



MANAGEMENT REPORT OF FUND PERFORMANCE

Harvest US Equity Plus Income ETF

December 31, 2020



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CORPORATE OVERVIEW

Harvest Portfolios Group Inc. (“Harvest” or the “Manager”) is a Canadian Investment Manager founded in 2009. Harvest is focused on developing investment products that follow three investment criteria.

We (i) endeavor to develop investment products that are clear in their mandate and easy for investors to understand, (ii) strive to be transparent so that our investors can review their financial reports and know exactly what they own and (iii) seek to provide investors with consistent monthly or quarterly income by investing the fund portfolios in well managed companies that have a steady cash flow and dividend-paying history.

INVESTMENT PRODUCT

The Harvest US Equity Plus Income ETF (the “Fund”) has investment objectives to provide unitholders with quarterly cash distributions, the opportunity for capital appreciation and provide investors with exposure to select large capitalization U.S. companies that are leaders in terms of share repurchase programs. As part of the investment strategy, the Fund will invest in an equally-weighted portfolio of equity securities of the 25 issuers selected from the top 100 issuers in the US Buyback Leaders Investable Universe¹ with the highest Buyback Ratio¹ and that have a market capitalization of at least US\$10 billion at the time of investment.

¹ As defined in the Fund’s prospectus dated June 15, 2020.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

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Unitholder letter March 2021

Dear Valued Investor,

Thank you for your patience and persistence in what was an unprecedented year of disruption to human health, global economics and markets. As investors your resolve was truly tested, we have all grown to expect market corrections but to face the first truly global pandemic in 100 years, the ensuing economic fall out, a market correction of 35% in 4 weeks and the polarized divisions in American society leading up to and after the US election showed strength and belief in the longer-term direction of markets.

Throughout all this disruption the US Fed has reinforced their desire to maintain record low interest rates for the next 2 years. These low rates have created a strong floor for stock markets as the alternative risk-free interest rate remains basically at "0". I am of the belief that we are in a bottoming process of what has been a 40-year decline of interest rates which has alternatively led to the great bull market in bonds. This too I believe is in a "topping" process as rising rates will lead to dropping bond prices. This process may take the next couple of years to play out if the Fed holds to its policy; that said, their next move could (down the road) very well be higher.

I am admittedly biased as I have never owned a bond in my investing career; rather I have always leaned towards equity ownership and the long-term growth and value add of great companies run by solid, competent management. As we finish 2020 and roll into 2021 the sentiment is that markets have got ahead of themselves and maybe we are due for a pull back. I would argue here that corrections of 5-10% are commonplace in bull markets and unless we see another Black Swan event like COVID-19, the economy should right itself over the coming 2 to 4 quarters and markets will move ahead as they historically have.

I believe younger investors should always be looking for longer term growth through equities. For those looking at retirement, I was recently interviewed and asked about traditional bond/equity positioning. My thoughts again here are stay more heavily weighted to quality, dividend-paying equities or "Equity Income". People are living longer; rates are low and if they eventually go higher the income will improve at a cost to your capital. Equity markets will move up and down but have averaged approximately 8% per annum (S&P 500 since 1957) which is an excellent rate of return while generating income over what could be 2 to 3 decades of retirement.

Harvest has traditionally focused on large capitalization Equity Income ETFs and this will continue to be our core, but over the last couple of years we have built ETFs focused on long term secular growth trends which include smaller and medium capitalized companies with little to no dividends or option markets for income. Most recently we launched the Harvest Clean Energy ETF (HCLN) and the Harvest Travel & Leisure Index ETF (TRVL), both of which are based on great long-term growth themes. I encourage you to go to our website and find out more about them and their unique prospects.

In conclusion, Harvest will remain true to our long-term equity bias focusing on growth industries and secular growth trends, choosing companies that we feel are best in class and generating attractive income within our Equity Income ETFs.

On behalf of Harvest, I would like to thank you for your continued trust and investment in our products.

