## **RBC Select Very Conservative Portfolio**



### Investment objective

To provide income and the potential for modest capital growth by investing primarily in funds managed by RBC GAM, emphasizing mutual funds that invest in fixed income securities with some exposure to mutual funds that invest in equity securities. The portfolio invests in a mix of Canadian, U.S. and international funds.

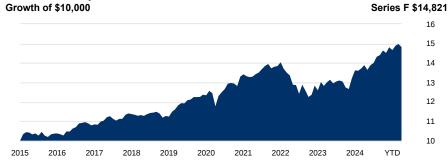
#### **Fund details**

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code	
F	No Load	CAD	RBF664	
Inception dat	e	March 200	9	
Total fund as	sets \$MM	13,038.4		
Series F NAV	\$	13.09		
Series F MER	R %	0.85		
Income distri	bution	Quarterly		
Income distri Capital gains		Quarterly Annually		
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Capital gains	distribution	Annually		
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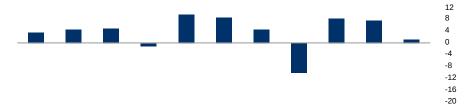
#### Benchmark

73.00%	FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index
10.00%	S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total
	Return Index
8.00%	S&P 500 Total Return Index (CAD)
3.50%	MSCI Europe Total Return Net Index
	(CAD)
2.00%	FTSE Canada 30 Day TBill Index
1.90%	MSCI Japan Total Return Net Index
	(CAD)
1.60%	MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex Japan Total
	Return Net Index (CAD)

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



### Calendar returns %



2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD	
3.7	4.5	4.9	-1.1	9.8	8.7	4.6	-10.3	8.2	7.7	1.1	Fund
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
-1.0	1.1	1.2	6.7	3.5	4.7	3.6	5.1	Fund
2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	_	Quartile
377	377	375	373	367	313	214	_	# of funds in category

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

	% Assets
<ul><li>Cash</li></ul>	1.8
<ul> <li>Fixed income</li> </ul>	70.4
<ul><li>Canadian equities</li></ul>	10.2
<ul><li>U.S. equities</li></ul>	8.1
<ul><li>European equities</li></ul>	3.4
<ul> <li>Asia-Pacific equities</li> </ul>	2.2
<ul><li>Emerging markets equities</li></ul>	1.2
<ul> <li>Real estate</li> </ul>	2.5
<ul><li>Other</li></ul>	0.3

## **Equity style**

				, Weight %
Large	21	35	25	<ul><li>&gt; 50</li></ul>
Mid	5	7	4	25-50
Small	0	1	1	10-25
		-	•	O 0-10
	Value	Blend	Growth	

## **Equity characteristics**

Dividend yield (%)	2.4
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	16.0
Price to book ratio	2.5
Weighted average market	452.3
capitalization (\$Bn)	

#### Portfolio analysis continued as of March 31, 2025

Top 25 holdings %	Assets
Phillips, Hager & North Bond Fund - Series O	12.7
RBC Global Corporate Bond Fund - Series O	11.5
RBC Global Bond Fund - Series O	10.8
Phillips, Hager & North Total Return Bond Fund - Series O	9.5
RBC Canadian Short-Term Income Fund - Series O	7.0
Phillips, Hager & North U.S. Multi-Style All- Cap Equity Fund - Series O	5.9
Phillips, Hager & North Short Term Bond & Mortgage Fund - Series O	5.3
RBC Bond Fund - Series O	5.1
RBC European Equity Fund - Series O	3.3
Phillips, Hager & North Conservative Equity Income Fund - Series O	3.2
RBC Canadian Dividend Fund - Series O	3.1
RBC Canadian Core Real Estate Fund - Series N	2.5
BlueBay Global Investment Grade Corporate Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	e 2.2
Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Equity Underlying Fund II - Series O	2.1
RBC Private Canadian Equity Pool - Series O	2.1
RBC Global High Yield Bond Fund - Series O	1.8
RBC Japanese Equity Fund - Series O	1.7
RBC Asia Pacific ex-Japan Equity Fund - Series O	1.6
RBC Global Equity Fund - Series O	1.4
iShares Core S&P 500 Index ETF	1.3
BlueBay Global Alternative Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	1.2
BlueBay Global Sovereign Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	1.2
United States 5-Year Note Future, Jun 2025	
United States 2-Year Note Future, Jun 2025	
CME Ultra Long Term U.S. Treasury Bond Future, Jun 2025	0.3
Total % of top 25 holdings	97.9

Equity sector allocation	%	Fixed income characteristics	
Financials	26.3	Yield to maturity (%)	3.6
Information Technology	14.1	Current yield (%)	3.5
Industrials	13.4	Duration (years)	5.9
Energy	8.9	Average term to maturity (years)	8.9
Consumer Discretionary	8.1	Average credit rating	Α
Health Care	6.4		
Consumer Staples	5.5	Fixed income breakdown	%
Communication Services Materials Utilities Real Estate Unclassified	5.4 4.9 3.7 2.2 1.1	Government Bonds Corporate Bonds Other Bonds Securitized Debt ST Investments (Cash & Other) Direct Mortgages	49.4 42.5 0.7 0.7 6.7 0.0
Highest/lowest returns (%) <sup>†</sup>	1 yr	3 yr 5 yr	10 yr

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	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	
Highest	09-2024	14.9	12-2021	7.7	03-2014	6.8	03-2019	5.6	
Lowest	09-2022	-10.8	09-2023	-0.5	10-2022	1.7	10-2023	3.2	
Average	_	4.7	_	4.3	_	4.6	_	4.5	
No. of periods	_	181	_	157	_	133	_	73	
% positive	_	90.1	_	98.1	_	100.0	_	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	_	0.21	0.16	0.07	80.0	0.15	0.13	0.12	0.10	0.14	0.16
Canadian dividends	_	0.06	0.06	0.07	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.08	0.07
Foreign dividends	_	0.04	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.05	0.06	0.08	0.06
Foreign taxes paid	_	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01	-0.01
Capital gains	_	0.20	0.09	0.13	0.27	0.01	_	0.19	0.07	0.21	0.29
Return of capital	_	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total distributions	0.10	0.53	0.37	0.34	0.49	0.28	0.26	0.43	0.28	0.51	0.57

<sup>\*</sup>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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