



RBC O'Shaughnessy U.S. Value Fund

Investment Objective

To provide a long-term total return, consisting of capital growth and current income by investing primarily in equity securities of U.S. companies based on Strategy Indexing®, a rigorous and disciplined approach to stock selection based on characteristics associated with above-average returns over long periods of time.

Fund Details

Series	Load Structure	Currency	Fund Code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF552
Adv	Front End	CAD	RBF776
Adv	Low Load	CAD	RBF134

Inception Date	November 1997
Total Fund Assets \$Mil	1,631.9
Series A NAV \$	15.54
Series A MER %	1.55
Benchmark	Russell 1000 Value Index (USD)

Income Distribution	Quarterly
Capital Gains Distribution	Annually

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

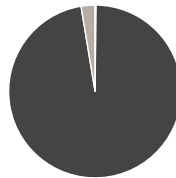
Fund Category	US Equity
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Management Company	RBC Global Asset Management Inc.
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Web Site	www.rbcgam.com
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Portfolio Analysis as of March 31, 2017

Asset Mix

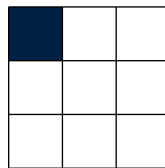


	% Assets
Cash	0.2
Fixed Income	0.0
Canadian Equity	0.0
US Equity	97.2
International Equity	2.6
Other	0.0

Top 25 Holdings

	% Assets
Boeing Co	4.7
United Continental Holdings Inc	4.6
LyondellBasell Industries NV	4.6
Ameriprise Financial Inc	4.5
The Travelers Companies Inc	4.5
Best Buy Co Inc	4.3
Valero Energy Corp	4.0
TE Connectivity Ltd	3.9
CenturyLink Inc	3.4
Gilead Sciences Inc	2.9
Allstate Corp	2.8
Marriott International Inc Class A	2.6
Kohl's Corp	2.4
General Motors Co	2.3
Applied Materials Inc	2.2
Whole Foods Market Inc	2.2
Wyndham Worldwide Corp	2.2
Lincoln National Corp	2.2
McDonald's Corp	2.2
Discover Financial Services	2.1
Target Corp	2.1
American Express Co	2.0
CBS Corp Class B	2.0
American Airlines Group Inc	1.8
Yum Brands Inc	1.6
Total % of Top 25 Holdings	73.9
Total Number of Stock Holdings	55
Total Number of Bond Holdings	0
Total Number of Other Holdings	1
Total Number of Holdings	56

Equity Style



Value Blend Growth

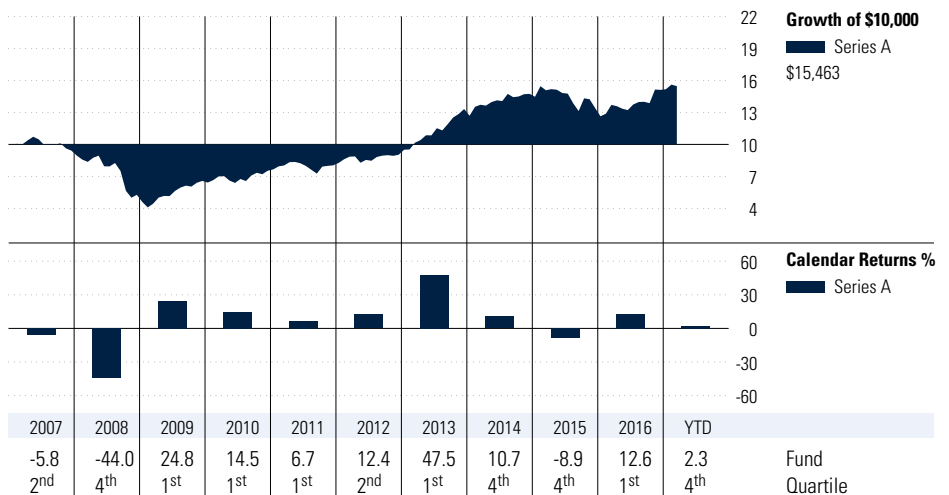
Equity Statistics

P/B Ratio	2.1
P/E Ratio	13.2
Avg. Mkt Cap. \$B	35.9

Global Equity Sectors

	% Equity
Consumer Discretionary	25.7
Financials	22.3
Industrials	16.4
Information Technology	13.6
Energy	5.3
Health Care	4.6
Materials	4.6
Consumer Staples	4.1
Telecommunication Services	3.4
Unclassified	0.0
Utilities	0.0
Real Estate	0.0

