

## RBC North American Value Fund



## Investment objective

To provide long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity securities of Canadian and/or U.S. companies priced below their true value and offering long-term opportunities for growth.

## Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
A	No load	CAD	RBF554
T5	No load	CAD	RBF504

Inception date April 1998

Total fund assets \$MM 4,793.4

Series A NAV \$ 31.87

Series A MER % 1.89

Income distribution Annually

Capital gains distribution Annually

Sales status Open

Minimum investment \$ 500

Subsequent investment \$ 25

Risk rating Medium

Fund category Canadian Focused Equity

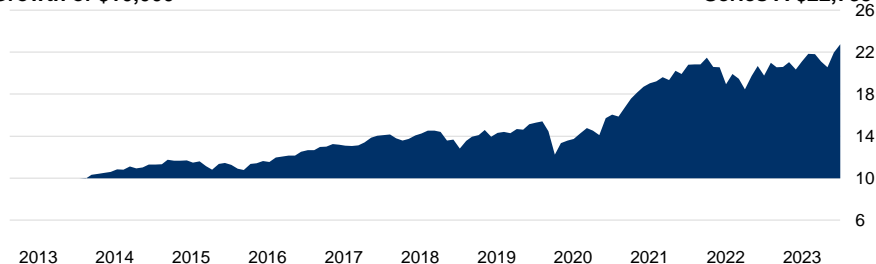
## Benchmark

60%	S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index
40%	S&P 500 Total Return Index (CAD)

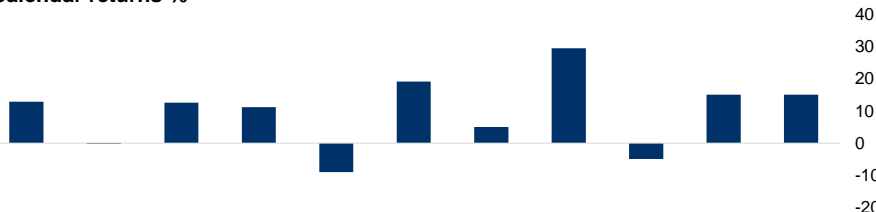
## Performance analysis for Series A as of December 31, 2023

Growth of \$10,000

Series A \$22,735



## Calendar returns %



2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD	
12.9	-0.3	12.6	11.2	-9.0	19.2	5.0	29.5	-5.0	15.1	15.1	Fund
3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
3.6	7.7	7.7	15.1	12.3	12.1	8.6	7.9	Fund
2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	—	Quartile
520	520	519	513	497	480	332	—	# of funds in category

## Portfolio analysis as of December 31, 2023

## Asset mix



	% Assets
Cash	8.5
Fixed income	0.0
Canadian equities	58.1
U.S. equities	31.3
European equities	0.0
Asia-Pacific equities	0.0
Emerging markets equities	0.0
Other	2.2

## Equity style

	Value	Blend	Growth
Large	25	31	19
Mid	3	8	10
Small	3	0	0

Value Blend Growth

## Weight %

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

## Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	2.5
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	14.5
Price to book ratio	1.9
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	317.6

## Portfolio analysis continued as of December 31, 2023

Top 25 holdings	% Assets	Equity sector allocation	%										
Royal Bank of Canada	4.2	Financials	30.2										
Brookfield Corp	2.8	Industrials	13.8										
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	2.6	Energy	12.9										
Power Corp of Canada	2.4	Information Technology	8.9										
Canadian Pacific Kansas City Ltd	2.4	Materials	8.4										
Berkshire Hathaway Inc - Class B Shares	2.3	Consumer Staples	6.4										
Microsoft Corp	2.2	Communication Services	6.2										
iShares S&P/TSX Global Gold Index ETF	2.2	Consumer Discretionary	5.8										
Enbridge Inc	2.0	Real Estate	2.6										
iShares Core S&P 500 ETF	2.0	Utilities	2.6										
		Health Care	2.0										
Bank of Montreal	1.9												
Imperial Oil Ltd	1.9												
George Weston Ltd	1.7												
Manulife Financial Corp	1.5												
Alphabet Inc - Class C Shares	1.5												
JPMorgan Chase & Co	1.4												
Toronto-Dominion Bank	1.3												
Nutrien Ltd	1.2												
Onex Corp	1.2												
Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc	1.2												
Teck Resources Ltd - Class B Shares	1.2												
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	1.1												
Dollar Tree Inc	1.1												
Meta Platforms Inc - Class A Shares	1.1												
Canadian National Railway Co	1.0												
Total % of top 25 holdings	45.3												
<b>Total number of stock holdings</b>	<b>118</b>												

Distributions (\$)/unit*	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Interest	—	0.00	—	0.00	0.00	0.00	—	—	—	—	—
Canadian dividends	—	0.10	—	0.16	0.15	0.02	—	0.03	0.04	—	—
Foreign dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign taxes paid	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital gains	—	—	2.39	0.27	0.75	0.66	0.85	0.39	0.20	0.95	—
Return of capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total distributions</b>	<b>1.75</b>	<b>0.11</b>	<b>2.39</b>	<b>0.43</b>	<b>0.90</b>	<b>0.68</b>	<b>0.85</b>	<b>0.42</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>0.95</b>	<b>—</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

#### Stu Kedwell, RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

Stu is Managing Director, Senior Portfolio Manager & Co-Head of the North American Equity Team at RBC GAM. He is also a member of the RBC Investment Policy Committee, the Executive Committee, and the RBC Investment Strategy Committee, which is responsible for establishing the firm-wide global asset mix for mutual funds and for institutional and high net worth private clients. Stu joined the firm in 2002 and he is a CFA charterholder.

#### Doug Raymond, RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

Doug is Managing Director, Senior Portfolio Manager & Co-Head of the North American Equity Team at RBC GAM. He is also Co-Head of the firm's Canadian Equity Committee. Doug joined the firm in 2002. He has more than two decades of experience in the investment industry providing investment management advice to both individuals and institutions. He holds a Bachelor of Arts from Western University.

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