

# BlueBay Emerging Markets Local Currency Bond Fund (Canada) (US\$)



## Investment objective

The Fund seeks to provide total returns comprised of interest income and modest capital appreciation. To achieve its objective, the Fund invests primarily in sovereign and quasi-sovereign fixed-income securities in emerging-market countries in local currencies. The Fund may also invest in fixed-income securities issued by corporations based in emerging market countries in local currencies.

## Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
A	No Load	USD	RBF445

<b>Inception date</b>	January 2020
<b>Total fund assets \$MM</b>	172.3
<b>Series A NAV \$</b>	7.36
<b>Series A MER %</b>	1.75

<b>Income distribution</b>	Quarterly
<b>Capital gains distribution</b>	Annually
<b>Sales status</b>	Open
<b>Minimum investment \$</b>	500
<b>Subsequent investment \$</b>	25
<b>Risk rating</b>	Medium
<b>Fund category</b>	Emerging Markets Fixed Income

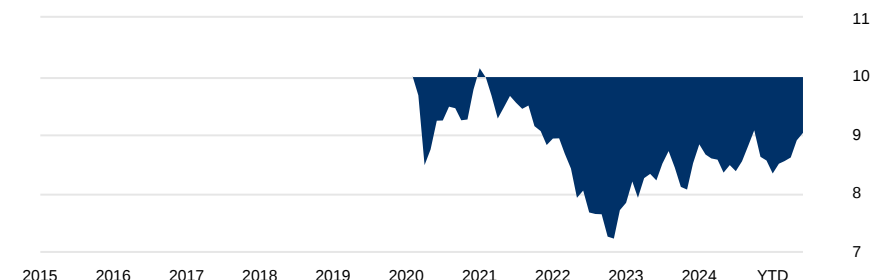
## Benchmark

100% JPMorgan GBI-EM Global Diversified (USD)

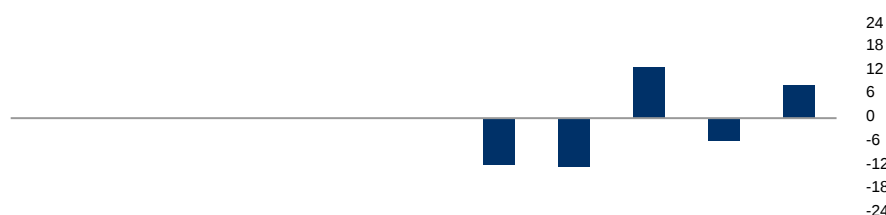
## Performance analysis for Series A as of May 31, 2025

Growth of \$10,000

Series A \$9,026



## Calendar returns %

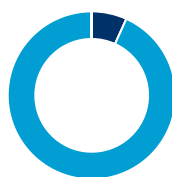


2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD	
—	—	—	—	—	—	-11.9	-12.3	12.8	-5.7	8.4	Fund
—	—	—	—	—	—	4 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
1.4	5.7	5.5	6.5	3.9	-0.5	—	-2.0	Fund
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	—	—	Quartile
49	48	48	48	43	29	—	—	# of funds in category

## Portfolio analysis as of May 31, 2025

### Asset mix



	% Assets
● Cash	6.8
● Fixed income	93.2
● Canadian equities	0.0
● U.S. equities	0.0
● European equities	0.0
● Asia-Pacific equities	0.0
● Emerging markets equities	0.0

### Fixed income characteristics

Yield to maturity (%)	7.2
Current yield (%)	6.8
Duration (years)	6.2
Average term to maturity (years)	9.1
Average credit rating	BBB

### Fixed income breakdown

	%
Government Bonds	80.6
Corporate Bonds	14.2
Other Bonds	0.0
Securitized Debt	0.0
ST Investments (Cash & Other)	5.3
Direct Mortgages	0.0

## Portfolio analysis continued as of May 31, 2025

Top 10 holdings	% Assets
Republic of South Africa Government Bond 8.750% Jan 31, 2044	5.5
Malaysia Government Bond 3.885% Aug 15, 2029	4.6
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd 3.100% Nov 28, 2034	4.5
Indonesia Treasury Bond 7.125% Jun 15, 2038	4.5
Thailand Government Bond 3.650% Jun 20, 2031	3.9
Republic of Poland Government Bond 1.750% Apr 25, 2032	3.7
Brazil Notas do Tesouro Nacional Serie F 10.000% Jan 01, 2035	3.6
European Bank for Reconstruction & Development 6.500% Oct 03, 2036	3.5
Republic of South Africa Government Bond 8.500% Jan 31, 2037	3.1
Mexican Bonos 8.500% Nov 18, 2038	2.8
Total % of top 10 holdings	39.8

Credit ratings	%
Cash/Cash Equiv.	5.3
AAA	5.3
AA	4.8
A	19.3
BBB	43.9
Below BBB	20.3
Mortgages	0.0
Other	1.1

Fixed income geographic allocation	%
Emerging Markets	89.4
International (ex-Emerging Markets)	7.7
United States	2.9
Canada	0.0

Highest/lowest returns (%) <sup>†</sup>	1 yr		3 yr		5 yr		10 yr	
	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return
Highest	07-2023	14.1	04-2025	4.0	04-2025	0.4	—	—
Lowest	09-2022	-20.7	02-2023	-6.5	01-2025	-3.2	—	—
Average	—	-1.3	—	-2.5	—	-1.0	—	—
No. of periods	—	53	—	29	—	5	—	—
% positive	—	49.1	—	10.3	—	40.0	—	—

<sup>†</sup>Highest/lowest returns (%) is based on data since inception of the fund.

Distributions(\$)/unit*	YTD	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Interest	—	0.36	0.32	0.26	0.25	0.26	—	—	—	—	—
Canadian dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign taxes paid	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital gains	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total distributions</b>	<b>0.12</b>	<b>0.36</b>	<b>0.32</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>0.25</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>

\*Income type characterization and foreign taxes paid for the previous year, are reported at or around January month-end. Distributions reported are for the same series as the performance analysis. For distributions on other series please visit [rbcgam.com/funds](http://rbcgam.com/funds).

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