RBC Balanced Fund



Investment objective

To provide a combination of capital growth and modest income by investing primarily in a balance of Canadian equities, bonds and short-term debt securities.

Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
F	No load	CAD	RBF604
FT5	No load	CAD	RBF577
FT8	No load	CAD	RBF1577
1	No load	CAD	RBF151

Inception date	August 2001
Total fund assets \$MM	4,658.1
Series F NAV \$	18.39
Series F MER %	0.99

Income distributionQuarterlyCapital gains distributionAnnuallySales statusOpenMinimum investment \$500Subsequent investment \$25

Risk rating Low to Medium
Fund category Canadian Neutral
Balanced

Benchmark

35%	FTSE Canada All Gov't Bond Index
34%	S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total
	Return Index
13%	S&P 500 Total Return Index (CAD)
9%	MSCI EAFE Total Return Net Index
	(CAD)
5%	FTSE Canada All Corporate Bond
	Index

4% MSCI EM Total Return Net Index (CAD)

Performance analysis for Series F as of August 31, 2024





		2016									
10.0	1.9	8.2	8.2	-3.7	14.5	9.7	12.6	-9.9	10.1	9.7	Fund Quartile
1 st	2 nd	2 nd	1 st	2 nd	1 st	1 st	2 nd	4 th	1 st	1 st	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
0.6	4.3	7.6	14.5	3.7	6.7	5.8	5.9	Fund
2 nd	3 rd	1 st	1 st	2 nd	1 st	1 st	_	Quartile
394	394	391	386	349	324	250	_	# of funds in category

Portfolio analysis as of August 31, 2024

Asset mix % Assets Cash 1.9 34.7 Fixed income Canadian equities 34.7 U.S. equities 12.3 European equities 6.4 Asia-Pacific equities 2.9 Emerging markets equities 4.2 Real estate 2.9

Equity style

	0.4	00	07	Weight %
Large	24	30	27	> 50
Mid	5	6	5	25-50
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Small	1	1	1	0-10

Value Blend Growth

Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	2.4
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	15.2
Price to book ratio	2.3
Weighted average market	298.0
capitalization (\$Bn)	

Portfolio analysis continued as of August 31, 2024

Top 10 holdings % A	Assets
RBC Emerging Markets Equity Fund - Series O	s 2.6
Royal Bank of Canada	2.5
RBC Canadian Core Real Estate Fund - Series N	1.9
Toronto-Dominion Bank	1.5
Province of Ontario 3.750% Jun 02, 2032	1.3
Brookfield Corp	1.3
Shopify Inc	1.2
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	1.2
Canadian Pacific Kansas City Ltd	1.1
Enbridge Inc	1.1
Total % of top 10 holdings	15.9

Equity sector allocation	%
Financials	26.2
Information Technology	13.5
Industrials	13.4
Energy	11.8
Materials	8.4
Health Care	6.2
Consumer Discretionary	5.8
Consumer Staples	5.5
Communication Services	4.0
Utilities	2.9
Real Estate	2.2
Unclassified	0.0

Fixed income characteristics	
Current yield (%)	3.6
Yield to maturity (%)	3.9
Duration (years)	7.5
Average term to maturity (years)	10.4
Average credit rating	A+

Fixed income breakdown	%
Government Bonds	64.5
Corporate Bonds	35.6
Other Bonds	0.0
Securitized Debt	0.0
ST Investments (Cash & Other)	0.0
Direct Mortgages	0.0

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	_	0.01	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.00	0.00	_	_	_	_
Canadian dividends	_	0.24	0.28	0.04	0.27	0.29	0.20	0.17	0.28	0.29	0.23
Foreign dividends	_	0.14	0.03	_	0.05	0.07	_	_	_	0.01	_
Foreign taxes paid	_	-0.02	-0.01	_	-0.01	-0.01	_	_	_	0.00	_
Capital gains	_	0.28	0.24	0.96	0.12	0.10	0.43	0.58	0.12	0.29	0.55
Return of capital	_	_	0.01	0.01	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total distributions	0.19	0.65	0.55	1.07	0.43	0.46	0.63	0.74	0.41	0.59	0.78

^{*}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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