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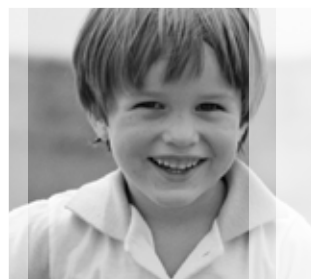
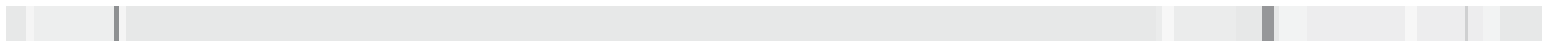


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Financial Highlights

| (in millions of dollars, except per share and share amounts) | As at | As at | As at | % change | % change |
|---|----------------|---------------|----------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| | Sept. 30, 2011 | June 30, 2011 | Sept. 30, 2010 | quarter-over- quarter | year-over-year |
| Assets under management | 67,386 | 74,283 | 66,763 | (9) | 1 |
| Total assets | 88,431 | 97,156 | 88,412 | (9) | - |
| Shares outstanding | 286,422,745 | 288,091,047 | 287,559,301 | (1) | - |

| | For the quarters ended | | | % change | % change |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| | Sept. 30, 2011 | June 30, 2011 | Sept. 30, 2010 | quarter-over- quarter | year-over-year |
| Average assets under management | 70,823 | 74,525 | 64,597 | (5) | 10 |
| Gross sales | 1,844 | 2,523 | 2,182 | (27) | (15) |
| Net sales | (91) | 309 | 210 | n/a | n/a |
| Management fees | 321.4 | 337.3 | 294.0 | (5) | 9 |
| Total revenues | 367.4 | 385.5 | 336.3 | (5) | 9 |
| SG&A | 72.2 | 75.1 | 67.3 | (4) | 7 |
| Trailer fees | 93.7 | 98.3 | 85.1 | (5) | 10 |
| Net income | 90.8 | 98.3 | 75.9 | (8) | 20 |
| Earnings per share | 0.32 | 0.34 | 0.26 | (6) | 23 |
| EBITDA* | 176.8 | 187.1 | 161.1 | (6) | 10 |
| EBITDA* per share | 0.61 | 0.65 | 0.56 | (6) | 9 |
| Dividends recorded per share | 0.225 | 0.225 | 0.195 | - | 15 |
| Average shares outstanding | 287,664,375 | 288,066,003 | 287,727,229 | - | - |

| | For the nine months ended | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|----------|
| | Sept. 30, 2011 | Sept. 30, 2010 | % change |
| Average assets under management | 73,142 | 64,514 | 13 |
| Gross sales | 7,381 | 7,570 | (2) |
| Net sales | 684 | 1,210 | (43) |
| Management fees | 990.7 | 877.7 | 13 |
| Total revenues | 1,139.6 | 1,011.2 | 13 |
| SG&A | 220.6 | 190.6 | 16 |
| Trailer fees | 288.6 | 254.9 | 13 |
| Net income | 289.1 | 241.2 | 20 |
| Earnings per share | 1.00 | 0.83 | 20 |
| EBITDA* | 552.5 | 492.2 | 12 |
| EBITDA* per share | 1.92 | 1.70 | 13 |
| Dividends recorded per share | 0.665 | 0.565 | 18 |
| Average shares outstanding | 287,853,605 | 289,621,968 | (1) |

*EBITDA (Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) is not a standardized earnings measure prescribed by IFRS; however, management believes that most of its shareholders, creditors, other stakeholders and investment analysts prefer to include the use of this performance measure in analyzing CI's results. CI's method of calculating this measure may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies. EBITDA is a measure of operating performance, a facilitator for valuation and a proxy for cash flow.

Letter to Shareholders

Dear Shareholders,

While global equity markets have rallied off their recent lows, the decline during the third quarter of 2011 gave most indexes a negative return for the year-to-date. The S&P/TSX Composite Index tumbled 12.0% during the quarter and the S&P 500 and MSCI World Indexes dropped 13.9% and 16.5%, respectively. The Canadian dollar weakened 8.3% against the U.S. dollar during the quarter, improving these foreign index returns to declines of 7.1% and 9.9%, respectively.

CI's assets under management (AUM) declined to \$67.4 billion at the end of September 2011, a drop of 9% from \$74.3 billion at the end of June 2011. Average AUM of \$70.8 billion for the quarter was 5.0% below the \$74.5 billion average for the second quarter but 9.6% higher than the average for the third quarter of fiscal 2010. Over the past year, CI's AUM was up slightly from \$66.8 billion at the end of September 2010.

Gross sales in the quarter were \$1.843 billion compared to \$2.182 billion in the third quarter of last year. Net sales of funds were -\$92 million during the quarter, down from last year's third quarter net sales of \$210 million. This was a result of the drop in gross sales, as redemptions were down slightly from \$1.971 billion last year to \$1.935 billion this year.

Assante's dealer revenues were \$58.4 million this quarter, up from \$55.0 million in the same period last year. Although administered assets of \$21.0 billion at the end of September were down from \$21.6 billion a year ago, the average during the quarter was slightly higher and this resulted in higher service fee revenues.

The year-over-year increase in average AUM boosted CI's earnings to \$90.8 million (\$0.32 per share) in the third quarter, up 20% from \$75.9 million (\$0.26 per share) in the same quarter last year. EBITDA for this quarter was \$176.8 million, an increase of 10% from \$161.1 million in the third quarter of 2010. This year, CI has focused on building its investment management teams as well as spending on systems and training that continue to develop a base for sustained growth.

CI continues to introduce new products as part of its strategy to provide superior service to its clients and their financial advisors. In early October, CI launched the CI Private Investment Management Program, which offers tax-efficient access to CI's leading portfolio managers and product platforms at preferred pricing for larger accounts. In August, CI added three Black Creek-branded funds to its Corporate Class structure to offer the portfolio management expertise of the Black Creek Investment Management team to investors in CI's funds. Black Creek Investment Management is also a sub-advisor to three Castlerock funds.

Outlook

Markets rebounded sharply in October, and CI's assets under management increased to \$70.4 billion at the end of October, up 4.5% from the end of September. While gross sales have been disappointing during this period of market uncertainty, CI's long-term relative performance has been exceptional and CI's extensive lineup of fund products has helped us to outperform many competitors and increase our market share.

The Board of Directors declared monthly cash dividends of \$0.075 per share payable on December 15, 2011, January 13, 2012 and February 15, 2012 to shareholders of record on November 30, 2011, December 31, 2011 and January 31, 2012, respectively.



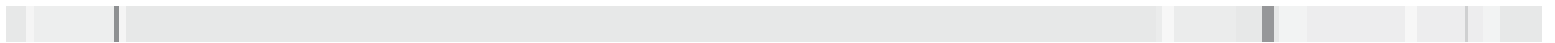
William T. Holland
Executive Chairman



Stephen A. MacPhail
President and Chief Executive Officer

November 8, 2011

Management's Discussion and Analysis



This Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") dated November 1, 2011 presents an analysis of the financial position of CI Financial Corp. and its subsidiaries ("CI") as at September 30, 2011, compared with December 31, 2010, and the results of operations for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, compared with the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and the quarter ended June 30, 2011.

On January 1, 2011, CI adopted International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") for financial reporting purposes, using a transition date of January 1, 2010. The financial statements for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2011, including required comparative information, have been prepared in accordance with IFRS 1, *First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards*, and with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*, as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). Prior to the adoption of IFRS, CI prepared its Interim and Annual Consolidated Financial Statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). Unless otherwise noted, 2010 comparative information has been prepared in accordance with IFRS.

The adoption of IFRS has not had an impact on CI's operations, strategic decisions and cash flow. Information on the IFRS adjustments is provided in the Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements for the period ended September 30, 2011.

The principal subsidiaries referenced herein include CI Investments Inc. ("CI Investments") and Assante Wealth Management (Canada) Ltd. ("AWM"). The Asset Management segment of the business includes the operating results and financial position of CI Investments and its subsidiaries, including Castlerock Investments Inc. ("Castlerock") and CI Private Counsel LP ("CIPC"). The Asset Administration segment includes the operating results and financial position of AWM and its subsidiaries, including Assante Capital Management Ltd. ("ACM") and Assante Financial Management Ltd. ("AFM").

This MD&A contains forward-looking statements concerning anticipated future events, results, circumstances, performance or expectations with respect to CI and its products and services, including its business operations, strategy and financial performance and condition. When used in this MD&A, such statements use such words as "may", "will", "expect", "believe", and other similar terms. These statements are not historical facts but instead represent management beliefs regarding future events, many of which, by their nature are inherently uncertain and beyond management control. Although management believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are based on reasonable assumptions, such statements involve risks and uncertainties. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from expectations include, among other things, general economic and market conditions, including interest and foreign exchange rates, global financial markets, changes in government regulations or in tax laws, industry competition, technological developments and other factors described under "Risk Factors" or discussed in other materials filed with applicable securities regulatory authorities from time to time. The material factors and assumptions applied in reaching the conclusions contained in these forward-looking statements include that the investment fund industry will remain stable and that interest rates will remain relatively stable. The reader is cautioned against undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. For a more complete discussion of the risk factors that may impact actual results, please refer to the "Risk Factors" section of this MD&A and to the "Risk Factors" section of CI's Annual Information Form dated March 17, 2011, which is available at www.sedar.com.

This MD&A includes several non-IFRS financial measures that do not have any standardized meaning prescribed by IFRS and may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies. However, management believes that most shareholders, creditors, other stakeholders and investment analysts prefer to include the use of these financial measures in analyzing CI's results. These non-IFRS measures and reconciliations to IFRS, where necessary, are shown as highlighted footnotes to the discussion throughout the document.

TABLE 1: SUMMARY OF QUARTERLY RESULTS

| <i>(millions of dollars, except per share amounts)</i> | 2011 | | | 2010 | | | | 2009 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------------|
| | Q3 | Q2 | Q1 | Q4 | Q3 | Q2 | Q1 | (GAAP) Q4 |
| INCOME STATEMENT DATA | | | | | | | | |
| Management fees | 321.4 | 337.3 | 332.0 | 315.3 | 294.0 | 294.0 | 289.7 | 287.9 |
| Administration fees | 31.6 | 33.2 | 36.8 | 33.7 | 29.6 | 30.4 | 33.2 | 34.4 |
| Other revenues | 14.4 | 15.0 | 17.9 | 19.6 | 12.7 | 14.4 | 13.1 | 11.2 |
| Total revenues | 367.4 | 385.5 | 386.7 | 368.6 | 336.3 | 338.8 | 336.0 | 333.5 |
| Selling, general & administrative | 72.2 | 75.1 | 73.3 | 73.0 | 67.3 | 56.3 | 67.1 | 75.6 |
| Trailer fees | 93.7 | 98.3 | 96.6 | 91.3 | 85.1 | 85.9 | 83.9 | 83.5 |
| Investment dealer fees | 24.8 | 26.0 | 29.1 | 25.8 | 22.9 | 23.8 | 25.8 | 24.6 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions | 41.1 | 41.3 | 41.4 | 42.3 | 41.6 | 41.4 | 41.0 | 41.3 |
| Interest expense | 7.0 | 6.7 | 7.0 | 5.4 | 4.1 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 5.9 |
| Other expenses | 3.0 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 4.8 | 7.3 |
| Total expenses | 241.8 | 249.8 | 249.9 | 241.3 | 223.2 | 213.8 | 226.9 | 238.2 |
| Income before income taxes | 125.6 | 135.7 | 136.8 | 127.3 | 113.1 | 125.0 | 109.1 | 95.3 |
| Income taxes | 34.8 | 37.4 | 36.7 | 39.9 | 37.2 | 35.5 | 33.4 | (20.5) |
| Net income from continuing operations | 90.8 | 98.3 | 100.1 | 87.4 | 75.9 | 89.5 | 75.7 | 115.8 |
| Net income from discontinued operations | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | 2.2 |
| Net income | 90.8 | 98.3 | 100.1 | 87.4 | 75.9 | 89.5 | 75.7 | 118.0 |
| Earnings per share from continuing operations | 0.32 | 0.34 | 0.35 | 0.30 | 0.26 | 0.31 | 0.26 | 0.40 |
| Earnings per share | 0.32 | 0.34 | 0.35 | 0.30 | 0.26 | 0.31 | 0.26 | 0.40 |
| Dividends recorded per share | 0.225 | 0.225 | 0.215 | 0.205 | 0.195 | 0.190 | 0.180 | 0.170 |

Overview

CI is a diversified wealth management firm and one of Canada's largest independent investment management companies. The principal business of CI is the management, marketing, distribution and administration of mutual funds, segregated funds, structured products and other fee-earning investment products for Canadian investors. They are distributed primarily through brokers, independent financial planners and insurance advisors, including ACM and AFM financial advisors. CI operates through two business segments, Asset Management and Asset Administration. The Asset Management segment provides the majority of CI's income and derives its revenue principally from the fees earned on the management of several families of mutual, segregated, pooled and closed-end funds, structured products and discretionary accounts. The Asset Administration segment derives its revenues principally from commissions and fees earned on the sale of mutual funds and other financial products and ongoing service to clients.