Performance Analysis as of March 31, 2017



1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Incep.	Trading Return %
-0.9	2.3	10.5	12.8	4.1	11.8	4.5	6.2	Fund
4 th	4 th	2 nd	4 th	4 th	4 th	4 th	—	Quartile
1361	1341	1332	1188	777	482	213	—	No. of Funds in Category



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Management Overview

Manager Bios

James P. O'Shaughnessy

O'Shaughnessy Asset Management

Jim O'Shaughnessy is the Chairman and CEO of O'Shaughnessy Asset Management (OSAM). Also serving as the Chief Investment Officer of the firm, Jim is ultimately responsible for OSAM's investment strategies. He directs the Senior Portfolio Manager, Director of Research, and the Portfolio Management Team and helps to set the agenda for the team. He is also responsible for the development of OSAM's existing strategies and directs the team on idea generation and specific initiatives to improve the models and develop new factors and products.

Performance Analysis Cont'd as of March 31, 2017

Distributions (\$)/Unit	YTD*	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
Total Distributions	0.01	0.21	0.08	1.38	0.09	0.20	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.09	1.39
Interest	0.01	0.21	0.08	0.27	0.09	0.20	0.10	0.09	0.09	0.09	0.04
Dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.01	—	—	—	—
Capital Gains	—	—	—	1.11	—	—	—	—	—	—	1.35
Return Of Capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Best/Worst Periods %	Ended	1 Yr	Ended	3 Yr	Ended	5 Yr	Ended	10 Yr
Best	2-2010	62.4	2-2012	28.1	2-2014	27.0	11-2007	7.2
Worst	2-2009	-52.3	2-2009	-22.4	2-2009	-11.6	2-2009	-1.8
Average		7.8		8.0		7.5		4.2
No. of Periods		221		197		173		113
Pct. Positive		72.9		80.2		69.9		92.9

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

Quarterly Commentary as at March 31, 2017

Cheap stocks performed poorly during the first quarter. A pure Value approach would have left you overweight Financials (which lagged) and underweight Information Technology (which led the market). Value has also pushed investors into retail stocks, which have performed very poorly. Both buyback yield and dividend yield—which we combine to calculate shareholder yield—underperformed during the quarter.

While Information Technology (IT) stocks have tended to be expensive through history, a large number of them have been cheap through this cycle. The portfolio held an average position of roughly 14.4% in IT stocks, 9.3% of which was distributed across 5 key names which drove stronger returns in the sector: Applied Materials, Seagate Technology, TE Connectivity, NetScout and Corning. These stocks were up an average of 16.4% during the quarter and contributed 1% to excess returns versus the benchmark.

The Energy sector has been highly volatile,

following big swings in the price of oil and gas in recent years. While the portfolio was once overweight Energy stocks (due to overweights to refining and services companies, not upstream or integrated stocks, which have looked expensive), we have now been consistently underweight. Our average weight was 5.6% during in Q1, which was 7.1% lower than the benchmark's average weight. In this case, the fact that we didn't own Exxon, Chevron, Schlumberger, and others boosted our returns, as these companies posted weak returns during the quarter.

As we continue in to 2017, we will continue to focus on our niche of the market: quality companies, often trading at out-of-favor prices, which are aggressively returning capital to equity shareholders through dividends and share repurchases. Given the weight of the evidence—across decades of testing and 15 years of live performance—we expect strong performance in the future.



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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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