

PH&N Balanced Fund

Investment Objective

To provide long-term capital growth and income by investing primarily in a well-diversified, balanced portfolio of Canadian common stocks, bonds and money market securities. This fund also holds a portion of its assets in foreign common stock.

Fund Details

Series	Load Structure	Currency	Fund Code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF7350
Adv	Front End	CAD	RBF6350
Adv	Low Load	CAD	RBF4350

Inception Date	November 2008
Total Fund Assets \$Mil	917.9
Series A NAV \$	19.98
Series A MER %	2.00
Benchmark	38% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond Index 30% S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index 26% MSCI World Total Return Net Index (CAD) 4% MSCI Emerging Markets Total Return Net Index (CAD) 2% FTSE TMX Canada 30 Day TBill Index

Income Distribution	Quarterly
Capital Gains Distribution	Annually

Sales Status	Open
Min. Investment \$	500
Subsequent Investment \$	25

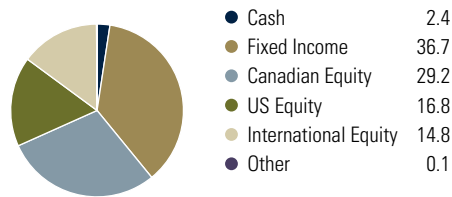
Fund Category	Canadian Neutral Balanced
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Management Company	RBC Global Asset Management Inc.
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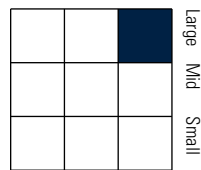
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Portfolio Analysis as of August 31, 2017

Asset Mix



Equity Style



Value Blend Growth

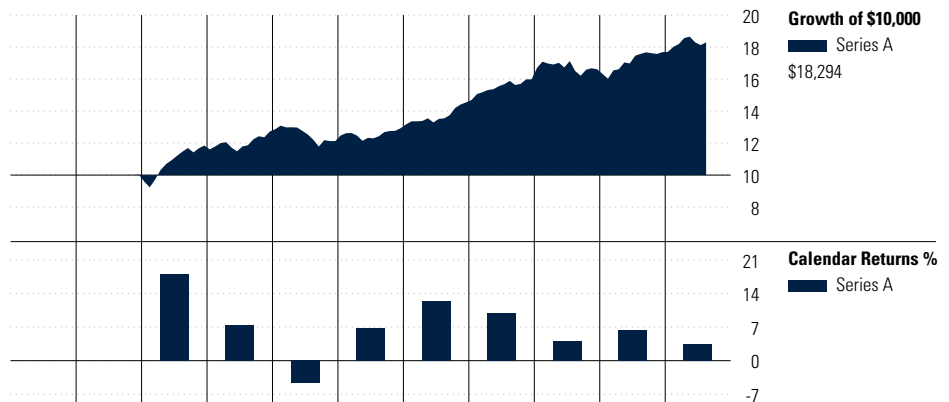
Top 5 Sectors

Sector	% Equity
Financials	28.6
Energy	14.0
Information Technology	11.2
Consumer Discretionary	11.0
Industrials	9.8

Fixed Income Breakdown

Category	%	Characteristics	%
Govt. Bonds	71.8	Avg. Term to maturity (Yrs)	10.1
Corp. Bonds	25.7	Modified Duration (Yrs)	7.4
Other Bonds	1.0	Yield to Maturity	2.3
MBS	0.6		
Cash & Other	0.9		
ABS	0.0		

Performance Analysis as of August 31, 2017



Year	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	YTD	Fund Quartile
Return %	—	—	18.1	7.4	-4.7	6.7	12.4	9.9	4.0	6.4	3.5	1st
Rank	—	—	2nd	4th	4th	2nd	2nd	1st	1st	3rd	1st	

Period	1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Incep.	Trailing Return %
Return %	1.0	-1.9	1.5	4.1	4.8	8.0	—	7.1	Fund
Rank	1st	3rd	1st	2nd	1st	1st	—	—	Quartile
No. of Funds in Category	646	645	634	617	468	352	149	—	

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Management Overview

Manager Bios

Sarah Riopelle

RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

Sarah Riopelle is Vice President and Senior Portfolio Manager, Investment Solutions. Sarah began her investment career in 1996. She is a member of the RBC Investment Strategy Committee and is responsible for the firm's Portfolio Solutions. Sarah has a Bachelor of Commerce in Finance and International Management from the University of Ottawa and is a CFA charterholder.

Performance Analysis Cont'd as of August 31, 2017

Distributions (\$)/Unit	YTD*	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
Total Distributions	—	0.51	0.90	2.06	0.17	0.28	0.46	0.29	0.28	0.02	—
Interest	—	0.15	0.14	0.07	0.13	0.14	0.13	0.23	0.19	0.02	—
Dividends	—	0.12	0.12	0.06	0.05	0.08	0.08	—	0.10	0.01	—
Capital Gains	—	0.25	0.64	1.93	—	0.05	0.24	0.06	—	—	—
Return Of Capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Best/Worst Periods %	Ended	1 Yr	Ended	3 Yr	Ended	5 Yr	Ended	10 Yr
Best	2-2010	27.6	5-2015	11.9	2-2014	10.3	—	—
Worst	5-2012	-6.4	8-2012	2.7	2-2016	4.1	—	—
Average		7.4		6.9		7.2		—
No. of Periods		94		70		46		—
Pct. Positive		84.0		100.0		100.0		—

* Distributions are characterized into income type at year-end.

Quarterly Commentary as at June 30, 2017

The economic uptick that took root last year has continued to bloom and a synchronized global economic expansion is at hand, with leading indicators pointing to a faster-than-normal clip across much of the world.

The Fund's overweight position in equities and underweight position in fixed income had a neutral impact on performance. Global bond yields rose in June, reversing the trend in place since late 2016, as more central banks joined the U.S. in signaling that monetary policy would be tightened. The Fund's fixed-income segment had a positive impact on performance. The biggest contributor was the Phillips, Hager & North Bond Fund.

U.S. stocks rose, despite some deterioration in U.S. economic data, amid robust earnings growth. Canadian stocks underperformed other major global equity markets due to Canada's significant exposure to resource stocks. The Fund's global

equity positions contributed positively to performance, led by the RBC Global Equity Focus Fund. However, the Fund's sole Canadian equity holding, the Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Equity Underlying Fund, detracted from returns.

The portfolio manager is budgeting for a bit faster global economic growth over the next few years than has been the case in the recent past, and expects bond yields to rise over the long term. However, fading confidence in President Trump's ability to bolster growth and generate faster inflation has recently weighed on yields, reintroducing the fixed-income valuation risk that had been alleviated shortly after the election. U.S. profit growth is recovering from a two-year decline and, if earnings continue to rise as analysts expect, the total-return potential for stocks remains quite positive, accounting for our equity overweight.

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MER (%) for RBC Corporate Class Funds is based on actual expenses for the full-year period, April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017, expressed on an annualized basis.

Adjusted MER is provided for funds with management fee changes effective June 30, 2016. The Adjusted MER represents what the reported MER would have been had management fee changes been in effect throughout 2016.

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