CI's average assets under management for the third quarter of 2011 increased 10% from the third quarter of 2010. This is consistent with the gains made by financial markets over the last year and the level of net sales recorded in CI's investment products. CI's revenues have similarly grown from the levels of a year ago. While some expenses, such as trailer fees and a portion of investment advisor fees, vary directly with the level of assets under management, about half of CI's expenses are fixed in nature. Over the long term, CI manages the level of its discretionary spend to be consistent with or below the growth in its average assets under management.

Sales of investment funds have decreased as a result of increased volatility and recent declines in equity markets. CI's gross sales during the first nine months of 2011 were down 2% from the same period last year. Redemptions were up 5% for the same period, resulting in a decrease in net sales.

CI's market share is approximately 10% and CI continues to be the third-largest investment fund company in Canada with assets under management of \$67.4 billion at September 30, 2011.

CI acquired Hartford Investments Canada Corp. in December 2010, changed its name to Castlerock Investments Inc. in January 2011, and rebranded the funds to Castlerock. In April 2011, Castlerock fund unitholders approved an amalgamation of Castlerock Investments Inc. with CI Investments. This amalgamation took place on June 30, 2011 and allows CI Investments to more quickly utilize tax losses acquired.

Assets and Sales

Total assets, which include mutual, segregated and hedge funds, separately managed accounts, structured products, pooled assets, and assets under administration, were \$88.4 billion at September 30, 2011, unchanged from September 30, 2010. As shown in Table 2, these assets consisted of \$67.4 billion in assets under management and \$21.0 billion in assets under administration.

TABLE 2: TOTAL ASSETS

| <i>(in billions)</i> | As at Sept. 30, 2011 | As at Sept. 30, 2010 | % change |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------|
| Assets under management | \$67.4 | \$66.8 | 1 |
| Assets under administration* | 21.0 | 21.6 | (3) |
| Total assets | \$88.4 | \$88.4 | - |

*Includes \$9.5 billion and \$9.7 billion of assets managed in CI's products in 2011 and 2010, respectively.

Assets under management form the majority of CI's total assets and provide most of its revenue and net income. The change in assets under management during the first nine months of each of the past two years is detailed in Table 3.

TABLE 3: CHANGE IN ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT

| <i>(in billions)</i> | 2011 | 2010 |
|--------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Assets under management at January 1 | \$72.8 | \$64.2 |
| Gross sales | 7.4 | 7.6 |
| Redemptions | 6.7 | 6.4 |
| Net sales | 0.7 | 1.2 |
| Market performance | (6.1) | 1.4 |
| Assets under management at Sept. 30 | \$67.4 | \$66.8 |

Table 4 sets out the levels and changes in CI's average assets under management and the gross and net sales for the relevant periods. As most of CI's revenues and expenses are based on assets throughout the year, average asset levels are critical to the analysis of CI's financial results.

TABLE 4: CHANGE IN AVERAGE ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT

| <i>(in billions)</i> | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Quarter ended June 30, 2011 | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2010 |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Average assets under management | \$70.823 | \$74.525 | \$64.597 |
| Change to September 30, 2011 | | -5.0% | 9.6% |
| Gross sales | \$1.8 | \$2.5 | \$2.2 |
| Net sales | (\$0.1) | \$0.3 | \$0.2 |

The Investment Funds Institute of Canada (IFIC) reported \$0.5 billion in industry net sales of mutual funds for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, down \$1.8 billion from net sales of \$2.3 billion in the same period for 2010. Total industry assets as reported by IFIC at September 30, 2011 of \$748.6 billion were up 1% from \$738.3 billion at September 30, 2010.

Results of Operations

For the quarter ended September 30, 2011, CI reported net income of \$90.8 million (\$0.32 per share), an increase of 20% from the \$75.9 million (\$0.26 per share) for the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and a decrease of 8% from the \$98.3 million (\$0.34 per share) for the quarter ended June 30, 2011.

For the quarter ended September 30, 2011, CI recorded \$34.8 million in income tax expense for an effective tax rate of 27.7%, compared to \$37.2 million in the third quarter of 2010, for an effective tax rate of 32.9%. The third quarter of last year included a \$3.0 million tax adjustment relating to the modification of CI's equity-based compensation plan on July 1, 2010. In the quarter ended June 30, 2011, CI recorded income tax expenses of \$37.4 million, for an effective tax rate of 27.6%. CI's statutory rate for 2011 is 28.2% versus 30.9% for 2010.

For the quarter ended September 30, 2011, redemption fee revenue was \$6.9 million compared with \$7.4 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and \$7.1 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2011. The decrease is a result of a decline in redemptions of deferred load funds that are subject to redemption fees.

Amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts was \$41.7 million in the third quarter of 2011, down from \$42.1 million in the third quarter of 2010 and \$41.9 million in the second quarter of 2011. This decrease is in line with the decrease in redemptions from the prior quarter. Under IFRS, CI now expenses the remaining unamortized sales commission when a deferred load fund is redeemed; refer to Note 8 of the financial statements.

Interest expense of \$7.0 million was recorded for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 compared with \$4.1 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and \$6.7 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2011. The increase in interest expense from the prior-year period reflected higher average debt and borrowing costs, as discussed under "Liquidity and Capital Resources."

TABLE 5: PRE-TAX OPERATING EARNINGS

CI uses pre-tax operating earnings to assess its underlying profitability. CI defines pre-tax operating earnings as income before income taxes less redemption fee revenue, non-recurring items, performance fees and investment gains, plus amortization of deferred sales commissions and fund contracts, and equity-based compensation expense.

| <i>(in millions, except per share amounts)</i> | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Quarter ended June 30, 2011 | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2010 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2010 |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Income before income taxes | \$125.6 | \$135.7 | \$113.1 | \$398.1 | \$347.3 |
| Less: | | | | | |
| Redemption fees | 6.9 | 7.1 | 7.4 | 21.7 | 22.5 |
| Non-recurring item(s) | – | – | – | 4.9 | – |
| Gain (loss) on marketable securities | 0.7 | (0.2) | – | (0.4) | (0.1) |
| Add: | | | | | |
| Amortization of DSC and fund contracts | 41.7 | 41.9 | 42.1 | 125.6 | 126.8 |
| Equity-based compensation expense | 1.8 | 1.8 | 2.1 | 5.3 | (2.3) |
| Pre-tax operating earnings | \$161.5 | \$172.5 | \$149.9 | \$502.8 | \$449.4 |
| per share | \$0.56 | \$0.60 | \$0.52 | \$1.75 | \$1.55 |

Pre-tax operating earnings, as set out in Table 5, were \$161.5 million in the third quarter of 2011, an increase of 8% from the third quarter of 2010 and down 6% from the prior quarter. These changes primarily reflect the change in average assets under management, which were up 10% from the third quarter of 2010 and down 5% from the prior quarter.

As illustrated in Table 6, EBITDA for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 was \$176.8 million (\$0.61 per share) compared with \$161.1 million (\$0.56 per share) for the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and \$187.1 million (\$0.65 per share) for the quarter ended June 30, 2011. The 10% year-over-year increase in quarterly EBITDA was primarily due to the 10% increase in average assets under management.

EBITDA as a percentage of total revenues (EBITDA margin) for the third quarter of 2011 was 48.1%, up from 47.9% in the same quarter last year and down from 48.5% in the prior quarter.

TABLE 6: EBITDA AND EBITDA MARGIN

CI uses EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) to assess its underlying profitability prior to the impact of its financing structure, income taxes and the amortization of deferred sales commissions, fund contracts and capital assets. This also permits comparisons of companies within the industry, before any distortion caused by different financing methods, levels of taxation and mix of business between front-end and back-end sales commission assets under management. EBITDA is a measure of operating performance, a facilitator for valuation and a proxy for cash flow.

| <i>(in millions, except per share amounts)</i> | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Quarter ended June 30, 2011 | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2010 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2010 |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Net income | \$90.8 | \$98.3 | \$75.9 | \$289.1 | \$241.2 |
| Add (deduct): | | | | | |
| Interest expense | 7.0 | 6.7 | 4.1 | 20.7 | 12.7 |
| Income tax expense | 34.8 | 37.4 | 37.2 | 109.0 | 106.1 |
| Amortization of DSC and fund contracts | 41.7 | 41.9 | 42.7 | 125.6 | 126.8 |
| Amortization of other items | 2.5 | 2.8 | 1.7 | 8.0 | 5.4 |
| EBITDA | \$176.8 | \$187.1 | \$161.1 | \$552.4 | \$492.2 |
| per share | \$0.61 | \$0.65 | \$0.56 | \$1.92 | \$1.70 |
| EBITDA margin (as a % of revenue) | 48.1% | 48.5% | 47.9% | 48.5% | 48.7% |

Asset Management Segment

The Asset Management segment is CI's principal business segment and includes the operating results and financial position of CI Investments. Table 7 presents the operating results for the Asset Management segment.

TABLE 7: RESULTS OF OPERATIONS – ASSET MANAGEMENT SEGMENT

| <i>(in millions)</i> | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Quarter ended June 30, 2011 | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2010 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2010 |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Management fees | \$321.4 | \$337.3 | \$294.0 | \$990.7 | \$877.7 |
| Other revenue | \$10.3 | 11.1 | 8.9 | 35.4 | 28.7 |
| Total revenue | \$331.7 | \$348.4 | \$302.9 | \$1,026.1 | \$906.4 |
| Selling, general and administrative | \$58.6 | \$61.3 | \$54.2 | \$178.6 | \$151.4 |
| Trailer fees | 97.3 | 102.0 | 88.5 | 299.7 | 265.4 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions and intangibles | 42.4 | 42.7 | 42.8 | 127.8 | 129.0 |
| Other expenses | 1.7 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 3.6 | 3.1 |
| Total expenses | \$200.0 | \$206.9 | \$186.3 | \$609.7 | \$548.9 |
| Income before taxes and non-segmented items | \$131.7 | \$141.5 | \$116.6 | \$416.4 | \$357.5 |

Revenues

Revenues from management fees were \$321.4 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, an increase of 9% from the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and down 5% from \$337.3 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2011. The changes were mainly attributable to changes in average assets under management, which were up 10% and down 5% from the quarters ended September 30, 2010 and June 30, 2011, respectively.

For the quarter ended September 30, 2011, other revenue was \$10.3 million versus \$8.9 million and \$11.1 million for the quarters ended September 30, 2010 and June 30, 2011, respectively. Included in other revenue are redemption fees, which were \$6.9 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 compared with \$7.4 million and \$7.1 million for the quarters ended September 30, 2010 and June 30, 2011, respectively.

Expenses

Selling, general and administrative (“SG&A”) expenses for the Asset Management segment were \$58.6 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, an increase from \$54.2 million for the third quarter in 2010 and down from \$61.3 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2011. Included in SG&A are expenses relating to CI’s equity-based compensation plan. The quarter ended September 30, 2011 included an equity-based compensation expense of \$1.8 million compared with an expense of \$2.1 million in the quarter ended September 30, 2010. The quarter ended June 30, 2011 had an equity-based compensation expense of \$1.8 million. SG&A expenses, net of the amount related to equity-based compensation (“net SG&A”), were \$56.8 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, up from \$52.1 million for the comparable quarter in 2010 and down from \$59.5 million for the prior quarter. The increase in net SG&A from the third quarter of last year is primarily due to the addition of Castlerock expenses, increased spending on product development and marketing, and the expansion of internal portfolio management teams.

As a percentage of average assets under management, net SG&A expenses were 0.318% for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, down from 0.320% for both the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and June 30, 2011.

Trailer fees were \$97.3 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 compared with \$88.5 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and \$102.0 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2011. Net of inter-segment amounts, this expense was \$93.7 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 versus \$85.1 million for the third quarter of 2010 and \$98.3 million for the second quarter of 2011.

Amortization of deferred sales commissions and intangibles was \$42.4 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, down from \$42.8 million in the same quarter last year and from \$42.7 million in the previous quarter. These amounts are consistent with the level of deferred sales commissions paid over the past several years and reflect redemptions during the quarter.

Income before income taxes and interest expense for CI’s principal segment was \$131.7 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 compared with \$116.6 million in the same period in 2010 and \$141.5 million in the previous quarter. The increase from the comparable quarter last year is primarily due to the increase in average assets under management.

Asset Administration Segment

The Asset Administration segment includes the operating results and financial position of AWM and its subsidiaries. Table 8 presents the operating results for the Asset Administration segment.

