

RBC Global Dividend Growth Fund

**Investment objective**

To provide long-term capital growth by investing in equity securities of a diversified mix of companies operating in various countries around the world across a range of sectors.

Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
A	No load	CAD	RBF565
T5	No load	CAD	RBF540
T8	No load	CAD	RBF600

Inception date	December 2000
Total fund assets \$MM	5,374.7
Series A NAV \$	23.63
Series A MER %	2.09

Income distribution	Annually
Capital gains distribution	Annually
Sales status	Soft-Capped
Minimum investment \$	500
Subsequent investment \$	25
Risk rating	Medium
Fund category	Global Dividend & Income Equity

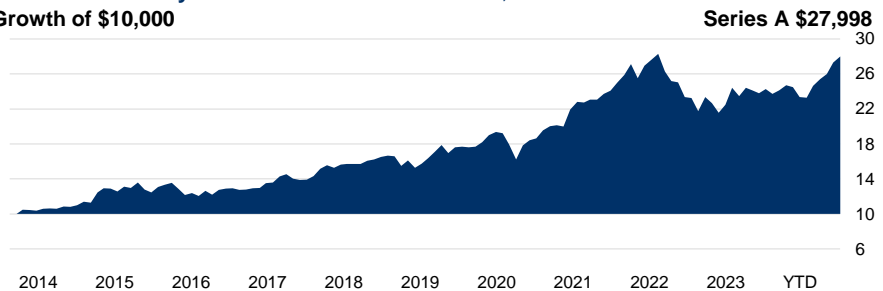
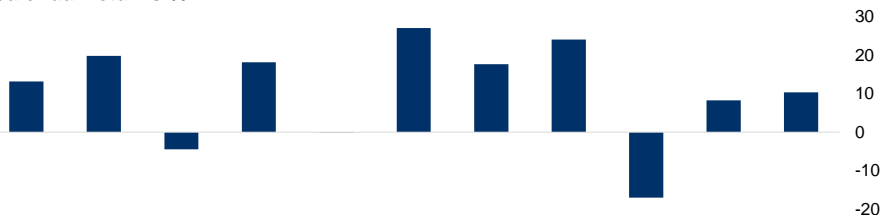
Benchmark

100% MSCI World Total Return Net Index (C\$)

Notes

Fund's portfolio advisor changed effective July 8, 2016.

Units of this fund are not available for purchase by new investors. Existing investors who hold units of the fund can continue to make additional investments into the fund.

Performance analysis for Series A as of March 31, 2024**Growth of \$10,000****Calendar returns %**

2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD	
13.1	19.8	-4.5	18.1	-0.1	27.0	17.6	24.0	-17.0	8.2	10.3	Fund
1 st	1 st	4 th	1 st	1 st	1 st	1 st	1 st	3 rd	4 th	1 st	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
2.6	10.3	20.0	17.7	6.7	10.4	10.3	5.7	Fund
3 rd	1 st	1 st	2 nd	4 th	1 st	1 st	—	Quartile
225	225	223	210	191	178	107	—	# of funds in category

Portfolio analysis as of March 31, 2024**Asset mix**

• Cash	2.6
• Fixed income	0.0
• Canadian equities	0.0
• U.S. equities	61.9
• European equities	24.7
• Asia-Pacific equities	5.6
• Emerging markets equities	5.1

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Equity style

Large	20	37	37
Mid	0	3	1
Small	0	1	0

Value Blend Growth

Weight %

- > 50
- 25-50
- 10-25
- 0-10

Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	2.0
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	18.7
Price to book ratio	4.1
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	774.1

Portfolio analysis continued as of March 31, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets	Equity sector allocation	%	Top equity geographic allocation	%
Microsoft Corp	7.0	Information Technology	27.5	United States	63.6
NVIDIA Corp	6.4	Financials	17.6	United Kingdom	11.0
UnitedHealth Group Inc	4.6	Health Care	11.5	Germany	4.3
Visa Inc - Class A Shares	4.2	Industrials	11.0	Taiwan	4.2
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co Ltd - ADR	4.1	Consumer Discretionary	10.1	Denmark	3.1
Broadcom Inc	4.1	Consumer Staples	8.0	France	2.7
Blackstone Inc	3.7	Materials	5.1	Japan	2.6
Procter & Gamble Co	3.6	Energy	4.2	Belgium	2.4
JPMorgan Chase & Co	3.1	Real Estate	2.4	Singapore	1.6
Novo Nordisk A/S - Class B Shares	3.1	Communication Services	1.3	Hong Kong	1.5
		Utilities	1.2		
Deutsche Post AG	2.9				
InterContinental Hotels Group PLC	2.6				
TJX Cos Inc	2.5				
Linde PLC	2.5				
Anheuser-Busch InBev SA/NV	2.3				
Prologis Inc	2.3				
Legal & General Group PLC	2.2				
Home Depot Inc	2.1				
Intuit Inc	2.1				
Micron Technology Inc	2.0				
HCA Healthcare Inc	1.9				
Safran SA	1.8				
Waste Management Inc	1.7				
DBS Group Holdings Ltd	1.6				
AIA Group Ltd	1.5				
Total % of top 25 holdings	76.0				
Total number of stock holdings	45				

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Canadian dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.00	0.00	—	—
Foreign dividends	—	0.03	—	—	—	—	—	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.13
Foreign taxes paid	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	0.00	0.00	0.00	—
Capital gains	—	0.98	1.29	0.16	—	—	0.39	0.09	0.10	1.28	1.15
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total distributions	0.00	1.00	1.29	0.16	—	—	0.39	0.10	0.12	1.30	1.28

*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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Habib is Senior Portfolio Manager and Head of Global Equities at RBC GAM UK. Prior to becoming the head of the Global Equities Team, he held positions as Head of Global Equities, Head of Small & Mid Cap Research, and Head of North American and Global Equities Research for a number of different global asset management firms. Habib holds a BSc (Hons) from the London School of Economics, as well as the Chartered Accountant and ASIP designations.

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