Sincerely,

Signed "Michael Kovacs"

Michael Kovacs
President and Chief Executive Officer

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MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION OF FUND PERFORMANCE

The annual management report of fund performance contains financial highlights but does not contain the complete annual financial statements of the Fund. For your reference, the annual financial statements of the Fund are attached to the annual management report of fund performance. You may obtain additional copies of these documents at your request, and at no cost, by calling toll free at 1-866-998-8298; by writing to us at Harvest Portfolios Group Inc., 610 Chartwell Road, Suite 204, Oakville, Ontario, L6J 4A5; or by visiting our website at www.harvestportfolios.com; or on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

Unitholders may also contact us using one of these methods to request a copy of the Fund's proxy voting policies and procedures, proxy voting disclosure record, or quarterly portfolio disclosure.

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES AND STRATEGY

The Fund has been established to provide investors with exposure to 25 issuers selected from the top 100 issuers with the largest dollar amount of shares repurchased over the prior four quarters for which information is publicly available relative to the issuer's current market capitalization that meet the following criteria: (i) are included in the S&P 500 Index; (ii) have a market capitalization that is at least US\$10 billion as determined at the time of investment; (iii) are incorporated in the U.S.; (iv) pay a dividend; and v) have bought back their shares within the prior four quarters as determined at the time of investment.

The Fund's investment objectives are to provide unitholders with (i) the opportunity for capital appreciation; and (ii) quarterly cash distributions.

The Manager will select the Equity Securities¹ for the Portfolio¹ and will quarterly reconstitute and rebalance the Portfolio such that the Portfolio, at the time of the initial investment and immediately following each quarterly reconstitution and rebalancing, will include an equal weighting of the 25 issuers selected from the top 100 issuers in the US Buyback Investable Universe with the highest Buyback Ratio.

RISK

The risks associated with investing in the Fund are as described in the prospectus. There were no material changes to the Fund over the period that affected the overall level of risk of the Fund.

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The Fund returned -0.42% for Series A and 2.64% for Series U compared to the S&P 100 Total Return Index (USD) return of 20.85% for the year ended December 31, 2020.

Equity markets experienced extreme volatility throughout 2021 as the COVID-19 pandemic led to both unprecedented uncertainty and responses to that uncertainty from governments around the world. As the virus spread globally in the early months of the year lockdowns and physical distancing measures resulted in a significant decline in economic activity. Markets responded to this in kind, with the S&P 100 falling 33% from the February highs to the March lows. Governments and central banks also responded, embarking on extraordinary stimulus campaigns to support the embattled economy. As fiscal stimulus and historically low interest rates began to filter through the economy stocks began to rebound, initially led by a handful of mega-cap companies which were uniquely positioned to benefit from the pandemic environment. As the year progressed investors increasingly looked beyond the current state of the economy and towards a rebound in 2021 fueled by stimulus and loosening of lockdown measures as well as improved treatments and vaccines to combat the virus.

The decline that the market experienced during February and March was characterized by highly correlated declines across sectors, with most stocks falling in unison. Following the bottom in late March the initial rebound was also highly correlated and broadly based, however the market quickly identified the key beneficiaries of the pandemic environment and through most of the year the rally was largely led by a select number of mega-cap stocks, particularly stocks in the Technology sector like Apple Inc. This focused strength in mega-cap Technology names was detrimental to the Fund's relative performance as many of these leaders did not meet the criteria for investment resulting in a lower weight in the sector compared to the benchmark. The Fund's relative performance during most of the year was also negatively impacted by overweight allocations to sectors that generally have higher correlations to economic cycles, such as Financial Services and Energy, which underperformed the index for most of the year. The fund benefitted from investments in Texas Instruments Inc., Caterpillar Inc. and Starbucks Corp. while Walgreens Boots Alliance Inc., ConocoPhillips and Bank of America Corp. negatively impacted performance.

