts are as at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024. The unaudited statements of comprehensive income (loss), the unaudited statements of changes in equity, and unaudited statements of cash flows for the Trusts are for the six month period ended June 30, 2025 and the period from April 12, 2024 to June 30, 2024. These unaudited interim financial statements were authorized for issue by the Manager on August 15, 2025.

## 2. Basis of Preparation

These unaudited interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 Interim Financial Reporting as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and include estimates and assumptions made by the Manager that may affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income, expenses and the reported amounts of changes in equity during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis using the historical cost convention, except for physical copper and financial assets and financial liabilities held at fair value through profit or loss, which have been measured at fair value.

The financial statements are presented in U.S. dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand (\$000s) unless otherwise indicated.

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### 3. Summary of Material Accounting Policies

The following is a summary of material accounting policy information followed by the Trust:

#### Physical copper

Investments in physical copper are measured at fair value determined by reference to published price quotations, with unrealized and realized gains and losses recorded in income based on the International Accounting Standards ("IAS") 40, *Investment Property* fair value model. Investment transactions in physical copper are accounted for on the trade date basis. Realized and unrealized gains and losses of holdings are calculated on a weighted average cost basis. From time to time, the Trust enters into location exchanges with third parties whereby the Trust provides copper to the counterparty at a storage facility and receives the same amount and type of copper at an alternate storage facility.

#### Other assets and liabilities

Other assets and liabilities are recognized at fair value upon initial recognition. Other assets such as due from broker and other receivables are classified as loans and receivables and measured at amortized cost. Other financial liabilities are measured at amortized cost.

#### Income taxes

In each taxation year, the Trust will be subject to income tax on taxable income earned during the year, including net realized taxable capital gains. However, the Trust intends to distribute its taxable income to unitholders at the end of every fiscal year and therefore the Trust would not have any income tax liability. As a result, the Manager has determined that the Trusts are in substance not taxable and therefore do not record income taxes in the statements of comprehensive income (loss) nor do they recognize any deferred tax assets or liabilities in the statements of financial position.

#### Functional and presentation currency

The Trust's functional and presentation currency is the U.S. dollar. The Trust's performance is evaluated and its liquidity is managed in U.S. dollars. Therefore, the U.S. dollar is considered as the currency that most faithfully represents the economic effects of the underlying transactions, events and conditions.

## 4. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgments

The preparation of financial statements requires management to use judgment in applying its accounting policies and to make estimates and assumptions about the future. The following discusses the most significant accounting judgments and estimates that the Trust has made in preparing the financial statements:

#### Estimation uncertainty

For income tax purposes, the Trust generally treats gains (or losses) from the disposition of copper as capital gains (or losses), rather than income, as the Trust intends to be a long-term passive holder of copper, and generally disposes of its holdings in copper only for the purposes of meeting redemptions and to pay expenses. The Canada Revenue Agency has, however, expressed its opinion that gains (or losses) of investment trusts resulting from transactions in commodities should generally be treated for tax purposes as ordinary income rather than as capital gains (or losses), although the treatment in each particular case remains a question of fact to be determined having regard to all the circumstances.

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The Trust based its assumptions and estimates on information available when the financial statements were prepared. However, existing circumstances and assumptions about future developments may change due to market changes or circumstances arising beyond the control of the Trust. Such changes are reflected in the assumptions when they occur.

#### 5. Fair Value Measurements

The Trust uses a three-tier hierarchy as a framework for disclosing fair value based on inputs used to value its investments. The fair value hierarchy has the following levels:

- Level 1 Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities that the Trust has the ability to access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 Quoted prices which are not active, or inputs that are observable (either directly or indirectly) for substantially the full term of the asset or liability; and
- Level 3 Prices, inputs or complex modeling techniques which are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable (supported by little or no market activity).

Physical copper is measured at fair value. The fair value measurement of all copper falls within Level 2 of the hierarchy, and is based on published price quotations. All fair value measurements are recurring. The carrying values of cash, sales tax recoverable, other assets, accounts payable, due to manager and trade and other liabilities, where applicable, approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature.

