# RBC Emerging Markets ex-China Dividend Fund



## Investment objective

To provide long-term total returns consisting of regular dividend income and capital growth. The Fund invests primarily in equity securities of companies located or active in emerging markets excluding China with above average dividend yields.

### **Fund details**

Series	Currency	Fund code
0	CAD	RBF8353

Inception date June 2021 Total fund assets \$MM 181.1

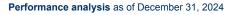
## **Benchmark**

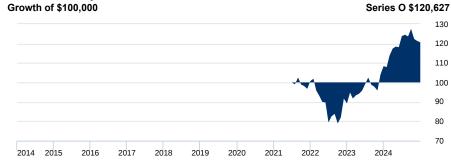
100% MSCI Emerging Markets ex-China Total

Return Net Index (CAD)

#### Notes

This fund is not available in registered plans.









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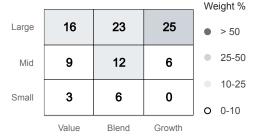
2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD	
_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-11.4	21.5	11.3	11.3	Fund Benchmark
_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-13.4	16.8	13.0	13.0	Benchmark
1 Mth	3 Mtl	1 6 M	th 1 Y	′r 3 Yı	r 5 Yr	10 Yr	Sin	ce incen	. Trai	ling ret	urn %

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
-0.6	-5.4	-2.6	11.3	6.2	_	_	5.5	Fund
1.5	-2.2	0.4	13.0	4.5	_	_	_	Benchmark
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# Portfolio analysis as of December 31, 2024



# **Equity style**



## **Equity characteristics**

Equity characteristics	
Dividend yield (%)	2.9
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	8.6
Price to book ratio	1.4
Price to free cash flow ratio	6.2
Price to sales ratio	0.9
Weighted average market capitalization	156.1
(\$Bn)	

Risk measures	Fund	Benchmark
3-year standard deviation	15.0	13.2

# Portfolio analysis continued as of December 31, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd	10.0
Hindalco Industries Ltd	3.3
Axis Bank Ltd	3.2
Redington Ltd	2.8
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	2.8
Shriram Finance Ltd	2.8
Lotes Co Ltd	2.3
Antofagasta PLC	2.2
SK Hynix Inc	2.2
Taiwan Union Technology Corp	2.2
Apollo Tyres Ltd	2.2
HDFC Bank Ltd - ADR	2.2
Aldar Properties PJSC	2.0
Telkom Indonesia Persero Tbk PT	2.0
Naspers Ltd - Class N Shares	2.0
BDO Unibank Inc	2.0
Credicorp Ltd	1.9
Laureate Education Inc	1.8
Saudi National Bank	1.8
Innodisk Corp	1.8
OTP Bank Nyrt	1.8
Kasikornbank PCL	1.8
Cencosud SA	1.8
Ho Chi Minh City Development Joint Stoc Commercial Bank	ck 1.8
MediaTek Inc	1.6
Total % of top 25 holdings	62.4

uity sector allocation	%	Top equity geographic allocation
ancials	34.7	Taiwan
ormation Technology	26.8	India
nsumer Discretionary	11.5	South Korea
terials	7.0	South Africa
nsumer Staples	4.9	Brazil
ustrials	4.8	Indonesia
al Estate	4.5	Mexico
mmunication Services	3.4	Philippines
alth Care	1.9	Vietnam
lities	1.5	United Kingdom
ergy	0.0	
classified	-0.9	

Highest/lowest returns (%) <sup>†</sup>	1 yr		3 yr			5 yr	10 yr	
	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return
Highest	09-2024	30.4	09-2024	8.9	_	_	_	_
Lowest	06-2022	-20.6	12-2024	6.2	_	_	_	_
Average	_	9.8	_	7.5	_	_	_	_
No. of periods	_	31	_	7	_	_	_	_
% positive	_	71.0	_	100.0	_	_	_	_

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

Distributions(\$)/unit*	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	_	0.00	0.01	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Canadian dividends	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Foreign dividends	_	0.30	0.30	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Foreign taxes paid	_	-0.04	-0.04	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Capital gains	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Return of capital	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total distributions	0.64	0.25	0.27	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

<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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