

## AdvisorShares Pacific Asset Enhanced Floating Rate ETF

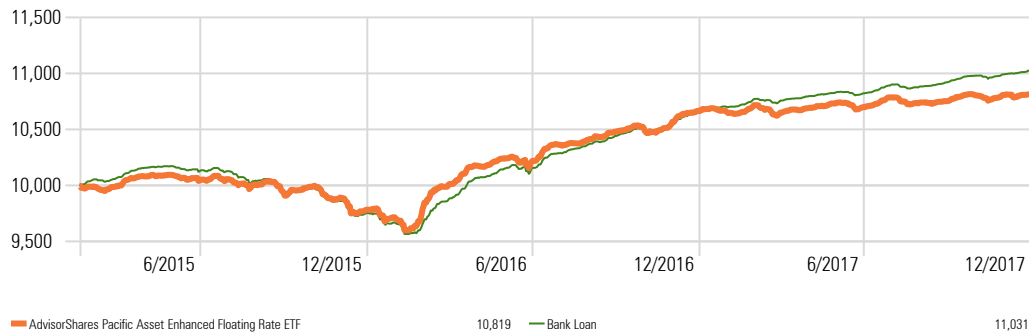
As of 12/31/2017

### Investment Strategy

FLRT invests in income producing loans across industries and sectors that the portfolio manager views as more favorable than the broad senior loan market. The portfolio is constructed primarily using individual loans while swap agreements are utilized to manage liquidity and adjust the exposure between 80% and 130% of the funds AUM. FLRT offers investors a focused portfolio comprised of non-traditional fixed income securities that aim to provide a high level of current income.

### Investment Growth

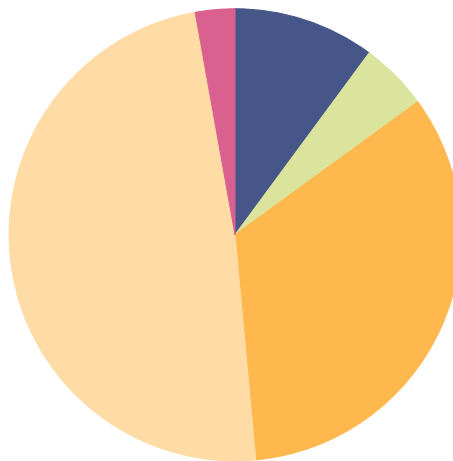
Time Period: 2/19/2015 to 12/31/2017



### Snapshot

Ticker	FLRT
Category	Bank Loan
Inception Date	2/18/2015
Management Fee	0.95
Assets Under Management	26,994,006

### Credit Quality



AAA	10.11
BBB	4.88
BB	33.55
B	48.65
Below B	2.82
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.00</b>

30 Day Unsubsidized SEC Yield	2.69	Prospectus Net Expense Ratio	1.12	Average Eff Duration	0.44
30 Day Subsidized SEC Yield	3.22	Prospectus Gross Expense Ratio	1.41	Modified Duration	0.40

### Trailing Returns Quarter-End (Annualized over 1 year)

As of Date: 12/31/2017

	3 Month	6 Month	1 Year	2 Year	Since Inception
AdvisorShares Pacific Asset Enhanced Floating Rate ETF (NAV)	0.57	1.07	1.38	5.14	2.78
AdvisorShares Pacific Asset Enhanced Floating Rate ETF (Market)	0.70	1.30	-0.46	5.16	2.70
S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan 100 TR USD	0.95	1.86	3.31	7.02	3.35
S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan TR	1.11	2.16	4.12	7.09	4.16
Bank Loan	0.96	1.87	3.53	6.32	3.48

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. For the Fund's most recent month end performance, please visit [www.advisorshares.com](http://www.advisorshares.com). The Advisor has contractually agreed to keep net expenses from exceeding 1.10% of the Fund's daily net assets for at least a year from the date of the Prospectus and for an indefinite period thereafter subject to annual reapproval of the agreement by the Board of Trustees.

Duration is the change of a fixed income security that will result from a 1% change in interest rates, and is based on the yield to worst date; this measure only represents the fixed income portion of the portfolio and assumes a .25 duration for loans. 30-Day SEC Yield (Standardized Yield) is an annualized yield that is calculated by dividing the investment income earned by the Fund less expenses over the most recent 30-day period by the current maximum offering price. The Subsidized Yield reflects fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements recorded by the Fund during the period. Without waivers and/or reimbursements, yields would be reduced. The Unsubsidized Yield does not adjust for any fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements in effect. If the Fund does not incur any fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements during the period, the 30-Day Subsidized Yield and 30-Day Unsubsidized Yield will be identical.

