

## Prospectus

### **Innovator S&P Investment Grade Preferred ETF**

(formerly Innovator S&P High Quality Preferred ETF)

(Cboe BZX — EPRF)



# INNOVATOR

**August 1, 2018**

Before you invest, you may want to review the Fund’s prospectus, which contains more information about the Fund and its risks. You can find the Fund’s prospectus (including amendments and supplements) and other information about the Fund, including the Fund’s statement of additional information and shareholder report, online at <http://www.innovatoretf.com/etf/?ticker=eprf>. You can also get this information at no cost by calling (800) 208-5212, or from your financial professional. The Fund’s prospectus and statement of additional information, both dated August 1, 2018, as amended and supplemented from time to time, are incorporated by reference into this Summary Prospectus.

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# INNOVATOR S&P INVESTMENT GRADE PREFERRED ETF

## Summary Information

### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Innovator S&P Investment Grade Preferred ETF seeks investment results that generally correspond (before fees and expenses) to the price and yield of the S&P U.S. High Quality Preferred Stock Index (the “Index”).

### FUND FEES AND EXPENSES

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy and hold shares of the Fund (“Shares”). Investors may pay brokerage commissions on their purchases and sales of Shares, which are not reflected in the table or the example below.

<b>Annual Fund Operating Expenses (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)</b>	
Management Fees	0.47%
Distribution and Service (12b-1) Fees	0.00%
Other Expenses	0.00%
<b>Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses</b>	<b>0.47%</b>

### EXAMPLE

This example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other funds.

This example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then sell all of your Shares at the end of those periods. The example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund’s operating expenses remain at current levels. This example does not include the brokerage commissions that investors may pay to buy and sell Shares. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, your costs, based on these assumptions, would be:

**1 YEAR**  
\$48

**3 YEARS**  
\$151

**5 YEARS**  
\$263

**10 YEARS**  
\$591

### PORTFOLIO TURNOVER

The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it purchases and sells securities (or “turns over” its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover rate may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Shares are held in a taxable account.

These costs, which are not reflected in Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses or in the example, may affect the Fund’s performance. During the fiscal year ended March 31, 2018, the Fund's portfolio turnover rate was 67% of the average value of its portfolio.

## PRINCIPAL INVESTMENT STRATEGIES

The Fund generally will invest at least 90% of its total assets in U.S.-listed preferred stocks that comprise the Index. In general, preferred stock is a class of equity security that pays a specified dividend that must be paid before any dividends can be paid to common stockholders, and which takes precedence over common stock in the event of the company's liquidation. Although preferred stocks represent a partial ownership interest in a company, preferred stocks generally do not carry voting rights and have economic characteristics similar to fixed-income securities. Preferred stocks generally are issued with a fixed par value and pay dividends based on a percentage of that par value at a fixed or variable rate. Additionally, preferred stocks often have a liquidation value that generally equals the original purchase price of the preferred stock at the date of issuance.

The Fund, using an indexing investment approach, attempts to replicate, before fees and expenses, the performance of the Index. The Fund's investment sub-adviser seeks a correlation of 0.95 or better (before fees and expenses) between the Fund's performance and the performance of the Index; a figure of 1.00 would represent perfect correlation. S&P Opco LLC (a subsidiary of S&P Dow Jones Indices, LLC) ("S&P" or the "Index Provider") compiles, maintains and calculates the Index. Penserra Capital Management LLC ("Penserra" or the "Sub-Adviser") serves as the investment sub-adviser to the Fund.

The Index is designed to provide exposure to U.S.-listed preferred stocks that meet the following minimum size, liquidity, type of issuance, and quality criteria:

*Initial Universe.* To be eligible for the Index, a preferred stock must be included in both the S&P U.S. Fixed Rate Preferred Stock Index and the S&P U.S. Investment Grade Preferred Stock Index as of the reference date. The S&P U.S. Fixed Rate Preferred Stock Index comprises preferred stocks that pay dividends at a fixed rate; a fixed-rate preferred stock pays a fixed dividend for its entire term.

*Market Capitalization.* Preferred stocks must have an outstanding market capitalization of more than \$100 million as of the reference date to be included in the Index.

*Listing.* Preferred stocks that do not trade on a public market are excluded from the Index.

