DDIV As of 9/30/22

» Fund Objective

This exchange-traded fund seeks investment results that correspond generally to the price and yield (before the fund's fees and expenses) of an index called the Dorsey Wright Momentum Plus Dividend Yield™ Index.

>> Fund Facts

Index Inception Date

Index Yield[‡]

| Fund Ticker | DDIV |
|-------------------------------|-----------|
| CUSIP | 33738R696 |
| Intraday NAV | DDIVIV |
| Fund Inception Date | 3/10/14 |
| Expense Ratio [^] | 0.60% |
| 30-Day SEC Yield ⁺ | 4.85% |
| Rebalance Frequency | Quarterly |
| Primary Listing | Nasdaq |
| » Index Facts | |
| Index Ticker | DWAMYT |

7/2/18

5.74%

| » Index De | escription A | According | to the | Index | Provider |
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- >> The Dorsey Wright Momentum Plus Dividend Yield™ Index is a rules-based equity index that is designed to track the overall performance of the 50 highest dividend yielding stocks within the Nasdaq US Large Mid Index™ that maintain high levels of relative strength.
- » To construct the index, Dorsey, Wright & Associates (DWA) begins with the eligible constituents of the Nasdaq US Large Mid Index™.
- These eligible constituents are determined after meeting certain criteria, including maintaining a minimum average daily dollar volume of \$1 million for the 30-day period prior to evaluation.

> Each security is assigned a relative strength score based on its forward price momentum compared to the momentum of a broad market benchmark index. Securities that exhibit a minimum level of relative strength are eligible for inclusion in the index.

- » Eligible securities are then ranked based upon their current dividend yield, and the top 50 securities with the highest dividend yield are selected for inclusion in the index.
 - The securities are then weighted, with greater weights given to securities with higher dividend yields.
- » The index is reconstituted and rebalanced quarterly.

| » Performance Summary (%) ¹ | 3 | Month | YTD | 1 Y | 'ear | 3 Year | 5 Ye | ear | 10 Year Since Fund Inception | | |
|---|----------|---------------|--------|-------|-------|--------|--------|----------|------------------------------|---------|--------|
| Fund Performance* | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net Asset Value (NAV) | | -6.92 | -19.09 | -11 | .08 | 3.95 | 4.7 | 76 | - | 6 | 5.34 |
| After Tax Held | | -7.24 | -19.73 | -12 | 2.14 | 2.73 | 3.5 | 54 | - | | 5.14 |
| After Tax Sold | | -4.10 | -11.27 | -6 | .48 | 2.51 | 3.1 | 4 | - | 4 | 1.44 |
| Market Price | | -6.92 | -19.06 | -11 | .02 | 3.95 | 4.7 | 73 | - | 6 | 5.35 |
| Index Performance** | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dorsey Wright Momentum Plus Dividend Yield [™] Index | | -6.83 | -18.80 | -10 |).57 | 4.68 | _ | - | _ | | - |
| Dow Jones U.S. Select Dividend [™] Index | | -7.71 | -10.07 | -3 | .10 | 5.88 | 6.8 | 39 | - | 8 | 3.91 |
| S&P 500 Index | | -4.88 | -23.87 | -15 | 5.47 | 8.16 | 9.2 | 24 | - | ç | 9.93 |
| » Calendar Year Total Returns (%) ¹ | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | YTD |
| DDIV | - | - | _ | -4.83 | 17.07 | 13.56 | -15.96 | 32.27 | -3.74 | 39.66 | -19.09 |
| Dow Jones U.S. Select Dividend [™] Index | - | - | - | -1.64 | 21.98 | 15.44 | -5.94 | 23.11 | -4.56 | 32.24 | -10.07 |
| S&P 500 Index | - | - | - | 1.38 | 11.96 | 21.83 | -4.38 | 31.49 | 18.40 | 28.71 | -23.87 |
| » 3-Year Statistics ¹ | Standard | Deviation (%) | | Alpha | | Beta | | Sharpe R | atio | Correla | ation |
| DDIV | 2 | 24.98 | -3.17 | | 1.04 | 0.26 | | 0.8 | 5 | | |
| Dow Jones U.S. Select Dividend™ Index | : | 21.24 | -0.73 | | | 0.88 | 0.35 | | 0.83 | | |
| S&P 500 Index | 2 | 20.30 | | - | | 1.00 | | 0.46 | | 1.0 | 0 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |

Performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results and current performance may be higher or lower than performance quoted. Investment returns and principal value will fluctuate and shares when sold or redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. You can obtain performance information which is current through the most recent month-end by visiting www.ftportfolios.com.

*The Investment Advisor has implemented fee breakpoints, which reduce the fund's investment management fee at certain assets levels. Please see the fund's SAI for full details.

