

2024 Annual Report

iShares Trust

• iShares Cohen & Steers REIT ETF | ICF | Choe BZX

The Markets in Review

Dear Shareholder,

The combination of continued economic growth and cooling inflation provided a supportive backdrop for investors during the 12-month reporting period ended April 30, 2024. Higher interest rates helped to rein in inflation, and the Consumer Price Index decelerated substantially while remaining above pre-pandemic levels. A moderating labor market helped ease inflationary pressure, although wages continued to grow. Wage and job growth powered robust consumer spending, backstopping the economy. On October 7, 2023, Hamas launched a horrific attack on Israel. The ensuing war has had a significant humanitarian impact and could lead to heightened economic and market volatility. We see geopolitics as a structural market risk going forward. See our geopolitical risk dashboard at blackrock.com for more details.

Equity returns were robust during the period, as interest rates stabilized and the economy proved to be more resilient than many investors expected. The U.S. economy continued to show strength, and growth further accelerated in the second half of 2023. Large-capitalization U.S. stocks posted particularly substantial gains, supported by the performance of a few notable technology companies, while small-capitalization U.S. stocks' advance was slower but still impressive. Meanwhile, both international developed market equities and emerging market stocks also gained, albeit at a notably slower pace than that of U.S. stocks.

The 10-year U.S. Treasury yield rose during the reporting period, driving its price down, as investors reacted to elevated inflation and attempted to anticipate future interest rate changes. However, higher yields drove solid gains in shorter-duration U.S. Treasuries. The corporate bond market benefited from improving economic sentiment, although high-yield corporate bond prices fared significantly better than investment-grade bonds as demand from yield-seeking investors remained strong.

The U.S. Federal Reserve (the "Fed"), attempting to manage persistent inflation, raised interest rates twice during the 12-month period, but paused its tightening after its July meeting. The Fed also continued to reduce its balance sheet by not replacing some of the securities that reach maturity.

Supply constraints appear to have become an embedded feature of the new macroeconomic environment, making it difficult for developed economies to increase production without sparking higher inflation. Geopolitical fragmentation and an aging population risk further exacerbating these constraints, keeping the labor market tight and wage growth high. Although the Fed has stopped tightening for now, we believe that the new economic regime means that the Fed will need to maintain high rates for an extended period, and recent statements from the Fed seem to support this view. In this new regime, we anticipate greater volatility and dispersion of returns, creating more opportunities for selective portfolio management.

Looking at developed market stocks, we have an overweight stance on U.S. stocks overall, particularly given the promise of emerging AI technologies. We are also overweight Japanese stocks as shareholder-friendly policies generate increased investor interest, although we maintain an underweight stance on European stocks. In credit, we believe there are selective opportunities in the near term despite tighter credit and financial conditions. For fixed income investing with a six- to twelve-month horizon, we see the most attractive investments in short-term U.S. Treasuries and hard-currency emerging market bonds.

Overall, our view is that investors need to think globally, position themselves to be prepared for a decarbonizing economy, and be nimble as market conditions change. We encourage you to talk with your financial advisor and visit **iShares.com** for further insight about investing in today's markets.

Sincerely,

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Rob Kapito
President, BlackRock, Inc.



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Total Returns as of April 30, 2024

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|---|-----------------|----------|
| | 6-Month | 12-Month |
| U.S. large cap equities (S&P 500® Index) | 20.98% | 22.66% |
| U.S. small cap equities (Russell 2000® Index) | 19.66 | 13.32 |
| International equities (MSCI Europe, Australasia, Far East Index) | 18.63 | 9.28 |
| Emerging market equities (MSCI Emerging Markets Index) | 15.40 | 9.88 |
| 3-month Treasury bills (ICE BofA 3-Month U.S. Treasury Bill Index) | 2.66 | 5.36 |
| U.S. Treasury securities (ICE BofA 10-Year U.S. Treasury Index) | 3.66 | (6.40) |
| U.S. investment grade bonds (Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index) | 4.97 | (1.47) |
| Tax-exempt municipal bonds (Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index) | 7.06 | 2.08 |
| U.S. high yield bonds (Bloomberg U.S. Corporate High Yield 2% Issuer Capped Index) | 8.99 | 9.01 |

Past performance is not an indication of future results. Index performance is shown for illustrative purposes only. You cannot invest directly in an index.

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Market Overview

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Domestic Market Overview

U.S. stocks advanced for the 12 months ended April 30, 2024 ("reporting period"), when the Russell 3000® Index, a broad measure of U.S. equity market performance, returned 22.30%. The economy showed notable resilience even as interest rates rose, and analysts' optimism about the economy's trajectory improved. Meanwhile, inflation decelerated notably, enabling a pause in monetary policy tightening and providing a supportive environment for equities.

The U.S. economy grew at a robust pace in 2023 despite concerns about the impact of higher interest rates on growth. The U.S. consumer helped to power the expansion, as consumer spending continued to grow in both nominal and real (inflation-adjusted) terms. Consumers were emboldened by a strong labor market, as employers continued to add jobs, and average hourly wages increased notably. Higher asset values also supported consumer spending, as both home prices and strong equity performance increased household net worth. Government spending also stimulated the economy, as the federal deficit increased amid rising expenditures, while state and local governments also boosted spending to fill personnel vacancies.

While consumer sentiment rose amid healthy household balance sheets and an improving economy, it remained below pre-pandemic levels, as elevated inflation and high interest rates weighed on consumers' outlook. Inflation declined early in the reporting period, decreasing from 4.1% in May 2023 to 3% in June 2023, but remained stubbornly persistent thereafter, fluctuating between 3% and 4%, above the pre-pandemic average. While improved supply chains eased goods inflation, the tight labor market kept labor costs near record highs, and growing services inflation was a significant driver of inflation's overall persistence.

To counteract inflation, the U.S. Federal Reserve ("Fed") raised interest rates twice early in the reporting period, to the highest level since 2001. However, the Fed paused its interest rate increases thereafter as inflation edged down, keeping interest rates steady after its July 2023 meeting. The Fed also continued to decrease the size of its balance sheet by reducing the store of U.S. Treasuries it had accumulated to stabilize markets in the early phases of the coronavirus pandemic. While investors closely watched the Fed for signs of a shift toward lower interest rates, tenacious inflation later in the reporting period led investors to limit their expectations.

The strong economy supported corporate profits, which grew substantially in the last three quarters of 2023. Despite higher input costs, companies were able to raise prices sufficiently to widen profit margins, as the U.S. consumer continued to spend. Firms increasingly kept assets in short-term investments that earned higher yields due to elevated interest rates. This helped to mitigate the negative impact of higher borrowing costs, which drove a rise in interest expense. Innovations in computing also drove enthusiasm for equities, as new technologies drove hopes for economy-wide improvements in productivity.

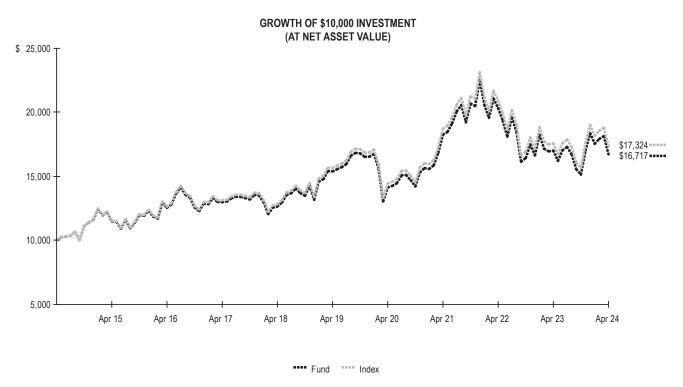
Despite the strong economic conditions during the reporting period, analysts noted several areas of caution about potential disruptions to markets. Geopolitical tensions were high amid Russia's ongoing invasion of Ukraine and fighting in Gaza following Hamas' terrorist attack on Israel. Missile attacks on a major shipping lane in the Middle East raised concerns about a wider conflict while disrupting some supply chains. While inflation declined during the reporting period, it remained more persistent than some analysts expected, raising concerns about the effect of continued inflation on the Fed's interest rate policy.

Investment Objective

The iShares Cohen & Steers REIT ETF (the "Fund") seeks to track the investment results of an index composed of U.S. real estate investment trusts ("REITs"), as represented by the Cohen & Steers Realty Majors Index (the "Index"). The Fund invests in a representative sample of securities included in the Index that collectively has an investment profile similar to the Index. Due to the use of representative sampling, the Fund may or may not hold all of the securities that are included in the Index.