The reconciliation of copper holdings for the six months ended June 30, 2025 and period ended December 31, 2024 is presented as follows:

	June 30, 2025	December 31, 2024
	\$	\$
Balance at beginning of period	89,246	_
Purchases	36,448	101,788
Sales	(37,741)	_
Net realized gains (losses) on sales of physical copper	(1,720)	_
Net change in unrealized gains (losses)	15,494	(12,542)
Balance at end of period	101,727	89,246

The acquisition cost of physical copper as at June 30, 2025 and December 31, 2024 were \$98,775 and \$101,788, respectively.

### 6. Financial Risk, Management and Objectives

The Trust's objective in managing risk is the creation and protection of unitholder value. Risk is inherent in the Trust's activities, but it is managed through a process of ongoing identification, measurement and monitoring, subject to risk limits and other controls. The Trust has investment guidelines that sets out its overall business strategies, its tolerance for risk and its general risk management philosophy, as noted in the Trust's offering documents. The Trust's Manager is responsible for identifying and managing risks. The Trust is exposed to market risk (which includes price risk, interest rate risk and currency risk), credit risk, liquidity risk and concentration risk arising from the copper that it holds. Only certain risks of the Trust are actively managed by the Manager, as the Trust is a passive investment vehicle. Significant risks that are relevant to the Trust are discussed below.

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#### Price risk

Price risk arises from the possibility that changes in the market price of the Trust's investments, which consist almost entirely of copper, will result in changes in fair value of such investments. If the price of copper increased by 1%, with all other variables held constant, this would have increased total equity and comprehensive income by approximately \$1.0 million (December 31, 2024: \$0.9 million); conversely, if the value of copper decreased by 1%, this would have decreased total equity and comprehensive income by the same amount.

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk arises from the possibility that changes in interest rates will affect the value of financial instruments. The Trust does not hedge its exposure to interest rate risk as that risk is minimal.

#### Currency risk

Currency risk arises from the possibility that changes in the price of foreign currencies will result in changes in carrying value. The Trust's assets, substantially all of which consist of investment in copper, are priced in U.S. dollars. Some of the Trust's expenses are payable in Canadian dollars. Therefore, the Trust is exposed to currency risk, as the value of its assets and liabilities denominated in Canadian dollars will fluctuate due to changes in exchange rates. Most of such assets and liabilities, however, are short term in nature and are not significant in relation to the net assets of the Trust, and, as such, exposure to foreign exchange risk is limited. The Trust does not enter into currency hedging transactions.

As at June 30, 2025, approximately \$(212) (December 31, 2024: \$60) of the Trust's sales tax recoverable, other assets, and accounts payable were denominated in Canadian dollars. As a result, a 1% change in the exchange rate between the Canadian and U.S. dollars would not have a material impact to the Trust.

#### Credit risk

Credit risk arises from the potential that counterparties will fail to satisfy their obligations as they come due. The Trust primarily incurs credit risk when entering into and settling copper transactions. It is the Trust's policy to only transact with reputable counterparties. The Manager, in conjunction with its Advisor, closely monitors the creditworthiness of the Trust's counterparties, such as copper suppliers, by reviewing their financial statements when available, regulatory notices and press releases. The Trust seeks to minimize credit risk relating to unsettled transactions in copper by only engaging in transactions with copper suppliers with high creditworthiness who are governed by the membership and governance rules of the London Metal Exchange ("LME"). The LME is a Recognized Investment Exchange (RIE), regulated directly by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) for the trading of industrial metals.

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is defined as the risk that the Trust will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities and redemptions. Liquidity risk arises because of the possibility that the Trust could be required to pay its liabilities earlier than expected. The Trust is also subject to redemptions for both cash and physical copper. The Trust manages its obligation to redeem units when required to do so and its overall liquidity risk by only allowing for limited redemptions semi-annually, as described in Note 7, which requires 15-day advance notice to the Trust. The Trust's liquidity risk is minimal, since its primary investment is physical copper, which trades in a highly liquid market. All of the Trust's financial liabilities, including trade and other, accounts payable and management fees payable, as applicable, have maturities of less than three months.

