



RBC Asia Pacific ex-Japan Equity Fund

Investment Objective

To provide long-term capital growth. The fund invests primarily in equity securities of companies located or having a principal business interest in Asian markets such as Hong Kong, South Korea, China, Taiwan, Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, India, Malaysia, Thailand, the Philippines and Indonesia. The fund does not invest in Japan.

Fund Details

Series	Load Structure	Currency	Fund Code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF475
Adv	Front End	CAD	RBF6735
Adv	Low Load	CAD	RBF4075

Inception Date	March 2014
Total Fund Assets \$Mil	1,977.7
Series A NAV \$	13.34
Series A MER %	2.18
Benchmark	MSCI AC Asia Pacific ex-Japan Total Return Net Index

Income Distribution	Annually
Capital Gains Distribution	Annually

Sales Status	Open
Min. Investment \$	500
Subsequent Investment \$	25

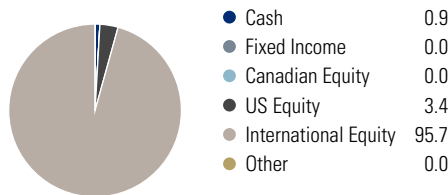
Fund Category	Asia Pacific ex-Japan Equity
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Management Company	RBC Global Asset Management Inc.
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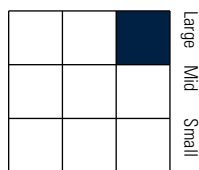
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Portfolio Analysis as of October 31, 2017

Asset Mix



Equity Style



Value Blend Growth

Equity Statistics

P/B Ratio	2.2
P/E Ratio	17.8
Avg. Mkt Cap. \$B	35.6

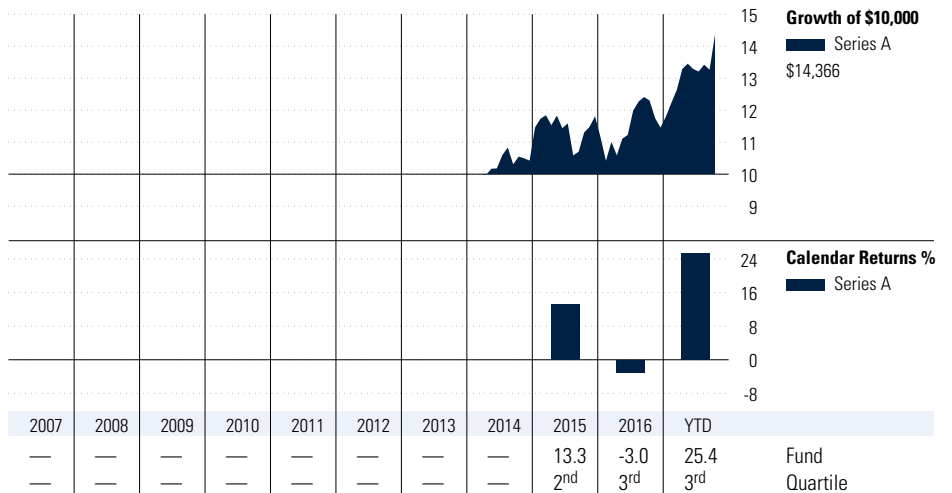
Top 5 Sectors

Sector	% Equity
Information Technology	31.2
Financials	25.2
Consumer Discretionary	10.3
Consumer Staples	7.5
Health Care	6.5

Geographic Allocations

Region	% Assets
China	23.0
South Korea	17.5
Australia	13.9
India	12.3
Taiwan	10.4

Performance Analysis as of October 31, 2017



1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Incep.	Trailing Return %
8.3	8.8	8.1	16.8	10.8	—	—	10.6	Fund
2 nd	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd	3 rd	—	—	—	Quartile
75	75	74	71	53	33	21	—	No. of Funds in Category



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Management Overview

Manager Bios

Mayur Nallamala

RBC Investment Management (Asia) Limited

Mayur Nallamala is Senior Portfolio Manager and the Head of Asian Equities. He has been in the investment industry since 1998, and prior to joining the firm in 2013 was a portfolio manager at JP Morgan Asset Management in Hong Kong. He was responsible for Asia Pacific ex-Japan mandates managing assets on behalf of sovereign wealth, institutional and retail clients around the world. He spent his early career at Chase Futures & Options in London and at ABN AMRO in Hong Kong. Mayur holds a Bachelor of Science from the London School of Economics.

Performance Analysis Cont'd as of October 31, 2017

Distributions (\$)/Unit	YTD*	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
Total Distributions	—	—	0.74	0.13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Interest	—	—	0.24	0.04	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital Gains	—	—	0.50	0.08	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Return Of Capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Best/Worst Periods %	Ended	1 Yr	Ended	3 Yr	Ended	5 Yr	Ended	10 Yr
Best	4-2017	25.5	10-2017	10.8	—	—	—	—
Worst	2-2016	-11.2	8-2017	7.4	—	—	—	—
Average		8.0		9.0				
No. of Periods		32		8				
Pct. Positive		75.0		100.0				

* Distributions are characterized into income type at year-end.

Quarterly Commentary as at September 30, 2017

Asian markets posted robust gains during Q3, following strong first half of the year performance. Investor sentiment improved on the region's rising earnings expectations, as well as stabilizing economic indicators out of China. During Q3, the strongest performing markets in the Asian region were China, Hong Kong and Thailand. The Indian market, where valuations were arguably expensive at the start of the year, has fared surprisingly well, even while delivering relatively soft earnings. At the sector level, Information Technology and Real Estate outperformed while Industrials and Telecommunication Services lagged the benchmark.

The Consumer Discretionary and Telecommunication Services sectors were the leading contributors to the Fund's relative performance while the Industrial sector detracted from the benchmark during Q3. The strongest performance came from our position in Chinese social media platform Weibo, a relatively new name for the portfolio. Weibo has become one of the country's top advertising platforms for domestic and international brands due to its ability

to amass impressive new user growth consistently.

On the contrary, the largest negative detractor to relative performance came from our position in Catcher Technology, a Taiwanese smartphone casing company that has registered strong year-to-date gains. Shares of Catcher retrieved towards the end of the quarter on expectations that revenue growth might slow in wake of Apple's unveil of the new iPhones.

Despite some negative news on the geopolitical front regarding North Korea's military provocations, markets have shrugged this off, alongside earlier concerns of a more inward looking U.S. policy. That said, there are some warning signs for Asian markets as we have seen some macro indicators in the region softening. Upcoming macro data may disappoint off a high base, commodity prices are softening and following China's central political congress in October, currently expansionary policies may reverse.



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Adjusted MER is provided for funds with management fee changes effective June 30, 2016. The Adjusted MER represents what the reported MER would have been had management fee changes been in effect throughout 2016.

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