

RBC Canadian Equity Income Fund



Investment objective

To provide a high level of monthly cash flow and relatively tax efficient distributions consisting primarily of returns of capital, capital gains and interest income and to provide the potential for modest capital growth.

Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
A	No load	CAD	RBF591
T5	No load	CAD	RBF1591

Inception date	August 2006
Total fund assets \$MM	3,041.6
Series A NAV \$	29.21
Series A MER %	1.85

Sales status	Open
Minimum investment \$	500
Subsequent investment \$	25
Risk rating	Medium
Fund category	Canadian Dividend & Income Equity

Income distribution	Monthly
Capital gains distribution	Annually
Monthly distribution (\$/unit)	9.05
Current payout rate (%)	3.72

* Assuming 12 consecutive months at the monthly distribution set out above. The estimate does not include any year-end capital gains distributions paid in addition to the regular monthly distribution nor should it be confused with performance or rates of return.

Benchmark

100%	S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index
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Performance analysis for Series A as of January 31, 2024

Growth of \$10,000

Series A \$18,545



Calendar returns %

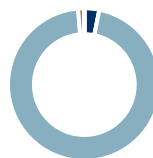


2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD	
9.6	-10.4	21.7	8.2	-9.1	21.0	-1.4	28.9	-3.9	7.3	-0.4	Fund
2 nd	4 th	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd	3 rd	4 th	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
-0.4	12.2	1.6	-0.5	9.6	7.8	6.5	8.9	Fund
4 th	1 st	4 th	4 th	2 nd	2 nd	3 rd	—	Quartile
409	409	406	399	374	345	225	—	# of funds in category

Portfolio analysis as of January 31, 2024

Asset mix



	% Assets
• Cash	3.2
• Fixed income	0.0
• Canadian equities	95.5
• U.S. equities	1.3
• European equities	0.0
• Asia-Pacific equities	0.0
• Emerging markets equities	0.0

Equity style

	Value	Blend	Growth
Large	36	29	6
Mid	6	11	2
Small	4	5	2

Weight %

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

Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	4.3
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	13.2
Price to book ratio	1.4
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	60.7

Portfolio analysis continued as of January 31, 2024

Top 10 holdings	% Assets	Equity sector allocation	%
Royal Bank of Canada	7.3	Financials	34.9
Toronto-Dominion Bank	6.1	Energy	17.4
Enbridge Inc	4.1	Real Estate	10.4
Bank of Montreal	3.8	Industrials	10.1
Brookfield Corp	3.5	Utilities	9.6
		Materials	7.7
Canadian Pacific Kansas City Ltd	3.1	Communication Services	4.7
Bank of Nova Scotia	3.0	Consumer Discretionary	2.9
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	2.6	Consumer Staples	1.4
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	2.3	Health Care	0.6
BCE Inc	2.2	Information Technology	0.3
Total % of top 10 holdings	37.9		
Total number of portfolio holdings	105		

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	—	—	0.02	—	—	—	0.00	—	—	—	—
Canadian dividends	—	0.85	1.06	0.58	0.83	0.79	0.62	0.56	0.57	0.55	0.42
Foreign dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign taxes paid	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital gains	—	—	0.55	1.09	—	0.07	0.70	0.37	—	0.75	1.74
Return of capital	—	0.24	—	—	0.26	0.22	—	0.15	0.51	—	—
Total distributions	0.09	1.09	1.63	1.67	1.09	1.09	1.33	1.08	1.08	1.31	2.16

*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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