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#### Concentration risk

The Trust's risk is concentrated in physical copper held by two custodians, whose value constitutes 66.6% and 33.2% of total equity as at June 30, 2025. (70.1%, 19.1%, and 9.9% of total equity for physical copper held across three custodians as at December 31, 2024).

#### Tax Loss Carryforwards

As of the taxation period ended December 31, 2024, the Trust had no capital losses available for tax purposes.

### 7. Unitholders' Capital

The Trust is authorized to issue an unlimited number of redeemable, transferrable Trust Units in one or more classes and series of Units. Currently, the Trust's capital is represented by the issued, redeemable, transferable Trust Units. Quantitative information about the Trust's capital is provided in its unaudited statements of changes in equity. Under the trust agreement, Units may be redeemed at the option of the unitholder on a semi-annual basis for physical copper or cash. The aggregate number of units that may be redeemed shall not exceed 1.5% of the number of Units outstanding at each redemption period. Redemption notice periods are in April and October each year whereby duly executed redemption notices must be received between April 15 to April 30 (inclusive) and October 15 to October 31 (inclusive). Valuation/cancellation (of the Units) date will be the last business day of the subsequent month (May/November). Units redeemed for physical copper will be entitled to a redemption price equal to 100% of the NAV of the redeemed Units. Redemption requests must be for amounts that are at least equivalent to 100 metric tons of copper, or an integral multiple thereof, plus applicable expenses. In this regard, a unitholder may also receive cash when redeeming Units in exchange for physical copper to satisfy the value of any partial redemption. A Unitholder redeeming Units for copper will be responsible for the expenses incurred in connection with effecting the redemption including sales or other value-added taxes and applicable transfer and delivery expenses.

Units redeemed for cash will be entitled to a redemption price equal to 95% of the lesser of (i) the volume-weighted average trading price (in U.S. dollars) of the Units traded on the TSX, for the five trading days ending on the applicable redemption date; and (ii) the Class Net Asset Value of the redeemed Units as at the Valuation Time on the applicable redemption date, less an administration fee payable to the Trust equal to the out-of-pocket fees, costs and expenses of the Trust associated with such redemption, including amounts payable under the management agreement in connection with the sale of copper to fund the cash redemption amount, and a further administration fee payable to the Manager equal to 1.0% of the aggregate Class Net Asset Value of the redeemed Units as at the valuation time on the applicable redemption date to offset the handling, logistical requirements and administration in connection with a redemption of Units for cash.

When Units are redeemed and cancelled and the cost of such Units is either above or below their stated or assigned value, the unitholders' capital is reduced by an amount equal to the stated or assigned value of the Units. The difference between the redemption price and the stated or assigned values of the Units is allocated to the Unit premiums and reserves account (equal to the 5% reduction to the redemption price for Units redeemed for cash as described above) and the retained earnings account based on the allocated portion attributable to the redemption.

The Trust's units are classified as equity on the Statement of financial position, since the Trust's units meet the criteria in IAS 32, *Financial Instruments: Presentation* for classification as equity.

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#### Net Asset Value

NAV is defined as the Trust's net assets (fair value of total assets less fair value of total liabilities) calculated using the value of physical copper based on the end-of-day price provided by widely recognized pricing sources.

#### Capital management

As a result of the ability to issue, repurchase and resell Units of the Trust, the capital of the Trust as represented by the Unitholders' capital in the Statement of financial position can vary depending on the demand for subscriptions to the Trust. The Trust is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements and has no legal restrictions on the issue, repurchase or resale of such Units beyond those included in its trust agreement. The Trust may not issue additional Units except (i) if the net proceeds per Unit to be received by the Trust are not less than 100% of the most recently calculated NAV immediately prior to, or upon, the determination of the pricing of such issuance or (ii) by way of Unit distribution in connection with an income distribution.

The Trust's objectives for managing capital are:

- To invest and hold substantially all of the Trust's assets in physical copper; and
- To maintain sufficient liquidity to meet the expenses of the Trust, and to meet redemption requests as they arise.

Refer to "Financial risk, management and objectives" (Note 6) for the policies and procedures applied by the Trust in managing its capital.

