

## INCOME

as of March 31, 2022

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The GraniteShares HIPS US High Income ETF seeks to track the performance, before fees and expenses, of the TFMS HIPS Index.

### ADVANTAGES OF HIPS



**High-Income Strategy:** Historically one of the highest yielding ETFs in the US market.\* Pass-Through Securities are required to distribute substantially all of their earnings.



**Broad Exposure:** HIPS is broadly diversified, offering exposure to BDCs, MLPs, Closed-end Funds and REITs.

**HIPS**  
LISTED  
NYSE ARCA

**Liquid:** Holdings must meet minimum market cap and liquidity thresholds, and ETF is traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

\*Bloomberg 03/31/2022

# HIPS

GraniteShares HIPS US  
High Income ETF

### FUND DETAILS

Ticker	HIPS
Exchange	NYSE Arca
Inception Date	1/6/2015
Benchmark	TFMS HIPS Index
Management Fee	0.70%
Acquired Fund Fees & Expenses	2.18%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	2.88%
Distribution	Monthly
CUSIP	3874R306
IOPV Ticker	HIPSIV
Distribution Rate (as of 03/31/22)	8.94%
30-Day SEC Yield (as of 03/31/22)	7.89%
Index Ticker	TFMSHIPS

### PERFORMANCE

as of 03/31/2022

	1 month	3 month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	Since Inception
HIPS NAV	0.70	-2.57%	-2.57%	8.31%	3.58%	3.55%
HIPS Market Price	0.48%	-3.58%	-3.58%	7.97%	3.51%	3.54%
TFMS HIPS Index	0.76%	-2.44%	-2.44%	9.17%	4.42%	4.31%

Performance data quoted represents past performance and is no guarantee of future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than original cost. Returns less than one year are not annualized. NAV prices are used to calculate market price performance prior to the date when the Fund first traded on the New York Stock Exchange. Market performance is determined using the bid/ask midpoint at 4:00pm Eastern time, when the NAV is typically calculated. Market performance does not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times. For the fund's most recent month end performance, please call 1(844) 476-8747, or visit [www.graniteshares.com](http://www.graniteshares.com).

### FUND SECTOR BREAKDOWN

As of 03/31/2022

Allocations subject to change

Closed-End Funds	51.80%
MLPs	17.90%
BDCs	15.49%
REITs	14.51%
Cash / Cash Equivalents	0.30%



### TOP FUND HOLDINGS

As of 03/31/2022

Holdings subject to change

First Trust Sr Fltg Rate Inc Fd II	3.97%
Nuveen Real Asset Inc & Grth Fd	3.68%
Nuveen Credit Strategies Inc Fd	3.60%
Angel Oak Fin Strg Inc Term Tr	3.59%
Barings Gbl Short Duration Fd	3.48%
Ares Dynamic Crdt Alloc Fund	3.44%
Western Asset Hi Yld Def Opp	3.43%
DoubleLine Yld Opp Fund	3.41%
PGIM High Yield Bond Fund Inc.	3.37%
Allspring Inc Opp Fund	3.36%

### DISTRIBUTIONS

	Ex-Date	Record Date	Payable Date	Amount
Mar 2022	03/29/22	03/30/22	03/31/22	\$0.1075
Feb 2022	02/24/22	02/25/22	02/28/22	\$0.1075
Jan 2022	01/27/22	01/28/22	01/31/22	\$0.1075

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A High-Income ETF

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**Investing involves risk; Principal loss is possible.** Investments in debt securities typically decrease when interest rates rise. This risk is usually greater for longer term debt securities. Investments in lower rated and non-rated securities present a greater risk of loss to principal and interest than higher rated securities. Investments in foreign securities involves greater volatility and political, economic, and currency risks and differences in accounting methods. Investments in smaller companies involve additional risks, such as limited liquidity and greater volatility. **Master Limited Partnerships ("MLPs")** are subject to certain risks inherent in the structure of MLPs, including complex tax structure risks, limited ability for election or removal of management, limited voting rights, potential dependence on parent companies or sponsors for revenues to satisfy obligations, and potential conflicts of interest between partners, members and affiliates. Investments in asset-backed and mortgage-backed securities include additional risks including credit risk, prepayment risk, possible illiquidity and default, as well as increased susceptibility to adverse economic developments. A **Real Estate Investment Trusts ("REITs")** share price may decline because of adverse developments affecting the real estate industry. REITs may have limited financial resources, may trade less frequently and in limited volume, and may be more volatile than other securities. The risks of investing in REITs include certain risks associated with the direct ownership of real estate and the real estate industry in general. **Business Development Companies ("BDCs")** may carry risks similar to a private equity or venture capital fund. BDCs usually trade at a discount to their NAV because they investing unlisted securities and have limited access to capital markets. **Closed-end Funds (CEFs")** may be subject to leverage, liquidity risk, credit risk, and losses may be magnified due to the use of leverage. Leverage may increase the risk of loss and cause fluctuations in the market value of the Fund's portfolio to have disproportionately large effects or cause the NAV of the Fund generally to decline faster than it would otherwise. Unlike mutual funds, ETFs may trade at a premium or discount to their net asset value. Shares of any ETF are bought and sold at market price (not NAV) and are not individually redeemed from the Fund. Brokerage commissions will reduce returns. An investment in the Fund does not receive the same tax advantages as a direct investment in a Pass-Thru Security. Funds accrue deferred income taxes for future tax liabilities associated with the portion of Pass-Thru Security distributions considered to be a tax-deferred return of capital and for any net operating gains as well as capital appreciation of its investments. This deferred tax liability is reflected in the daily NAV and as a result the Fund's after-tax performance could differ significantly from the underlying assets even if the pre-tax performance is closely tracked. The potential tax benefits from investing in Pass-Thru Securities depend on them being treated as partnerships for federal income tax purposes.

The TFMS HIPS Index is constructed to capture high income securities, typically with pass-through structures, across the following sectors: (i) CEFs, (ii) mortgage REITs, (iii) commercial equity REITs, (iv) residential/diversified REITs, (v) asset management and BDCs, and (vi) energy production and energy transportation & processing companies. Energy-related companies included in the Index are expected to primarily be structured as MLPs. CEFs included in the Index are limited to taxable, debt-based funds and may include CEFs that invest primarily in bank loans, high-yield securities (also known as "junk bonds"), foreign securities (including those in emerging markets), and mortgage- or asset-backed securities. You may not directly invest in an index.

Distribution Rate represents a single distribution from the fund and does not represent total return to the fund. The distribution rate is calculated by annualizing the most recent distribution and dividing it by the most recent NAV.

30-Day SEC Yield is a standard yield calculation developed by the Securities and Exchange Commission that allows for fairer comparisons among bond funds. It is based on the most recent month end. This figure reflects the interest earned during the period after deducting the Fund's expenses for the period.

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