Performance

| | Average | Annual Total Ret | urns | Cumulative Total Returns | | | |
|-------------|---------|------------------|----------|--------------------------|---------|----------|--|
| | 1 Year | 5 Years | 10 Years | 1 Year | 5 Years | 10 Years | |
| Fund NAV | (1.70)% | 1.68% | 5.27% | (1.70)% | 8.67% | 67.17% | |
| Fund Market | (1.61) | 1.69 | 5.28 | (1.61) | 8.75 | 67.36 | |
| Index | (1.34) | 2.05 | 5.65 | (1.34) | 10.66 | 73.24 | |



Past performance is not an indication of future results. Performance results do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or on the redemption or sale of fund shares. See "About Fund Performance" for more information.

Expense Example

| Actual | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------|-----------|------|----|--------------|------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------------|------------|
| | Begir | ning | | Endin | 9 | Expenses | Beginning | Ending | Expenses | Annualized |
| | Account \ | alue | | Account Valu | e | Paid During | Account Value | Account Value | Paid During | Expense |
| | (11/0 | (23) | | (04/30/24 |) | the Period ^(a) | (11/01/23) | (04/30/24) | the Period ^(a) | Ratio |
| | \$ 1,00 | .00 | \$ | 1,104.60 |) \$ | 1.67 | \$ 1,000.00 | \$ 1,023.27 | \$ 1.61 | 0.32% |

⁽a) Expenses are equal to the annualized expense ratio, multiplied by the average account value over the period, multiplied by 182/366 (to reflect the one-half year period shown). Other fees, such as brokerage commissions and other fees to financial intermediaries, may be paid which are not reflected in the tables and examples above. See "Disclosure of Expenses" for more information.

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Portfolio Management Commentary

U.S. real estate investment trusts ("REITs") declined during the reporting period, as higher interest rates increased borrowing costs, and higher bond yields reduced the relative attractiveness of REITs' dividends for income-oriented investors. The telecom tower REITs industry detracted the most from the Index's performance. Challenges included adding significant debt at relatively high interest rates to finance new cell towers, contract instability amid cell phone company mergers, and the negative impact of volatile currency exchange rates on foreign operations. Additionally, the CEO of a large company in the industry resigned, as an activist investor pressured the firm to improve its governance and reevaluate its business strategy. These factors weighed on the industry's ability to sustain net income growth.

The industrial REITs industry also detracted from the Index's return. Uncertainty about the economic outlook constrained demand for warehouse space, prompting landlords to lower their forecasts for occupancy, earnings, and planned development. A 12-year low in home sales reduced demand for furniture, building materials, and appliances, prompting some of the largest home goods retailers to close distribution centers.

On the upside, the retail REITs industry contributed to the Index's performance. As the national shopping center vacancy rate fell to 5.4%, its lowest level in over 15 years, one large holder of retail properties posted record high annual operating performance.

The healthcare REITs industry also advanced, helped by growth in profitability from senior housing. Higher occupancy, easing labor pressures, and rising Medicaid reimbursements benefited a large REIT focused on healthcare facilities for older adults. The company raised its net income outlook while expanding its senior-oriented portfolio.

Portfolio Information

INDUSTRY ALLOCATION

Percent of Industry Total Investments(a) 42.5% 20.1 16.3 Industrial REITs 8.0 Health Care REITs 7.2 4.1 1.8

TEN LARGEST HOLDINGS

| Security | Percent of Total Investments ^(a) |
|----------------------------|--|
| American Tower Corp | 7.6% |
| Equinix, Inc | 7.3 |
| Welltower, Inc | 7.2 |
| Prologis, Inc | 6.8 |
| Simon Property Group, Inc | 6.2 |
| Realty Income Corp | 6.0 |
| Digital Realty Trust, Inc. | 5.7 |
| Public Storage | 4.9 |
| Crown Castle, Inc | 4.9 |
| VICI Properties, Inc | 4.0 |

⁽a) Excludes money market funds.

About Fund Performance

Past performance is not an indication of future results. Financial markets have experienced extreme volatility and trading in many instruments has been disrupted. These circumstances may continue for an extended period of time and may continue to affect adversely the value and liquidity of the Fund's investments. As a result, current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Performance data current to the most recent month-end is available at **iShares.com**. Performance results assume reinvestment of all dividends and capital gain distributions and do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or on the redemption or sale of fund shares. The investment return and principal value of shares will vary with changes in market conditions. Shares may be worth more or less than their original cost when they are redeemed or sold in the market. Performance for certain funds may reflect a waiver of a portion of investment advisory fees. Without such a waiver, performance would have been lower.

Net asset value or "NAV" is the value of one share of a fund as calculated in accordance with the standard formula for valuing mutual fund shares. Beginning August 10, 2020, the price used to calculate market return ("Market Price") is the closing price. Prior to August 10, 2020, Market Price was determined using the midpoint between the highest bid and the lowest ask on the primary stock exchange on which shares of a fund are listed for trading, as of the time that such fund's NAV is calculated. Market and NAV returns assume that dividends and capital gain distributions have been reinvested at Market Price and NAV, respectively.

An index is a statistical composite that tracks a specified financial market or sector. Unlike a fund, an index does not actually hold a portfolio of securities and therefore does not incur the expenses incurred by a fund. These expenses negatively impact fund performance. Also, index returns do not include brokerage commissions that may be payable on secondary market transactions. If brokerage commissions were included, index returns would be lower.

Disclosure of Expenses

Shareholders of the Fund may incur the following charges: (1) transactional expenses, including brokerage commissions on purchases and sales of fund shares and (2) ongoing expenses, including management fees and other fund expenses. The expense example shown (which is based on a hypothetical investment of \$1,000 invested at the beginning of the period and held through the end of the period) is intended to assist shareholders both in calculating expenses based on an investment in the Fund and in comparing these expenses with similar costs of investing in other funds.

The expense example provides information about actual account values and actual expenses. Annualized expense ratios reflect contractual and voluntary fee waivers, if any. In order to estimate the expenses a shareholder paid during the period covered by this report, shareholders can divide their account value by \$1,000 and then multiply the result by the number under the heading entitled "Expenses Paid During the Period."

The expense example also provides information about hypothetical account values and hypothetical expenses based on a fund's actual expense ratio and an assumed rate of return of 5% per year before expenses. In order to assist shareholders in comparing the ongoing expenses of investing in the Fund and other funds, compare the 5% hypothetical example with the 5% hypothetical examples that appear in the shareholder reports of the other funds.

The expenses shown in the expense example are intended to highlight shareholders' ongoing costs only and do not reflect any transactional expenses, such as brokerage commissions and other fees paid on purchases and sales of fund shares. Therefore, the hypothetical example is useful in comparing ongoing expenses only and will not help shareholders determine the relative total expenses of owning different funds. If these transactional expenses were included, shareholder expenses would have been higher.

April 30, 2024

| Security | Shares | Value |
|--|--------------------|---------------------------|
| Common Stocks | | |
| Health Care REITs — 7.1% | | |
| Welltower, Inc | 1,430,208 | \$ 136,270,218 |
| Hotel & Resort REITs — 1.8% | | |
| Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc | 1,822,905 | 34,398,217 |
| Industrial REITs — 7.9% | | |
| Prologis, Inc | 1,268,639 | 129,464,610 |
| Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc | 545,491 | 23,352,470 |
| | | 152,817,080 |
| Office REITs — 4.1% | | |
| Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc | 404,143 | 46,828,049 |
| Boston Properties, Inc | 373,102 | 23,091,283 |
| Cousins Properties, Inc | 392,196 | 8,996,976 |
| Residential REITs — 19.8% | | 78,916,308 |
| American Homes 4 Rent, Class A | 821,868 | 29,422,874 |
| AvalonBay Communities, Inc | 366,978 | 69,568,020 |
| Equity LifeStyle Properties, Inc | 481,654 | 29,038,920 |
| Equity Residential | 892,928 | 57,504,563 |
| Essex Property Trust, Inc | 165,859 | 40,842,779 |
| Invitation Homes, Inc | 1,486,467 | 50,837,171 |
| Mid-America Apartment Communities, Inc | 301,531 | 39,199,030 |
| Sun Communities, Inc | 321,576 | 35,797,840 |
| UDR, Inc | 781,978 | 29,777,722 |
| | | 381,988,919 |
| Retail REITs — 16.1% | | |
| Federal Realty Investment Trust | 189,828 | 19,774,383 |
| Kimco Realty Corp | 1,718,424 | 32,014,239 |
| Realty Income Corp | 2,148,967 | 115,055,693 |
| Regency Centers Corp. | 424,505 | 25,139,186 |
| Simon Property Group, Inc | 843,027 | 118,470,585 |
| 0 . II I DEIT 44.0% | | 310,454,086 |
| Specialized REITs — 41.8% | 0/7 255 | 145 272 224 |
| American Tower Corp | 847,355 996,954 | 145,372,224 93,494,346 |
| Digital Realty Trust, Inc. | 782,593 | 108,608,257 |
| Equinix, Inc. | 194,401 | 138,240,495 |
| Extra Space Storage, Inc | 545,959 | 73,311,374 |
| Lamar Advertising Co., Class A | 226,308 | 26,217,782 |
| Public Storage | 361,410 | 93,767,824 |
| SBA Communications Corp. | 278,789 | 51,888,209 |
| VICI Properties, Inc | 2,673,312 | 76,323,058 |
| | | 807,223,569 |
| Total Long-Term Investments — 98.6% | | |
| (Cost: \$1,979,383,865) | | 1,902,068,397 |