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During the fourth quarter the market began to turn its focus towards a recovery from the pandemic as several vaccine candidates progressed through late-stage clinical trials, ultimately resulting in emergency approval of two candidates in November. As is typical during the early stages of economic recovery, cyclical areas of the market such as Resources, Banks and Industrial stocks which had generally performed poorly for most of the year began to rally strongly while several of the mega-cap leadership stocks traded sideways. During the last quarter of the year investments in companies like Phillips 66, JPMorgan Chase & Co. and Caterpillar performed well while companies like Intel Corp. and Cisco Systems Inc. lagged the benchmark.

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

The spread of the coronavirus ("COVID-19") has caused volatility in the global financial markets and a slowdown in the global economy over the past year and may have a continued adverse impact on the financial performance of the Fund's investments. The extent of the overall impact to financial markets and the economy are highly uncertain and cannot be predicted as they will depend on the duration and renewed spread of the outbreak along with ongoing government restrictions. If the financial markets and/or the overall economy continue to be impacted for an extended period, the Fund's future investment results may be materially adversely affected.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

There were no related party transactions during the reporting year, except for management fees and other expense reimbursements paid to Harvest, as noted below in Management and Other Fees.

MANAGEMENT AND OTHER FEES

The Manager is responsible for managing the Fund's overall business and operations and provides key management personnel to the Fund. The Fund pays the Manager an annual management fee of 0.75%, plus applicable taxes, based on a percentage of the average daily net asset value ("NAV") of the Fund.

Operating expenses

The Fund is responsible for operating expenses relating to the carrying on of its business, including custodial services, interest, taxes, legal, audit fees, transfer agency services relating to the issue and redemption of units, and the cost of financial and other reports, costs and expenses for the Fund's Independent Review Committee ("IRC"), including fees and expenses of the IRC members and compliance with applicable laws, regulations and policies. The Manager pays for such expenses on behalf of the Fund, except for certain expenses such as interest, and is then reimbursed by the Fund.

Other expenses

The Manager will be reimbursed by the Fund for all reasonable costs, expenses and liabilities incurred by the Manager for performance of services on behalf of the Fund in connection with the discharge by the Manager of its duties hereunder. Such costs and expenses may include, without limitation: mailing and printing expenses for reports to unitholders and other unitholder communications; a reasonable allocation of salaries and benefits; and other administrative expenses and costs incurred in connection with the Fund's continuous public offering and other obligations. These expenses are allocated by the Manager on a reasonable basis, across all the Harvest Portfolios Group Inc. funds, and series of each applicable fund. These expenses were \$5,936 for the year ended December 31, 2020 (2019 – \$8,035) and are included in the unitholder reporting costs on the Statements of Comprehensive Income (Loss) in the financial statements.

Waivers and absorptions

At its sole discretion, the Manager may waive management fees or absorb expenses of the Fund. There were no management fee waivers or expense absorptions for the years ended December 31, 2020 or 2019. The management expense ratios of the Fund with and without the waivers and absorptions are reported in the Ratios and Supplemental Data table below.

RECOMMENDATIONS OR REPORTS BY THE INDEPENDENT REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Independent Review Committee tabled no special reports and made no extraordinary material recommendations to management of the Fund during the year ended December 31, 2020.

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FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The following tables present selected key financial information about the Fund and are intended to help you understand the Fund's financial performance for the year ended December 31, 2020 and past annual periods. This information is derived from the Fund's audited financial statements.