*Volume.* Preferred stocks that have traded more than 250,000 shares per month over the previous six months are eligible for inclusion. Issues with fewer than six months of trading history are evaluated over the available period and may be included should size and available trading history infer the issue will satisfy this requirement.

*Indicated Yield.* Preferred stocks for which the Index Provider cannot determine an indicated dividend yield are not eligible.

*Rating.* Preferred stocks must be considered investment grade with a credit rating minimum of BBB-/Baa3/BBB- issued by S&P, Moody's, and Fitch, respectively. For an issue rated by all of S&P, Moody's, and Fitch, the lowest of the three ratings is used as the issue's credit rating. When there are two ratings, the lower of the two ratings must be considered investment grade.

When there is only one rating, that rating must be considered investment grade. Defaulted securities are removed at the first rebalancing of the Index.

For more information on the Index, please refer to the Index Provider section later in this prospectus.

The Fund may employ a representative sampling indexing strategy to track the Index. “Representative sampling” is an indexing strategy that involves investing in a representative sample of securities that collectively has an investment profile similar to that of the Index. The securities selected are expected to have, in the aggregate, investment characteristics (based on factors such as market capitalization and industry weightings), fundamental characteristics (such as return variability and yield) and liquidity measures similar to those of the Index. The Fund may or may not hold all of the securities in the Index.

*Concentration Policy.* The Fund will concentrate its investments (*i.e.*, invest more than 25% of the value of its total assets) in securities of issuers in any one industry or group of industries only to the extent that the Index reflects a concentration in that industry or group of industries. The Fund will not otherwise concentrate its investments in securities of issuers in any one industry or group of industries. As of March 31, 2018, the Fund had significant investments in companies comprising the financials sector.

## **PRINCIPAL RISKS OF INVESTING IN THE FUND**

You could lose money by investing in the Fund. An investment in the Fund is not a deposit of a bank and is not insured or guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other governmental agency. There can be no assurance that the Fund’s investment objective will be achieved.

**Active Market Risk.** Although the Shares are listed for trading on the Exchange, there can be no assurance that an active trading market for the Shares will develop or be maintained. Shares trade on the Exchange at market prices that may be below, at or above the Fund’s net asset value. Securities, including the Shares, are subject to market fluctuations and liquidity constraints that may be caused by such factors as economic, political, or regulatory developments, changes in interest rates, and/or perceived trends in securities prices. Shares of the Fund could decline in value or underperform other investments.

**Authorized Participant Concentration Risk.** Only an authorized participant (as discussed in detail below) may engage in creation or redemption transactions directly with the Fund. The Fund has a limited number of institutions that act as authorized participants. To the extent that these institutions exit the business or are unable to proceed with creation and/or redemption orders with respect to the Fund and no other authorized participant is able to step forward to create or redeem, in either of these cases, Shares may trade at a discount to the Fund’s net asset value and possibly face delisting.

**Cyber Security Risk.** As the use of Internet technology has become more prevalent in the course of business, the investment industry has become more susceptible to potential operational risks through breaches in cyber security. A breach in cyber security refers to both intentional and

unintentional events that may cause the Fund to lose proprietary information, suffer data corruption or lose operational capacity. Such events could cause the Fund to incur regulatory penalties, reputational damage, additional compliance costs associated with corrective measures and/or financial loss. Cyber security breaches may involve unauthorized access to the Fund's digital information systems through "hacking" or malicious software coding, but may also result from outside attacks such as denial-of-service attacks through efforts to make network services unavailable to intended users. In addition, cyber security breaches of the Fund's third party service providers, such as its administrator, transfer agent, custodian, or issuers in which the Fund invests, can also subject the Fund to many of the same risks associated with direct cyber security breaches. The Fund has established risk management systems designed to reduce the risks associated with cyber security. However, there is no guarantee that such efforts will succeed, especially because the Fund does not directly control the cyber security systems of issuers or third party service providers.

**Financials Sector Risk.** In following its methodology, the Index from time to time may be concentrated to a significant degree in securities of issuers located in the financials sector. Performance of companies in the financials sector may be adversely impacted by many factors, including, among others, government regulations, economic conditions, credit rating downgrades, changes in interest rates, and decreased liquidity in credit markets. This sector has experienced significant losses in the recent past, and the impact of more stringent capital requirements and of recent or future regulation on any individual financial company or on the sector as a whole cannot be predicted. Certain risks may impact the value of investments in the financial sector more severely than those of investments outside this sector, including the risks associated with companies that operate with substantial financial leverage. Companies in the financial sector may also be adversely affected by increases in interest rates and loan losses, decreases in the availability of money or asset valuations, credit rating downgrades and adverse conditions in other related markets.