TABLE 8: RESULTS OF OPERATIONS – ASSET ADMINISTRATION SEGMENT

| <i>(in millions)</i> | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Quarter ended June 30, 2011 | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2010 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2010 |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Administration fees | \$54.3 | \$56.8 | \$51.1 | \$173.7 | \$162.3 |
| Other revenue | 4.0 | 3.9 | 3.9 | 11.9 | 11.6 |
| Total revenue | \$58.3 | \$60.7 | \$55.0 | \$185.6 | \$173.9 |
| Selling, general and administrative | \$13.6 | \$13.8 | \$13.1 | \$42.0 | \$39.2 |
| Investment dealer fees | 43.1 | 45.0 | 40.3 | 138.0 | 128.1 |
| Amortization of intangibles | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 1.1 |
| Other expenses | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 2.5 | 2.9 |
| Total expenses | \$57.9 | \$60.1 | \$54.6 | \$183.6 | \$171.3 |
| Income before taxes and non-segmented items | \$0.4 | \$0.6 | \$0.4 | \$2.0 | \$2.6 |

Revenues

Administration fees are earned on assets under administration in the AWM business and from the administration of third-party business. Administration fees were \$54.3 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, an increase of 6% from \$51.1 million for the same period last year and a decrease of 4% from the prior quarter. Net of inter-segment amounts, administration fee revenue was \$31.6 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, up from \$29.6 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2010 and down from \$33.2 million in the previous quarter. The increase from the prior year was mainly attributable to the increase in average assets under administration.

Other revenues earned by the Asset Administration segment are mainly comprised of interest income on cash balances, and foreign exchange gains and losses. For the quarter ended September 20, 2011 other revenues were \$4.0 million, up \$0.1 million from each of the comparable periods.

TABLE 9: DEALER GROSS MARGIN

CI monitors its operating profitability on the revenues earned within its Asset Administration segment by measuring the dealer gross margin, which is calculated as administration fee revenue less investment dealer fees, divided by administration fee revenue. CI uses this measure to assess the margin remaining after the payout to advisors.

| <i>(in millions)</i> | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Quarter ended June 30, 2011 | Quarter ended Sept. 30, 2010 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2010 |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Administration fees | \$54.3 | \$56.8 | \$51.1 | \$173.7 | \$162.3 |
| Less: | | | | | |
| Investment dealer fees | 43.1 | 45.0 | 40.3 | 138.0 | 128.1 |
| | \$11.2 | \$11.8 | \$10.8 | \$35.7 | \$34.2 |
| Dealer gross margin | 20.6% | 20.8% | 21.1% | 20.6% | 21.1% |

Expenses

Investment dealer fees, which represent the payout to advisors on revenues they generate, were \$43.1 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 compared to \$40.3 million for the third quarter last year and \$45.0 million for the quarter ended June 30, 2011.

As detailed in Table 9, dealer gross margin was \$11.2 million or 20.6% of administration fee revenue for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, compared to \$10.8 million or 21.1% for the third quarter of 2010 and \$11.8 million or 20.8% for the previous quarter. The change in gross margin from prior periods relates to the change in average investment dealer fee rates paid out to financial advisors on their administration fees. Generally, as an advisor's assets under administration and administration fee revenues grow, the payout rates to the respective advisor will correspondingly increase up to a maximum payout rate.

Selling, general and administrative ("SG&A") expenses for the segment were \$13.6 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 compared to \$13.1 million in the third quarter in 2010 and \$13.8 million in the second quarter of 2011.

The Asset Administration segment had income before income taxes and non-segmented items of \$0.4 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2011, unchanged from \$0.4 million for the third quarter in 2010 and down from \$0.6 million for the prior quarter.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

CI generated \$442.9 million of operating cash flow in the nine months ended September 30, 2011 up \$74.8 million from \$368.1 million in the same period last year. CI measures its operating cash flow before the change in working capital and the actual cash amount paid for interest and income taxes, as these items often distort the cash flow generated during the period. Working capital is affected by seasonality, interest is primarily paid semi-annually, and tax instalments paid may differ materially from the cash tax accrual. CI's main uses of capital are the financing of deferred sales commissions, the payment of dividends on its shares, the funding of capital expenditures and the repurchase of shares through its normal course issuer bid program. At current levels of cash flow and anticipated dividend payout rates, CI produces sufficient cash to meet its obligations and pay down debt.

CI paid sales commissions of \$113.3 million in the nine months ended September 30, 2011. This compares to \$123.1 million in the same period of 2010. The amount of deferred sales commissions incurred in 2011 relates to deferred load fund sales of approximately \$255 million per month.

CI invested \$32.7 million in marketable securities in the first nine months of 2011. During the same period, CI received proceeds of \$31.5 million from the disposition of marketable securities, resulting in a loss of \$0.4 million. The fair value of marketable securities at September 30, 2011 was \$32.1 million. Marketable securities are comprised of seed capital investments in its funds and strategic investments.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2011, CI incurred capital expenditures of \$20.9 million, of which \$15.2 million related to leasehold improvements. Those improvements should be viewed in conjunction with leasehold inducements of \$21.1 million provided in the prior year. The remaining capital expenditures related to the purchase of new technology systems and upgrades.

The balance sheet for CI at September 30, 2011 reflects total assets of \$3.180 billion, a decrease of \$26.8 million from \$3.206 billion at December 31, 2010. This change can be attributed to a decrease in current assets of \$13.5 million and a decrease in long-term assets of \$13.3 million. CI's cash and cash equivalents decreased by \$10.7 million in 2011 primarily due to the payment of income taxes for the 2010 tax year, partially offset by an increase in excess cash on-hand.

Accounts receivable and prepaid expenses decreased to \$68.4 million at September 30, 2011 from \$95.1 million at December 31, 2010. The decrease primarily related to a \$14.0 million leasehold inducement receivable at December 31, 2010, which was received during the first quarter.

As mentioned earlier, CI's long-term assets decreased by \$13.3 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2011. This was primarily a result of a \$10.6 million decrease in deferred sales commissions and a \$14.4 million decrease in other assets, which was offset by an increase of \$13.5 million in capital assets. Included in other assets are long-term loans receivable which were collected during the period.

Total liabilities decreased by \$115.9 million during the first nine months of 2011 to \$1.524 billion. The primary contributors to this change were a \$90.8 million decrease in income taxes payable, a \$23.4 million decrease in long-term debt and a \$18.5 million decrease in accounts payable.

At September 30, 2011, CI had \$850 million in outstanding debentures at an average interest rate of 3.15% with a carrying value of \$847.0 million. At December 31, 2010, CI had \$870.4 million of debt outstanding at an average rate of 3.14%. Net of cash and marketable securities, debt was \$609.1 million at September 30, 2011, down from \$620.5 million at December 31, 2010. The average debt level for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 was approximately \$850 million, compared to \$680 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2010. This increase was primarily due to the acquisition of Castlerock in December 2010. At that time, CI issued \$300 million in debentures at a fixed yield of 3.94% which replaced amounts drawn on its credit facility.

At September 30, 2011 CI had not drawn any funds against its \$150 million credit facility. Principal repayments on CI's credit facility are only required under the facility should the bank decide not to renew the facility on its anniversary, in which case 6.25% of the principal would be repaid at each calendar quarter-end, with the balance payable at the end of the credit facility term (March 17, 2014). These payments would be payable beginning March 31, 2012 should the bank not renew the facility.

CI's current ratio of debt (net of excess cash) to EBITDA is at CI's long-term target of 1 to 1. CI expects that, absent acquisitions in which debt is increased, the amount of excess cash flow generated will pay down debt and the ratio of debt to EBITDA will trend lower. CI is within its financial covenants with respect to its credit facility, which requires that the debt-to-EBITDA ratio remain below 2.5 to 1, and assets under management not fall below \$40 billion, based on a rolling 30-day average.

Shareholders' equity increased by \$89.1 million in the first nine months of 2011. During the same period, CI repurchased 1.7 million shares at a cost of \$34.6 million under its normal course issuer bid. CI declared dividends of \$172.7 million (\$190.1 million paid), which was less than net income for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 by \$116.4 million. CI's current dividend payments are \$0.075 per share per month, or approximately \$258 million per fiscal year.

Risk Management

The disclosures below provide an analysis of the risk factors affecting CI.

Market Risk

Market risk is the risk of a financial loss resulting from adverse changes in underlying market factors, such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates, and equity and commodity prices. A description of each component of market risk is described below:

- Interest rate risk is the risk of gain or loss due to the volatility of interest rates.
- Foreign exchange rate risk is the risk of gain or loss due to volatility of foreign exchange rates.
- Equity risk is the risk of gain or loss due to the changes in prices and volatility of individual equity instruments and equity indexes.

CI's financial performance is indirectly exposed to market risk. Any decline in financial markets or lack of sustained growth in such markets may result in a corresponding decline in performance and may adversely affect CI's assets under management, management fees and revenues, which would reduce cash flow to CI and ultimately impact CI's dividends.

Asset Management Segment

CI is subject to market risk throughout its Asset Management business segment. The following is a description of how CI mitigates the impact this risk has on its financial position and operating earnings.

Management of market risk within CI's assets under management is the responsibility of the Chief Compliance Officer, who reports to CI's senior management. The Compliance group has established a control environment that ensures risks are reviewed regularly and that risk controls throughout CI are operating in accordance with regulatory requirements. The Compliance group carefully reviews the exposure to interest rate risk, foreign currency risk and equity risk by monitoring and identifying any potential market risks to CI's senior management. When a particular market risk is identified, portfolio managers of the funds are directed to mitigate the risk by reducing their exposure.

At September 30, 2011, approximately 19% of CI's assets under management were held in fixed-income securities, which are exposed to interest rate risk. An increase in interest rates causes market prices of fixed-income securities to fall, while a decrease in interest rates causes market prices to rise. CI estimates that a 50 basis point change in interest rates would cause a change of approximately \$1 million in annual pre-tax earnings in the Asset Management segment.

At September 30, 2011, about 76% of CI's assets under management were based in Canadian currency, which diminishes the exposure to foreign exchange risk. However, at the same time, approximately 12% of CI's assets under management were based in U.S. currency. Any change in the value of the Canadian dollar relative to U.S. currency will cause fluctuations in CI's assets under management upon which CI's management fees are calculated. CI estimates that a 10% change in Canadian/U.S. exchange rates would cause a change of approximately \$10 million in the Asset Management segment's annual pre-tax earnings.

About 61% of CI's assets under management were held in equity securities at September 30, 2011, which are subject to equity risk. Equity risk is classified into two categories: general equity risk and issuer-specific risk. CI employs internal and external fund managers to take advantage of these individuals' expertise in particular market niches, sectors and products and to reduce issuer-specific risk through diversification. CI estimates that a 10% change in the prices of equity indexes would cause a change of approximately \$50 million in annual pre-tax earnings.

Asset Administration Segment

CI's Asset Administration business is exposed to market risk. The following is a description of how CI mitigates the impact this risk has on its financial position and results of operations.

Risk management for administered assets is the responsibility of the Chief Compliance Officer and senior management. Responsibilities include ensuring policies, processes and internal controls are in place and in accordance with regulatory requirements. CI's internal audit department reviews CI's adherence to these policies and procedures.

CI's operating results are not materially exposed to market risk impacting the asset administration segment given that this segment usually generates less than 5% of the total income before non-segmented items (this segment earned \$0.4 million before income taxes and non-segmented items for the quarter ended September 30, 2011). Investment advisors regularly review their client portfolios to assess market risk and consult with clients to make appropriate changes to mitigate it. The effect of a 10% change in any component of market risk (comprised of interest rate risk, foreign exchange risk and equity risk) would have resulted in a change of less than \$1 million to the Asset Administration segment's pre-tax earnings.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk of loss associated with the inability of a third party to fulfill its payment obligations. CI is exposed to the risk that third parties that owe it money, securities or other assets will not perform their obligations. These parties include trading counterparties, customers, clearing agents, exchanges, clearing houses and other financial intermediaries, as well as issuers whose securities are held by CI. These parties may default on their obligations due to bankruptcy, lack of liquidity, operational failure or other reasons. CI does not have a significant exposure to any individual counterparty. Credit risk is mitigated by regularly monitoring the credit performance of each individual counterparty and holding collateral where appropriate.

One of the primary sources of credit risk arises when CI extends credit to clients to purchase securities by way of margin lending. Margin loans are due on demand and are collateralized by the financial instruments in the client's account. CI faces a risk of financial loss in the event a client fails to meet a margin call if market prices for securities held as collateral decline and if CI is unable to recover sufficient value from the collateral held. The credit extended is limited by regulatory requirements and by CI's internal credit policy. Credit risk is managed by dealing with counterparties CI believes to be creditworthy and by actively monitoring credit and margin exposure and the financial health of the counterparties. CI has concluded that current economic and credit conditions have not significantly impacted its financial assets.

Changes in Economic, Political and Market Conditions

CI's performance is directly affected by financial market and political conditions, including the legislation and policies of governments. The financial markets and businesses operating in the securities industry are volatile and are directly affected by, among other factors, domestic and foreign economic conditions and general trends in business and finance, all of which are beyond the control of CI. There can be no assurance that financial market performance will be favorable in the future. Any decline in financial markets or lack of sustained growth in such markets may result in a corresponding decline in performance and may adversely affect CI's assets under management, fees and/or revenues, which would reduce cash flow to CI.