Series A

THE FUND'S NET ASSETS PER UNIT					
	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Net assets - beginning of the year	\$ 9.37	\$ 7.97	\$ 9.34	\$ 8.26	\$ 7.76
Increase (decrease) from operations					
Total revenue	0.18	0.17	0.15	0.15	0.15
Total expenses	(0.22)	(0.22)	(0.20)	(0.16)	(0.10)
Realized gains (losses) for the year	0.41	1.02	0.93	0.96	(0.32)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the year	(0.52)	0.82	(1.68)	0.47	0.75
Total increase (decrease) from operations¹	\$ (0.15)	\$ 1.79	\$ (0.80)	\$ 1.42	\$ 0.48
Distributions²					
From net investment income	-	-	-	-	-
Return of capital	(0.40)	(0.40)	(0.40)	(0.40)	(0.40)
Total annual distributions²	\$ (0.40)	\$ (0.40)	\$ (0.40)	\$ (0.40)	\$ (0.40)
Net assets - end of the year¹	\$ 8.86	\$ 9.37	\$ 7.97	\$ 9.34	\$ 8.26

RATIOS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA					
	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total net asset value	\$ 6,174,008	\$ 6,997,158	\$ 7,745,323	\$ 17,707,612	\$ 20,634,398
Number of units outstanding	696,723	746,723	971,723	1,896,723	2,496,723
Management expense ratio ³	2.58%	2.53%	2.20%	1.86%	1.39%
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions ³	2.58%	2.53%	2.20%	1.86%	1.39%
Trading expense ratio ⁴	0.18%	0.04%	0.06%	0.10%	0.21%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁵	135.59%	78.84%	78.13%	99.87%	123.37%
Net asset value per unit	\$ 8.86	\$ 9.37	\$ 7.97	\$ 9.34	\$ 8.26
Closing market price (HUL)*	\$ 8.81	\$ 9.35	\$ 7.96	\$ 9.42	\$ 8.43

* On conversion to an ETF, Series A traded under the symbol HUL. Prior to conversion Series A traded under the symbol HUL.UN as a closed end fund.

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Series U (CAD)

THE FUND'S NET ASSETS PER UNIT		2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Net assets - beginning of the year	\$	12.73	\$ 11.26	\$ 12.00	\$ 11.31	\$ 10.89
Increase (decrease) from operations						
Total revenue		0.26	0.23	0.20	0.19	0.20
Total expenses		(0.31)	(0.31)	(0.27)	(0.21)	(0.14)
Realized gains (losses) for the year		0.54	1.35	1.68	1.21	(0.89)
Unrealized gains (losses) for the year		0.18	0.65	(1.76)	0.09	1.45
Total increase (decrease) from operations¹	\$	0.67	\$ 1.92	\$ (0.15)	\$ 1.28	\$ 0.62
Distributions²						
From net investment income		-	-	-	-	-
Return of capital		(0.54)	(0.53)	(0.53)	(0.52)	(0.53)
Total annual distributions²	\$	(0.54)	\$ (0.53)	\$ (0.53)	\$ (0.52)	\$ (0.53)
Net assets - end of the year^{1, 6}	\$	12.21	\$ 12.73	\$ 11.26	\$ 12.00	\$ 11.31

RATIOS AND SUPPLEMENTAL DATA		2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
Total net asset value	\$	1,780,834	\$ 1,857,345	\$ 1,924,217	\$ 2,651,280	\$ 2,214,858
Number of units outstanding		145,850	145,850	170,850	220,850	195,850
Management expense ratio ³		2.58%	2.53%	2.23%	1.86%	1.39%
Management expense ratio before waivers or absorptions ³		2.58%	2.53%	2.23%	1.86%	1.39%
Trading expense ratio ⁴		0.18%	0.04%	0.06%	0.10%	0.21%
Portfolio turnover rate ⁵		135.59%	78.84%	78.13%	99.87%	123.37%
Net asset value per unit	\$	12.21	\$ 12.73	\$ 11.26	\$ 12.00	\$ 11.31
Closing market price - USD (HUL.U)*	\$	9.47	\$ 9.92	\$ 8.22	\$ 9.51	\$ 8.59

* On conversion to an ETF, Series U traded under the symbol HUL.U. Prior to conversion Series U units did not trade.

