# **BNY Mellon Income Stock Fund**

Enhanced Fact Sheet | September 30, 2025

Class A Class I Class Y BMIAX BMIIX BMIYX

Assets for the Fund \$166,194,660

Holdings<sup>4</sup>

**Dividend Frequency** Monthly

Morningstar Category Large Value

**Lipper Category** Equity Income Funds

### Sub-Adviser

Newton Investment Management North America, LLC

### Total Expenses (%)

Class	Gross <sup>†</sup>	Net <sup>††</sup>
Class A	1.27	1.15
Class I	0.97	0.90
Class Y	0.93	0.90

### 30-Day SEC Yields (%)

Class	Unsubsidized	Subsidizea°
Class A	0.64	0.76
Class I	0.92	1.05
Class Y	1.03	1.09

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Top Ten Holdings <sup>4,5</sup>	
Company	Fund (%)
Johnson & Johnson	4.49
Assurant	4.07
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	4.02
AT&T	3.80
Cisco Systems	3.79
L3Harris Technologies	3.60
Medtronic	3.37
Bank Of America	3.08
CRH	2.82
AON, Class A	2.57

The holdings listed should not be considered recommendations to buy or sell a security. Large concentrations can increase share price volatility.

Sec	ctor	Weightings <sup>4,5</sup>
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Sector	Fund (%)	Index (%)
Financials	28.20	26.13
Industrials	14.48	2.28
Health Care	13.25	5.15
Energy	9.16	5.84
Information Technology	9.16	5.17
Materials	8.74	6.28
Communication Services	6.57	5.82
Consumer Discretionary	2.89	7.02
Consumer Staples	2.37	10.74
Real Estate	1.02	0.00
Utilities	0.77	25.55
Cash	3.38	0.01

Totals may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

Total Returns and Rankings1

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Share Class/Inception Date	Quarter (9/30/25)	YTD (9/30/25)	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	
Class A (NAV) 5/31/16	5.02%	13.18%	11.11%	17.69%	18.39%	12.22%	
Class A (5.75% maximum load)	-0.96%	6.60%	4.73%	15.38%	17.01%	11.55%	
Class I (NAV) 5/31/16	5.09%	13.40%	11.42%	18.01%	18.68%	12.48%	
Class Y (NAV) 5/31/16	5.11%	13.29%	11.44%	17.97%	18.70%	12.49%	
Morningstar Large Value Percentile Rank (Class I)**	-	_	34	38	3	14	
Morningstar Category Rank/Number of Funds in Category**	-	_	371/1138	375/ 1086	28/1025	_	
Dow Jones U.S. Select Dividend Index <sup>‡</sup>	8.09%	11.50%	9.44%	14.52%	16.29%	11.24%	

The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Share price and investment return fluctuate, and an investor's shares may be worth more or less than original cost upon redemption. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Data assumes the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, if any. Performance for periods less than 1 year is not annualized. Go to <a href="mailto:bny.com/investments">bny.com/investments</a> for the fund's most recent month-end returns.

†Gross expenses is the total annual operating expense ratio for the fund, before any fee waivers or expense reimbursements. ††Net Expenses is the total annual operating expense ratio for the fund, after any applicable fee waivers or expense reimbursements. The net expense ratio(s) reflect a contractual expense reduction agreement through 12/31/2025, without which, the returns would have been lower. The Net Expenses is the actual fund expense ratio applicable to investors. Not all classes of shares may be available to all investors or through all broker-dealer platforms. ‡Source: FactSet.

Shareholders of the BNY Mellon Income Stock Fund approved the conversion of the mutual fund into a newly created ETF, the BNY Mellon Enhanced Dividend and Income ETF, which will occur on or about December 5, 2025. Please see the prospectus sticker for details.

Periods prior to May 31, 2016, the inception date for Class A, Class I and Class Y shares, reflect the performance of the fund's Class M shares, which are offered in a separate prospectus, adjusted in the table to reflect applicable sales charges. Such performance figures have not been adjusted to reflect applicable class fees and expenses; if these expenses had been reflected, the performance shown for Class A, Class I and Class Y shares would have been lower. Each share class is invested in the same portfolio of securities, and the annual returns would have differed only to the extent that the classes have different expenses. Investors should consider, when deciding whether to purchase a particular class of shares, the investment amount, anticipated holding period and other relevant factors. <sup>2</sup>Unsubsidized yield refers to the yield of a fund if no fee waivers or expense reimbursements had been in place over the period. <sup>3</sup>Subsidized yield is a yield of a fund that reflects any fee waivers or reimbursements that may be in effect. <sup>4</sup>Portfolio composition is subject to change at any time. <sup>5</sup>Source: Newton.

