

**Investment objective**

To provide relatively tax efficient monthly distributions consisting of dividend income, interest income and capital gains, as well as the potential for modest capital growth. The fund aims to provide as high a regular monthly income as possible.

Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF448

Inception date	August 1997
Total fund assets \$MM	6,253.2
Series A NAV \$	15.46
Series A MER %	1.16
Sales status	Restricted
Minimum investment \$	500
Subsequent investment \$	25
Risk rating	Low to Medium
Fund category	Canadian Neutral Balanced

Income distribution	Monthly
Capital gains distribution	Annually
Monthly distributions (\$/unit)	4.25
Current payout rate (%)	3.30

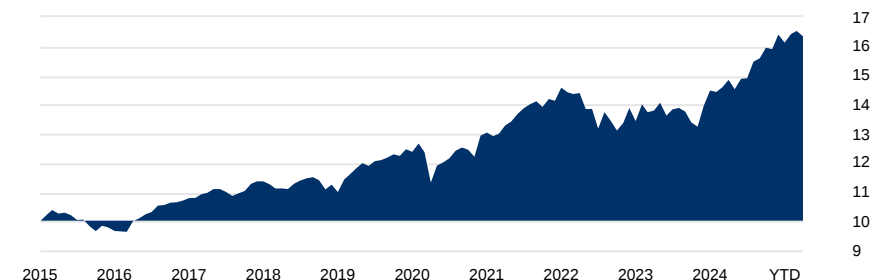
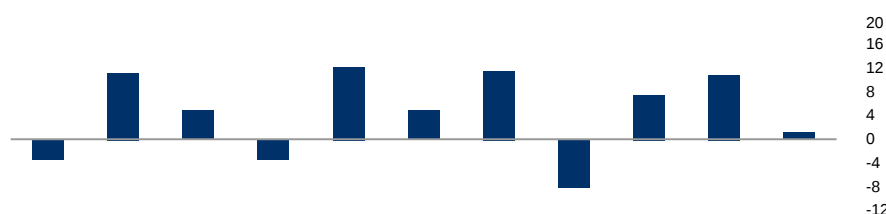
*Assuming 12 consecutive months at the monthly distribution set out above. The estimate does not include any year-end capital gains distributions paid in addition to the regular monthly distribution nor should it be confused with performance or rates of return.

Benchmark

52%	FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index
46%	S&P/TSX Composite Dividend and S&P/TSX Composite Dividend Ex-Energy & Materials and Incl-Oil & Gas Refining & Marketing and Oil & Gas Storage & Transportation 66.67/33.33 Blend Index (CAD) TR (Custom)
2%	FTSE Canada 30 Day TBill Index

Notes

Units of this fund are no longer available for purchase in registered plans or TFSAs except through a pre-authorized investment plan established prior to December 9, 2005.

Performance analysis for Series A as of March 31, 2025**Growth of \$10,000****Series A \$16,344****Calendar returns %**

2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD	
-3.4	11.7	5.3	-3.2	12.5	5.3	11.8	-7.9	7.8	11.4	1.3	Fund
4 th	1 st	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd	3 rd	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd	3 rd	2 nd	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
-1.1	1.3	2.5	10.1	4.3	7.6	4.8	6.4	Fund
1 st	2 nd	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd	3 rd	2 nd	—	Quartile
402	402	402	402	367	336	262	—	# of funds in category

Portfolio analysis as of March 31, 2025**Asset mix**

	% Assets
● Cash	0.8
● Fixed income	52.0
● Canadian equities	41.0
● U.S. equities	6.2
● European equities	0.0
● Asia-Pacific equities	0.0
● Emerging markets equities	0.0

Equity style

	Value	Blend	Growth
Large	28	40	16
Mid	6	5	3
Small	0	2	0

Weight %

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

Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	3.1
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	14.9
Price to book ratio	2.0
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	223.8

Portfolio analysis continued as of March 31, 2025

Top 25 holdings	% Assets
RBC U.S. Dividend Fund - Series O	6.5
Royal Bank of Canada	3.3
Toronto-Dominion Bank	2.3
Brookfield Corp	1.8
Enbridge Inc	1.8
Canadian Pacific Kansas City Ltd	1.5
Bank of Montreal	1.4
Manulife Financial Corp	1.2
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	1.2
Province of Ontario 3.450% Jun 02, 2045	1.1
Waste Connections Inc	1.1
TC Energy Corp	1.1
Canadian National Railway Co	1.0
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	1.0
Bank of Nova Scotia	1.0
Constellation Software Inc/Canada	1.0
Province of Ontario 3.750% Jun 02, 2032	0.9
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd	0.9
Province of Ontario 3.500% Jun 02, 2043	0.9
Canadian Government Bond 2.000% Dec 01, 2051	0.8
Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc	0.8
Province of Ontario 2.800% Jun 02, 2048	0.8
Canadian Government Bond 2.750% Mar 01, 2030	0.7
Dollarama Inc	0.7
Hydro-Quebec 6.500% Feb 15, 2035	0.7
Total % of top 25 holdings	35.7

Equity sector allocation	%
Financials	36.2
Energy	15.1
Industrials	13.0
Materials	6.5
Information Technology	6.4
Utilities	5.1
Consumer Staples	4.9
Communication Services	3.9
Consumer Discretionary	3.7
Real Estate	2.6
Health Care	2.6

Fixed income characteristics	
Yield to maturity (%)	3.6
Current yield (%)	3.8
Duration (years)	7.3
Average term to maturity (years)	10.5
Average credit rating	A+

Fixed income breakdown	%
Government Bonds	50.8
Corporate Bonds	47.7
Other Bonds	0.0
Securitized Debt	0.0
ST Investments (Cash & Other)	1.5
Direct Mortgages	0.0

Highest/lowest returns (%) [†]	1 yr		3 yr		5 yr		10 yr	
	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return
Highest	02-2001	25.7	03-2006	16.1	02-2005	13.3	02-2010	9.3
Lowest	02-2009	-16.0	02-2009	-2.9	03-2020	2.0	10-2023	3.8
Average	—	6.5	—	6.5	—	6.6	—	6.3
No. of periods	—	320	—	296	—	272	—	212
% positive	—	83.4	—	98.3	—	100.0	—	100.0

[†]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	—	0.18	0.16	0.12	0.09	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.12	0.12	0.14
Canadian dividends	—	0.18	0.19	0.21	0.21	0.21	0.19	0.17	0.17	0.20	0.22
Foreign dividends	—	0.02	0.02	0.02	—	0.01	0.01	—	0.02	0.04	—
Foreign taxes paid	—	—	0.00	0.00	—	0.00	0.00	—	0.00	0.00	—
Capital gains	—	0.37	0.18	0.35	0.42	—	0.14	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.12
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	0.17	0.04	0.17	0.07	0.03	0.04
Total distributions	0.13	0.76	0.56	0.71	0.71	0.51	0.51	0.51	0.51	0.51	0.51

*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.

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