**Fluctuation of Net Asset Value Risk.** The net asset value of Shares will generally fluctuate with changes in the market value of the Fund's holdings. The market prices of Shares will generally fluctuate in accordance with changes in net asset value as well as the relative supply of and demand for Shares on the Exchange. The Fund cannot predict whether Shares will trade below, at or above their net asset value. Price differences may be due, in large part, to the fact that supply and demand forces at work in the secondary trading market for Shares will be closely related to, but not identical to, the same forces influencing the prices of the holdings of the Fund trading individually or in the aggregate at any point in time. If a shareholder purchases at a time when the market price is at a premium to the net asset value of the Shares, or sells at a time when the market price is at a discount to the net asset value of the Shares, the shareholder may sustain losses.

**Index Risk.** The Fund is not actively managed. The Fund invests in securities included in or representative of its Index regardless of their investment merit. Unlike many investment companies, the Fund does not utilize an investing strategy that seeks returns in excess of the Index. Therefore, it would not necessarily buy or sell a security unless that security is added or removed, respectively, from the Index, even if that security generally is underperforming.

**Industry Concentration Risk.** In following its methodology, the Index from time to time may be concentrated to a significant degree in securities of issuers located in a single industry or sector. To the extent that the Index concentrates in the securities of issuers in a particular industry or sector, the Fund will also concentrate its investments to approximately the same extent. By concentrating its investments in an industry or sector, the Fund may face more risks than if it were diversified broadly over numerous industries or sectors.

**Interest Rate Risk.** An increase in interest rates may cause the value of preferred securities held by the Fund to decline.

**Market Maker Risk.** If the Fund has lower average daily trading volumes, it may rely on a small number of third party market makers to provide a market for the purchase and sale of Shares. Any trading halt or other problem relating to the trading activity of these market makers could result in a dramatic change in the spread between the Fund's net asset value and the price at which the Fund's Shares are trading on the Exchange which could result in a decrease in value of the Fund's Shares. In addition, decisions by market makers or authorized participants to reduce their role or step away from these activities in times of market stress could inhibit the effectiveness of the arbitrage process in maintaining the relationship between the underlying values of the Fund's portfolio securities and the Funds' market price. This reduced effectiveness could result in Fund Shares trading at a discount to net asset value and also in greater than normal intraday bid-ask spreads for Fund Shares.

**Market Risk.** Market risk is the risk that a particular security owned by the Fund or the Shares in general may fall in value. Securities are subject to market fluctuations caused by such factors as economic, political, regulatory or market developments, changes in interest rates and perceived trends in securities prices. Overall security values could decline generally or could underperform other investments.

**Non-Correlation Risk.** The Fund's return may not match the return of the Index for a number of reasons. For example, the Fund incurs operating expenses not applicable to the Index, and incurs costs in buying and selling securities, especially when rebalancing the Fund's securities holdings to reflect changes in the composition of the Index. Although the Fund currently intends to seek to fully replicate the Index, the Fund may use a representative sampling approach, which may cause the Fund not to be as well-correlated with the return of the Index as would be the case if the Fund purchased all of the securities in the Index in the proportions represented in the Index. In addition, the performance of the Fund and the Index may vary due to asset valuation differences and differences between the Fund's portfolio and the Index resulting from legal restrictions, cost or liquidity constraints.

**Non-Diversification Risk.** Because the Fund is non-diversified and can invest a greater portion of its assets in securities of individual issuers than a diversified fund, changes in the market value of a single investment could cause greater fluctuations in Share price than would occur in a diversified fund. This may increase the Fund's volatility and cause the performance of a relatively small number of issuers to have a greater impact on the Fund's performance.

**Preferred Stock Risk.** The Fund invests in equity securities, which will be primarily preferred stocks. The value of the Shares will fluctuate with changes in the value of these equity securities.