### 8. Related Party Disclosures

The Trust pays the Manager a monthly management fee equal to  $^{1}/_{12}$  of 0.50% of the value of net assets of the Trust (determined in accordance with the Trust's trust agreement) plus any applicable sales taxes, calculated and accrued daily and payable monthly in arrears on the last day of each month. As at June 30, 2025, the Trust has no management fee payable (not including applicable sales taxes), as included in Accounts payable in the unaudited statements of financial position compared to a nominal amount of management fee payable (not including applicable sales taxes) as at December 31, 2024.

Pursuant to the management agreement, the Trust pays the Manager a commission of 1% of the gross value of any purchases or sales of copper, plus any applicable sales taxes, provided that the Manager shall be responsible for any and all third party brokerage fees, commissions and service charges and other similar fees relating to all such transactions. The Trust also pays the Manager an enhancement fee equal to 50% of the profit on all other transactions involving copper, which are not outright purchases or sales of copper, such as lending and exchange transactions. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, enhancement fees due to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount and commissions and other services due to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount (not including applicable sales taxes) respectively for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024. As at June 30, 2025, enhancement fees payable to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount (not including applicable sales taxes), and commissions and other services payable to the Manager amounted to a nominal amount (not including applicable sales taxes), compared to \$nil and \$nil (not including applicable sales taxes) respectively as at December 31, 2024.

Upon any unitholders' redemption for cash, the unitholders pay the Manager an administration fee equivalent to 1.0% of the aggregate Class Net Asset Value of the redeemed Units as at the applicable redemption date. For the six months ended June 30, 2025, administration fees charged to the unitholders from the Manager amounted to a nominal amount, compared to \$nil for the period from June 6, 2024 to June 30, 2024.

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As of June 30, 2025, Sprott Inc., the parent entity of the Manager, held 1,029,000 units of the Trust (December 31, 2024: 844,000 units).

### 9. Independent Review Committee ("IRC")

In accordance with National Instrument 81-107, *Independent Review Committee for Investment Funds* ("NI 81-107"), the Manager has established an IRC for a number of funds managed by it, including the Trust. The mandate of the IRC is to consider and provide recommendations to the Manager on conflicts of interest to which the Manager is subject when managing certain funds, including the Trust. The IRC is composed of three individuals, each of whom is independent of the Manager and all funds managed by the Manager, including the Trust. Each fund subject to IRC oversight pays a share of the IRC member fees, costs and other fees in connection with operation of the IRC. The IRC reports annually to unitholders of the funds subject to its oversight on its activities, as required by NI 81-107.

#### 10. Personnel

The Trust did not employ any personnel during the period, as its affairs were administered by the personnel of the Manager and/or the Trustee, as applicable.

