# **PH&N Balanced Fund**

#### Investment objective

To provide long-term capital growth and income by investing primarily in a well-diversified, balanced portfolio of Canadian common stocks, bonds and money market securities. This fund also holds a portion of its assets in foreign common stock.

The investment team invests a significant portion or even all of the net asset value of the Fund in other funds managed by RBC Global Asset Management.

#### Fund details

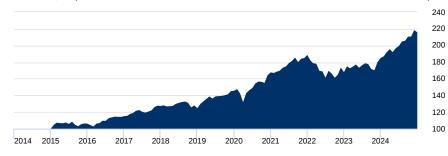
Series	s Currency	/ Fund code					
0	CAD	RBF8355					
Incept	ion date	October 2002					
Total f	und assets \$MM	1,483.1					
Bench	mark						
36%	FTSE Canada Unive	erse Bond Index					
36%	MSCI World Total Return Net Index						
	(CAD)						
20%	S&P/TSX Capped C	composite Total					
	Return Index						
4%	MSCI Emerging Markets Total Return						
	Net Index (CAD)						
3%	Canada CPI + 400 b	ops					

FTSE Canada 30 Day TBill Index 1%

## Performance analysis as of December 31, 2024

Growth of \$100,000

Series O \$215,824





### Portfolio analysis as of December 31, 2024 Asset mix



	% Assets
Cash	2.7
Fixed income	35.4
Canadian equities	19.0
U.S. equities	26.0
<ul> <li>European equities</li> </ul>	6.4
<ul> <li>Asia-Pacific equities</li> </ul>	2.6
<ul> <li>Emerging markets equities</li> </ul>	4.0

Real estate

O 0-10

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Growth

## Equity characteristics

Weight %	Dividend yield (%)	1.9
	Price to earnings ratio (forward)	17.4
• > 50	Price to book ratio	3.3
25-50	Price to free cash flow ratio	12.4
20-00	Price to sales ratio	1.8
• 10-25	Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	693.8

4.0

Risk measures	Fund	Benchmark
3-year standard deviation	9.5	9.5
5-year standard deviation	9.8	9.7

19	37	24		
4	8	6		

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Blend

Equity style

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Value

Large

Mid

Small

## Portfolio analysis continued as of December 31, 2024

Top 25 holdings %	Assets
Phillips, Hager & North Bond Fund - Series O	26.7
RBC Global Equity Focus Fund - Series O	15.3
Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Equity Underlying Fund - Series O	11.9
RBC QUBE Global Equity Fund - Series O	10.0
RBC Global Equity Leaders Fund - Series C	6.9
Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Equity Value Fund - Series O	5.0
BlueBay Global Investment Grade Corporat Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	e 4.3
RBC Emerging Markets Equity Fund - Serie O	s 3.5
RBC Canadian Core Real Estate Fund - Series N	3.0
RBC Global Bond Fund - Series O	2.8
Phillips, Hager & North U.S. Equity Fund - Series O	2.7
Phillips, Hager & North Small Float Fund - Series O	2.0
Phillips, Hager & North High Yield Bond Fund - Series O	1.4
RBC International Equity Fund - Series O	1.1
RBC Global Infrastructure Fund LP - Series N	1.0
Total % of top 25 holdings	98.0

Equity sector allocation	%
Financials	21.3
Information Technology	20.9
Industrials	12.9
Consumer Discretionary	10.5
Health Care	7.4
Energy	7.0
Consumer Staples	6.4
Materials	5.1
Communication Services	4.7
Utilities	2.4
Real Estate	1.5
Unclassified	-0.1

Yield to maturity (%)	3.8
Current yield (%)	3.8
Duration (years)	6.8
Average term to maturity (years)	9.9
Average credit rating	А
Fixed income breakdown	%
Government Bonds	46.5
Corporate Bonds	45.2
Other Bonds	3.1
Securitized Debt	0.0
ST Investments (Cash & Other)	5.1
Direct Mortgages	0.1

**Fixed income characteristics** 

Highest/lowest returns (%) <sup>†</sup>	1 yr			3 yr		5 yr	10 yr		
	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	Ended	Return	
Highest	07-1997	30.2	12-2021	14.8	02-2014	12.4	12-2021	10.2	
Lowest	02-2009	-22.1	02-2009	-5.4	02-2009	-0.4	02-2009	3.1	
Average	_	7.4	_	6.7	_	6.8	—	7.1	
No. of periods	—	266	—	266	—	266	—	266	
% positive	_	80.1	—	89.1	—	99.6	—	100.0	

<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	—	0.13	0.02	0.02	0.11	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.11	0.11	0.13
Canadian dividends	—	0.19	0.21	0.17	0.21	0.20	0.26	0.22	0.23	0.25	0.24
Foreign dividends	—	0.22	0.22	0.16	0.22	0.23	0.18	0.19	0.19	0.18	0.13
Foreign taxes paid	—	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.03	-0.03	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	—
Capital gains	—	0.25	0.39	1.08	0.45	0.56	0.37	0.35	0.25	0.65	1.93
Return of capital	—	0.03	0.04	0.03	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total distributions	2.24	0.81	0.86	1.44	0.97	1.05	0.87	0.82	0.76	1.16	2.44

\*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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