Equity securities prices fluctuate for several reasons, including changes in investors' perceptions of the financial condition of an issuer or the general condition of the relevant stock market, such as the current market volatility, or when political or economic events affecting the issuers occur. In addition, preferred stock prices may be particularly sensitive to rising interest rates, as the cost of the capital rises and borrowing costs increase. Preferred stock is subject to many of the risks associated with debt securities, including interest rate risk. In addition, preferred stock may not pay a dividend, an issuer may suspend payment of dividends on preferred stock at any time, and in certain situations an issuer may call or redeem its preferred stock or convert it to common stock. To the extent that the Fund invests a substantial portion of its assets in convertible preferred stocks, declining common stock values may also cause the value of the Fund's investments to decline.

Preferred stock is also subject to market volatility and the price of preferred stock will fluctuate based on market demand. Preferred stock often has a call feature which allows the issuer to redeem the security at its discretion. Therefore, preferred stocks having a higher than average yield may be called by the issuer, which may cause a decrease in the yield of a Fund that invested in the preferred stock.

**REIT Risk.** REITs are securities that invest substantially all of their assets in real estate, trade like stocks and may qualify for special tax considerations. Investments in REITs subject the Fund to risks associated with the direct ownership of real estate. Market conditions or events affecting the overall real estate and REIT markets, such as declining property values or rising interest rates, could have a negative impact on the real estate market and the value of REITs in general. REITs may be affected by changes in the value of the underlying property owned by the trusts, economic downturns which may have a material effect on the real estate in which the REITs invest and their underlying portfolio securities.

**Small and Mid-Cap Risk.** The Index and therefore the Fund comprise small and mid-capitalization stocks. As a result, the Fund may be exposed to additional risk associated with mid and small capitalization companies. Increased exposure to small or mid-capitalization companies may cause the Fund to be more vulnerable to adverse general market or economic developments because such securities may be less liquid and subject to greater price volatility than those of larger, more established companies. Preferred stocks of small or mid-cap companies may be subject to more abrupt or erratic market movements than those of larger, more established companies or the market averages in general. Such companies may have limited product lines, markets or financial resources, and they may be dependent on a limited management group. In addition, they may be more vulnerable to adverse general market or economic developments.

**Small Fund Risk.** The Fund currently has fewer assets than larger funds, and like other smaller funds, large inflows and outflows may impact the Fund's market exposure for limited periods of time. This impact may be positive or negative, depending on the direction of market movement during the period affected.

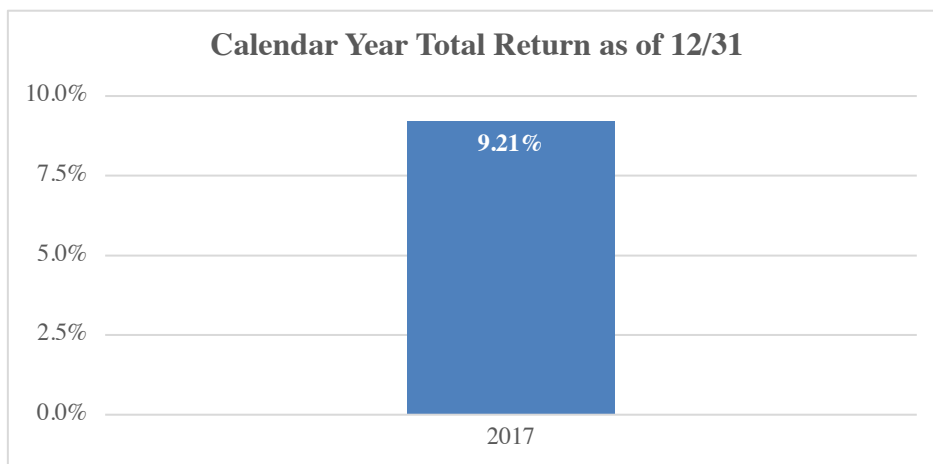
**Trading Issues Risk.** Although the Shares are listed for trading on the Exchange, there can be no assurance that an active trading market for such Shares will develop or be maintained. Trading in Shares on the Exchange may be halted due to market conditions or for reasons that, in the view of the Exchange, make trading in Shares inadvisable. In addition, trading in Shares on the Exchange is subject to trading halts caused by extraordinary market volatility pursuant to

Exchange “circuit breaker” rules. Market makers are under no obligation to make a market in the Shares, and authorized participants are not obligated to submit purchase or redemption orders for Creation Units. There can be no assurance that the requirements of the Exchange necessary to maintain the listing of the Fund will continue to be met or will remain unchanged. The Fund may have difficulty maintaining its listing on the Exchange in the event the Fund’s assets are small or the Fund does not have enough shareholders.