| Security | Shares | Value |
|---|-----------|-----------------------------|
| Short-Term Securities | | |
| Money Market Funds — 0.1% | | |
| BlackRock Cash Funds: Treasury, SL Agency Shares, 5.28%(a)(b) | 2,174,840 | \$ 2,174,840 |
| Total Short-Term Securities — 0.1% (Cost: \$2,174,840) | | 2,174,840 |
| Total Investments — 98.7% (Cost: \$1,981,558,705) | | 1,904,243,237 24,128,973 |
| Net Assets — 100.0% | | \$ 1,928,372,210 |

⁽a) Affiliate of the Fund.

⁽b) Annualized 7-day yield as of period end.

Schedule of Investments (continued)

April 30, 2024

Affiliates

Investments in issuers considered to be affiliate(s) of the Fund during the year ended April 30, 2024 for purposes of Section 2(a)(3) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, were as follows:

| Affiliated Issuer | Value at 04/30/23 | Purchases at Cost | Proceeds from Sales | Net Realized Gain (Loss) | Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) | <i>Value at</i> 04/30/24 | Shares Held at 04/30/24 | Income | Capital Gain Distributions from Underlying Funds |
|--|----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|---------|--|
| BlackRock Cash Funds: Treasury, SL Agency Shares \$ | 2,647,281 \$ | _ \$ | (472,441) ^(a) \$ | _ 9 | <u> </u> | 2,174,840 | 2,174,840 \$ | 196,697 | \$ _ |

Represents net amount purchased (sold).

Derivative Financial Instruments Outstanding as of Period End

Futures Contracts

| Description | Number of Contracts | Expiration Date | Notional unt (000) | Value/ Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Long Contracts | | | | |
| Dow Jones U.S. Real Estate Index | 802 | 06/21/24 | \$ 25,504 | \$ (106,056) |

Derivative Financial Instruments Categorized by Risk Exposure

As of period end, the fair values of derivative financial instruments located in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities were as follows:

| | Commodity Contracts | Credit Contracts | Equity Contracts | Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts | Interest Rate Contracts | Other Contracts | Total |
|--|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|---------|
| Liabilities — Derivative Financial Instruments Futures contracts Unrealized depreciation on futures contracts(a) | \$ _ \$ | _ \$ | 106,056 \$ | _ <u>\$</u> | _ <u>\$</u> | \$ | 106,056 |

Net cumulative unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on futures contracts, if any, are reported in the Schedule of Investments. In the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, only current day's variation margin is reported in receivables or payables and the net cumulative unrealized appreciation (depreciation) is included in accumulated earnings (loss).

For the period ended April 30, 2024, the effect of derivative financial instruments in the Statement of Operations was as follows:

| | Commodity Contracts | Credit Contracts | Equity Contracts | Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts | Interest Rate Contracts | Other Contracts | Total |
|---|------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Net Realized Gain (Loss) from Futures contracts | \$ \$ | \$ | (851,445) \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | (851,445) |
| Net Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) on Futures contracts | \$ \$ | \$ | (252,613) \$ | \$ | \$ | \$ | (252,613) |

Average Quarterly Balances of Outstanding Derivative Financial Instruments

| Futures contracts | |
|---|------------------|
| Futures contracts | |
| Average notional value of contracts — long. | \$ 18 670 818 |
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For more information about the Fund's investment risks regarding derivative financial instruments, refer to the Notes to Financial Statements.

Schedule of Investments (continued)

April 30, 2024

Fair Value Hierarchy as of Period End

Various inputs are used in determining the fair value of financial instruments. For a description of the input levels and information about the Fund's policy regarding valuation of financial instruments, refer to the Notes to Financial Statements.

The following table summarizes the Fund's financial instruments categorized in the fair value hierarchy. The breakdown of the Fund's financial instruments into major categories is disclosed in the Schedule of Investments above.

| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Total |
|---|---------------------|---------|---------|---------------------|
| Assets | | | | |
| Investments | | | | |
| Long-Term Investments | | | | |
| Common Stocks | \$ 1,902,068,397 | \$ _ | \$ _ | \$ 1,902,068,397 |
| Short-Term Securities | | | | |
| Money Market Funds | 2,174,840 | _ | _ | 2,174,840 |
| | \$ 1,904,243,237 | \$ _ | \$ _ | \$ 1,904,243,237 |
| Derivative Financial Instruments ^(e) Liabilities | _ | _ | _ | _ |
| Equity contracts | \$ (106,056) | \$ _ | \$ _ | \$ (106,056) |

⁽e) Derivative financial instruments are futures contracts. Futures contracts are valued at the unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on the instrument.

See notes to financial statements.

Statement of Assets and Liabilities April 30, 2024

| | | & Steers REIT ETF |
|---|----|----------------------|
| ASSETS | | |
| Investments, at value — unaffiliated ^(a) | \$ | 1,902,068,397 |
| Investments, at value — affiliated ^(b) | | 2,174,840 |
| Cash pledged: | | |
| Futures contracts | | 107,000 |
| Receivables: | | |
| Investments sold | | 24,008,497 |
| Dividends — unaffiliated | | 552,285 |
| Dividends — affiliated | | 10,989 |
| Other assets | _ | 10,353 |
| Total assets | _ | 1,928,932,361 |
| LIABILITIES | | |
| Payables: | | |
| Investment advisory fees | | 525,294 |
| Variation margin on futures contracts | _ | 34,857 |
| Total liabilities | _ | 560,151 |
| Commitments and contingent liabilities | | |
| NET ASSETS | \$ | 1,928,372,210 |
| | | |
| NET ASSETS CONSIST OF: | | |
| Paid-in capital | \$ | 2,224,747,996 |
| Accumulated loss | _ | (296,375,786) |
| NET ASSETS | \$ | 1,928,372,210 |
| NET ASSET VALUE | | |
| Shares outstanding | | 36,250,000 |
| Net asset value | 2 | 53.20 |
| | φ | |
| Shares authorized | _ | Unlimited |
| Par value | _ | None |
| (a) Investments, at cost — unaffiliated | \$ | 1,979,383,865 |
| (b) Investments, at cost — affiliated. | \$ | 2,174,840 |

See notes to financial statements.

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Statement of Operations

Year Ended April 30, 2024

iShares Cohen & Steers REIT **ETF** INVESTMENT INCOME 71,456,598 Dividends — affiliated.... 196,697 Interest — unaffiliated. 22,723 71,676,018 **EXPENSES** 6,817,096 Interest expense 180 6,817,276 64,858,742 Net investment income. REALIZED AND UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS) Net realized gain (loss) from: (67,930,620) Investments — unaffiliated Futures contracts..... (851,445)In-kind redemptions — unaffiliated^(a) 41,477,851 (27,304,214) Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on: (87,435,511)Futures contracts. (252,613)(87,688,124) (114,992,338) Net realized and unrealized loss.

See notes to financial statements.

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⁽a) See Note 2 of the Notes to Financial Statements.

Statements of Changes in Net Assets

| | | iShares Cohen & S | Steers | REIT ETF |
|---|----|--|--------|--|
| | | Year Ended 04/30/24 | | Year Ended 04/30/23 |
| INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS | | | | |
| OPERATIONS Net investment income Net realized gain (loss) Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) Net decrease in net assets resulting from operations | \$ | 64,858,742 (27,304,214) (87,688,124) (50,133,596) | \$ | 66,359,085 37,864,098 (563,377,383) (459,154,200) |
| DISTRIBUTIONS TO SHAREHOLDERS ^(a) Decrease in net assets resulting from distributions to shareholders | _ | (61,558,964) | | (60,855,631) |
| CAPITAL SHARE TRANSACTIONS Net increase (decrease) in net assets derived from capital share transactions | | (237,068,222) | | 43,705,708 |
| NETASSETS Total decrease in net assets Beginning of year. End of year. | \$ | (348,760,782) 2,277,132,992 1,928,372,210 | \$ | (476,304,123) 2,753,437,115 2,277,132,992 |

⁽a) Distributions for annual periods determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations.