Class A ★★★★ Class I ★★★★ Class Y ★★★★

Morningstar Rating™ based on risk-adjusted returns as of 9/30/2025 for the fund's Class A, I and Y shares; other classes may have different performance characteristics. Overall rating for the Large Value category. Fund ratings are out of 5 stars: Overall 4 stars Class A, I and Y (1086 funds rated); 3 Years 3 stars Class A, I and Y (1086 funds rated); 5 Years 5 stars Class A, I and Y (1025 funds rated). Past performance is no guarantee of future results.\*

Company

Carlisle Companies

Baxter International †††

Top 5 Contributors — Q3 2025					
Company	Fund End Weight (%)	Fund Total Return (%)	Contribution (%)		
Johnson & Johnson	4.49	22.27	0.90		
L3Harris Technologies	3.60	22.28	0.71		
CRH	2.82	31.28	0.68		
TE Connectivity	1.32	30.61	0.43		
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	4.02	9.26	0.37		

CRH	2.82	31.28	0.68	American International Group	0.90	-7.76
TE Connectivity	1.32	30.61	0.43			
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	4.02	9.26	0.37	Philip Morris International	0.89	-10.94
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Top 5 Contributors — 1 Year

Company	Fund End Weight (%)	Fund Total Return (%)	Contribution (%)
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	4.02	52.62	1.88
AT&T	3.80	34.30	1.43
Cisco Systems	3.80	31.99	1.27
Goldman Sachs	1.35	64.39	1.12
L3Harris Technologies	3.60	31.22	1.07

Top 5 Detractors — 1 Year

Top 5 Detractors — Q3 2025

Company	Fund End Weight (%)	Fund Total Return (%)	Contribution (%)
UnitedHealth Group	1.87	-39.85	-1.53
Danaher	0.92	-28.50	-0.57
Baxter International†††	0.00	-39.36	-0.57
Omnicom Group	1.54	-17.80	-0.51
Best Buy <sup>†††</sup>	0.00	-42.92	-0.44

**Fund End** 

Weight (%)

1.29

0.00

**Fund Total** 

Return (%)

-23.55

-25.40

Contribution

(%)

-0.28

-0.23

-0.22

-0.17

-0.15

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Return percentages indicated reflect the performance of the fund's individual holding for the period reported. The returns are net of applicable fees and expenses. All "Contribution" calculations are provided by Newton. The attribution analysis is intended to provide an estimate as to which elements of a strategy contributed (positively or negatively) to a portfolio's performance. It is not a precise measure of performance and should not be relied upon for investment decisions. Portfolio composition is subject to change at any time, and not all holdings listed may be in the portfolio as of 9/30/25. The fund's portfolio holdings are available monthly on bny.com/investments. The holdings or sector allocations indicated should not be construed as recommendations to buy or sell a security. Totals may not be exact due to rounding.

<sup>†††</sup>Baxter International and Best Buy were not portfolio holdings as of 9/30/2025.

<sup>\*</sup>Source: Morningstar. The Morningstar Rating™ for funds, or "star rating," is calculated for managed products with at least a 3-year history. It is calculated based on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure that accounts for variation in a managed product's monthly excess performance (not including the effects of sales charges, loads and redemption fees if applicable), placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance. Managed products, including open-end mutual funds and exchange-traded funds, are considered a single population for comparative purposes. The top 10% of products in each product category receive 5 stars, the next 22.5% receive 4 stars, the next 35% receive 3 stars, the next 22.5% receive 2 stars, and the bottom 10% receive 1 star. The Overall Morningstar Rating for a managed product is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its 3-, 5-, and 10-year (if applicable) Morningstar Rating metrics. ©2025 Morningstar, Inc. All rights reserved. The information contained herein: is proprietary to Morningstar and/or its content providers; may not be copied or distributed; and is not warranted to be accurate, complete, or timely. Neither Morningstar nor its content providers are responsible for any damages or losses arising from any use of this information. Ratings do not reduce investment risk and are subject to change.

# September 2025 ENHANCED FACT SHEET

#### **Statistics**

Statistic	Fund (Class I)	Index
5-Year Beta	0.89	1.00
5-Year Annualized Alpha	3.82	0.00
5-Year Annualized Standard Deviation	15.38	16.38
5-Year R-Squared	89.29%	100.00%
5-Year Information Ratio	0.45	0.00
5-Year Sharpe Ratio	1.01	0.81
Trailing 1-Year Price/Earnings Ratio	20.33	16.61
Price/Book Ratio	2.41	1.86
Price/Earnings Ratio (FY2)	14.76	12.09
Estimated 3-5 Years EPS Growth	11.20%	8.63%
Return on Equity	15.71%	11.39%
Weighted Average Market Cap (\$B)	\$167.12	\$58.92

Sources: Newton, FactSet.