**The Shares will change in value, and you could lose money by investing in the Fund.  
The Fund may not achieve its investment objective.**

## PERFORMANCE

The bar chart and table shown below provide some indication of the risks of investing in the Fund by showing the Fund's performance for the past calendar year and by showing how the Fund's average annual returns for one year and since inception periods compared with those of the S&P U.S. High Quality Preferred Stock Index and S&P U.S. Preferred Stock Index, each a broad-based securities index. The Fund's past performance (before and after taxes) is not necessarily an indication of how the Fund will perform in the future. Updated performance information is available on the Fund's website at [www.innovatoretfs.com/EPRF](http://www.innovatoretfs.com/EPRF) and/or by calling the Fund toll-free at (800) 208-5212.



The Fund’s calendar year-to-date total return based on net value for the period January 1, 2018 to June 30, 2018 was 1.26%.

During the period shown in the chart, the Fund’s highest return in a quarter was 5.29% (quarter ended March 31, 2017) and lowest return in a quarter was 0.27% (quarter ended September 30, 2017).



**Innovator S&P Investment Grade Preferred ETF**  
**Average Annual Total Returns for the periods ended**  
**December 31, 2017**

	<b>1 Year</b>	<b>Since Inception (May 24, 2016)</b>
Return Before Taxes.....	9.21%	2.41%
Return After Taxes on Distributions.....	6.40%	0.27%
Return After Taxes on Distributions and Sale of Shares.....	5.18%	1.00%
S&P U.S. High Quality Preferred Stock Index (reflects no deductions for fees, expenses or taxes) <sup>1</sup> .....	9.97%	3.14%
S&P U.S. Preferred Stock Index (reflects no deductions for fees, expenses or taxes) <sup>2</sup> .....	9.11%	4.76%

<sup>1</sup> The S&P U.S. High Quality Preferred Stock Index is designed to provide exposure to U.S.-listed preferred stocks that meet a minimum size, liquidity, type of issuance, and quality criteria.

<sup>2</sup> The S&P U.S. Preferred Stock Index represents the U.S preferred stock market.

After-tax returns are calculated using the historical highest individual federal marginal income tax rates and do not reflect the impact of state and local taxes. Actual after-tax returns depend on your tax situation and may differ from those shown and are not relevant if you hold your shares through tax-deferred arrangements, such as 401(k) plans or individual retirement accounts.

**MANAGEMENT OF THE FUND**

*Investment Adviser.* Innovator Capital Management, LLC (“Innovator” or the “Adviser”)

*Investment Sub-Adviser*

Penserra Capital Management LLC (“Penserra” or the “Sub-Adviser”)

*Portfolio Managers*

The following persons serve as the portfolio managers of the Fund.

- Dustin Lewellyn
- Ernesto Tong
- Anand Desai

The portfolio managers are primarily and jointly responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund and have served in such capacity since April 1, 2018.

**PURCHASE AND SALE OF SHARES**

The Fund issues and redeems Shares at net asset value (“NAV”) only with authorized participants (“APs”) that have entered into agreements with the Fund’s distributor and only in Creation Units (large blocks of 50,000 Shares) or multiples thereof (“Creation Unit Aggregations”), in exchange for the deposit or delivery of a basket of securities in which the Fund

invests and/or cash. Except when aggregated in Creation Units, the Shares are not redeemable securities of the Fund.

Individual Shares may be purchased and sold only on a national securities exchange through brokers. Shares are listed for trading on the Exchange and because the Shares trade at market prices rather than NAV, Shares may trade at prices greater than NAV (at a premium), at NAV, or less than NAV (at a discount).

## **TAX INFORMATION**

The Fund's distributions will generally be taxable as ordinary income or capital gains. A sale of Shares may result in capital gain or loss.

## **PAYMENTS TO BROKER-DEALERS AND OTHER FINANCIAL INTERMEDIARIES**

If you purchase Shares through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank), the Adviser and Foreside Fund Services, LLC, the Fund's distributor, may pay the intermediary for the sale of Shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.