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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549
FORM 10-Q
Quarterly report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2015
Transition report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 For the transition period from to
Commission file number: 001-32863
iShares® Silver Trust
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)
New York 13-7474456 (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization) Identification No.)
c/o iShares® Delaware Trust Sponsor LLC
400 Howard Street
San Francisco, California 94105
Attn: Product Management Team
iShares® Product Research & Development

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(Address of principal executive offices)							
(415) 670-2000 (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)							
N/A							
(Former name, former address an	nd former fiscal year, if changed since last report)						
Securities Exchange Act of 1934 du	e registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the uring the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was 2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes No						
any, every Interactive Data File req	e registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if uired to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T are preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required No						
·	e registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, e the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting change Act.						
Large accelerated filer	Accelerated filer						
Non-accelerated filer (Do not check if a smaller reporting	Smaller reporting company g company)						
Indicate by check mark whether the No	e registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes						

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PART 1 – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

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Statements of Assets and Liabilities(a) (Unaudited)

At September 30, 2015 and December 31, 2014

	September 30,	December 31,
(Dollar amounts in \$000's, except for per Share amounts)	2015	2014
Assets		
Investment in silver bullion(b)	\$4,666,459	\$5,263,140
Total Assets	4,666,459	5,263,140
Liabilities Sponsor's fees payable Total Liabilities	1,949 1,949	2,338 2,338
Commitments and contingent liabilities (Note 6)		
Net Assets	\$4,664,510	\$5,260,802
Shares issued and outstanding(c) Net asset value per Share (Note 2D)	333,750,000 \$13.98	344,000,000 \$15.29

⁽a) Previously reported as "Balance Sheets." Please refer to Note 2A.

⁽b) Cost of investment in silver bullion: \$6,064,647 and \$6,386,750, respectively.

⁽c) No par value, unlimited amount authorized.

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See notes to financial statements.

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Statements of Operations(a) (Unaudited)

For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 2014

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Mont September	
(Dollar amounts in \$000's, except for per Share amounts)	2015	2014	2015	2014
Expenses				
Sponsor's fees	\$6,113	\$8,199	\$19,388	\$24,443
Total expenses	6,113	8,199	19,388	24,443
Net investment loss	(6,113) (8,199) (19,388) (24,443)
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss) Net realized gain (loss) from:				
Investment in silver bullion sold to pay expenses	(1,713) 256	(4,025) 364
Silver bullion distributed for the redemption of Shares	` ') 1,649	(137,616) 16,953
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Net realized gain (loss)	(53,561) 1,905	(141,641) 17,317
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation	(288,300) (1,261,329) (833,667)
Net realized and unrealized loss	(341,861) (1,259,424) (416,219) (816,350)
Net decrease in net assets resulting from operations	\$(347,974) \$(1,267,623) \$(435,607) \$(840,793)
Net decrease in net assets per Share Weighted-average Shares outstanding	\$(1.02 339,870,65) \$(3.69 2 343,780,43) \$(1.28 5 339,068,1) \$(2.46 32 341,477,289

⁽a) Previously reported as "Income Statements." Please refer to Note 2A.

See notes to financial statements.

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Statements of Changes in Net Assets(a) (Unaudited)

For the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and the year ended