Access to Capital Markets

Equity and credit markets globally have been subject to unprecedented volatility and continue to be hurt by the continued European sovereign debt situation as well as the fiscal situation and credit downgrade in the U.S. As a result, access to financing for some entities has been negatively impacted. These factors may impact the ability of CI to obtain loans or make other funding arrangements on terms favourable to CI.

Investment Performance of the Funds

If the funds managed by CI are unable to achieve investment returns that are competitive with or superior to those achieved by other comparable investment products offered by CI's competitors, such funds may not attract assets through gross sales or may experience redemptions, which may have a negative impact on CI's assets under management. This would have a negative impact on CI's revenue and profitability.

Dependence on Senior Management

The success of CI and its strategic focus is dependent to a significant degree upon the contributions of senior management. The loss of any of these individuals, or an inability to attract, retain and motivate sufficient numbers of qualified senior management personnel on the part of CI, could adversely affect CI's business. CI has not purchased any "key man" insurance with respect to any of its directors, officers or key employees and has no current plans to do so.

Competition

CI operates in a highly competitive environment, with competition based on a variety of factors, including the range of products offered, brand recognition, investment performance, business reputation, financing strength, the strength and continuity of institutional, management and sales relationships, quality of service, level of fees charged and level of commissions and other compensation paid. CI competes with a large number of mutual fund companies and other providers of investment products, investment management firms, broker-dealers, banks, insurance companies and other financial institutions. Some of these competitors have greater capital and other resources, and offer more comprehensive lines of products and services than CI. The trend toward greater consolidation within the investment management industry has increased the strength of a number of CI's competitors. Additionally, there are few barriers to entry by new investment management firms, and the successful efforts of new entrants have resulted in increased competition. CI's competitors seek to expand market share by offering different products and services than those offered by CI. There can be no assurance that CI will maintain its current standing or market share, and that may adversely affect the business, financial condition or operating results of CI.

Management Fees and Other Costs

CI's ability to maintain its management fee structure will be dependent on its ability to provide investors with products and services that are competitive. There can be no assurance that CI will not come under competitive pressure to lower the fees charged or that it will be able to retain the current fee structure, or with such fee structure, retain its investors in the future. Changes to management fees, commission rates, structures or service fees related to the sale of mutual funds and closed-end funds could have an adverse effect on CI's operating results. By reason of CI's implementation in 2005 of fixed administration fees for its mutual funds, a significant decrease in the value of the relevant funds, in combination with the fixed administration fees, could reduce margins and have an adverse effect on CI's operating results.

Risks of Significant Redemptions of CI's Assets Under Management

CI earns revenue primarily from management fees earned for advising and managing pools of assets. These revenues depend largely on the value and composition of mutual fund assets under management. The level of assets under management is influenced by three factors: (i) sales; (ii) redemption rates; and (iii) investment performance. Sales and redemptions may fluctuate depending on market and economic conditions, investment performance, and other factors. Recent market volatility has contributed to redemptions and diminished sales for participants in the Canadian wealth management industry.

Changes in Tax Laws

The introduction of a Harmonized Sales Tax (HST) to combine the Goods and Services Tax (GST) and Provincial Sales Tax (PST) into a single sales tax, effectively subjects investment fund management fees to provincial taxation for the first time. Increased taxation of investment fund management fees has already, and could result in further changes to current fee structures or negatively impact the ability of investment funds, including CI, to retain investors. This could adversely impact the competitiveness of the investment fund industry as compared to other products or services that are not subject to GST and will not be subject to HST.

Administration Vulnerability and Error

The administrative services provided by CI depend on software supplied by third-party suppliers. Failure of a key supplier, the loss of these suppliers' products, or problems or errors related to such products would have a material adverse effect on the ability of CI to provide these administrative services. Changes to the pricing arrangement with such third-party suppliers because of upgrades or other circumstances could have an adverse effect upon the profitability of CI. There can be no assurances that CI's systems will operate or that CI will be able to prevent an extended systems failure in the event of a subsystem component or software failure or in the event of an earthquake, fire or any other natural disaster, or a power or telecommunications failure. Any systems failure that causes interruptions in the operations of CI could have a material adverse effect on its business, financial condition and operating results. CI may also experience losses in connection with employee errors. Although expenses incurred by CI in connection with employee errors have not been significant in the past, there can be no assurances that these expenses will not increase in the future.

Sufficiency of Insurance

Members of CI maintain various types of insurance which may include financial institution bonds, errors and omissions insurance, directors', trustees' and officers' liability insurance, agents' insurance and general commercial liability insurance. There can be no assurance that a claim or claims will not exceed the limits of available insurance coverage, that any insurer will remain solvent or willing to continue providing insurance coverage with sufficient limits or at a reasonable cost or that any insurer will not dispute coverage of certain claims due to ambiguities in the relevant policies. A judgment against any member of CI in excess of available coverage could have a material adverse effect on CI both in terms of damages awarded and the impact on the reputation of CI.

Regulation of CI

Certain subsidiaries of CI are heavily regulated in all jurisdictions where they carry on business. Laws and regulations applied at the national and provincial level generally grant governmental agencies and self-regulatory bodies broad administrative discretion over the activities of CI, including the power to limit or restrict business activities as well as impose additional disclosure requirements on CI products and services. Possible sanctions include the revocation or imposition of conditions on licenses to operate certain businesses, the suspension or expulsion from a particular market or jurisdiction of any of CI's business segments or its key personnel or financial advisors, and the imposition of fines and censures. It is also possible that the laws and regulations governing a subsidiary's operations or particular investment products or services could be amended or interpreted in a manner that is adverse to CI. To the extent that existing or future regulations affecting the sale or offering of CI's product or services or CI's investment strategies cause or contribute to reduced sales of CI's products or lower margins or impair the investment performance of CI's products, CI's aggregate assets under management and its revenues may be adversely affected.

General Business Risk and Liability

Given the nature of CI's business, CI may from time to time be subject to claims or complaints from investors or others in the normal course of business. The legal risks facing CI, its directors, officers, employees or agents in this respect include potential liability for violations of securities laws, breach of fiduciary duty and misuse of investors' funds. Some violations of securities laws and breach of fiduciary duty could result in civil liability, fines, sanctions, or expulsion from a self-regulatory organization or the suspension or revocation of CI's subsidiaries' right to carry on their existing business. CI may incur significant costs in connection with such potential liabilities.

Leverage and Restrictive Covenants

The ability of CI to pay dividends or make other payments is subject to applicable laws and contractual restrictions contained in the instruments governing any indebtedness of CI and its subsidiaries (including CI's credit facility). The degree to which CI is leveraged could have important consequences to shareholders, including: CI's ability to obtain additional financing for working capital, capital expenditures or acquisitions in the future may be limited; CI may be unable to refinance indebtedness on terms acceptable to it or at all; and a significant portion of CI's cash flow from operations may be dedicated to the payment of the principal and interest on its indebtedness, thereby reducing the funds available for future operations. The credit facility contains a number of financial covenants that require CI to meet certain financial ratios and financial condition tests. A failure to comply with the obligations in CI's credit facility could result in a default which, if not cured or waived, could result in a termination of dividends by CI and permit acceleration of the relevant indebtedness. If the indebtedness under CI's current credit facility were to be accelerated, there can be no assurance that CI's assets would be sufficient to repay in full that indebtedness. In addition, CI's current credit facility matures no later than the fourth anniversary thereof (unless the bank elects to extend the term at its annual renewal). There can be no assurance that future borrowings or equity financing will be available to CI, or available on acceptable terms, in an amount sufficient to fund CI's needs.

Fluctuation of Cash Dividends

Although CI intends to distribute some portion of the income it earns, there can be no assurance regarding the amount of cash dividends distributed upstream from its subsidiaries. The actual amount of dividends paid depends upon numerous factors, all of which are susceptible to a number of risks and other factors beyond the control of CI. Dividends are not guaranteed and will fluctuate with the performance of the business.

Share Price Risk

Share price risk arises from the potential adverse impact on CI's earnings due to movements in CI's share price. Prior to July 1, 2010, CI's results were significantly affected by share price risk as CI's equity-based compensation liability fluctuated based on the market value of CI's share price. CI is no longer materially affected by share price risk as CI's equity-based compensation liability is accounted for using the fair value method which is not adjusted for fluctuations in CI's share price.

Commitment of Key Personnel and Financial Advisors

The success of CI is also dependent upon, among other things, the skills and expertise of its human resources including the management and investment personnel and its personnel with skills related to, among other things, marketing, risk management, credit, information technology, accounting, administrative operations and legal affairs. These individuals play an important role in developing, implementing, operating, managing and distributing CI's products and services. Accordingly, the recruitment of competent personnel, continuous training and transfer of knowledge are key activities that are essential to CI's performance. In addition, the growth in total assets under management in the industry and the reliance on investment performance to sell financial products have increased the demand for experienced and high-performing portfolio managers. Compensation packages for these managers may increase at a rate well in excess of inflation and well above the rates of increase observed in other industries and the rest of the labour market. CI believes that it has the resources necessary for the operation of CI's business. The loss of these individuals or an inability to attract, retain and motivate a sufficient number of qualified personnel could adversely affect CI's business.

The market for financial advisors is extremely competitive and is characterized by periodic movement by financial advisors among different firms. Individual financial advisors of AWM have regular direct contact with clients, which can lead to a strong and personal client relationship based on the client's trust in the individual financial advisor. The loss of a significant number of financial advisors could lead to the loss of client accounts which could have a material adverse effect on the results of operations and prospects of AWM, and, in turn, CI. Although AWM uses or has used a combination of competitive compensation structures and equity with vesting provisions as a means of seeking to retain financial advisors, there can be no assurance that financial advisors will remain with AWM.

Capital Requirements

Certain subsidiaries of CI are subject to minimum regulatory capital requirements. This may require CI to keep sufficient cash and other liquid assets on hand to maintain capital requirements rather than using them in connection with its business. Failure to maintain required regulatory capital by CI may subject it to fines, suspension or revocation of registration by the relevant securities regulator. A significant operating loss by a registrant subsidiary or an unusually large charge against regulatory capital could adversely affect the ability of CI to expand or even maintain its present level of business, which could have a material adverse effect on CI's business, results of operations, financial condition and prospects.

Risks Specific to the Common Shares

Unpredictability and Volatility of Market Price

Shares of a publicly traded company do not necessarily trade at values determined by reference to the underlying value of the business. The prices at which the common shares of the Corporation will trade cannot be predicted. The market price of CI's common shares could be subject to significant fluctuations in response to variations in quarterly operating results, distributions and other factors. The market price for the common shares may be adversely affected by changes in general market conditions, fluctuations in the market for equity or debt securities and numerous other factors beyond the control of CI.

Dilution

Pursuant to its articles of incorporation, as amended, the Corporation is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares for the consideration and on those terms and conditions as are established by the Directors, subject to the approval of a two thirds majority of shareholders to the extent such issuance is greater than 25% of the common shares then outstanding. Any further issuance of common shares may dilute the interests of existing shareholders.

Risks Specific to the Debentures

Changes in Creditworthiness

There can be no assurance that the creditworthiness of CI or CI Investments and any credit rating assigned to the debentures issued by CI (“Debentures”) or CI Investments (“CI Investment Debentures”) will remain in effect for any given period of time or that the rating will not be lowered or withdrawn entirely by the relevant rating agency. A lowering or withdrawal of such rating may have an adverse effect on the market price or value and the liquidity of the Debentures and the CI Investment Debentures.

Market Value Risk

Prevailing interest rates will affect the market value of the Debentures and the CI Investment Debentures. The price or market value of the Debentures and the CI Investment Debentures will decline as prevailing interest rates for comparable securities rise. CI may choose to redeem Debentures and the CI Investment Debentures from time to time, in accordance with its rights, including when prevailing interest rates are lower than the yield borne by the Debentures or the CI Investment Debentures. If prevailing rates are lower at the time of redemption, a holder may not be able to reinvest the redemption proceeds in a comparable security at an effective yield as high as the yield on the Debentures or the CI Investment Debentures being redeemed.

Liquidity Risk

Each of the Debentures and the CI Investment Debentures constitute a new issue of securities with no established trading market. In addition, the Debentures and the CI Investment Debentures are not listed on any exchange. As a result, the trading market for the Debentures and the CI Investment Debentures may not be active or liquid. There can be no assurance that an active market for the Debentures or the CI Investment Debentures will develop or be sustained or that holders of the Debentures or the CI Investment Debentures will be able to sell their debentures at any particular price or at all.

Ranking of the Debentures

The Debentures are unsecured obligations of CI, unconditionally guaranteed by CI Investments and may be guaranteed by certain other subsidiaries of CI. Therefore, holders of secured indebtedness of CI or of its subsidiaries will have a claim on the assets securing such indebtedness that ranks in priority to the claims of holders of the Debentures and will have a claim that ranks equally with the claims of holders of Debentures to the extent that such security is insufficient to satisfy the secured indebtedness. Furthermore, although covenants given by CI or its subsidiaries in certain agreements may restrict incurring secured indebtedness, such indebtedness may, subject to certain conditions, be incurred.

