

# RBC Emerging Markets Equity Focus Fund



## Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity securities of companies located or active in emerging markets.

## Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
D	No Load	CAD	RBF1122

<b>Inception date</b>	October 2019
<b>Total fund assets \$MM</b>	1,828.5
<b>Series D NAV \$</b>	13.24
<b>Series D MER %</b>	1.37

<b>Income distribution</b>	Annually
<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 to High
<b>Fund category</b>	Emerging Markets Equity

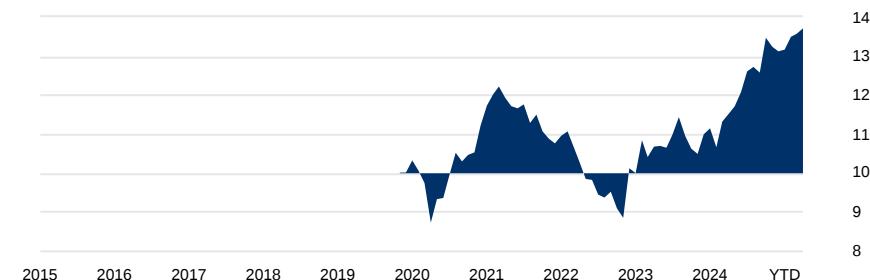
## Benchmark

100% MSCI Emerging Markets Total Return Net Index (CAD)

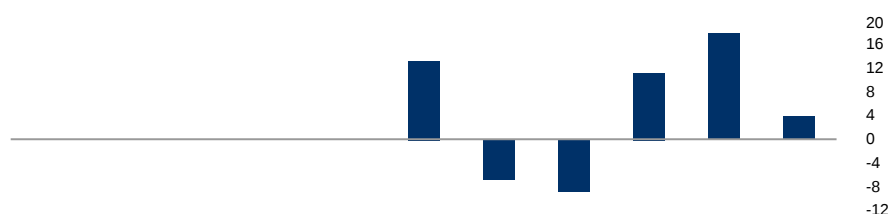
## Performance analysis for Series D as of March 31, 2025

Growth of \$10,000

Series D \$13,712



## Calendar returns %



2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD	
—	—	—	—	—	13.7	-6.6	-8.8	11.6	18.2	4.2	Fund
—	—	—	—	—	2 <sup>nd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
1.0	4.2	1.8	19.1	10.1	9.5	—	6.0	Fund
1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	—	—	Quartile
296	292	289	277	254	215	—	—	# of funds in category

## Portfolio analysis as of March 31, 2025

### Asset mix



	% Assets
Cash	0.4
Fixed income	0.0
Canadian equities	0.0
U.S. equities	1.9
European equities	7.3
Asia-Pacific equities	5.9
Emerging markets equities	84.4

### Equity style

	Value	Blend	Growth
Large	10	46	42
Mid	0	3	0
Small	0	0	0

### Weight %

- > 50
- 25-50
- 10-25
- 0-10

### Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	2.0
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	14.8
Price to book ratio	2.8
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	258.4

## Portfolio analysis continued as of March 31, 2025

Top 25 holdings	% Assets
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd	8.4
Tencent Holdings Ltd	8.0
HDFC Bank Ltd	6.9
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd - ADR	4.7
Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd	4.2
Tata Consultancy Services Ltd	3.9
Antofagasta PLC	3.7
Unilever PLC	3.6
Fomento Economico Mexicano SAB de CV - ADR	3.6
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd - Preferred Shares	3.4
Marico Ltd	3.3
Yum China Holdings Inc	3.2
Samsung Fire & Marine Insurance Co Ltd	3.1
Hong Kong Exchanges & Clearing Ltd	3.0
AIA Group Ltd	2.9
Discovery Ltd	2.8
B3 SA - Brasil Bolsa Balcao	2.8
Bank Central Asia Tbk PT	2.7
Delta Electronics Inc	2.5
SK Hynix Inc	2.3
Ping An Insurance Group Co of China Ltd	2.3
President Chain Store Corp	2.2
Raia Drogasil SA	2.0
MercadoLibre Inc	1.9
China Resources Land Ltd	1.7
Total % of top 25 holdings	89.2

Equity sector allocation	%
Financials	28.5
Information Technology	22.0
Consumer Discretionary	18.0
Consumer Staples	14.8
Communication Services	8.0
Materials	3.7
Industrials	2.7
Real Estate	1.7
Health Care	1.0
Energy	0.0
Utilities	0.0
Unclassified	-0.6

Top equity geographic allocation	%
China	26.3
India	18.1
Taiwan	15.9
South Korea	8.7
United Kingdom	7.4
Hong Kong	6.0
Brazil	4.8
Mexico	3.6
South Africa	2.8
Indonesia	2.7

Highest/lowest returns (%) <sup>†</sup>	1 yr		3 yr		5 yr		10 yr	
	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return
Highest	03-2021	36.9	03-2025	10.1	03-2025	9.5	—	—
Lowest	06-2022	-19.7	10-2022	-4.0	12-2024	5.0	—	—
Average	—	7.2	—	2.7	—	6.5	—	—
No. of periods	—	54	—	30	—	6	—	—
% positive	—	68.5	—	70.0	—	100.0	—	—

<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	—	0.00	0.00	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Canadian dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign dividends	—	0.10	0.13	0.08	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign taxes paid	—	-0.01	-0.02	-0.01	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital gains	—	0.19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total distributions</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.27</b>	<b>0.11</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</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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