See notes to financial statements.

Financial Highlights (For a share outstanding throughout each period)

| | iShares Cohen & Steers REIT ETF | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------|------------------------|----|------------------------|----|------------------------|----|------------------------------------|----|---------------------------------------|
| | | Year Ended 04/30/24 | | Year Ended 04/30/23 | | Year Ended 04/30/22 | | Year Ended 04/30/21 ^(a) | | Year Ended 04/30/20 ^(a) |
| Net asset value, beginning of year | \$ | 55.74 | \$ | 68.41 | \$ | 62.62 | \$ | 49.68 | \$ | 55.51 |
| Net investment income ^(b) | | 1.70 | | 1.62 | | 1.01 | | 1.15 | | 1.39 |
| Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)(c) | | (2.63) | | (12.80) | | 6.10 | | 13.04 | | (5.78) |
| Net increase (decrease) from investment operations | | (0.93) | - | (11.18) | | 7.11 | | 14.19 | | (4.39) |
| Distributions from net investment income ^(d) | | (1.61) | | (1.49) | | (1.32) | | (1.25) | | (1.44) |
| Net asset value, end of year | \$ | 53.20 | \$ | 55.74 | \$ | 68.41 | \$ | 62.62 | \$ | 49.68 |
| Total Return ^(e) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Based on net asset value | _ | (1.70)% | | (16.31)% | _ | 11.33% | _ | 29.11% | _ | (8.10)% |
| Ratios to Average Net Assets ^(f) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total expenses | | 0.33% | | 0.33% | | 0.32% | | 0.33% | | 0.34% |
| Net investment income | | 3.10% | | 2.77% | | 1.46% | | 2.15% | | 2.43% |
| Supplemental Data | | | | | | | | | | |
| Net assets, end of year (000) | \$ | 1,928,372 | \$ | 2,277,133 | \$ | 2,753,437 | \$ | 2,257,332 | \$ | 1,842,861 |
| Portfolio turnover rate ^(g) | | 16% | | 12% | | 11% | | 27% | | 19% |

⁽a) Per share amounts reflect a two-for-one stock split effective after the close of trading on December 4, 2020.

See notes to financial statements.

⁽b) Based on average shares outstanding.

⁽e) The amounts reported for a share outstanding may not accord with the change in aggregate gains and losses in securities for the fiscal period due to the timing of capital share transactions in relation to the fluctuating market values of the Fund's underlying securities.

⁽d) Distributions for annual periods determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations.

⁽e) Where applicable, assumes the reinvestment of distributions.

⁽f) Excludes fees and expenses incurred indirectly as a result of investments in underlying funds.

⁽⁹⁾ Portfolio turnover rate excludes in-kind transactions, if any.

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1. ORGANIZATION

iShares Trust (the "Trust") is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"), as an open-end management investment company. The Trust is organized as a Delaware statutory trust and is authorized to have multiple series or portfolios.

These financial statements relate only to the following fund (the "Fund"):

| | Diversification |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| iShares ETF | Classification |
| Cohen & Steers REIT. | Non-diversified |

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements are prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"), which may require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of increases and decreases in net assets from operations during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The Fund is considered an investment company under U.S. GAAP and follows the accounting and reporting guidance applicable to investment companies. Below is a summary of significant accounting policies:

Investment Transactions and Income Recognition: For financial reporting purposes, investment transactions are recorded on the dates the transactions are executed. Realized gains and losses on investment transactions are determined using the specific identification method. Dividend income and capital gain distributions, if any, are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Non-cash dividends, if any, are recorded on the ex-dividend date at fair value. Upon notification from issuers or as estimated by management, a portion of the dividend income received from a real estate investment trust may be redesignated as a reduction of cost of the related investment and/or realized gain. Interest income, including amortization and accretion of premiums and discounts on debt securities, is recognized daily on an accrual basis.

Bank Overdraft: The Fund had outstanding cash disbursements exceeding deposited cash amounts at the custodian during the reporting period. The Fund is obligated to repay the custodian for any overdraft, including any related costs or expenses, where applicable. For financial reporting purposes, overdraft fees, if any, are included in interest expense in the Statement of Operations.

Collateralization: If required by an exchange or counterparty agreement, the Fund may be required to deliver/deposit cash and/or securities to/with an exchange, or broker-dealer or custodian as collateral for certain investments.

In-kind Redemptions: For financial reporting purposes, in-kind redemptions are treated as sales of securities resulting in realized capital gains or losses to the Fund. Because such gains or losses are not taxable to the Fund and are not distributed to existing Fund shareholders, the gains or losses are reclassified from accumulated net realized gain (loss) to paid-in capital at the end of the Fund's tax year. These reclassifications have no effect on net assets or net asset value ("NAV") per share.

Distributions: Dividends and distributions paid by the Fund are recorded on the ex-dividend dates. Distributions are determined on a tax basis and may differ from net investment income and net realized capital gains for financial reporting purposes. Dividends and distributions are paid in U.S. dollars and cannot be automatically reinvested in additional shares of the Fund.

Indemnifications: In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into contracts that contain a variety of representations that provide general indemnification. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown because it involves future potential claims against the Fund, which cannot be predicted with any certainty.

3. INVESTMENT VALUATION AND FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Investment Valuation Policies: The Fund's investments are valued at fair value (also referred to as "market value" within the financial statements) each day that the Fund's listing exchange is open and, for financial reporting purposes, as of the report date. U.S. GAAP defines fair value as the price a fund would receive to sell an asset or pay to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The Board of Trustees of the Trust (the "Board") of the Fund has approved the designation of BlackRock Fund Advisors ("BFA"), the Fund's investment adviser, as the valuation designee for the Fund. The Fund determines the fair values of its financial instruments using various independent dealers or pricing services under BFA's policies. If a security's market price is not readily available or does not otherwise accurately represent the fair value of the security, the security will be valued in accordance with BFA's policies and procedures as reflecting fair value. BFA has formed a committee (the "Valuation Committee") to develop pricing policies and procedures and to oversee the pricing function for all financial instruments, with assistance from other BlackRock pricing committees.

Fair Value Inputs and Methodologies: The following methods and inputs are used to establish the fair value of the Fund's assets and liabilities:

- Equity investments traded on a recognized securities exchange are valued at that day's official closing price, as applicable, on the exchange where the stock is
 primarily traded. Equity investments traded on a recognized exchange for which there were no sales on that day are valued at the last traded price.
- Investments in open-end U.S. mutual funds (including money market funds) are valued at that day's published NAV.
- · Futures contracts are valued based on that day's last reported settlement or trade price on the exchange where the contract is traded.

If events (e.g., market volatility, company announcement or a natural disaster) occur that are expected to materially affect the value of such investment, or in the event that application of these methods of valuation results in a price for an investment that is deemed not to be representative of the market value of such investment, or if a price is not available, the investment will be valued by the Valuation Committee, in accordance with BFA's policies and procedures as reflecting fair value ("Fair Valued Investments"). The fair valuation approaches that may be used by the Valuation Committee include market approach, income approach and cost approach. Valuation techniques such as

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discounted cash flow, use of market comparables and matrix pricing are types of valuation approaches and are typically used in determining fair value. When determining the price for Fair Valued Investments, the Valuation Committee seeks to determine the price that the Fund might reasonably expect to receive or pay from the current sale or purchase of that asset or liability in an arm's-length transaction. Fair value determinations shall be based upon all available factors that the Valuation Committee deems relevant and consistent with the principles of fair value measurement.

Fair value pricing could result in a difference between the prices used to calculate a fund's NAV and the prices used by the fund's underlying index, which in turn could result in a difference between the fund's performance and the performance of the fund's underlying index.

Fair Value Hierarchy: Various inputs are used in determining the fair value of financial instruments. These inputs to valuation techniques are categorized into a fair value hierarchy consisting of three broad levels for financial reporting purposes as follows:

- Level 1 Unadjusted price quotations in active markets/exchanges for identical assets or liabilities that the Fund has the ability to access;
- Level 2 Other observable inputs (including, but not limited to, quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in markets that are active, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active, inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the assets or liabilities (such as interest rates, yield curves, volatilities, prepayment speeds, loss severities, credit risks and default rates) or other market-corroborated inputs); and
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs based on the best information available in the circumstances, to the extent observable inputs are not available, (including the Valuation Committee's assumptions used in determining the fair value of financial instruments).