The CI Investment Debentures are unsecured obligations of CI Investments, unconditionally guaranteed by CI. Therefore, holders of secured indebtedness of CI Investments will have a claim on the assets securing such indebtedness that ranks in priority to the claims of holders of the CI Investment Debentures and will have a claim that ranks equally with the claims of holders of CI Investment Debentures to the extent that such security is insufficient to satisfy the secured indebtedness. Furthermore, CI Investments is not precluded from incurring additional debt.

Information Regarding Guarantors

The following tables provide unaudited consolidated financial information for CI, CI Investments and non-guarantor subsidiaries for the periods identified below, presented with a separate column for: (i) CI; (ii) CI Investments; (iii) the non-guarantor subsidiaries of CI on a combined basis [the “Other Subsidiaries”]; (iv) consolidating adjustments; and (v) the total consolidated amounts.

STATEMENT OF INCOME DATA FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30*

| <i>(in millions of dollars)</i> | CI Financial | | CI Investments | | Other Subsidiaries | | Consolidating Adjustments | | Total Consolidated Amounts | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------|----------------|-------|--------------------|------|---------------------------|--------|----------------------------|-------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |
| Revenue | 103.3 | 3.1 | 324.0 | 297.0 | 98.9 | 95.3 | (158.8) | (59.1) | 367.4 | 336.3 |
| Net income | 99.4 | (0.5) | 81.6 | 61.9 | 10.9 | 8.8 | (101.1) | 5.7 | 90.8 | 75.9 |

STATEMENT OF INCOME DATA FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30*

| <i>(in millions of dollars)</i> | CI Financial | | CI Investments | | Other Subsidiaries | | Consolidating Adjustments | | Total Consolidated Amounts | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------|----------------|-------|--------------------|-------|---------------------------|---------|----------------------------|---------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |
| Revenue | 541.3 | 8.7 | 1,037.7 | 885.8 | 302.7 | 286.0 | (742.1) | (169.3) | 1,139.6 | 1,011.2 |
| Net income | 529.9 | (4.1) | 301.0 | 206.3 | 26.8 | 28.9 | (568.6) | 10.1 | 289.1 | 241.2 |

BALANCE SHEET DATA AS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2011 AND DECEMBER 31, 2010*

| <i>(in millions of dollars)</i> | CI Financial | | CI Investments | | Other Subsidiaries | | Consolidating Adjustments | | Total Consolidated Amounts | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|---------|----------------|---------|--------------------|-------|---------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|---------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 | 2011 | 2010 |
| Current assets | 559.2 | 262.4 | 252.7 | 278.2 | 203.8 | 192.3 | (575.5) | (279.2) | 440.2 | 453.7 |
| Non-current assets | 1,627.9 | 1,837.8 | 2,822.3 | 3,244.4 | 133.6 | 159.1 | (1,844.4) | (2,488.6) | 2,739.4 | 2,752.7 |
| Current liabilities | 151.8 | 164.2 | 97.0 | 202.4 | 156.4 | 172.8 | (16.4) | (43.7) | 388.8 | 495.7 |
| Non-current liabilities | 446.7 | 467.7 | 1,350.2 | 1,481.2 | 0.2 | 19.0 | (661.5) | (823.3) | 1,135.6 | 1,144.6 |

*Some comparative figures have been reclassified to conform to the presentation in the current year.

Related Party Transactions

The Bank of Nova Scotia (“Scotiabank”) owns an estimated 36.5% of the common shares of CI, and is therefore considered a related party. CI has entered into transactions related to the advisory and distribution of its mutual funds with Scotiabank and its related parties. These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are recorded at the agreed upon exchange amounts. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2011, CI incurred charges for deferred sales commissions of \$1.1 million and \$3.9 million, respectively (three and nine months ended September 30, 2010 – \$0.5 million and \$1.9 million, respectively) and trailer fees of \$5.2 million and \$15.0 million, respectively (three and nine months ended September 30, 2010 – \$1.7 million and \$5.2 million, respectively) which were paid or payable to Scotiabank and its related parties. The balance payable to Scotiabank and its related parties as at September 30, 2011 of \$1.6 million (December 31, 2010 – \$0.6 million) is included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

Share Capital

As at September 30, 2011, CI had 286,422,745 shares outstanding.

At September 30, 2011, 6.4 million options to purchase shares were outstanding, of which 1.7 million options were exercisable.

Contractual Obligations

The table that follows summarizes CI’s contractual obligations at September 30, 2011.

PAYMENTS DUE BY YEAR

| (millions) | Total | Less than | | | | | 5 or more years |
|------------------|---------|-----------|---------|-------|---------|-------|--------------------|
| | | 1 year | 1 – 2 | 2 – 3 | 3 – 4 | 4 – 5 | |
| Credit facility | \$– | \$– | \$– | \$– | \$– | \$– | \$– |
| Debentures | 850.0 | 100.0 | 250.0 | – | 200.0 | – | 300.0 |
| Operating leases | 112.4 | 11.4 | 9.6 | 8.8 | 8.2 | 8.1 | 66.3 |
| Total | \$962.4 | \$111.4 | \$259.6 | \$8.8 | \$208.2 | \$8.1 | \$366.3 |

Significant Accounting Estimates

The September 30, 2011 Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS. For a discussion of all significant accounting policies, refer to Note 1 of the Notes to the Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements. Included in the March 31, 2011 Interim Consolidated Financial Statements is Note 11 which provides a discussion regarding the recoverable amount of CI’s goodwill and intangible assets compared to its carrying value.

CI carries significant goodwill and intangible assets on its balance sheet. CI uses valuation models that use estimates of future market returns and sales and redemptions of investment products as the primary determinants of fair value. CI also uses a valuation approach based on a multiple of assets under administration for the Asset Administration Segment. The multiple used by CI reflects recent transactions and research reports by independent equity research analysts. CI has reassessed these key variables in light of the current economic climate. Estimates of sales and redemptions are very likely to change as economic conditions either improve or deteriorate, whereas estimates of future market returns are less likely to do so. The models are most sensitive to current levels of assets under management and administration as well as estimates of future market returns. While these balances are not currently impaired, a decline of 20% in the fair value of certain models may result in an impairment of goodwill or other intangibles recorded on the balance sheet.

Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards

CI adopted IFRS effective January 1, 2011 with a transition date of January 1, 2010. The adoption of IFRS has not had a material impact on CI's operations, strategic decisions and cash flow. CI's IFRS accounting policies are provided in Note 1 to the March 31, 2011 Interim Consolidated Financial Statements. In addition, Note 8 to the Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements presents reconciliations between CI's 2010 GAAP results and the 2010 IFRS results and explanations of the adjustments to transition to IFRS. The reconciliations include the Consolidated Statement of Net Income, Comprehensive Income and Cash Flows for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2010 as well as a reconciliation of Shareholder's Equity as at September 30, 2010.

Highlights of the Impact of IFRS

Deferred sales commissions

Net income and earnings per share under IFRS will generally be slightly higher than under GAAP for the next six years due to the \$59.2 million reduction in deferred sales commissions on the balance sheet on January 1, 2010. This reduces the amount to be amortized over the next six years. This effect will be most pronounced in the first year under IFRS and will subside each year. The pre-tax effect was approximately \$4 million in 2010.

EBITDA will not be impacted by the change to deferred sales commissions, as this measure reports income before this type of charge.

Legal provisions

CI recorded legal provisions of \$12.1 million upon the adoption of IFRS, and, as these obligations are settled or reversed, net income and earnings per share will be greater than they would have been under GAAP by the after-tax amount of the reduction to this balance. The timing of this is not certain and could take many years to be realized.

EBITDA will also be positively impacted by the legal provisions, eventually in the full amount of the initial provision as this is a pre-tax measure of income.

Impact of IFRS on earnings volatility

In periods where redemptions of CI's funds fluctuate significantly, CI's earnings will become less volatile under IFRS than under GAAP, as any increase (decrease) in redemption fee revenue will be substantially offset by a decrease (increase) in the amortization of deferred sales commissions.

In periods where CI faces an increase in legal claims or litigation, CI's earnings will become more volatile. This is primarily as a result of recording changes to contingent liabilities each quarter, where IFRS has a lower probability threshold for recording a provision.

Alternatives and policy choices under IFRS

CI elected to use certain optional exemptions from full retrospective application of IFRS for business combinations and share-based payments. CI did not restate the purchase equations for acquisitions that occurred prior to January 1, 2010 as the amount of goodwill and intangibles recorded would not have materially changed. Similarly, CI did not revalue vested options under IFRS methodology as at the January 1, 2010 transition date, but instead only revalued unvested options. As CI used the intrinsic value method prior to July 1, 2010, an appropriate amount had already been expensed with respect to these vested options.

Disclosure Controls and Internal Controls over Financial Reporting

The Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer have designed or caused the design of the Internal Controls over Financial Reporting ("ICFR") and Disclosure Controls and Procedures. There has been no material weaknesses identified relating to the design of the ICFR and there has been no changes to CI's internal controls for the quarter ended September 30, 2011 that has materially affected or is reasonably likely to materially affect the internal controls over financial reporting.

Management, under the supervision and participation of the CEO and the CFO evaluated the impact of the conversion from Canadian GAAP to IFRS on internal controls over financial reporting and conclude that there are no changes that have materially affected, or reasonably likely to affect internal controls over financial reporting.

Additional information relating to CI, including the most recent audited financial statements, management information circular and annual information form are available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements

Quarter ended September 30, 2011 (unaudited)

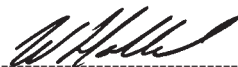
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Consolidated Statements of Financial Position (unaudited)

| <i>[in thousands of Canadian dollars]</i> | As at September 30, 2011 \$ | As at December 31, 2010 \$ |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| ASSETS | | |
| Current | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | 205,791 | 216,537 |
| Client and trust funds on deposit | 130,400 | 108,726 |
| Marketable securities | 32,067 | 33,300 |
| Accounts receivable and prepaid expenses | 68,376 | 95,137 |
| Income taxes receivable | 3,522 | — |
| Total current assets | 440,156 | 453,700 |
| Capital assets, net | 51,538 | 37,994 |
| Deferred sales commissions, net of accumulated amortization of \$757,884 [December 31, 2010 – \$723,467] | 503,775 | 514,415 |
| Intangibles | 2,156,941 | 2,158,757 |
| Other assets | 27,212 | 41,568 |
| | 3,179,622 | 3,206,434 |
| LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY | | |
| Current | | |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities <i>[note 5]</i> | 113,440 | 131,917 |
| Provisions for other liabilities | 3,043 | 2,275 |
| Dividends payable <i>[note 7]</i> | 42,963 | 60,320 |
| Client and trust funds payable | 129,549 | 107,673 |
| Income taxes payable | — | 90,813 |
| Current portion of long-term debt <i>[notes 2 and 5]</i> | 99,853 | 102,747 |
| Total current liabilities | 388,848 | 495,745 |
| Deferred lease inducement | 18,701 | 19,072 |
| Long-term debt <i>[notes 2 and 5]</i> | 747,128 | 767,615 |
| Provisions for other liabilities | 6,863 | 9,153 |
| Deferred income taxes | 362,888 | 348,775 |
| Total liabilities | 1,524,428 | 1,640,360 |
| Shareholders' equity | | |
| Share capital <i>[note 3(a)]</i> | 1,983,509 | 1,984,488 |
| Contributed surplus | 19,910 | 21,846 |
| Deficit | (346,690) | (440,404) |
| Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss) | (1,535) | 144 |
| Total shareholders' equity | 1,655,194 | 1,566,074 |
| | 3,179,622 | 3,206,434 |

(see accompanying notes)

On behalf of the Board of Directors:



William T. Holland
Director



G. Raymond Chang
Director

Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income (unaudited)

For the three-month period ended September 30

| <i>[in thousands of Canadian dollars, except per share amounts]</i> | 2011 \$ | 2010 \$ |
|--|----------------|----------------|
| REVENUE | | |
| Management fees | 321,431 | 293,991 |
| Administration fees | 31,646 | 29,550 |
| Redemption fees | 6,870 | 7,356 |
| Gain on marketable securities | 707 | 5 |
| Other income | 6,727 | 5,441 |
| | 367,381 | 336,343 |
| EXPENSES | | |
| Selling, general and administrative | 72,193 | 67,314 |
| Trailer fees <i>[note 5]</i> | 93,717 | 85,072 |
| Investment dealer fees | 24,799 | 22,913 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions | 41,133 | 41,567 |
| Amortization of intangibles | 585 | 646 |
| Interest <i>[notes 2 and 5]</i> | 6,976 | 4,094 |
| Other | 2,427 | 1,601 |
| | 241,830 | 223,207 |
| Income before income taxes | 125,551 | 113,136 |
| Provision for income taxes | | |
| Current | 37,753 | 38,570 |
| Deferred | (2,986) | (1,378) |
| | 34,767 | 37,192 |
| Net income for the period | 90,784 | 75,944 |
| Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax | | |
| Unrealized income (loss) on available-for-sale financial assets, net of income taxes of (\$410) [2010 – \$74] | (2,496) | 414 |
| Total other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax | (2,496) | 414 |
| Comprehensive income | 88,288 | 76,358 |
| Basic earnings per share <i>[note 3(c)]</i> | \$0.32 | \$0.26 |
| Diluted earnings per share <i>[note 3(c)]</i> | \$0.31 | \$0.26 |

