# **RBC Global Dividend Growth Fund**



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#### 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**

Load structure	Currency	Fund code
No load	CAD	RBF627
No load	CAD	RBF534
No load	CAD	RBF1534
	structure No load No load	No load CAD No load CAD

Inception date	August 2001
Total fund assets \$MM	5,418.6
Series F NAV \$	26.87
Series F MER %	0.99

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

Annually

### Benchmark

Income distribution

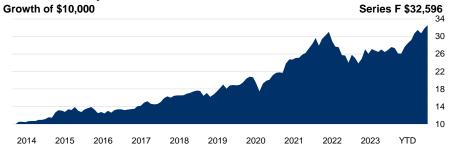
100% MSCI World Total Return Net Index (C\$)

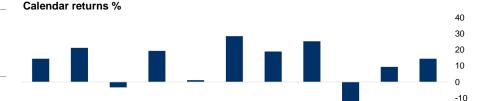
### Notes

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 F as of June 30, 2024





			2017								
14.5	21.3	-3.4	19.4	1.1	28.5	19.0	25.4	-16.1	9.4	14.5	Fund Quartile
1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Quartile				

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep. Trailing return %	
2.4	3.5	14.5	21.1	6.1	11.6	11.8	7.3 Fund	
1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<ul><li>— Quartile</li></ul>	
212	212	212	208	179	166	98	— # of funds in category	y

### Portfolio analysis as of June 30, 2024



# **Equity style**

Large	17	33	41	Weight %			
Large	17	55	41	<ul><li>&gt; 50</li></ul>			
Mid	3	6	0	25-50			
Small	0	0	0	10-25			
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### **Equity characteristics**

Dividend yield (%)	1.9
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	18.1
Price to book ratio	4.1
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	920.9

# Portfolio analysis continued as of June 30, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets
Microsoft Corp NVIDIA Corp Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing - ADR	7.3 7.1 Co Ltd 5.2
UnitedHealth Group Inc Visa Inc - Class A Shares	4.3 3.8
Broadcom Inc Novo Nordisk A/S - Class B Shares JPMorgan Chase & Co Procter & Gamble Co Home Depot Inc	3.7 3.4 3.1 2.9 2.8
ABB Ltd InterContinental Hotels Group PLC Blackstone Inc AIA Group Ltd TJX Cos Inc	2.7 2.6 2.5 2.4 2.3
Linde PLC DBS Group Holdings Ltd Intuit Inc Unilever PLC CRH PLC	2.3 2.2 2.1 2.1 2.1
Legal & General Group PLC Anheuser-Busch InBev SA/NV Micron Technology Inc Prologis Inc Valero Energy Corp	2.0 2.0 2.0 1.9 1.9
Total % of top 25 holdings  Total number of stock holdings	76.5 <b>45</b>

Equity sector allocation	%	Top equity geographic allocation	%
Information Technology	28.7	United States	62.0
Financials	17.2	United Kingdom	11.3
Health Care	11.6	Taiwan	5.2
Industrials	11.1	Denmark	3.4
Consumer Discretionary	8.9	Switzerland	2.7
Consumer Staples	8.3	Hong Kong	2.4
Materials	5.4	Germany	2.3
Energy	4.3	France	2.3
Real Estate	2.0	Singapore	2.2
Utilities	1.3	Belgium	2.0
Communication Services	1.2		

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	_	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	_	_	_	_
Canadian dividends	_	_	0.00	_	_	_	0.00	0.01	0.00	_	_
Foreign dividends	_	0.35	0.30	0.11	0.20	0.24	0.18	0.23	0.20	0.26	0.23
Foreign taxes paid	_	-0.05	-0.05	-0.02	-0.03	-0.03	-0.02	-0.02	-0.03	-0.04	_
Capital gains	_	1.08	1.43	0.17	_	_	0.43	0.09	0.11	1.40	1.26
Return of capital	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total distributions	0.00	1.39	1.69	0.27	0.18	0.21	0.60	0.31	0.29	1.62	1.49

<sup>\*</sup>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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