The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). Accordingly, the degree of judgment exercised in determining fair value is greatest for instruments categorized in Level 3. The inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, for disclosure purposes, the fair value hierarchy classification is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. Investments classified within Level 3 have significant unobservable inputs used by the Valuation Committee in determining the price for Fair Valued Investments. Level 3 investments include equity or debt issued by privately held companies or funds that may not have a secondary market and/or may have a limited number of investors. The categorization of a value determined for financial instruments is based on the pricing transparency of the financial instruments and is not necessarily an indication of the risks associated with investing in those securities.

4. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Futures Contracts: Futures contracts are purchased or sold to gain exposure to, or manage exposure to, changes in interest rates (interest rate risk) and changes in the value of equity securities (equity risk) or foreign currencies (foreign currency exchange rate risk).

Futures contracts are exchange-traded agreements between the Fund and a counterparty to buy or sell a specific quantity of an underlying instrument at a specified price and on a specified date. Depending on the terms of a contract, it is settled either through physical delivery of the underlying instrument on the settlement date or by payment of a cash amount on the settlement date. Upon entering into a futures contract, the Fund is required to deposit initial margin with the broker in the form of cash or securities in an amount that varies depending on a contract's size and risk profile. The initial margin deposit must then be maintained at an established level over the life of the contract. Amounts pledged, which are considered restricted, are included in cash pledged for futures contracts in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

Securities deposited as initial margin are designated in the Schedule of Investments and cash deposited, if any, are shown as cash pledged for futures contracts in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. Pursuant to the contract, the Fund agrees to receive from or pay to the broker an amount of cash equal to the daily fluctuation in market value of the contract ("variation margin"). Variation margin is recorded as unrealized appreciation (depreciation) and, if any, shown as variation margin receivable (or payable) on futures contracts in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. When the contract is closed, a realized gain or loss is recorded in the Statement of Operations equal to the difference between the notional amount of the contract at the time it was opened and the notional amount at the time it was closed. The use of futures contracts involves the risk of an imperfect correlation in the movements in the price of futures contracts and interest rates, foreign currency exchange rates or underlying assets.

5. INVESTMENT ADVISORY AGREEMENT AND OTHER TRANSACTIONS WITH AFFILIATES

Investment Advisory Fees: Pursuant to an Investment Advisory Agreement with the Trust, BFA manages the investment of the Fund's assets. BFA is a California corporation indirectly owned by BlackRock. Under the Investment Advisory Agreement, BFA is responsible for substantially all expenses of the Fund, except (i) interest and taxes; (ii) brokerage commissions and other expenses connected with the execution of portfolio transactions; (iii) distribution fees; (iv) the advisory fee payable to BFA; and (v) litigation expenses and any extraordinary expenses (in each case as determined by a majority of the independent trustees).

For its investment advisory services to the Fund, BFA is entitled to an annual investment advisory fee, accrued daily and paid monthly by the Fund, based on the Fund's allocable portion of the aggregate of the average daily net assets of the Fund and certain other iShares funds, as follows:

| Aggregate Average Daily Net Assets | Investment Advisory Fees |
|---|--------------------------|
| First \$121 billion | 0.3500% |
| Over \$121 billion, up to and including \$181 billion | 0.3325 |
| Over \$181 billion, up to and including \$231 billion | 0.3159 |
| Over \$231 billion, up to and including \$281 billion | 0.3001 |
| Over \$281 billion | 0.2851 |

Distributor: BlackRock Investments, LLC ("BRIL"), an affiliate of BFA, is the distributor for the Fund. Pursuant to the distribution agreement, BFA is responsible for any fees or expenses for distribution services provided to the Fund.

ETF Servicing Fees: The Fund has entered into an ETF Services Agreement with BRIL to perform certain order processing, Authorized Participant communications, and related services in connection with the issuance and redemption of Creation Units ("ETF Services"). BRIL is entitled to a transaction fee from Authorized Participants on each creation or redemption order for the ETF Services provided. The Fund does not pay BRIL for ETF Services.

Officers and Trustees: Certain officers and/or trustees of the Trust are officers and/or trustees of BlackRock or its affiliates.

Other Transactions: Cross trading is the buying or selling of portfolio securities between funds to which BFA (or an affiliate) serves as investment adviser. At its regularly scheduled quarterly meetings, the Board reviews such transactions as of the most recent calendar quarter for compliance with the requirements and restrictions set forth by Rule 17a-7.

For the year ended April 30, 2024, transactions executed by the Fund pursuant to Rule 17a-7 under the 1940 Act were as follows:

| | | | Net Realized |
|---------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| iShares ETF | Purchases | Sales | Gain (Loss) |
| Cohen & Steers REIT | \$ 33,710,368 | \$ 26,371,829 | \$ (1,528,492) |

The Fund may invest its positive cash balances in certain money market funds managed by BFA or an affiliate. The income earned on these temporary cash investments is shown as dividends – affiliated in the Statement of Operations.

A fund, in order to improve its portfolio liquidity and its ability to track its underlying index, may invest in shares of other iShares funds that invest in securities in the fund's underlying index.

6. PURCHASES AND SALES

For the year ended April 30, 2024, purchases and sales of investments, excluding short-term securities and in-kind transactions, were as follows:

| iShares ETF | Purchases | Sales |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| Cohen & Steers REIT. | \$ 338,736,305 | \$ 347,839,784 |
| | | |
| For the year ended April 30, 2024, in-kind transactions were as follows: | | |
| | In-kind | In-kind |
| iShares ETF | Purchases | Sales |
| Cohen & Steers REIT | \$ 99 105 080 | \$ 335 462 776 |

7. INCOME TAX INFORMATION

iShares ETF

The Fund is treated as an entity separate from the Trust's other funds for federal income tax purposes. It is the Fund's policy to comply with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, applicable to regulated investment companies, and to distribute substantially all of its taxable income to its shareholders. Therefore, no U.S. federal income tax provision is required.

Management has analyzed tax laws and regulations and their application to the Fund as of April 30, 2024, inclusive of the open tax return years, and does not believe that there are any uncertain tax positions that require recognition of a tax liability in the Fund's financial statements.

U.S. GAAP requires that certain components of net assets be adjusted to reflect permanent differences between financial and tax reporting. These reclassifications have no effect on net assets or NAV per share. As of April 30, 2024, permanent differences attributable to realized gains (losses) from in-kind redemptions were reclassified to the following accounts:

| Cohen & Steers REIT. | \$ 41,275,665 \$ | (41,275,665) |
|---|---------------------|--------------|
| The tax character of distributions paid was as follows: | | |
| | Year Ended | Year Ended |
| iShares ETF | 04/30/24 | 04/30/23 |
| Cohen & Steers REIT | \$ 61 558 964 | ¢ 60.055.631 |

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Paid-In Capital

Accumulated

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Earnings (Loss)

As of April 30, 2024, the tax components of accumulated net earnings (losses) were as follows:

| | Undistributed | Non-Expiring | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| | Ordinary | Capital Loss | Net Unrealized | |
| iShares ETF | Income | Carryforwards ^(a) | Gains (Losses)(b) | Total |
| Cohen & Steers REIT | \$ 8,803,232 | \$ (203,060,663) | \$ (102,118,355) | \$ (296,375,786) |

⁽a) Amounts available to offset future realized capital gains.

As of April 30, 2024, gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation based on cost of investments (including short positions and derivatives, if any) for U.S. federal income tax purposes were as follows:

| | | | | | Net Unrealized |
|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----|------------------|---------------------|
| | | Gross Unrealized | (| Gross Unrealized | Appreciation |
| iShares ETF | Tax Cost | Appreciation | | Depreciation | (Depreciation) |
| Cohen & Steers REIT | \$ 2,006,161,496 | \$ 155,213,036 | \$ | (257,131,295) | \$ (101,918,259) |

8. PRINCIPAL RISKS

In the normal course of business, the Fund invests in securities or other instruments and may enter into certain transactions, and such activities subject the Fund to various risks, including, among others, fluctuations in the market (market risk) or failure of an issuer to meet all of its obligations. The value of securities or other instruments may also be affected by various factors, including, without limitation: (i) the general economy; (ii) the overall market as well as local, regional or global political and/or social instability; (iii) regulation, taxation or international tax treaties between various countries; or (iv) currency, interest rate or price fluctuations. Local, regional or global events such as war, acts of terrorism, the spread of infectious illness or other public health issues, recessions, or other events could have a significant impact on the Fund and its investments. The Fund's prospectus provides details of the risks to which the Fund is subject.