(see accompanying notes)

Consolidated Statements of Income and Comprehensive Income (unaudited)

For the nine-month period ended September 30

| | 2011 | 2010 |
|--|------------------|------------------|
| | \$ | \$ |
| <i>[in thousands of Canadian dollars, except per share amounts]</i> | | |
| REVENUE | | |
| Management fees | 990,664 | 877,740 |
| Administration fees | 101,666 | 93,200 |
| Redemption fees | 21,722 | 22,499 |
| Loss on marketable securities | (396) | (149) |
| Other income | 25,978 | 17,872 |
| | 1,139,634 | 1,011,162 |
| EXPENSES | | |
| Selling, general and administrative | 220,568 | 190,639 |
| Trailer fees <i>[note 5]</i> | 288,611 | 254,885 |
| Investment dealer fees | 79,912 | 72,488 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions | 123,886 | 124,002 |
| Amortization of intangibles | 1,816 | 3,220 |
| Interest <i>[notes 2 and 5]</i> | 20,741 | 12,653 |
| Other | 6,002 | 5,995 |
| | 741,536 | 663,882 |
| Income before income taxes | 398,098 | 347,280 |
| Provision for income taxes | | |
| Current | 94,583 | 97,850 |
| Deferred | 14,388 | 8,220 |
| | 108,971 | 106,070 |
| Net income for the period | 289,127 | 241,210 |
| Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax | | |
| Unrealized income (loss) on available-for-sale financial assets, net of income taxes of (\$400) [2010 – \$13] | (2,360) | 80 |
| Reversal of losses to net income on available-for-sale financial assets, net of income taxes of \$125 [2010 – \$17] | 681 | 99 |
| Total other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax | (1,679) | 179 |
| Comprehensive income | 287,448 | 241,389 |
| Basic and diluted earnings per share <i>[note 3(c)]</i> | \$1.00 | \$0.83 |

(see accompanying notes)

Consolidated Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity (unaudited)

for the nine-month period ended September 30

| | Share capital [note 3(a)] \$ | Contributed surplus \$ | Deficit \$ | Accumulated other comprehensive loss \$ | Total \$ |
|--|------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|---|------------------|
| <i>[in thousands of Canadian dollars]</i> | | | | | |
| Balance, January 1, 2011 | 1,984,488 | 21,846 | (440,404) | 144 | 1,566,074 |
| Comprehensive income | — | — | 289,127 | (1,679) | 287,448 |
| Dividends declared [note 7] | — | — | (172,723) | — | (172,723) |
| Shares repurchased | (11,920) | — | (22,690) | — | (34,610) |
| Issuance of share capital on exercise of options and vesting of deferred equity units | 10,941 | (7,224) | — | — | 3,717 |
| Compensation expense for equity-based plans | — | 5,288 | — | — | 5,288 |
| Change during the period | (979) | (1,936) | 93,714 | (1,679) | 89,120 |
| Balance, September 30, 2011 | 1,983,509 | 19,910 | (346,690) | (1,535) | 1,655,194 |
| Balance, January 1, 2010 | 2,008,846 | 11,445 | (460,105) | (270) | 1,559,916 |
| Comprehensive income | — | — | 241,210 | 179 | 241,389 |
| Dividends declared [note 7] | — | — | (164,820) | — | (164,820) |
| Shares repurchased | (31,010) | — | (58,638) | — | (89,648) |
| Issuance of share capital on exercise of options and vesting of deferred equity units | 5,221 | (7,411) | — | — | (2,190) |
| Modification of option plan | — | 17,050 | — | — | 17,050 |
| Compensation expense for equity-based plans | — | 4,275 | — | — | 4,275 |
| Change during the period | (25,789) | 13,914 | 17,752 | 179 | 6,056 |
| Balance, September 30, 2010 | 1,983,057 | 25,359 | (442,353) | (91) | 1,565,972 |

(see accompanying notes)

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited)

For the three-month period ended September 30

| <i>[in thousands of Canadian dollars]</i> | 2011 \$ | 2010 \$ |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Net income | 90,784 | 75,944 |
| Add (deduct) items not involving cash | | |
| Gain on marketable securities | (707) | (5) |
| Equity-based compensation | 1,758 | 4,766 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions | 41,133 | 41,567 |
| Amortization of intangibles | 585 | 646 |
| Amortization of other | 2,507 | 1,652 |
| Deferred income taxes | (2,986) | (1,378) |
| Cash provided by operating activities before changes in operating assets and liabilities | 133,074 | 123,192 |
| Net change in non-cash working capital balances related to continuing operations | 54,595 | 46,669 |
| Income taxes paid | (31,363) | (12,555) |
| Interest paid | (746) | (1,496) |
| Cash provided by operating activities | 155,560 | 155,810 |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Purchase of marketable securities | (15,017) | (10,600) |
| Proceeds on sale of marketable securities | 15,028 | 605 |
| Additions to capital assets | (1,172) | (7,473) |
| Deferred sales commissions paid | (28,889) | (31,685) |
| Decrease in other assets | 631 | 4,298 |
| Cash used in investing activities | (29,419) | (44,855) |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Increase in long-term debt | — | 57,999 |
| Repurchase of share capital <i>[note 3(a)]</i> | (34,610) | (10,506) |
| Issuance of share capital <i>[note 3(a)]</i> | — | 2 |
| Dividends paid to shareholders <i>[note 7]</i> | (64,704) | (56,195) |
| Cash used in financing activities | (99,314) | (8,700) |
| Net increase in cash and cash equivalents during the period | 26,827 | 102,255 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period | 178,964 | 44,282 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, end of period | 205,791 | 146,537 |

(see accompanying notes)

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited)

For the nine-month period ended September 30

| <i>[in thousands of Canadian dollars]</i> | 2011 \$ | 2010 \$ |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Net income | 289,127 | 241,210 |
| Add (deduct) items not involving cash | | |
| Loss on marketable securities | 396 | 149 |
| Equity-based compensation | 5,288 | (13,718) |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions | 123,886 | 124,002 |
| Amortization of intangibles | 1,816 | 3,220 |
| Amortization of other | 7,967 | 5,011 |
| Deferred income taxes | 14,388 | 8,220 |
| Cash provided by operating activities before changes in operating assets and liabilities | 442,868 | 368,094 |
| Net change in non-cash working capital balances related to continuing operations | 116,359 | 89,667 |
| Income taxes paid | (189,503) | (42,918) |
| Interest paid | (14,619) | (7,842) |
| Cash provided by operating activities | 355,105 | 407,001 |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Purchase of marketable securities | (32,670) | (10,600) |
| Proceeds on sale of marketable securities | 31,482 | 1,651 |
| Additions to capital assets | (20,886) | (10,459) |
| Deferred sales commissions paid | (113,246) | (123,144) |
| Decrease in other assets | 14,356 | 8,087 |
| Cash used in investing activities | (120,964) | (134,465) |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES | | |
| Increase (decrease) in long-term debt | (23,908) | 48,924 |
| Repurchase of share capital <i>[note 3(a)]</i> | (34,610) | (89,648) |
| Issuance of share capital <i>[note 3(a)]</i> | 3,711 | 80 |
| Dividends paid to shareholders <i>[note 7]</i> | (190,080) | (162,475) |
| Cash used in financing activities | (244,887) | (203,119) |
| Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents during the period | (10,746) | 69,417 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period | 216,537 | 77,120 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, end of period | 205,791 | 146,537 |

(see accompanying notes)

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

[in thousands of dollars, except per share amounts]

September 30, 2011 and 2010

CI Financial Corp. ["CI"] is incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario. CI's primary business is the management and distribution of a broad range of financial products and services, including mutual funds, segregated funds, financial planning, insurance, investment advice, wealth management and estate and succession planning.

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements of CI have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 *Interim Financial Reporting* ("IAS 34") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and using the accounting policies CI expects to adopt in its financial statements as at and for the year ending December 31, 2011. CI will ultimately prepare its opening balance sheet and financial statements for 2010 and 2011 by applying existing IFRS with an effective date of December 31, 2011 or prior. Accordingly, the financial statements for 2010 and 2011 may differ from these financial statements.

The same accounting policies and methods of computation were followed in the preparation of these interim condensed consolidated financial statements as were followed in the preparation of the interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the three month period ended March 31, 2011. In addition, the interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the three month period ended March 31, 2011 contain certain incremental annual IFRS disclosures not included in the annual financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010 prepared in accordance with previous Canadian GAAP. Accordingly, these interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the three and nine month periods ended September 30, 2011 should be read together with the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2010 prepared in accordance with previous Canadian GAAP as well as the interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the three month period ended March 31, 2011.

These unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements were authorized for issuance by the Board of Directors of CI on November 8, 2011.

Basis of presentation

The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements of CI have been prepared on a going concern basis and on the historical cost basis, except for certain financial instruments that have been measured at fair value. CI's presentation currency is the Canadian dollar. The functional currency of CI and its subsidiaries is also the Canadian dollar.

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September 30, 2011 and 2010

2. LONG-TERM DEBT

Long-term debt consists of the following:

| | As at September 30, 2011 \$ | As at December 31, 2010 \$ |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Credit facility | | |
| Bankers' acceptances | — | 24,025 |
| Debentures | | |
| \$100 million, floating rate, due December 16, 2011 | 99,853 | 99,748 |
| \$250 million, 3.30%, due December 17, 2012 | 249,408 | 249,179 |
| \$200 million, 4.19%, due December 16, 2014 | 199,202 | 199,042 |
| \$300 million, 3.94% until December 13, 2015 and floating rate until December 14, 2016 | 298,518 | 298,368 |
| Total debentures | 846,981 | 846,337 |
| Total long-term debt | 846,981 | 870,362 |

Credit facility

Effective March 17, 2011, CI entered into a new revolving credit facility with two chartered banks, terminating the credit facility that existed prior to this date. Amounts may be borrowed under this facility in Canadian dollars through prime rate loans, which bear interest at the greater of the bank's prime rate and the Canadian Deposit Offering Rate plus 1.00%, or bankers' acceptances, which bear interest at bankers' acceptance rates plus 0.75%. Amounts may also be borrowed in U.S. dollars through base rate loans, which bear interest at the greater of the bank's reference rate for loans made by it in Canada in U.S. funds and the federal funds effective rate plus 1.00%, or LIBOR loans which bear interest at LIBOR plus 0.75%.

CI may also borrow under this facility in the form of letters of credit, which bear a fee of 0.75% on any undrawn portion. As at September 30, 2011, CI had accessed \$nil [December 31, 2010 - \$360] by way of letters of credit.

Loans are made by the bank under a 364-day revolving credit facility, the term of which may be extended annually at the bank's option. If the bank elects not to extend the term, 50% of the outstanding principal amount shall be repaid in equal quarterly instalments over the following two years, with the remaining 50% of the outstanding principal balance due two years following the first quarter-end payment.

The credit facility is fully and unconditionally guaranteed by CI Investments, a wholly owned subsidiary of CI, and may be guaranteed by certain other subsidiaries of CI. The credit facility contains a number of financial covenants that require CI to meet certain financial ratios and financial condition tests. CI is within its financial covenants with respect to its credit facility, which require that the funded debt to annualized earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ratio remain below 2.5:1 and that CI's assets under management not fall below \$40 billion, calculated based on a rolling 30-day average. There can be no assurance that future borrowings or equity financing will be available to CI or available on acceptable terms.

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Debentures

On December 16, 2009, CI entered into interest rate swap agreements with a Canadian chartered bank to swap the fixed rate payments on the 2012 Debentures and the 2014 Debentures for floating rate payments. As at September 30, 2011, the fair value of the interest rate swap was an unrealized gain of \$12,838 [December 31, 2010 – unrealized gain of \$2,467] and is included in long-term debt in the consolidated balance sheet.

3. SHARE CAPITAL

A summary of the changes to CI's share capital for the period is as follows:

[a] Authorized and issued

| Common Shares | Number of shares [in thousands] | Stated value \$ |
|--|------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Common shares, balance, December 31, 2009 | 291,821 | 2,008,846 |
| Issuance of share capital on vesting of deferred equity units and exercise of share options | 455 | 8,993 |
| Share repurchase | (4,842) | (33,351) |
| Common shares, balance, December 31, 2010 | 287,434 | 1,984,488 |
| Issuance of share capital on vesting of deferred equity units and exercise of share options | 587 | 8,671 |
| Common shares, balance, March 31, 2011 | 288,021 | 1,993,159 |
| Issuance of share capital on vesting of deferred equity units and exercise of share options | 70 | 1,240 |
| Common shares, balance, June 30, 2011 | 288,091 | 1,994,399 |
| Issuance of share capital on vesting of deferred equity units and exercise of share options | 55 | 1,030 |
| Share repurchase | (1,723) | (11,920) |
| Common shares, balance, September 30, 2011 | 286,423 | 1,983,509 |

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[in thousands of dollars, except per share amounts]

September 30, 2011 and 2010

[b] Employee incentive share option plan

CI has an employee incentive share option plan [the “Share Option Plan”], as amended and restated, for the executives and key employees of CI.