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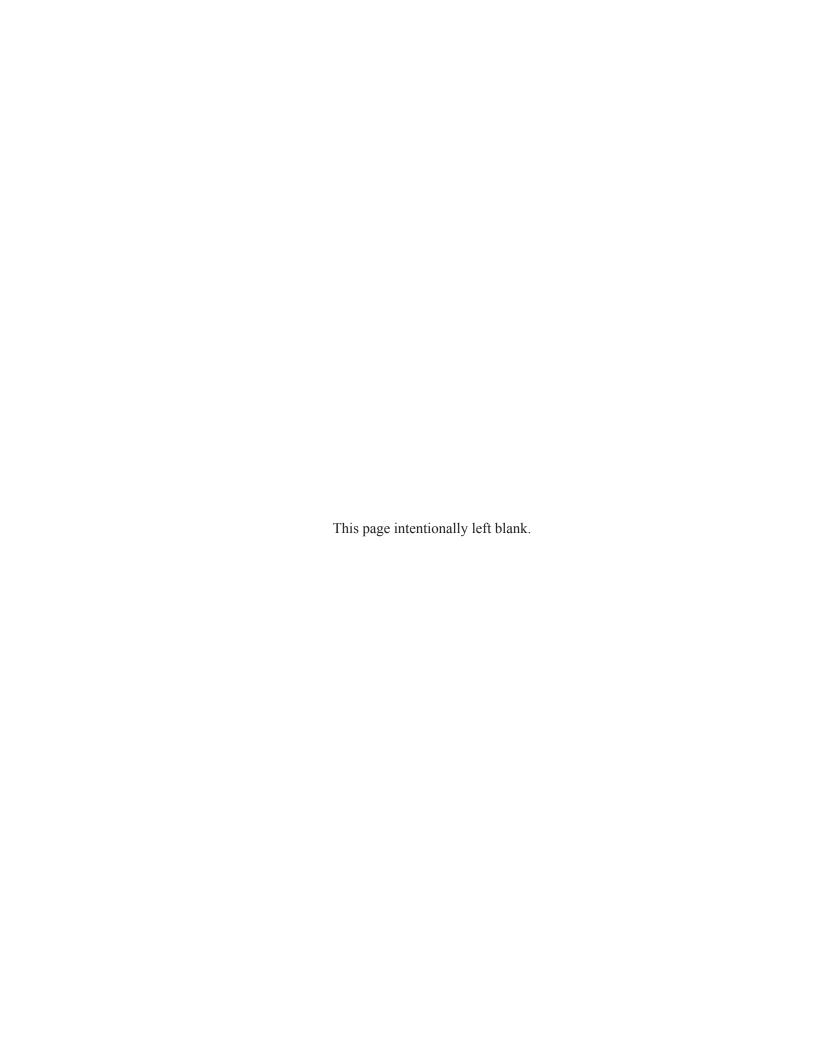
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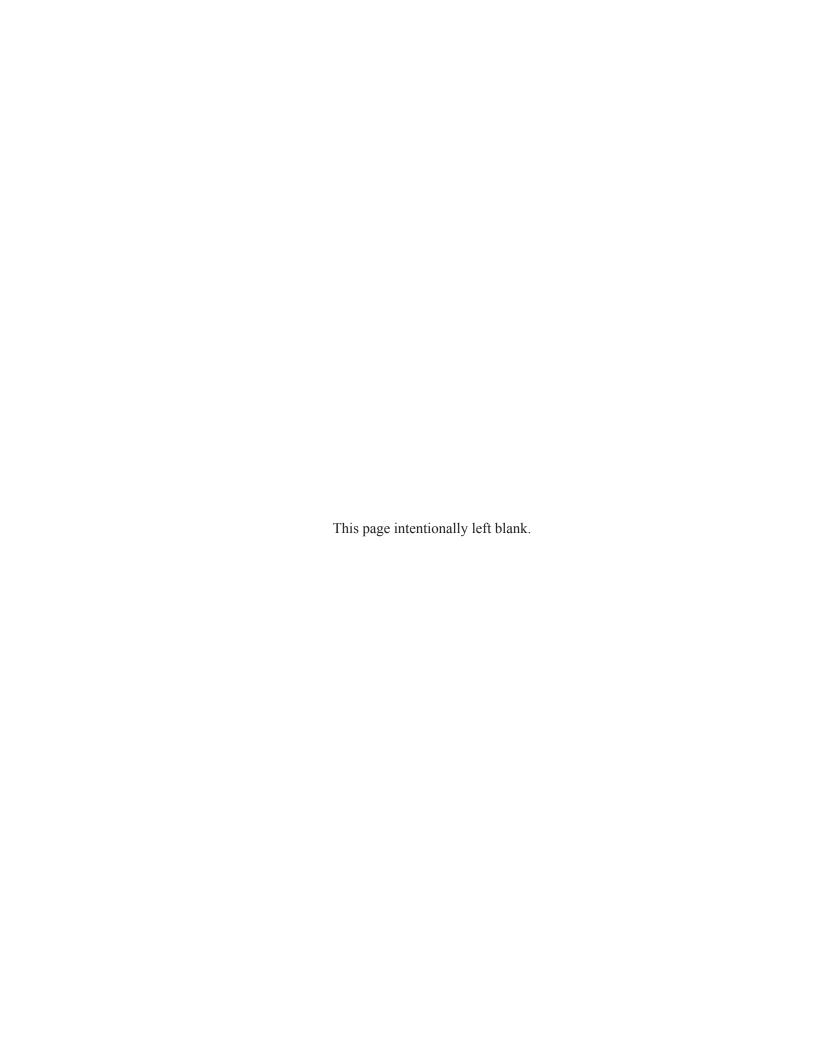
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