+30-day SEC yield is calculated by dividing the net investment income per share earned during the most recent 30-day period by the maximum offering price per share on the last day of the period.

Index yield represents the weighted average trailing 12-month dividend of the constituents of the Dorsey Wright Momentum Plus Dividend Yield™ Index.

¹On September 6, 2018, the fund's underlying index changed from the Richard Bernstein Advisors Quality Income Index to the Dorsey Wright Momentum Plus Dividend Yield[™] Index. Therefore, the fund's performance and historical returns shown for the periods prior to this date are not necessarily indicative of the performance that the fund, based on its current index, would have generated.

*NAV returns are based on the fund's net asset value which represents the fund's net assets (assets less liabilities) divided by the fund's outstanding shares. After Tax Held returns represent return after taxes on distributions. Assumes shares have not been sold. After Tax Sold returns represent the return after taxes on distributions and the sale of fund shares. Returns do not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times. Market Price returns are determined by using the midpoint of the national best bid offer price ("NBBO") as of the time that the fund's NAV is calculated. Returns are average annualized total returns, except those for periods of less than one year, which are cumulative. After-tax returns are calculated using the historical highest individual federal marginal income tax rates and do not reflect the impact of state and local taxes. Actual after-tax returns depend on the investor's tax situation and may differ from those shown. The after-tax returns shown are not relevant to investors who hold their fund shares through tax-deferred arrangement such as 401(k) plans or individual retirement accounts.
**Performance information for each listed index is for illustrative purposes only and does not represent actual fund performance. Indexes do not charge management fees or brokerage expenses, and no such fees or expenses were deducted from the performance shown. Indexes are unmanaged and an investor cannot invest directly in an index.

Eirst Trust

First Trust Dorsey Wright Momentum & Dividend ETF

| » Portfolio Information | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Number Of Holdings | 50 | | | | | |
| Maximum Market Cap. | \$363.88 Billion | | | | | |
| Median Market Cap. | \$9.32 Billion | | | | | |
| Minimum Market Cap. | \$3.42 Billion | | | | | |
| Price/Earnings | 10.16 | | | | | |
| Price/Book | 1.55 | | | | | |
| Price/Cash Flow | 7.53 | | | | | |
| Price/Sales | 1.49 | | | | | |

» Top Holdings (%)

| | Rithm Capital Corp. | 4.36 |
|--|---------------------------------|------|
| | Starwood Property Trust, Inc. | 4.17 |
| | Blackstone Mortgage Trust, Inc. | 4.07 |
| | Kinder Morgan, Inc. | 3.67 |
| | ONEOK, Inc. | 3.40 |
| | Spirit Realty Capital, Inc. | 3.32 |
| | DT Midstream, Inc. | 3.11 |
| | The Williams Companies, Inc. | 2.91 |
| | Lamar Advertising Company | 2.75 |
| | Iron Mountain Incorporated | 2.66 |
| | | |

» Top Sector Exposure (%)

| Financials | 30.62 |
|------------------------|-------|
| Real Estate | 30.26 |
| Energy | 15.72 |
| Utilities | 5.40 |
| Materials | 4.82 |
| Consumer Discretionary | 4.09 |
| Information Technology | 4.05 |
| Health Care | 3.38 |
| Industrials | 1.66 |
| | |

You should consider the fund's investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses carefully before investing. Contact First Trust Portfolios L.P. at 1-800-621-1675 or visit www.ftportfolios.com to obtain a prospectus or summary prospectus which contains this and other information about the fund. The prospectus or summary prospectus should be read carefully before investing.

Risk Considerations

You could lose money by investing in a fund. An investment in a fund is not a deposit of a bank and is not insured or guaranteed. There can be no assurance that a fund's objective(s) will be achieved. Investors buying or selling shares on the secondary market may incur customary brokerage commissions. Please refer to each fund's prospectus and SAI for additional details on a fund's risks. The order of the below risk factors does not indicate the significance of any particular risk factor.

Unlike mutual funds, shares of the fund may only be redeemed directly from a fund by authorized participants in very large creation/redemption units. If a fund's authorized participants are unable to proceed with

creation/redemption orders and no other authorized participant is able to step forward to create or redeem, fund shares may trade at a premium or discount to a fund's net asset value and possibly face delisting and the bid/ask spread may widen.

A fund is susceptible to operational risks through breaches in cyber security. Such events could cause a fund to incur regulatory penalties, reputational damage, additional compliance costs associated with corrective measures and/or financial loss.

Companies that issue dividend-paying securities are not required to continue to pay dividends on such securities. Therefore, there is a possibility that such companies could reduce or eliminate the payment of dividends in the future.

