



RBC Global Balanced Fund

Investment Objective

To provide long-term capital growth, with a secondary focus on modest income by investing primarily in Canadian, U.S. and international equities and fixed income securities.

Fund Details

Series	Load Structure	Currency	Fund Code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF553
Adv	Deferred Sales	CAD	RBF839
Adv	Front End	CAD	RBF739
Adv	Low Load	CAD	RBF124
T5	No Load	CAD	RBF537
T8	No Load	CAD	RBF597

Inception Date	April 1998
Total Fund Assets \$Mil	708.5
Series A NAV \$	17.11
Series A MER %	2.21
Benchmark	45% FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond Index 20% S&P 500 Total Return Index (CAD) 19% S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index 12% MSCI EAFE Total Return Net Index (CAD) 4% MSCI Emerging Markets Total Return Net Index (CAD)

Income Distribution	Quarterly
Capital Gains Distribution	Annually

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

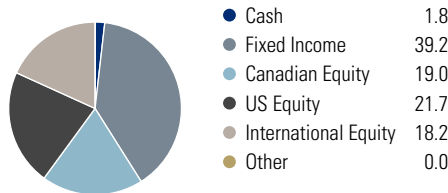
Fund Category	Global Neutral Balanced
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Management Company	RBC Global Asset Management Inc.
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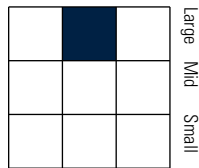
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Portfolio Analysis as of September 30, 2017

Asset Mix



Equity Style



Value Blend Growth

Top 5 Sectors

Sector	% Equity
Financials	23.5
Information Technology	14.5
Industrials	10.6
Consumer Discretionary	9.7
Energy	9.7

Fixed Income Breakdown

Category	%
Govt. Bonds	79.2
Corp. Bonds	18.9
Other Bonds	0.0
MBS	0.0
Cash & Other	2.0
ABS	0.0

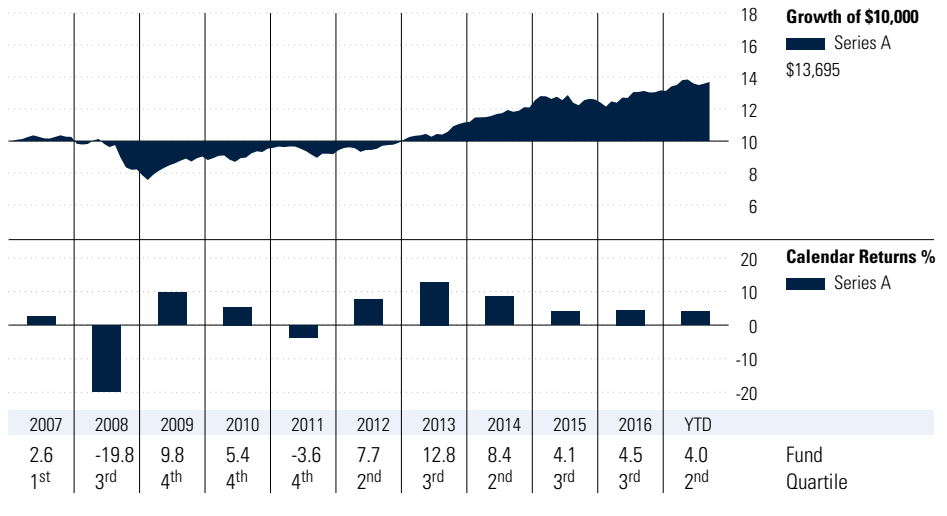
Characteristics

Characteristic	%
Avg. Term to maturity (Yrs)	9.2
Modified Duration (Yrs)	7.4
Yield to Maturity	1.7