During the three months ended March 31, 2011, CI granted 1,577,170 options to employees. The fair value method of accounting is used for the valuation of the 2011 share option grants. Compensation expense is recognized over the three-year vesting period, assuming an estimated forfeiture rate of 0% to 1%, with an offset to contributed surplus. When exercised, amounts originally recorded against contributed surplus as well as any consideration paid by the option holder is credited to share capital. The fair value of the 2011 option grants was estimated using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model with the following weighted-average assumptions:

| Year of Grant | 2011 | 2011 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| # of options granted [in thousands] | 370 | 1,207 |
| Vesting terms | 1/3 at end of each year | 1/3 at end of each year |
| Dividend yield | 4.514% – 4.833% | 4.702% – 5.035% |
| Expected volatility | 20% | 20% |
| Risk-free interest rate | 2.276% – 2.637% | 2.202% – 2.592% |
| Expected life [years] | 3.0 – 4.2 | 3.0 – 4.2 |
| Fair value per stock option | \$2.40 – \$2.71 | \$2.26 – \$2.54 |
| Exercise price | \$22.45 | \$21.55 |

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[in thousands of dollars, except per share amounts]

September 30, 2011 and 2010

A summary of the changes in the Share Option Plan is as follows:

| | Number of options [in thousands] | Weighted average exercise price \$ |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|
| Options outstanding, December 31, 2009 | 6,394 | 13.11 |
| Options exercisable, December 31, 2009 | 1,067 | 16.52 |
| Options granted | 2,148 | 21.11 |
| Options exercised | (2,198) | 14.06 |
| Options cancelled | (74) | 14.65 |
| Options outstanding, December 31, 2010 | 6,270 | 15.50 |
| Options exercisable, December 31, 2010 | 727 | 13.52 |
| Options granted | 1,577 | 21.76 |
| Options exercised | (988) | 11.75 |
| Options cancelled | (61) | 17.42 |
| Options outstanding, March 31, 2011 | 6,798 | 17.48 |
| Options exercisable, March 31, 2011 | 1,615 | 15.88 |
| Options exercised | (152) | 14.57 |
| Options cancelled | (83) | 18.38 |
| Options outstanding, June 30, 2011 | 6,563 | 17.54 |
| Options exercisable, June 30, 2011 | 1,733 | 16.27 |
| Options exercised | (119) | 13.58 |
| Options cancelled | (14) | 17.81 |
| Options outstanding, September 30, 2011 | 6,430 | 17.61 |
| Options exercisable, September 30, 2011 | 1,684 | 16.33 |

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Options outstanding and exercisable as at September 30, 2011 are as follows:

| Exercise price \$ | Number of options outstanding [in thousands] | Weighted average remaining contractual life [years] | Number of options exercisable [in thousands] |
|-----------------------|--|---|--|
| 11.60 | 1,803 | 2.4 | 561 |
| 12.57 | 496 | 2.2 | 186 |
| 15.59 | 202 | 2.5 | 87 |
| 18.10 | 20 | 2.8 | 13 |
| 18.20 | 322 | 2.7 | 208 |
| 19.48 | 189 | 3.6 | 60 |
| 21.27 | 1,859 | 3.4 | 566 |
| 21.55 | 1,166 | 4.3 | — |
| 22.45 | 370 | 4.4 | — |
| 23.09 | 3 | 0.1 | 3 |
| 11.60 to 23.09 | 6,430 | 3.2 | 1,684 |

[c] Basic and diluted earnings per share

The following table presents the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per common share for the three and nine months ended September 30:

| [in thousands] | Three months ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2011 | Three months ended Sept. 30, 2010 | Nine months ended Sept. 30, 2010 |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Numerator: | | | | |
| Net income – basic and diluted | \$90,784 | \$289,127 | \$75,944 | \$241,210 |
| Denominator: | | | | |
| Weighted average number of common shares – basic | 287,664 | 287,854 | 287,727 | 289,622 |
| Weighted average effect of dilutive stock options and deferred equity units (*) | 1,083 | 1,302 | 1,446 | 1,505 |
| Weighted average number of common shares – diluted | 288,747 | 289,156 | 289,173 | 291,127 |
| Net earnings per common share | | | | |
| Basic | \$0.32 | \$1.00 | \$0.26 | \$0.83 |
| Diluted | \$0.31 | \$1.00 | \$0.26 | \$0.83 |

(*) The determination of the weighted average number of common share – diluted excludes 1,539 thousand shares related to stock options that were anti-dilutive for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2011 [and 2,143 thousand shares for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2010]

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[d] Maximum share dilution

The following table presents the maximum number of shares that would be outstanding if all the DEU Awards and outstanding options as at October 31, 2011 were exercised:

| [in thousands] | |
|--|---------|
| Shares outstanding at October 31, 2011 | 284,742 |
| DEU Awards outstanding | 1 |
| Options to purchase shares | 6,426 |
| | 291,169 |

4. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

CI's objectives in managing capital are to maintain a capital structure that allows CI to meet its growth strategies and build long-term shareholder value, while satisfying its financial obligations and meeting its long-term debt covenants.

CI's capital is comprised of shareholders' equity and long-term debt [including current portion of long-term debt]. CI's senior management is responsible for the management of capital. CI's Board of Directors is responsible for reviewing and approving CI's capital policy and management.

CI and its subsidiaries are subject to minimum regulatory capital requirements whereby sufficient cash and other liquid assets must be on hand to maintain capital requirements rather than using them in connection with its business. Failure to maintain required regulatory capital by CI may result in fines, suspension or revocation of registration by the relevant securities regulator. As at September 30, 2011, CI met its capital requirements.

CI's capital consists of the following:

| | As at September 30, 2011 | As at December 31, 2010 |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | \$ | \$ |
| Shareholders' equity | 1,655,194 | 1,566,074 |
| Long-term debt | 846,981 | 870,362 |
| Total capital | 2,502,175 | 2,436,436 |

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5. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Bank of Nova Scotia ["Scotiabank"] owns approximately 36.5% of the common shares of CI, and is therefore considered a related party. CI has entered into transactions related to the advisory and distribution of its mutual funds with Scotiabank and its related parties. These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are recorded at the agreed upon exchange amounts. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2011, CI incurred charges for deferred sales commissions of \$1,101 and \$3,922, respectively [three and nine months ended September 30 2010 – \$513 and \$2,023, respectively] and trailer fees of \$5,177 and \$14,978, respectively [three and nine months ended September 30 2010 – \$1,671 and \$5,152, respectively] which were paid or payable to Scotiabank and its related parties. The balance payable to Scotiabank and its related parties as at September 30, 2011 of \$1,630 [December 31, 2010 – \$640] is included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

For the period January 1, 2011 to March 17, 2011 and for the year ended December 31, 2010, Scotiabank was the provider of and administrative agent for CI's revolving credit facility. As at December 31, 2010, CI had drawn long-term debt of \$24,025 in the form of bankers' acceptances. During the period January 1, 2011 to March 17, 2011, interest and stamping fees of \$389 [three and nine month period ended September 30, 2010 – \$807 and \$4,079, respectively] were recorded as interest expense.

On December 16, 2009, CI entered into an interest rate swap agreement with Scotiabank as described in Note 2.

6. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

CI has two reportable segments: Asset Management and Asset Administration. These segments reflect CI's internal financial reporting and performance measurement.

The Asset Management segment includes the operating results and financial position of CI Investments Inc., Castlerock Investments Inc. [formerly Hartford] which amalgamated with CI Investments Inc. on June 30, 2011 and CI Private Counsel LP which derive their revenues principally from the fees earned on the management of several families of mutual and segregated funds.

The Asset Administration segment includes the operating results and financial position of Assante Wealth Management (Canada) Ltd. and its subsidiaries, including Assante Capital Management Ltd. and Assante Financial Management Ltd. These companies derive their revenues principally from commissions and fees earned on the sale of mutual funds and other financial products, and ongoing service to clients.

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Segmented information for the three months ended September 30, 2011 is as follows:

| | Asset management \$ | Asset administration \$ | Intersegment eliminations \$ | Total \$ |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| Management fees | 321,431 | — | — | 321,431 |
| Administration fees | — | 54,333 | (22,687) | 31,646 |
| Other revenue | 10,283 | 4,021 | — | 14,304 |
| Total revenue | 331,714 | 58,354 | (22,687) | 367,381 |
| Selling, general and administrative | 58,570 | 13,623 | — | 72,193 |
| Trailer fees | 97,323 | — | (3,606) | 93,717 |
| Investment dealer fees | — | 43,122 | (18,323) | 24,799 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions and intangibles | 42,445 | 376 | (1,103) | 41,718 |
| Other expenses | 1,632 | 795 | — | 2,427 |
| Total expenses | 199,970 | 57,916 | (23,032) | 234,854 |
| Income before income taxes and non-segmented items | 131,744 | 438 | 345 | 132,527 |
| Interest expense | | | | (6,976) |
| Provision for income taxes | | | | (34,767) |
| Net income for the period | | | | 90,784 |

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Segmented information for the three months ended September 30, 2010 is as follows:

| | Asset management \$ | Asset administration \$ | Intersegment eliminations \$ | Total \$ |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------|
| Management fees | 293,991 | — | — | 293,991 |
| Administration fees | — | 51,129 | (21,579) | 29,550 |
| Other revenue | 8,934 | 3,868 | — | 12,802 |
| Total revenue | 302,925 | 54,997 | (21,579) | 336,343 |
| Selling, general and administrative | 54,158 | 13,156 | — | 67,314 |
| Trailer fees | 88,521 | — | (3,449) | 85,072 |
| Investment dealer fees | — | 40,291 | (17,378) | 22,913 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions and intangibles | 42,843 | 376 | (1,006) | 42,213 |
| Other expenses | 788 | 813 | — | 1,601 |
| Total expenses | 186,310 | 54,636 | (21,833) | 219,113 |
| Income before income taxes and non-segmented items | 116,615 | 361 | 254 | 117,230 |
| Interest expense | | | | (4,094) |
| Provision for income taxes | | | | (37,192) |
| Net income for the period | | | | 75,944 |

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Segmented information as at and for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 is as follows:

| | Asset management \$ | Asset administration \$ | Intersegment eliminations \$ | Total \$ |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|------------------|
| Management fees | 990,664 | — | — | 990,664 |
| Administration fees | — | 173,703 | (72,037) | 101,666 |
| Other revenue | 35,379 | 11,925 | — | 47,304 |
| Total revenue | 1,026,043 | 185,628 | (72,037) | 1,139,634 |
| Selling, general and administrative | 178,602 | 41,966 | — | 220,568 |
| Trailer fees | 299,735 | — | (11,124) | 288,611 |
| Investment dealer fees | — | 138,028 | (58,116) | 79,912 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions and intangibles | 127,835 | 1,128 | (3,261) | 125,702 |
| Other expenses | 3,485 | 2,517 | — | 6,002 |
| Total expenses | 609,657 | 183,639 | (72,501) | 720,795 |
| Income before income taxes and non-segmented items | 416,386 | 1,989 | 464 | 418,839 |
| Interest expense | | | | (20,741) |
| Provision for income taxes | | | | (108,971) |
| Net income for the period | | | | 289,127 |
| Identifiable assets | 847,967 | 245,358 | (12,711) | 1,080,614 |
| Indefinite life intangibles | | | | |
| Goodwill | 927,344 | 192,582 | — | 1,119,926 |
| Fund contracts | 979,082 | — | — | 979,082 |
| Total assets | 2,754,393 | 437,940 | (12,711) | 3,179,622 |

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Segmented information for the nine months ended September 30, 2010 is as follows:

| | Asset management \$ | Asset administration \$ | Intersegment eliminations \$ | Total \$ |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Management fees | 877,740 | — | — | 877,740 |
| Administration fees | — | 162,355 | (69,155) | 93,200 |
| Other revenue | 28,628 | 11,594 | — | 40,222 |
| Total revenue | 906,368 | 173,949 | (69,155) | 1,011,162 |
| Selling, general and administrative | 151,393 | 39,246 | — | 190,639 |
| Trailer fees | 265,363 | — | (10,478) | 254,885 |
| Investment dealer fees | — | 128,039 | (55,551) | 72,488 |
| Amortization of deferred sales commissions and intangibles | 129,009 | 1,128 | (2,915) | 127,222 |
| Other expenses | 3,084 | 2,911 | — | 5,995 |
| Total expenses | 548,849 | 171,324 | (68,944) | 651,229 |
| Income before income taxes and non-segmented items | 357,519 | 2,625 | (211) | 359,933 |
| Interest expense | | | | (12,653) |
| Provision for income taxes | | | | (106,070) |
| Net income for the period | | | | 241,210 |
| As at December 31, 2010 | | | | |
| Identifiable assets | 902,782 | 199,186 | (14,542) | 1,087,426 |
| Indefinite life intangibles | | | | |
| Goodwill | 927,344 | 192,582 | — | 1,119,926 |
| Fund contracts | 999,082 | — | — | 999,082 |
| Total assets | 2,829,208 | 391,768 | (14,542) | 3,206,434 |