# **Goal/Approach**

The fund seeks total return (consisting of capital appreciation and income). To pursue its goal, the fund normally invests at least 80% of its net assets, plus any borrowings for investment purposes, in stocks. The fund seeks to focus on dividend-paying stocks and other investments and investment techniques that provide income. The investment adviser chooses stocks through a disciplined investment process that combines computer modeling techniques, fundamental analysis and risk management.

## **Investment Philosophy/Process**

- •The fund looks to generate alpha by focusing on what the managers believe are attractively valued stocks with strong fundamentals that possess a catalyst for business improvement.
- •A unique dividend approach combining
  - ° Sustainable high current income
  - Solid dividend growth without sacrificing value
- A high-conviction, excess return-driven process seeking positive benchmark- and peer-relative results
- •An experienced and tenured team

### Portfolio Management



John C. Bailer, CFA
Executive Vice President
Senior Portfolio Manager
Firm 1992
Industry 1992
Fund 2011



Brian C. Ferguson

Executive Vice President
Senior Portfolio Manager
Head of U.S. Large Cap Value Equities
Firm 1997
Industry 1990
Fund 2015



Keith Howell, Jr., CFA Primary Portfolio Manager Firm 2006 Industry 2004 Fund 2021

### Risks

Equities are subject to market, market sector, market liquidity, issuer, and investment style risks, among other factors, to varying degrees. Investing in foreign denominated and/or domiciled securities involves special risks, including changes in currency exchange rates, political, economic, and social instability, limited company information, differing auditing and legal standards, and less market liquidity. These risks generally are greater with emerging market countries.

The fund's focus on dividend-paying stocks could cause the fund to underperform similar funds that invest without consideration of a company's track record of paying dividends or ability to pay dividends in the future. Dividend-paying stocks may not participate in a broad market advance to the same degree as other stocks, and a sharp rise in interest rates or economic downturn could cause a company to unexpectedly reduce or eliminate its dividend.

### **Index Definitions**

The **Dow Jones U.S. Select Dividend™ Index** is defined as all dividend-paying companies in the Dow Jones U.S. Index, excluding REITs, that have a non-negative historical five-year dividend-per-share growth rate, a five-year average dividend coverage ratio of greater than or equal to 167%, paid dividends in each of the previous five years, non-negative trailing 12-month earnings-per-share (EPS), a float-adjusted market capitalization of at least US\$1 billion, and three-month average daily trading volume of 200,000 shares. Investors cannot invest directly in any index.

### **Definitions**

**Beta** is a measure of a security's or portfolio's volatility, or systematic risk. **Alpha** is a measure of selection risk in relation to the market. A positive alpha is the extra return awarded to

the investor for taking a risk instead of accepting the market. Standard deviation is a statistical measure of the degree to which an individual portfolio return tends to vary from the mean, based on the entire population. R-squared is a statistical measure that represents the percentage of a fund's or security's movements that are explained by movements in a benchmark index. Information ratio measures a portfolio manager's ability to generate excess returns relative to a benchmark. **Sharpe ratio** is a risk-adjusted measure that measures reward per unit of risk. The higher the Sharpe ratio, the better. Price-to-earnings (P/E) is the ratio of the market price of a firm's common stock to its current (or predicted) earnings per share. Price-to-book value (P/B) is a ratio used to compare a stock's market value with its book value. It is calculated by dividing the current closing price of the stock by the latest quarter's book value (assets minus liabilities). Earnings per share (EPS) growth rate is the measure of growth in a company's net income over a specific period. Return on equity is the adjusted profit of a company divided by its equity. Weighted Average Market Cap is the average market capitalization of corporations in a fund or index, weighted by the percentage of the holding in the fund or index.

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\*\*Source: Morningstar. Rankings: Morningstar percentile rankings is a standardized way of ranking items within a peer group, in this case, funds within the same Morningstar Category. The observation with the largest numerical value is ranked zero; the observation with the smallest numerical value is ranked 100. The remaining observations are placed equal distance from one another on the rating scale. Note that lower percentile ranks are generally more favorable for returns (high returns), while higher percentile ranks are generally more favorable for risk measures (low risk). Rankings are based on total return performance, with capital gains and dividends reinvested, with annual operating expenses deducted, but without including front or back-end sales charges. Rankings begin with the actual share class inception. Rankings are relative to a peer group and do not necessarily mean that the fund had high total returns. Rankings do not reflect sales loads. Rankings do not reduce investment risk and are subject to change. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

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