Explanatory Notes:

1. Net assets and distributions are based on the actual number of units outstanding at the relevant time. The increase (decrease) from operations is based on the weighted average number of units outstanding over the reporting period. It is not intended that the Fund's net assets per unit table act as a continuity of opening and closing net assets per unit.
2. Distributions were paid in cash or reinvested in additional units of the Fund.
3. Management expense ratio ("MER") is based on total expenses (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) of the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of the daily average net asset value during the period.
4. The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period. In 2020 the calculation was modified to include certain transactions costs charged by the custodian. The trading expense ratio in prior periods was not re-stated.
5. The Fund's portfolio turnover rate indicates how actively the Fund's portfolio advisor manages its portfolio investments. A portfolio turnover of 100% is equivalent to the Fund buying and selling all of the securities in its portfolio once in the course of the period. The higher a Fund's portfolio turnover rate, the greater the trading costs payable by the Fund and the greater the chance of an investor receiving taxable capital gains. There is not necessarily a relationship between a high turnover rate and the performance of a Fund.
6. The USD amount of the net assets at the end of the year was \$9.59 USD.

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Past Performance

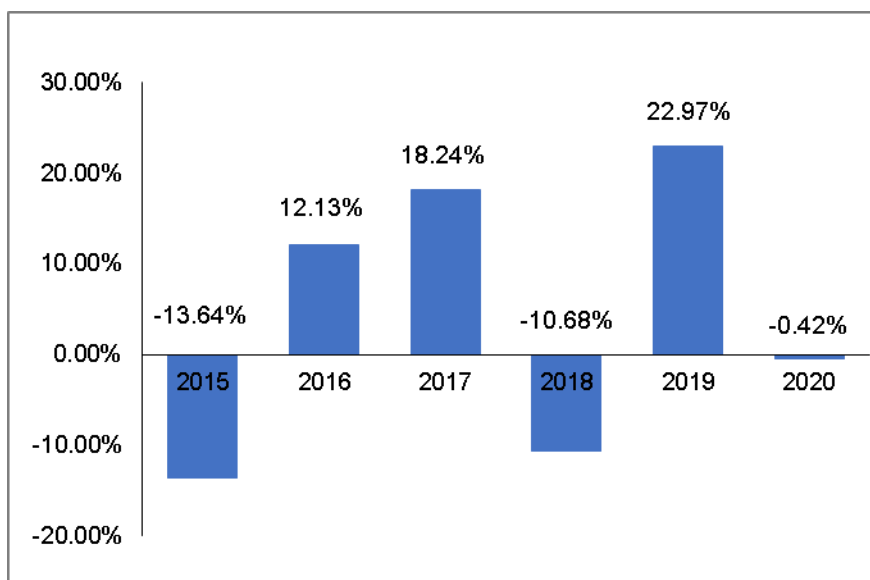
The performance information presented herein assumes all dividends of the Fund during the periods presented were reinvested in additional securities of the Fund. The performance information does not take into account sales, redemptions, or other charges that would have reduced returns or affected performance. Past performance of the Fund is not necessarily indicative of how it will perform in the future.

YEAR-BY-YEAR RETURNS

The following charts present the Fund's performance for each of the years shown and illustrate how the Fund's performance varied for Series A and Series U. The chart shows, in percentage terms, how much an investment made on the first day of each financial year would have grown or decreased by the last day of each financial year.