BFA uses an indexing approach to try to achieve the Fund's investment objective. The Fund is not actively managed, and BFA generally does not attempt to take defensive positions under any market conditions, including declining markets.

Valuation Risk: The market values of equities, such as common stocks and preferred securities or equity related investments, such as futures and options, may decline due to general market conditions which are not specifically related to a particular company. They may also decline due to factors which affect a particular industry or industries. A fund may invest in illiquid investments. An illiquid investment is any investment that a fund reasonably expects cannot be sold or disposed of in current market conditions in seven calendar days or less without the sale or disposition significantly changing the market value of the investment. A fund may experience difficulty in selling illiquid investments in a timely manner at the price that it believes the investments are worth. Prices may fluctuate widely over short or extended periods in response to company, market or economic news. Markets also tend to move in cycles, with periods of rising and falling prices. This volatility may cause a fund's NAV to experience significant increases or decreases over short periods of time. If there is a general decline in the securities and other markets, the NAV of a fund may lose value, regardless of the individual results of the securities and other instruments in which a fund invests.

Counterparty Credit Risk: The Fund may be exposed to counterparty credit risk, or the risk that an entity may fail to or be unable to perform on its commitments related to unsettled or open transactions, including making timely interest and/or principal payments or otherwise honoring its obligations. The Fund manages counterparty credit risk by entering into transactions only with counterparties that BFA believes have the financial resources to honor their obligations and by monitoring the financial stability of those counterparties. Financial assets, which potentially expose the Fund to market, issuer and counterparty credit risks, consist principally of financial instruments and receivables due from counterparties. The extent of the Fund's exposure to market, issuer and counterparty credit risks with respect to these financial assets is approximately their value recorded in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, less any collateral held by the Fund.

A derivative contract may suffer a mark-to-market loss if the value of the contract decreases due to an unfavorable change in the market rates or values of the underlying instrument. Losses can also occur if the counterparty does not perform under the contract.

With exchange-traded futures, there is less counterparty credit risk to the Fund since the exchange or clearinghouse, as counterparty to such instruments, guarantees against a possible default. The clearinghouse stands between the buyer and the seller of the contract; therefore, credit risk is limited to failure of the clearinghouse. While offset rights may exist under applicable law, a fund does not have a contractual right of offset against a clearing broker or clearinghouse in the event of a default (including the bankruptcy or insolvency). Additionally, credit risk exists in exchange-traded futures with respect to initial and variation margin that is held in a clearing broker's customer accounts. While clearing brokers are required to segregate customer margin from their own assets, in the event that a clearing broker becomes insolvent or goes into bankruptcy and at that time there is a shortfall in the aggregate amount of margin held by the clearing broker for all its clients, typically the shortfall would be allocated on a pro rata basis across all the clearing broker's customers, potentially resulting in losses to the Fund.

Geographic/Asset Class Risk: A diversified portfolio, where this is appropriate and consistent with a fund's objectives, minimizes the risk that a price change of a particular investment will have a material impact on the NAV of a fund. The investment concentrations within the Fund's portfolio are disclosed in its Schedule of Investments.

The Fund invests a significant portion of its assets in securities of issuers located in the United States. A decrease in imports or exports, changes in trade regulations, inflation and/or an economic recession in the United States may have a material adverse effect on the U.S. economy and the securities listed on U.S. exchanges. Proposed and adopted policy and legislative changes in the United States may also have a significant effect on U.S. markets generally, as well as on the value of certain securities. Governmental agencies project that the United States will continue to maintain elevated public debt levels for the foreseeable future which may constrain future economic growth. Circumstances could arise that could prevent the timely payment of interest or principal on U.S. government debt, such as reaching the legislative "debt ceiling." Such non-payment would result in substantial negative consequences for the U.S. economy and the global financial system. If U.S. relations with certain countries deteriorate, it

⁽b) The difference between book-basis and tax-basis net unrealized gains (losses) was attributable primarily to the tax deferral of losses on wash sales, the realization for tax purposes of unrealized gains (losses) on certain futures contracts and the timing and recognition of realized gains (losses) for tax purposes.

could adversely affect issuers that rely on the United States for trade. The United States has also experienced increased internal unrest and discord. If these trends were to continue, they may have an adverse impact on the U.S. economy and the issuers in which the Fund invests.

The Fund invests a significant portion of its assets in securities within a single or limited number of market sectors. When a fund concentrates its investments in this manner, it assumes the risk that economic, regulatory, political and social conditions affecting such sectors may have a significant impact on the fund and could affect the income from, or the value or liquidity of, the fund's portfolio. Investment percentages in specific sectors are presented in the Schedule of Investments.

Significant Shareholder Redemption Risk: Certain shareholders may own or manage a substantial amount of fund shares and/or hold their fund investments for a limited period of time. Large redemptions of fund shares by these shareholders may force a fund to sell portfolio securities, which may negatively impact the fund's NAV, increase the fund's brokerage costs, and/or accelerate the realization of taxable income/gains and cause the fund to make additional taxable distributions to shareholders.

9. CAPITAL SHARE TRANSACTIONS

Capital shares are issued and redeemed by the Fund only in aggregations of a specified number of shares or multiples thereof ("Creation Units") at NAV. Except when aggregated in Creation Units, shares of the Fund are not redeemable.

Transactions in capital shares were as follows:

| | | Ended 30/24 | d | | Year Ended 04/30/23 | | | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| iShares ETF | Shares | | Amount | Shares | | Amount | | |
| Cohen & Steers REIT Shares sold | 1,800,000 (6,400,000) | \$ | 99,473,083 (336,541,305) | 5,500,000 (4,900,000) | \$ | 323,631,350 (279,925,642) | | |
| | (4,600,000) | \$ | (237,068,222) | 600,000 | \$ | 43,705,708 | | |

The consideration for the purchase of Creation Units of a fund in the Trust generally consists of the in-kind deposit of a designated portfolio of securities and a specified amount of cash. Certain funds in the Trust may be offered in Creation Units solely or partially for cash in U.S. dollars. Authorized Participants purchasing and redeeming Creation Units may pay a purchase transaction fee and a redemption transaction fee directly to BRIL, to offset transfer and other transaction costs associated with the issuance and redemption of Creation Units, including Creation Units for cash. Authorized Participants transacting in Creation Units for cash may also pay an additional variable charge to compensate the relevant fund for certain transaction costs (i.e., stamp taxes, taxes on currency or other financial transactions, and brokerage costs) and market impact expenses relating to investing in portfolio securities. Such variable charges, if any, are included in shares sold in the table above.

From time to time, settlement of securities related to in-kind contributions or in-kind redemptions may be delayed. In such cases, securities related to in-kind transactions are reflected as a receivable or a payable in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

10. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated the impact of all subsequent events on the Fund through the date the financial statements were available to be issued and has determined that there were no subsequent events requiring adjustment or additional disclosure in the financial statements.

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Board of Trustees of iShares Trust and Shareholders of iShares Cohen & Steers REIT ETF

Opinion on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets and liabilities, including the schedule of investments, of iShares Cohen & Steers REIT ETF (one of the funds constituting iShares Trust, referred to hereafter as the "Fund") as of April 30, 2024, the related statement of operations for the year ended April 30, 2024, the statement of changes in net assets for each of the two years in the period ended April 30, 2024 (collectively referred to as the "financial statements"). In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Fund as of April 30, 2024, the results of its operations for the year then ended, the changes in its net assets for each of the two years in the period ended April 30, 2024 and the financial highlights for each of the five years in the period ended April 30, 2024 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Fund's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Fund's financial statements based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB) and are required to be independent with respect to the Fund in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits of these financial statements in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud.

Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. Our procedures included confirmation of securities owned as of April 30, 2024 by correspondence with the custodian, transfer agent and broker. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

/s/PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Philadelphia, Pennsylvania June 24, 2024

We have served as the auditor of one or more BlackRock investment companies since 2000.

