

# RBC Private U.S. Large-Cap Core Equity Currency Neutral Pool



## Investment objective

To provide long-term total returns primarily through capital appreciation by investing primarily in one or more mutual funds managed by RBC GAM or an affiliate of RBC GAM (called the underlying funds), which are invested in common stocks and equivalent securities of U.S. corporations trading below their potential intrinsic value. The Fund also seeks to minimize the exposure to currency fluctuations between the U.S. and Canadian dollars.

The investment team seeks large-cap companies that exhibit lower price-to-earnings, price-to-book and price-to-cash flow ratios than those of the S&P 500 Index. Attractive investment candidates are viewed as subject to an improvement in fundamental characteristics, such as company restructuring, management changes, new product cycles and secular changes in the balance of supply and demand.

## Fund details

Series	Currency	Fund code
O	CAD	RBF10219

**Inception date** January 2010

**Total fund assets \$MM** 257.5

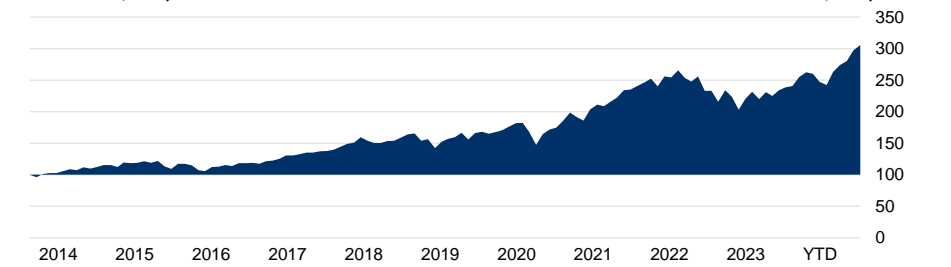
### Benchmark

100% S&P 500 Total Return Index  
(Hedged to CAD)

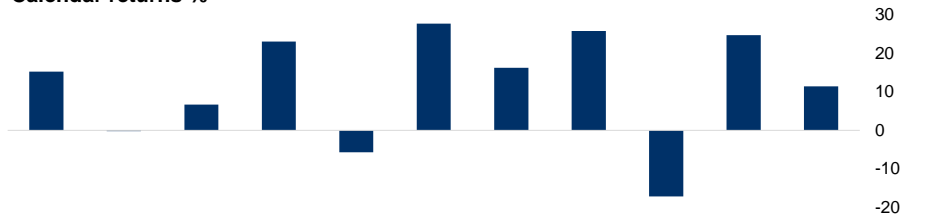
## Performance analysis as of March 31, 2024

Growth of \$100,000

Series O \$305,675



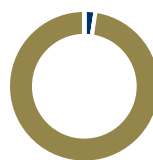
## Calendar returns %



2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD	
15.2	-0.2	6.7	23.0	-5.7	27.7	16.2	25.8	-17.2	24.7	11.4	Fund
14.2	1.2	11.5	21.2	-5.7	29.8	16.3	28.2	-19.2	24.7	10.5	Benchmark
1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.		Trailing return %		
3.0	11.4	23.5	30.7	11.2	13.9	11.5	11.9		Fund		
3.2	10.5	22.8	28.5	10.4	13.7	12.0	—		Benchmark		

## Portfolio analysis as of March 31, 2024

### Asset mix



### % Assets

• Cash	2.4
• Fixed income	0.0
• Canadian equities	0.0
• U.S. equities	97.6
• European equities	0.0
• Asia-Pacific equities	0.0
• Emerging markets equities	0.0

### Equity style

	Value	Blend	Growth
Large	14	36	38
Mid	2	7	3
Small	0	0	0

Value Blend Growth

### Weight %

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

### Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	1.2
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	21.9
Price to book ratio	4.5
Price to free cash flow ratio	16.4
Price to sales ratio	2.8
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	1,167.4

### Risk measures

	Fund	Benchmark
3-year standard deviation	16.7	17.4
5-year standard deviation	17.5	18.3

## Portfolio analysis continued as of March 31, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets	Equity sector allocation	%										
Microsoft Corp	7.3	Information Technology	30.4										
Apple Inc	5.7	Financials	14.6										
NVIDIA Corp	5.0	Health Care	13.9										
Alphabet Inc - Class C Shares	4.3	Communication Services	9.2										
Amazon.com Inc	3.8	Consumer Discretionary	7.3										
Meta Platforms Inc - Class A Shares	2.8	Industrials	7.1										
Eli Lilly & Co	2.4	Consumer Staples	6.1										
Exxon Mobil Corp	2.0	Energy	5.0										
Berkshire Hathaway Inc - Class B Shares	1.9	Utilities	2.4										
JPMorgan Chase & Co	1.9	Materials	2.1										
		Real Estate	1.9										
Broadcom Inc	1.6												
Visa Inc - Class A Shares	1.5												
Thermo Fisher Scientific Inc	1.3												
Procter & Gamble Co	1.1												
UnitedHealth Group Inc	1.1												
Intuitive Surgical Inc	1.0												
Danaher Corp	1.0												
Walmart Inc	0.9												
Chevron Corp	0.9												
Adobe Inc	0.9												
Bank of America Corp	0.9												
Union Pacific Corp	0.9												
Texas Instruments Inc	0.9												
Coca-Cola Co	0.8												
Eaton Corp PLC	0.8												
Total % of top 25 holdings	52.7												

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	—	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	—	—	—
Canadian dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign dividends	—	0.26	0.26	0.25	0.27	0.26	0.25	0.23	0.31	0.19	0.18
Foreign taxes paid	—	-0.04	-0.03	-0.04	-0.04	-0.04	-0.04	-0.03	-0.03	-0.03	—
Capital gains	—	—	—	1.94	0.88	—	0.70	1.04	—	—	1.54
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total distributions</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>0.26</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>2.16</b>	<b>1.13</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>0.91</b>	<b>1.24</b>	<b>0.28</b>	<b>0.17</b>	<b>1.72</b>

\*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](http://rbcgam.com/funds).

#### Manager bios

##### Sarah Riopelle, RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

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

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