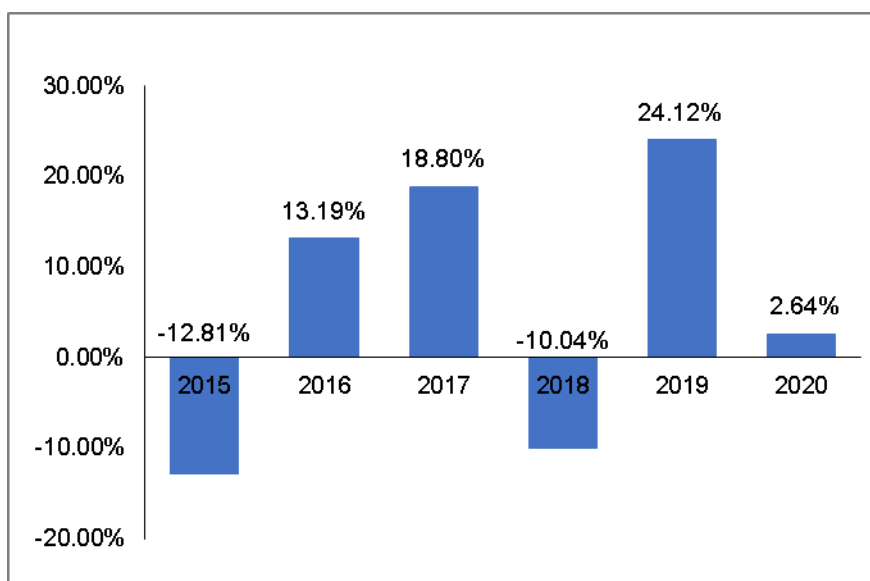
Fund Performance

Series A



2015 represents the period from March 25 to December 31

Series U (USD)



2015 represents the period from March 25 to December 31

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ANNUAL COMPOUND RETURNS

The following table shows the annual compound returns for the Fund. All returns are in Canadian dollars unless otherwise indicated, on a total return basis, net of fees.

For comparison purposes, the S&P 100 Total Return Index (USD) is used. While the Fund uses this benchmark for long-term performance comparisons, it is not managed relative to the composition of the Index. As a result, the Fund may experience periods when its performance is not aligned with the Index, either positively or negatively. The return of the Index is calculated without the deduction of management fees and fund expenses whereas the performance of the Fund is calculated after deducting such fees and expenses. Please see the "Results of Operations" section of this report for a discussion on recent performance.

Investment Return %	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception*
Fund Performance – Series A	-0.42	3.04	7.72	-	3.98
Fund Performance – Series U (USD)	2.64	4.65	9.03	-	5.26
S&P 100 Total Return Index (USD)	20.85	14.90	15.24	-	13.54

*Since inception March 25, 2015

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SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

The major portfolio categories and top holdings of the Fund at the end of the year are indicated in the following tables. A detailed breakdown of the Fund's holdings is available in the "Schedule of Investments" section of the Fund's annual financial statements.

As at December 31, 2020

Top 25 Holdings	% of Net Asset Value
Phillips 66	5.1
ConocoPhillips	4.5
The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	4.5
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	4.3
Bank of America Corporation	4.3
The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation	4.1
The Allstate Corporation	4.0
Starbucks Corporation	4.0
Intel Corporation	4.0
Caterpillar Inc.	4.0
Visa Inc.	3.9
QUALCOMM Incorporated	3.9
Walgreens Boots Alliance, Inc.	3.9
Apple Inc.	3.9
Anthem, Inc.	3.9
Union Pacific Corporation	3.9
Merck & Co., Inc.	3.8
Bristol-Myers Squibb Company	3.8
YUM! Brands, Inc.	3.8
Corning Incorporated	3.7
Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc.	3.7
Texas Instruments Incorporated	3.7
Best Buy Co., Inc.	3.7
The Home Depot, Inc.	3.7
McDonald's Corporation	3.6
Total	99.7

This summary of investment portfolio may change due to the ongoing portfolio transactions of the Fund. Quarterly updates of the Fund's investment portfolio are available from Harvest Portfolios Group Inc. at www.harvestportfolios.com.

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SECTOR ALLOCATION

Sector	% of Net Asset Value
Information Technology	23.1
Financials	21.2
Consumer Discretionary	18.8
Health Care	11.5
Energy	9.6
Industrials	7.9
Consumer Staples	3.9
Real Estate	3.7
Cash and other assets and liabilities	0.2
Foreign currency forward contracts	0.1
Total	100.0

GEOGRAPHIC ALLOCATION

Country of Risk	% of Net Asset Value
United States	99.7
Cash and other assets and liabilities	0.2
Foreign currency forward contracts	0.1
Total	100.0



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