Important Tax Information (unaudited)

The following amount, or maximum amount allowable by law, is hereby designated as qualified dividend income for individuals for the fiscal year ended April 30, 2024:

| | Qual | ified Dividend |
|---------------------|------|----------------|
| iShares ETF | | Income |
| Cohen & Steers REIT | \$ | 1,716,748 |

The following amount, or maximum amount allowable by law, is hereby designated as qualified business income for individuals for the fiscal year ended April 30, 2024:

| | Qua | lified Business |
|----------------------|-----|-----------------|
| iShares ETF | | Income |
| Cohen & Steers REIT. | \$ | 63,838,094 |

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Statement Regarding Liquidity Risk Management Program (unaudited)

In compliance with Rule 22e-4 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "Liquidity Rule"), iShares Trust (the "Trust") has adopted and implemented a liquidity risk management program (the "Program") for iShares Cohen & Steers REIT ETF (the "Fund" or "ETF"), a series of the Trust, which is reasonably designed to assess and manage the Fund's liquidity risk.

The Board of Trustees (the "Board") of the Trust, on behalf of the Fund, met on December 8, 2023 (the "Meeting") to review the Program. The Board previously appointed BlackRock Fund Advisors ("BlackRock"), the investment adviser to the Fund, as the program administrator for the Fund's Program. BlackRock also previously delegated oversight of the Program to the 40 Act Liquidity Risk Management Committee (the "Committee"). At the Meeting, the Committee, on behalf of BlackRock, provided the Board with a report that addressed the operation of the Program and assessed its adequacy and effectiveness of implementation, including the management of the Fund's Highly Liquid Investment Minimum ("HLIM") where applicable, and any material changes to the Program (the "Report"). The Report covered the period from October 1, 2022 through September 30, 2023 (the "Program Reporting Period").

The Report described the Program's liquidity classification methodology for categorizing the Fund's investments (including derivative transactions) into one of four liquidity buckets. It also referenced the methodology used by BlackRock to establish the Fund's HLIM and noted that the Committee reviews and ratifies the HLIM assigned to the Fund no less frequently than annually. The Report also discussed notable events affecting liquidity over the Program Reporting Period, including extended market holidays, the repatriation of the local currency in certain non-U.S. countries, the continued illiquidity of Russian equity securities and the suspension of select sanctions in Venezuela.

The Report noted that the Program complied with the key factors for consideration under the Liquidity Rule for assessing, managing and periodically reviewing the Fund's liquidity risk, as follows:

- a) The Fund's investment strategy and liquidity of portfolio investments during both normal and reasonably foreseeable stressed conditions. During the Program Reporting Period, the Committee reviewed whether the Fund's strategy is appropriate for an open-end fund structure, with a focus on funds with more significant and consistent holdings of less liquid and illiquid assets. The Committee also factored a fund's concentration in an issuer into the liquidity classification methodology by taking issuer position sizes into account. Derivative exposure was also considered in the calculation of a fund's liquidity bucketing. Finally, a factor for consideration under the Liquidity Rule is a Fund's use of borrowings for investment purposes. However, the Funds do not borrow for investment purposes.
- b) Short-term and long-term cash flow projections during both normal and reasonably foreseeable stressed conditions. During the Program Reporting Period, the Committee reviewed historical redemption activity and used this information as a component to establish each ETF's reasonably anticipated trading size utilized for liquidity classifications. The Committee may also take into consideration a fund's shareholder ownership concentration (which, depending on product type and distribution channel, may or may not be available), a fund's distribution channels, and the degree of certainty associated with a fund's short-term and long-term cash flow projections.
- c) Holdings of cash and cash equivalents, as well as borrowing arrangements. The Committee considered that ETFs generally do not hold more than de minimis amounts of cash. The Committee also considered that ETFs generally do not engage in borrowing.
- d) The relationship between an ETF's portfolio liquidity and the way in which, and the prices and spreads at which, ETF shares trade, including the efficiency of the arbitrage function and the level of active participation by market participants, including authorized participants. The Committee monitored the prevailing bid/ask spread and the ETF price premium (or discount) to NAV for all ETFs. However, there were no ETFs with persistent deviations of fund premium/discount or bid/ask spreads from long-term averages over the Program Reporting Period.
- e) The effect of the composition of baskets on the overall liquidity of an ETF's portfolio. In reviewing the linkage between the composition of custom baskets accepted by an ETF and any significant change in the liquidity profile of such ETF, the Committee reviewed changes in the proportion of each ETF's portfolio comprised of less liquid and illiquid holdings to determine if applicable thresholds were met requiring enhanced review. There were no ETFs for which the custom baskets accepted by the ETF had a significant change in its liquidity profile.

There were no material changes to the Program during the Program Reporting Period other than the enhancement of certain model components in the Program's classification methodology. The Report provided to the Board stated that the Committee concluded that based on the operation of the functions, as described in the Report, the Program is operating as intended and is effective in implementing the requirements of the Liquidity Rule.

Supplemental Information (unaudited)

Tailored Shareholder Reports for Open-End Mutual Funds and ETFs

Effective January 24, 2023, the SEC adopted rule and form amendments to require open-end mutual funds and ETFs to transmit concise and visually engaging streamlined annual and semiannual reports to shareholders that highlight key information. Other information, including financial statements, will no longer appear in a streamlined shareholder report but must be available online, delivered free of charge upon request, and filed on a semiannual basis on Form N-CSR. The rule and form amendments have a compliance date of July 24, 2024. At this time, management is evaluating the impact of these amendments on the shareholder reports for the Fund.

Premium/Discount Information

Information on the Fund's net asset value, market price, premiums and discounts, and bid-ask spreads can be found at iShares.com.

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Trustee and Officer Information (unaudited)

The Board of Trustees has responsibility for the overall management and operations of the Fund, including general supervision of the duties performed by BFA and other service providers. Each Trustee serves until he or she resigns, is removed, dies, retires or becomes incapacitated. Each officer shall hold office until his or her successor is elected and qualifies or until his or her death, resignation or removal. Trustees who are not "interested persons" (as defined in the 1940 Act) of the Trust are referred to as independent trustees ("Independent Trustees").

The registered investment companies advised by BFA or its affiliates (the "BlackRock-advised Funds") are organized into the BlackRock Multi-Asset Complex, the BlackRock Fixed-Income Complex and the iShares Complex (each, a "BlackRock Fund Complex"). The Fund is included in the iShares Complex. Each Trustee also serves as a Director of iShares, Inc. and a Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust and, as a result, oversees all of the funds within the iShares Complex, which consists of 404 funds as of April 30, 2024. With the exception of Stephen Cohen, Robert S. Kapito and Aaron Wasserman, the address of each Trustee and officer is c/o BlackRock, Inc., 400 Howard Street, San Francisco, CA 94105. The address of Mr. Kapito and Mr. Wasserman is c/o BlackRock, Inc., 50 Hudson Yards, New York, NY 10001. The address of Mr. Cohen is c/o BlackRock, Inc., Drapers Gardens, 12 Throgmorton Avenue, London EC2N 2DL United Kingdom. The Board has designated John E. Kerrigan as its Independent Board Chair. Additional information about the Fund's Trustees and officers may be found in the Fund's combined Statement of Additional Information, which is available without charge, upon request, by calling toll-free 1-800-iShares (1-800-474-2737).

Interested Trustees

| Name (Year of Birth) | Position(s) | Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years | Other Directorships Held by Trustee |
|--|--------------------------|---|---|
| Robert S. Kapito ^(a) (1957) | Trustee (since 2009). | President of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2006); Vice Chairman of BlackRock, Inc. and Head of BlackRock's Portfolio Management Group (since its formation in 1998) and BlackRock, Inc.'s predecessor entities (since 1988); Trustee, University of Pennsylvania (since 2009); President of Board of Directors, Hope & Heroes Children's Cancer Fund (since 2002). | Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2006); Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2009); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2011). |
| Stephen Cohen ^(b) (1975) | Trustee (since 2024). | Senior Managing Director, Head of Global Product Solutions of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2024); Senior Managing Director, Head of Europe, Middle East and Africa Regions of BlackRock, Inc. (2021-2024); Head of iShares Index and Wealth in EMEA of BlackRock, Inc. (2017-2021); Global Head of Fixed Income Indexing of BlackRock, Inc. (2016-2017); Chief Investment Strategist for International Fixed Income and iShares of BlackRock, Inc. (2011-2015). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2024); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2024). |

⁽e) Robert S. Kapito is deemed to be an "interested person" (as defined in the 1940 Act) of the Trust due to his affiliations with BlackRock, Inc. and its affiliates.