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7. DIVIDENDS

The following dividends were paid by CI during the nine months ended September 30, 2011:

| Record date | Payment date | Cash dividend per share \$ | Total dividend amount \$ |
|---|--------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| December 31, 2010 | January 14, 2011 | 0.07 | 20,146 |
| January 31, 2011 | February 15, 2011 | 0.07 | 20,179 |
| February 28, 2011 | March 15, 2011 | 0.07 | 20,183 |
| Paid during the three months ended March 31, 2011 | | | 60,508 |
| March 31, 2011 | April 15, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,615 |
| April 30, 2011 | May 13, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,620 |
| May 31, 2011 | June 15, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,633 |
| Paid during the three months ended June 30, 2011 | | | 64,868 |
| Paid during the six months ended June 30, 2011 | | | 125,376 |
| June 30, 2011 | July 15, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,634 |
| July 31, 2011 | August 15, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,501 |
| August 31, 2011 | September 15, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,569 |
| Paid during the three months ended September 30, 2011 | | | 64,704 |
| Paid during the nine months ended September 30, 2011 | | | 190,080 |

The following dividends were declared but not paid during the three months ended September 30, 2011:

| Record date | Payment date | Cash dividend per share \$ | Total dividend amount \$ |
|---|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| September 30, 2011 | October 14, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,482 |
| October 31, 2011 | November 15, 2011 | 0.075 | 21,481 |
| Declared and accrued as at September 30, 2011 | | | 42,963 |

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The following dividends were paid by CI during the nine months ended September 30, 2010:

| Record date | Payment date | Cash dividend per share \$ | Total dividend amount \$ |
|---|--------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| December 31, 2009 | January 15, 2010 | 0.06 | 17,548 |
| January 31, 2010 | February 15, 2010 | 0.06 | 17,530 |
| March 2, 2010 | March 15, 2010 | 0.06 | 17,480 |
| Paid during the three months ended March 31, 2010 | | | 52,558 |
| March 31, 2010 | April 15, 2010 | 0.06 | 17,503 |
| April 30, 2010 | May 14, 2010 | 0.06 | 17,460 |
| May 31, 2010 | June 15, 2010 | 0.065 | 18,759 |
| Paid during the three months ended June 30, 2010 | | | 53,722 |
| Paid during the six months ended June 30, 2010 | | | 106,280 |
| June 30, 2010 | July 15, 2010 | 0.065 | 18,770 |
| July 31, 2010 | August 15, 2010 | 0.065 | 18,742 |
| August 31, 2010 | September 15, 2010 | 0.065 | 18,683 |
| Paid during the three months ended September 30, 2010 | | | 56,195 |
| Paid during the nine months ended September 30, 2010 | | | 162,475 |

The following dividends were declared but not paid during the three months ended September 30, 2010:

| Record date | Payment date | Cash dividend per share \$ | Total dividend amount \$ |
|---|-------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| September 30, 2010 | October 15, 2010 | 0.065 | 18,720 |
| October 31, 2010 | November 15, 2010 | 0.065 | 18,720 |
| Declared and accrued as at September 30, 2010 | | | 37,440 |

On November 8, 2011, The Board of Directors declared monthly cash dividends of \$0.075 per share payable on December 15, 2011, January 13, 2012 and February 15, 2012 to shareholders of record on November 30, 2011, December 31, 2011 and January 31, 2012, respectively.

8. TRANSITION TO IFRS

CI adopted IFRS effective January 1, 2011 with a transition date of January 1, 2010. Prior to the adoption of IFRS CI prepared its financial statements in accordance with Canadian GAAP. CI's financial statements for the year ending December 31, 2011 will be the first annual financial statements that comply with IFRS. CI will ultimately prepare its opening balance sheet and financial statements for 2010 and 2011 by applying existing IFRS with an effective date of December 31, 2011 or prior. Accordingly, the opening balance sheet and financial statements for 2010 and 2011 may differ from these financial statements and those presented in the first quarter financial report.

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Reconciliations of Canadian GAAP to IFRS

IFRS employs a conceptual framework that is similar to Canadian GAAP. However, significant differences exist in certain matters of recognition, measurement and disclosure. IFRS 1 requires a reconciliation of equity, comprehensive income and cash flows for prior periods. These reconciliations along with the explanation of the differences are presented as follows:

Reconciliation of equity as reported under Canadian GAAP to IFRS:

| | As at Sept. 30, 2010 |
|--|----------------------|
| | \$ |
| Shareholders' equity under Canadian GAAP | 1,609,525 |
| Differences increasing (decreasing) reported shareholders' equity: | |
| (i) Deferred sales commissions | (55,489) |
| (ii) Equity-based compensation | (2,475) |
| (iii) Provisions | (10,359) |
| (iv) Income taxes | 24,770 |
| Shareholders' equity under IFRS | 1,565,972 |

Reconciliation of net income as reported under Canadian GAAP to IFRS:

| | Three months ended September 30, 2010 | Nine months ended September 30, 2010 |
|--|--|---|
| | \$ | \$ |
| Net income under Canadian GAAP | 75,501 | 239,442 |
| Differences increasing (decreasing) reported net income: | | |
| (i) Deferred sales commissions | 1,411 | 3,667 |
| (ii) Equity-based compensation | 482 | 1,411 |
| (iii) Provisions | 360 | 1,739 |
| (iv) Income taxes | (1,810) | (5,049) |
| | 443 | 1,768 |
| Net income under IFRS | 75,944 | 241,210 |

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Reconciliation of comprehensive income as reported under Canadian GAAP to IFRS:

| | Three months ended September 30, 2010 | Nine months ended September 30, 2010 |
|--|--|---|
| | \$ | \$ |
| Comprehensive income under Canadian GAAP | 75,915 | 239,621 |
| Differences in net income | 443 | 1,768 |
| Comprehensive income under IFRS | 76,358 | 241,389 |

Reconciliation of cash flow activities as reported under Canadian GAAP to IFRS:

| | | As reported under Canadian GAAP | IFRS adjustments | As reported under IFRS |
|---|------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| | Ref | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| For the three months ended September 30, 2010 | | | | |
| Cash flow from operating activities | (ii) | 155,840 | (30) | 155,810 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | (ii) | (44,885) | 30 | (44,855) |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | (8,700) | — | (8,700) |

| | | As reported under Canadian GAAP | IFRS adjustments | As reported under IFRS |
|--|------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| | Ref | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| For the nine months ended September 30, 2010 | | | | |
| Cash flow from operating activities | (ii) | 407,126 | (125) | 407,001 |
| Cash flow from investing activities | (ii) | (134,590) | 125 | (134,465) |
| Cash flow from financing activities | | (203,119) | — | (203,119) |

(i) *Deferred sales commissions*

Under both IFRS and Canadian GAAP, deferred sales commissions have been amortized on a straight-line basis over the expected investment period of 36 to 84 months. Under IFRS, the unamortized deferred sales commissions related to redemptions occurring prior to the end of the expected investment period are immediately charged to net income and included in the amortization of deferred sales commissions. Under Canadian GAAP, the amortization of deferred sales commissions was not adjusted for redemptions. Accordingly, the transition to IFRS has resulted in a general acceleration to the amortization of deferred sales commissions.

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(ii) Equity-based compensation

Share option plan

Prior to July 1, 2010, CI's share option plan included a cash settlement option and the related awards were reflected on the balance sheet as a liability. Under Canadian GAAP, the liability was measured based upon the intrinsic value of the outstanding share options with changes in intrinsic value recorded through earnings. Under IFRS, the liability has been measured based upon the fair value of the outstanding share options with changes in fair value recorded through earnings.

Deferred equity plans

Awards granted under the deferred equity plans vest in instalments. Such vesting conditions are often referred to as graded-vesting. IFRS requires that each instalment be treated as a separate award for purposes of calculating fair value and amortizing the expense into income. Under Canadian GAAP, CI treated the entire award as a single pool and determined fair value using the average life of the instrument, recognizing compensation expense on a straight line basis.

Additionally, under IFRS, a non-compete condition is considered to be a non-vesting condition and awards of equity having only non-vesting conditions must be expensed immediately at grant date with no reversal of the expense for forfeitures. Under Canadian GAAP, CI recognized compensation expense straight-line over the vesting period of 36 months.

These differences have resulted in a general acceleration of the recognition of compensation expense upon transition to IFRS.

(iii) Provisions

Under IFRS, provisions are recognized when it is probable (50% certain) that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation, whereas, under Canadian GAAP a provision was recognized when it was more likely than not (75% certain) that an outflow of resources would be required to settle the obligation. CI has several litigation related matters where the probability of loss was assessed at between 50 and 70 percent as at the transition date therefore some additional amounts have been recognized upon adoption of IFRS. The provision accrual has also increased due to certain measurement differences between Canadian GAAP and IFRS.

(iv) Income Taxes

Deferred taxes are impacted by the change in temporary differences resulting from the effect of the IFRS reconciling items described in (i) to (iii) above.

Under IFRS, when an entity acquires another entity whose primary asset is a loss carry-forward, IAS 12 requires a deferred tax asset be recognized to the extent probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the unused tax losses and tax credits can be utilized. Canadian GAAP required that a deferred tax asset be set up with a corresponding deferred credit for the excess of the future tax asset over its cost. CI reversed a deferred credit related to acquired tax losses to deficit on transition to IFRS.

(v) Presentation reclassifications

The presentation in accordance with IFRS differs from the presentation in accordance with Canadian GAAP as follows:

Deferred taxes

Under IFRS deferred tax assets and liabilities must be classified as non-current whereas under Canadian GAAP, deferred tax assets and liabilities were classified as current or non-current as appropriate.

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Provisions

Under IFRS provisions are presented as a separate line item under current and non-current liabilities. Under Canadian GAAP, CI presented provisions under accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

Software

Under IFRS, acquired software is presented as an intangible asset whereas under Canadian GAAP, software was included as part of capital assets.

9. FUTURE ACCOUNTING CHANGES

CI is currently evaluating the impact the following new standards issued or amended by the IASB will have on its financial statements.

| International Accounting Standard | Issue Date /Amendment Date (*) | Effective Date |
|--|--------------------------------|-----------------|
| International Accounting Standard | Issue Date /Amendment Date (*) | Effective Date |
| IFRS 9 – Financial Instruments | November 12, 2009 | January 1, 2013 |
| IFRS 10 – Consolidated Financial Statements | May 12, 2011 | January 1, 2013 |
| IFRS 11 – Joint Arrangements | May 12, 2011 | January 1, 2013 |
| IFRS 13 – Fair Value Measurement | May 12, 2011 | January 1, 2013 |
| IAS 1 – Presentation of Financial Statements | June 16, 2011 (*) | July 1, 2012 |

IFRS 9 *Financial Instruments* (“IFRS 9”) will replace IAS 39 *Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement* (“IAS 39”). IFRS 9 uses a single approach to determine whether a financial asset is measured at amortized cost or fair value, replacing multiple rules in IAS 39. The approach in IFRS 9 is based on how an entity manages its financial instruments in the context of its business model and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets. The new standard also requires a single impairment method to be used, replacing the multiple impairment methods in IAS 39. IFRS 9 is currently effective January 1, 2013 with a proposed effective date of January 1, 2015.

IFRS 10 *Consolidated Financial Statements* (“IFRS 10”) replaces the consolidation requirements in SIC-12 *Consolidation – Special Purpose Entities* and IAS 27 *Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements*. IFRS 10 builds on existing principles by identifying the concept of control as the determining factor in whether an entity should be included within the consolidated financial statements of the parent company.

IFRS 12 *Disclosures of Interests in Other Entities* (“IFRS 12”) establishes disclosure requirements for interests in other entities, including subsidiaries, joint arrangements, associates and unconsolidated structured entities. The standard carries forward existing disclosures and also introduces significant additional disclosure requirements that address the nature of, and risks associated with, an entity’s interest in other entities.

IFRS 13 *Fair Value Measurement* (“IFRS 13”) establishes the definition of fair value and sets out a single IFRS framework for measuring fair value and the required disclosures.

IAS 1 *Presentation of Financial Statements* (“IAS 1”) was amended to require entities to group together items within other comprehensive income that may be reclassified to the profit or loss section of the income statement.

This Report contains forward-looking statements with respect to CI, including its business operations and strategy and financial performance and condition. Although management believes that the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, such statements involve risks and uncertainties. Actual results may differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Factors that could cause results to differ materially include, among other things, general economic and market factors, including interest rates, business competition, changes in government regulations or in tax laws, and other factors discussed in materials filed with applicable securities regulatory authorities from time to time.

