

# PH&N Currency-Hedged Overseas Equity Fund

## Investment Objective

The fundamental investment objective of the Fund is to achieve long-term capital growth primarily through exposure to a diversified portfolio of common stocks in companies in the world's largest industrialized countries outside North America, including countries in Europe and the Far East, including Japan and Australia, while minimizing currency risk. To achieve these objectives, the Fund will invest primarily in units of other funds managed by Phillips, Hager & North. The fundamental investment objective may only be changed with the approval of a majority of unitholders at a meeting called for that purpose. However, we may change the Fund's investment strategies at our discretion.

## Fund Details

Series	Load Structure	Currency	Fund Code
F	No Load	CAD	RBF5570

Inception Date	December 2007
Total Fund Assets \$Mil	178.0
Series F NAV \$	10.04
Series F MER %	1.16
Series F Adjusted MER %	1.11
Benchmark	MSCI EAFE Total Return Net Index (hedged to C\$)

Income Distribution	Annually
Capital Gains Distribution	Annually

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

Fund Category	International Equity
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Management Company	RBC Global Asset Management Inc.
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Web Site	www.rbcgam.com
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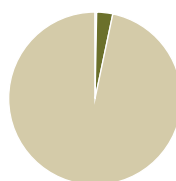
## Notes

Fund's sub-advisor changed effective mid-August 2014.

Please note: Holdings shown are for PH&N Overseas Equity Fund.

## Portfolio Analysis as of April 30, 2017

### Asset Mix

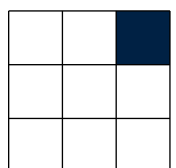


	% Assets
Cash	0.3
Fixed Income	0.0
Canadian Equity	0.0
US Equity	3.0
International Equity	96.7
Other	0.0

### Top 10 Holdings

	% Assets
Deutsche Post AG	4.8
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing ADR	4.4
Pernod Ricard SA	4.3
Naspers Ltd Class N	4.2
InterContinental Hotels Group PLC	4.1
AIA Group Ltd	4.0
Nidec Corp	4.0
Anheuser-Busch InBev SA/NV	3.8
Roche Holding AG Dividend Right Cert.	3.7
Oil Search Ltd	3.4
Total % of Top 10 Holdings	40.6
Total Number of Stock Holdings	38
Total Number of Bond Holdings	0
Total Number of Other Holdings	1
<b>Total Number of Holdings</b>	<b>39</b>

### Equity Style



Value Blend Growth

### Equity Statistics

P/B Ratio	2.4
P/E Ratio	18.4
Avg. Mkt Cap. \$B	52.5

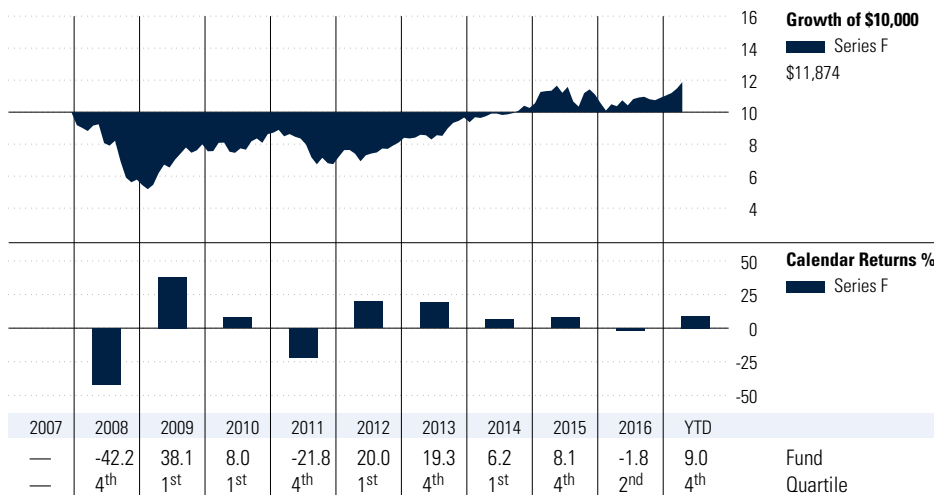
### Top 5 Sectors

	% Equity
Financials	22.6
Industrials	18.1
Consumer Discretionary	16.1
Consumer Staples	11.5
Information Technology	9.2

### Geographic Allocations

	% Assets
Japan	20.0
United Kingdom	14.7
Switzerland	8.9
France	8.4
Netherlands	7.1

## Performance Analysis as of April 30, 2017



1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Incep.	Trailing Return %
3.5	7.5	9.9	14.5	6.8	9.9	—	1.9	Fund
4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	—	—	Quartile
537	535	528	456	350	266	126	—	No. of Funds in Category

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## Management Overview

### Manager Bios

#### Habib Subjally

#### RBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited

Habib has served as Head of Global Equities and leader of this team since 2006. Prior to that, he held positions at Credit Suisse (Head of Small & Mid Cap Research), Invesco (Head of Global Equities), Merrill Lynch Investment Managers (Head of North American and Global Equities Research, and Manager, Mercury Global Titans Fund) and Ernst & Young. Habib holds a BSc (Hons) from the London School of Economics and the Chartered Accountant and ASIP designations.

### Performance Analysis Cont'd as of April 30, 2017

Distributions (\$)/Unit	YTD*	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
Total Distributions	—	0.16	0.10	0.34	0.15	0.32	0.23	0.16	0.17	0.23	—
Interest	—	0.16	0.10	0.25	0.15	0.16	0.23	0.13	0.17	0.23	—
Dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital Gains	—	—	—	0.09	—	0.16	—	0.04	—	—	—
Return Of Capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Best/Worst Periods %	Ended	1 Yr	Ended	3 Yr	Ended	5 Yr	Ended	10 Yr
Best	3-2010	48.0	5-2015	18.9	2-2014	13.3	—	—
Worst	2-2009	-42.5	12-2010	-4.8	12-2012	-4.1	—	—
Average		5.4		6.3		6.4		—
No. of Periods		101		77		53		—
Pct. Positive		70.3		88.3		88.7		—

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

### Quarterly Commentary as at March 31, 2017

Indian financial HDFC Bank was the biggest contributor in the quarter as realizations grew that India's demonetization program should prove beneficial to Indian banks. The second-largest contributor was Dutch semiconductor developer ASML, on the back of strong demand for the company's technology from chip manufacturers. Dutch paint manufacturer Akzo Nobel followed, as a bid from U.S. rival PPG Industries drove Akzo's share price higher.

The biggest detractor was Japanese pharmaceutical company Astellas Pharma due to concerns that U.S. legislation could impact drug pricing. Danish pharmaceutical Novo Nordisk was the second-biggest detractor, as U.S. execution and senior staff turnover were negatives for performance.

The driver of strong equity performance is unclear, especially in a quarter where we have witnessed an average year's worth of returns in just three months. Clearly the growth outlook is improving,

although we are unsure if this will be enough to sustain market returns at similar levels in coming quarters.

There are some obvious roadblocks ahead. It is unlikely that the Trump administration will be able to legislate as radically or as quickly as initially thought – China still has to grapple with a loose money supply and an ongoing property bubble, and Europe is veiled in political uncertainty with critical elections on the horizon in France and Germany, alongside negotiations for the U.K.'s exit from the European Union.

As always the Global Equity team attempts to navigate this uncertain backdrop by investing only in companies deemed to be successful in the future. We are constantly searching for compelling long-term opportunities at the right valuations, while avoiding businesses that are overvalued or optically cheap, but fundamentally flawed.

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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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