Top 25 Holdings

Holder	% Assets
Japan(Govt Of) 0.5% 20-09-2036	1.7
US Treasury Note 1.75% 15-05-2023	1.5
Italy(Rep Of) 1.5% 01-08-2019	1.5
Royal Bank of Canada	1.4
The Toronto-Dominion Bank	1.3
Province Of Ontario 2.500% 10-09-2021	1.2
Ontario Prov Cda 1.625% 18-01-2019	1.2
US Treasury Note 1.5% 31-01-2022	1.2
Italy(Rep Of) 1.45% 15-09-2022	1.0
Bank of Nova Scotia	1.0
Spain(Kingdom Of) 2.75% 30-04-2019	0.9
US Treasury Bond 2.5% 15-02-2045	0.9
US Treasury Note 1.5% 30-11-2019	0.9
Canadian National Railway Co	0.8
Suncor Energy Inc	0.8
Germany (Fed Rep Of) 0.5% 15-02-2026	0.8
Japan(Govt Of) 0.3% 20-12-2024	0.8
Enbridge Inc	0.8
Ontario Prov Cda 4.7% 02-06-2037	0.8
Apple Inc	0.8
Canada Govt 0.5% 01-03-2022	0.7
Japanese Nikkei 225 Index Fut 07-12-2017	-0.7
Belgium(Kingdom) 2.6% 22-06-2024	0.6
France(Govt Of) 0.5% 25-05-2026	0.6
Microsoft Corp	0.6
Total % of Top 25 Holdings	23.3
Total Number of Stock Holdings	2,700
Total Number of Bond Holdings	1,494
Total Number of Other Holdings	30
Total Number of Holdings	4,224

Performance Analysis as of September 30, 2017



Period	1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Incep.	Trailing Return %
Value	0.8	0.6	1.4	4.3	5.0	7.1	2.9	4.4	Fund
Rank	2 nd	2 nd	2 nd	2 nd	2 nd	2 nd	4 th	—	Quartile
No. of Funds in Category	1406	1393	1346	1288	924	629	205	—	



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Management Overview

Manager Bios

Dagmara Fijalkowski

RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

Dagmara is Sr. Vice President & Sr. Portfolio Manager, and Head, Global Fixed Income & Currencies at RBC Global Asset Management. She leads a team of over 20 professionals with more than \$50 billion in assets under management. Dagmara also co-manages several of the firms' bond funds and manages foreign exchange hedging and active currency management programs. She has an MBA from the Richard Ivey School of Business and a Master's in economics from the University of Lodz, and is a CFA charterholder.

Stuart Kedwell

RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

Stuart Kedwell is Senior Vice President and Co-Head, North American Equities. He has been in the investment industry since 1997.

Performance Analysis Cont'd as of September 30, 2017

Distributions (\$)/Unit	YTD*	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
Total Distributions	—	0.09	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.77
Interest	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.08
Capital Gains	—	0.09	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.69
Return Of Capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Best/Worst Periods %	Ended	1 Yr	Ended	3 Yr	Ended	5 Yr	Ended	10 Yr
Best	8-2000	27.3	3-2006	16.4	9-2007	12.2	8-2008	6.0
Worst	2-2009	-22.7	3-2003	-6.1	5-2012	-2.1	8-2010	1.7
Average		5.2		4.8		4.8		3.9
No. of Periods		222		198		174		114
Pct. Positive		71.6		75.8		90.2		100.0

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

Quarterly Commentary as at September 30, 2017

The steady rise in global stocks as measured by the MSCI World Index continued through the third quarter of the year, rising 5.0%. Returns were uniform across the regions of the world. Of note was the re-emergence of value/commodity related stocks. For the first time since after the U.S. election last fall, market participants began to anticipate an inflationary bump with synchronized global growth. The Fund's performance relative to its benchmark was helped from being overweight stocks and underweight bonds. This was offset by a strong Canadian dollar though, cutting into returns from non-Canadian stock holdings.

The broad based U.S. Dollar Index continued to push lower after hitting a fourteen-year high at the end of 2016. The Canadian dollar was stronger against most currencies, especially the U.S., although it put in at least a short-term top with the Bank of Canada signaling a step back from its interest rate tightening mode. The Fund no longer

hedges its currency exposures to stocks, but continues to hedge its currency exposures to fixed income.

Global sovereign bond yields were little changed quarter-over-quarter. In contrast, Canadian yields moved higher with the Bank of Canada tightening. This resulted in a negative total return of around 2.0% for Canadian bonds. The Fund maintained a moderate underweight of bonds, along with a slightly reduced overweight of stocks.

The Fund has been taking measures in small increments to reduce its overweight to stocks this year, and to de-risk its exposure to credit. Volatility across financial assets is at, or close to, record lows and valuations are becoming stretched in some pockets. Therefore, it is felt that a gradual move towards a more conservative asset allocation is optimal.



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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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