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### Calendar Year Returns

	2/19/2015 - 12/31/2015	2016	2017
AdvisorShares Pacific Asset Enhanced Floating Rate ETF	-2.46	9.04	1.38
AdvisorShares Pacific Asset Enhanced Floating Rate ETF (Market)	-2.76	11.10	-0.46
S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan 100 TR USD	-4.69	10.88	3.31
S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan TR	-2.32	10.16	4.12
Bank Loan	-2.80	9.21	3.53

### Risk

	FLRT	S&P Lev Loan
Alpha	0.00	0.00
Beta	0.81	1.00
Std Dev	1.73	1.71
Information Ratio (arith)	-0.73	
Sortino Ratio (arith)	2.21	2.70
Sharpe Ratio (arith)	1.94	2.44
Down Capture Ratio	71.37	100.00
Correlation	0.80	1.00
Tracking Error	1.10	0.00
R2	63.42	100.00

### Top 10 Holdings

Holdings are subject to change.	Value (mil)	Weight %
Recv Ibox Usd Lli 9/18	4.00	13.58
Payb Ibox Usd Lli 9/18	-4.00	-13.57
CHESAPEAKE E 08/23/21 TERM LOAN	0.53	1.81
CAESERS RESORTS 10/02/24 Term Loan	0.50	1.71
UBER TECHNOLOGIES, 07/13/23 TERM LOAN	0.50	1.69
Spin Holdco Inc 11/14/22 Term Loan	0.49	1.67
Univar USA Inc 07/01/24 Term Loan	0.49	1.67
CLUBCORP TLB 09/18/24 TERM LOAN	0.49	1.67
US FOODS TLB L+325 06/27/2023 TERM LOAN	0.49	1.67
GYP Holdings III Corp 04/01/23 Term Loan	0.49	1.66

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There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. An investment in the Fund is subject to risk, including the possible loss of principal amount invested. Investing in derivatives may be riskier than other types of investments because they are more sensitive to change in economic or marketing conditions that could result in losses that significantly exceed the Fund's original investment. The Fund primarily invests in floating rate loans and floating rate debt securities. The market for floating rate loans may be subject to irregular trading activity, wide bid/ask spreads, and extended trade settlement periods. The floating rate feature of loans means that floating rate loans will not generally experience capital appreciation in a declining interest rate environment. Declines in interest rates may also increase prepayments of debt obligations and require the Fund to invest assets at lower yields. Other Fund risks include market risk, leverage risk, foreign investment risk, liquidity risk, income and interest rate risk, liquidity risk, management risk, high yield securities risk, loan participation risk, prepayment risk, and trading risk. Please see the prospectus for details regarding risk.

Shares are bought and sold at market price (closing price) not net asset value (NAV) and are not individually redeemed from the Fund. Market price returns are based on the midpoint of the bid/ask spread at 4:00 pm Eastern Time (when NAV is normally determined) and do not represent the return you would receive if you traded at other times.

Pacific Asset Management (PAM) provides credit-quality ratings, which are received on underlying securities of the Fund from major rating agencies. Ratings are measured on a scale that generally ranges from AAA (highest) to D (lowest). When the rating agencies rate a security differently, PAM uses the higher rating. Below investment grade is represented by a rating of BB and below. Ratings and portfolio credit quality may change over time.

The S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan 100 is designed to reflect the largest facilities in the leveraged loan market and mirrors the market-weighted performance of the largest institutional leveraged loans. One cannot invest directly in an index. The Bank Loan Category represents portfolios primarily invested in floating-rate bank loans instead of bonds. In exchange for their credit risk, these loans offer high interest payments that typically float above a common short-term benchmark such as the London Interbank Offered Rate, or LIBOR. Alpha measures the risk-adjusted premium an investment earns above its benchmark. Beta measures the volatility of a security or a portfolio in comparison to the entire market. Standard Deviation measures the dispersion of a set of data from its mean and is calculated as the square root of variance. Information Ratio measures the active return of the manager's portfolio divided by the amount of risk that the manager takes relative to the benchmark. Sortino Ratio measures the excess return over the risk-free rate divided by the downside semi-variance, and so it measures the return to "bad" volatility. Sharpe Ratio measures the average return minus the risk-free return divided by the standard deviation of return on an investment. Down Capture Ratio measures an investment manager's overall performance in down-markets. Correlation measures how two securities move in relation to each other. Tracking Error measures how closely a portfolio follows the index to which it is benchmarked. R2 measures the percentage of a fund or security's movements that can be explained by movements in a benchmark index.