Independent Trustees

| Name (Year of Birth) | Position(s) | Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years | Other Directorships Held by Trustee |
|---------------------------------|--|---|---|
| John E. Kerrigan (1955) | Trustee (since 2005); Independent Board Chair (since 2022). | Chief Investment Officer, Santa Clara University (since 2002). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2005); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2011); Independent Board Chair of iShares, Inc. and iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2022). |
| Jane D. Carlin (1956) | Trustee (since 2015); Risk Committee Chair (since 2016). | Consultant (since 2012); Member of the Audit Committee (2012-2018), Chair of the Nominating and Governance Committee (2017-2018) and Director of PHH Corporation (mortgage solutions) (2012-2018); Managing Director and Global Head of Financial Holding Company Governance & Assurance and the Global Head of Operational Risk Management of Morgan Stanley (2006-2012). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2015); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2015); Member of the Audit Committee (since 2016), Chair of the Audit Committee (since 2020) and Director of The Hanover Insurance Group, Inc. (since 2016). |
| Richard L. Fagnani (1954) | Trustee (since 2017); Audit Committee Chair (since 2019). | Partner, KPMG LLP (2002-2016); Director of One Generation Away (since 2021). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2017); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2017). |
| Laura F. Fergerson (1962) | Trustee (since 2024). | President, Franklin Templeton Services, LLC (2017-2024); Director of the Board of Crocker Art Museum Association (since 2019); President, Crocker Art Museum Foundation (2022-2023). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2024); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2024). |
| Cecilia H. Herbert (1949) | Trustee (since 2005); Nominating and Governance and Equity Plus Committee Chairs (since 2022). | Chair of the Finance Committee (since 2019) and Trustee and Member of the Finance, Audit and Quality Committees of Stanford Health Care (since 2016); Trustee of WNET, New York's public media company (since 2011) and Member of the Audit Committee (since 2018), Investment Committee (since 2011) and Personnel Committee (since 2022); Member of the Wyoming State Investment Funds Committee (since 2022); Trustee of Forward Funds (14 portfolios) (2009-2018); Trustee of Salient MF Trust (4 portfolios) (2015-2018); Director of the Jackson Hole Center for the Arts (since 2021). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2005); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2011). |

⁽b) Stephen Cohen is deemed to be an "interested person" (as defined in the 1940 Act) of the Trust due to his affiliations with BlackRock, Inc. and its affiliates.

Independent Trustees (continued)

| Name (Year of Birth) | Position(s) | Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years | Other Directorships Held by Trustee |
|-------------------------------|--|---|--|
| James Lam (1961) | Trustee (since 2024). | President, James Lam & Associates, Inc. (since 2002); Director of the FAIR Institute (since 2020); adjunct professor at Carnegie Mellon University (since 2018); Member, Zicklin School of Business Dean's Council of Baruch College (since 2017); Director and Audit Committee Chair of RiskLens, Inc. (2018-2023); Director, Risk Oversight Committee Chair and Audit Committee Member of E*TRADE Financial and E*TRADE Bank (2012-2020). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2024); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2024). |
| Drew E. Lawton (1959) | Trustee (since 2017); 15(c) Committee Chair (since 2017). | Senior Managing Director of New York Life Insurance Company (2010-2015). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2017); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2017); Director of Jackson Financial Inc. (since 2021). |
| John E. Martinez (1961) | Trustee (since 2003); Securities Lending Committee Chair (since 2019). | Director of Real Estate Equity Exchange, Inc. (since 2005); Director of Cloudera Foundation (2017-2020); and Director of Reading Partners (2012-2016). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2003); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2011). |
| Madhav V. Rajan (1964) | Trustee (since 2011); Fixed- Income Plus Committee Chair (since 2019). | Dean, and George Pratt Shultz Professor of Accounting, University of Chicago Booth School of Business (since 2017); Advisory Board Member (since 2016) and Director (since 2020) of C.M. Capital Corporation; Chair of the Board for the Center for Research in Security Prices, LLC (since 2020); Director of WellBe Senior Medical (since 2023); Robert K. Jaedicke Professor of Accounting, Stanford University Graduate School of Business (2001-2017); Professor of Law (by courtesy), Stanford Law School (2005-2017); Senior Associate Dean for Academic Affairs and Head of MBA Program, Stanford University Graduate School of Business (2010-2016). | Director of iShares, Inc. (since 2011); Trustee of iShares U.S. ETF Trust (since 2011). |

Officers

| Name (Year of Birth) | Position(s) | Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years | |
|---------------------------|--|---|--|
| Jessica Tan (1980) | President (since 2024). | Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2015); Head of Global Product Solutions, Americas of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2024) and of Sustainable and Transition Solutions of BlackRock, Inc. (2022-2024); Global Head of Corporate Strategy of BlackRock, Inc. (2015 Chief of Staff to the CEO of BlackRock, Inc. (2017-2019). | |
| Trent Walker (1974) | Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer (since 2020). | Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2019); Chief Financial Officer of iShares Delaware Trust Sponsor LLC, BlackRock Funds, BlackRock Funds II, BlackRock Funds IV, BlackRock Funds V and BlackRock Funds VI (since 2021). | |
| Aaron Wasserman (1974) | Chief Compliance Officer (since 2023). | Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2018); Chief Compliance Officer of the BlackRock Multi-Asset Complex, the BlackRock Fixed-Income Complex and the iShares Complex (since 2023); Deputy Chief Compliance Officer for the BlackRock Multi-Asset Complex, the BlackRock Fixed-Income Complex and the iShares Complex (2014-2023). | |
| Marisa Rolland (1980) | Secretary (since 2022). | Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2023); Director of BlackRock, Inc. (2018-2022). | |
| Rachel Aguirre (1982) | Executive Vice President (since 2022). | Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2018); Head of U.S. iShares Product (since 2022); Head of Ell U.S. Product Engineering of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2021); Co-Head of Ell's Americas Portfolio Engineering of BlackRock, Inc. (2020- 2021); Head of Developed Markets Portfolio Engineering of BlackRock, Inc. (2016-2019). | |
| Jennifer Hsui (1976) | Executive Vice President (since 2022). | Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2009); Co-Head of Index Equity of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2022). | |
| James Mauro (1970) | Executive Vice President (since 2022). | Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2010); Head of Fixed Income Index Investments in the Americas and Head of San Francisco Core Portfolio Management of BlackRock, Inc. (since 2020). | |

Effective July 1, 2023, Aaron Wasserman replaced Charles Park as Chief Compliance Officer.

Effective February 1, 2024, Salim Ramji resigned as a Trustee of the Trust.

Effective March 5, 2024, Stephen Cohen replaced Salim Ramji as a Trustee of the Trust.

Effective March 5, 2024, Dominik Rohé resigned as President of the Trust.

Effective March 5, 2024, Jessica Tan replaced Dominik Rohé as President of the Trust.

Effective April 8, 2024, Laura Fergerson was appointed as a Trustee of the Trust.

Effective April 8, 2024, James Lam was appointed as a Trustee of the Trust.

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General Information

Electronic Delivery

Shareholders can sign up for e-mail notifications announcing that the shareholder report or prospectus has been posted on the iShares website at **iShares.com**. Once you have enrolled, you will no longer receive prospectuses and shareholder reports in the mail.

To enroll in electronic delivery:

- · Go to icsdelivery.com.
- If your brokerage firm is not listed, electronic delivery may not be available. Please contact your broker-dealer or financial advisor.

Householding

Householding is an option available to certain fund investors. Householding is a method of delivery, based on the preference of the individual investor, in which a single copy of certain shareholder documents and Rule 30e-3 notices can be delivered to investors who share the same address, even if their accounts are registered under different names. Please contact your broker-dealer if you are interested in enrolling in householding and receiving a single copy of prospectuses and other shareholder documents, or if you are currently enrolled in householding and wish to change your householding status.

Availability of Quarterly Schedule of Investments

The Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the SEC for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year as an exhibit to its reports on Form N-PORT. The Fund's Form N-PORT are available on the SEC's website at **sec.gov**. Additionally, the Fund makes its portfolio holdings for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year available at **iShares.com/fundreports**.

Availability of Proxy Voting Policies and Proxy Voting Records

A description of the policies and procedures that the iShares Funds use to determine how to vote proxies relating to portfolio securities and information about how the iShares Funds voted proxies relating to portfolio securities during the most recent twelve-month period ending June 30 is available without charge, upon request (1) by calling toll-free 1-800-474-2737; (2) on the iShares website at **iShares.com**; and (3) on the SEC website at **sec.gov**.

A description of the Trust's policies and procedures with respect to the disclosure of the Fund's portfolio securities is available in the Fund Prospectus. The Fund discloses its portfolio holdings daily and provides information regarding its top holdings in Fund fact sheets at **iShares.com**.

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