# **RBC Global Asset Management**

# **RBC International Equity Fund**



#### **Investment objective**

To provide long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity securities of companies outside of North America. The fund provides exposure to economies that offer different business cycles and growth opportunities than North American markets.

## **Fund details**

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code				
F	No load	CAD	RBF621				
FT5	No load	CAD	RBF5621				
Inceptio	n date	August	August 2001				
Total fui	nd assets \$MM	2,415.9	2,415.9				
Series F	NAV \$	33.39	33.39				
Series F	MER %	0.99					
Income	distribution	Annual	ly				
Capital g	gains distributio	<b>n</b> Annual	Annually				
Sales st	atus	Open					
Minimur	n investment \$	500	500				
Subseq	uent investment	\$ 25	25				
Risk rati	ing	Mediun	n				
Fund category		International					
		Equity					

Performance analysis for Series F as of May 31, 2024 Growth of \$10,000 Series F \$21,745 26 22 18 14 10 6 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 YTD Calendar returns % 30



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## Benchmark

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

## Portfolio analysis as of May 31, 2024

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#### Equity style

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Largo	21	25	49	Weight %		
Large	21	25	49	• > 50		
Mid	4	1	1	• 25-50		
Small	0	0	0	• 10-25		
Omai	0	0	0	O 0-10		
	Value	Blend	Growth			

#### Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	2.5
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	15.8
Price to book ratio	2.4
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	194.2

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# of funds in category

### Portfolio analysis continued as of May 31, 2024

Top 10 holdings % As				
Novo Nordisk A/S - Class B Shares	4.9			
ASML Holding NV	3.5			
Tokio Marine Holdings Inc	3.4			
Hitachi Ltd	3.2			
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing C	Co Ltd 3.1			
Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group Inc	2.9			
EssilorLuxottica SA	2.8			
Mitsubishi Corp	2.8			
LVMH Moet Hennessy Louis Vuitton SE	2.7			
ING Groep NV	2.4			
Total % of top 10 holdings	31.6			
Total number of stock holdings	67			

Financials22.8Industrials18.0Health Care15.3Information Technology10.8Consumer Staples9.3Materials7.2Energy6.9Consumer Discretionary6.9Communication Services1.8Utilities1.0Real Estate0.0	Equity sector allocation	%
Health Care15.3Information Technology10.8Consumer Staples9.3Materials7.2Energy6.9Consumer Discretionary6.9Communication Services1.8Utilities1.0	Financials	22.8
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Communication Services1.8Utilities1.0	Energy	6.9
Utilities 1.0	Consumer Discretionary	6.9
	Communication Services	1.8
Real Estate 0.0	Utilities	1.0
	Real Estate	0.0

Top equity geographic allocation	%
Japan	21.4
United Kingdom	19.7
France	9.8
Netherlands	9.5
Australia	6.6
Denmark	5.9
Switzerland	5.8
Sweden	3.5
Taiwan	3.2
Ireland	3.0

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	_	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00		_	_	_
Canadian dividends	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Foreign dividends	_	0.48	1.18	0.20	0.21	0.39	0.48	0.24	0.25	0.19	0.19
Foreign taxes paid	_	-0.06	-0.07	-0.02	-0.02	-0.04	-0.06	-0.03	-0.03	-0.03	_
Capital gains	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Return of capital	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total distributions	0.00	0.43	1.11	0.18	0.20	0.36	0.42	0.21	0.22	0.16	0.19

\*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.

#### Manager bios

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David is a senior portfolio manager and head of the European Equities team at RBC GAM. He assumed this role in 2022, having earlier worked as a portfolio manager and a quantitative analyst on the European Equities desk at the firm, with involvement on a cross-strategy and sector basis. David joined RBC GAM in 1999 and has managed a number of European and International mandates for several years. He graduated from Loughborough University in 1999 with a First Class BSc (Hons) degree in Mathematics and is an Associate of the UK Society of Investment Professionals (CFA UK).

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Mayur is a Managing Director, Chief Executive Officer & Head of Asian Equities at RBC GAM Asia. He has been in the investment industry since 1998. Prior to joining the firm, Mayur managed Asia ex-Japan mandates for sovereign wealth, institutional and retail clients around the world. Mayur is a graduate of the London School of Economics with a Bachelor of Science in Economics and Economic History.

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