Equity securities may decline significantly in price over short or extended periods of time, and such declines may occur in the equity market as a whole, or they may occur in only a particular country, company, industry or sector of the market.

Financial services companies are subject to the adverse effects of economic recession, currency exchange rates, government regulation, decreases in the availability of capital, volatile interest rates, portfolio concentration in geographic markets, industries or products, and competition from new entrants in their fields of business.

An index fund will be concentrated in an industry or a group of industries to the extent that the index is so concentrated. A fund with significant exposure to a single asset class, or the securities of issuers within the same country, state, region, industry, or sector may have its value more affected by an adverse economic, business or political development than a broadly diversified fund.

A fund may be a constituent of one or more indices or models which could greatly affect a fund's trading activity, size and volatility.

There is no assurance that the index provider or its agents will compile or maintain the index accurately. Losses or costs associated with any index provider errors generally will be borne by a fund and its shareholders. As inflation increases, the present value of a fund's assets and distributions may decline.

Market risk is the risk that a particular security, or shares of a fund in general may fall in value. Securities are subject to market fluctuations caused by such factors as general economic conditions, political events, regulatory or market developments, changes in interest rates and perceived trends in securities prices. Shares of a fund could decline in value or underperform other investments as a result. In addition, local, regional or global events such as war, acts of terrorism, spread of infectious disease or other public health issues, recessions, or other events could have significant negative impact on a fund. In February 2022, Russia invaded Ukraine which has caused and could continue to cause significant market disruptions and volatility within the markets in Russia, Europe, and the United States. The hostilities and sanctions resulting from those hostilities could have a significant impact on certain fund investments as a resulting from those hostilities could have a significant market. While the U.S. has resumed "reasonably" normal business activity, many countries continue to impose lockdown measures. Additionally, there is no guarantee that vaccines will be effective against emerging variants of the disease.

A fund faces numerous market trading risks, including the potential lack of an active market for fund shares due to a limited number of market makers. Decisions by market makers or authorized participants to reduce their role or step away in times of market stress could inhibit the effectiveness of the arbitrage process in maintaining the

relationship between the underlying values of a fund's portfolio securities and a fund's market price. A "momentum" style of investing emphasizes selecting stocks that have had higher recent price performance compared to other stocks. Momentum can turn quickly and cause significant variation from other types of investments.

An index fund's return may not match the return of the index for a number of reasons including operating expenses, costs of buying and selling securities to reflect changes in the index, and the fact that a fund's portfolio holdings may not exactly replicate the index.

A fund and a fund's advisor may seek to reduce various operational risks through controls and procedures, but it is not possible to completely protect against such risks. The fund also relies on third parties for a range of services, including custody, and any delay or failure related to those services may affect the fund's ability to meet its objective.

A fund that invests in securities included in or representative of an index will hold those securities regardless of investment merit and the fund generally will not take defensive positions in declining markets.

High portfolio turnover may result in higher levels of transaction costs and may generate greater tax liabilities for shareholders.

The market price of a fund's shares will generally fluctuate in accordance with changes in the fund's net asset value ("NAV") as well as the relative supply of and demand for shares on the exchange, and a fund's investment advisor cannot predict whether shares will trade below, at or above their NAV.

The risks associated with investing in real estate companies may be similar to those associated with direct ownership of real estate and include fluctuations in the value of underlying properties, defaults by borrowers or tenants, market saturation, changes in general and local economic conditions, decreases in market rates for rents, increases in competition, property taxes, capital expenditures or operating expenses, dependency upon management skills, limited diversification, and other economic, political or regulatory occurrences.

Real Estate Investment Trusts ("REITs") are subject to risks the risks of investing in real estate, including, but not limited to, changes in the real estate market, vacancy rates and competition, volatile interest rates and economic recession. Increases in interest rates typically lower the present value of a REIT's future earnings stream and may make financing property purchases and improvements more costly. The value of a fund will generally decline when investors in REIT stocks anticipate or experience rism interest rates.

Securities of small- and mid-capitalization companies may experience greater price volatility and be less liquid than larger, more established companies.

Trading on an exchange may be halted due to market conditions or other reasons. There can be no assurance that a fund's requirements to maintain the exchange listing will continue to be met or be unchanged.

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Definitions

Standard Deviation is a measure of price variability (risk). Alpha is an indication of how much an investment outperforms or underperforms on a risk-adjusted basis relative to its benchmark. Beta is a measure of price variability relative to the market. Sharpe Ratio is a measure of excess reward per unit of volatility. Correlation is a measure of the similarity of performance. The Dow Jones U.S. Select Dividend[™] Index consists of 100 widely-traded, dividend-paying stocks derived from the Dow Jones U.S. Total Market Index[™]. The S&P 500 Index is an unmanaged index of 500 companies used to measure large-cap U.S. stock market performance.

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