

# RBC Select Choices Growth Portfolio



## Investment objective

To provide long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity mutual funds for higher growth potential, with some exposure to fixed-income mutual funds for diversification. The portfolio invests in a diversified mix of Canadian, U.S. and international funds.

## Fund details

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code
A	No load	CAD	RBF568

Inception date	June 2000
Total fund assets \$MM	256.3
Series A NAV \$	17.33
Series A MER %	2.35

Income distribution	Annually
Capital gains distribution	Annually
Sales status	Open
Minimum investment \$	500
Subsequent investment \$	25
Risk rating	Low to Medium
Fund category	Global Equity Balanced

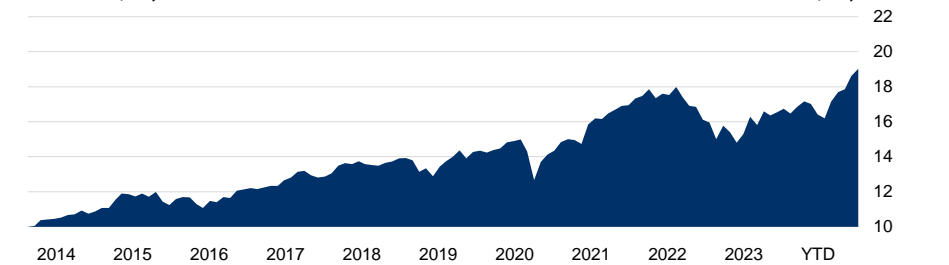
## Benchmark

30%	S&P 500 Total Return Index (CAD)
23%	FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index
19%	MSCI EAFE Total Return Net Index (CAD)
18%	S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index
8%	MSCI Emerging Markets Total Return Net Index (CAD)
2%	FTSE Canada 30 Day TBill Index

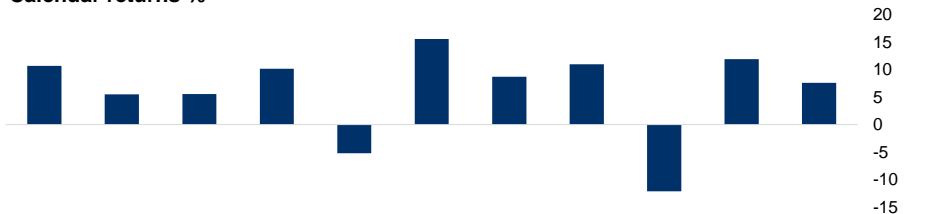
## Performance analysis for Series A as of March 31, 2024

Growth of \$10,000

Series A \$19,032



## Calendar returns %



2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD	
10.7	5.5	5.6	10.2	-5.2	15.6	8.7	11.0	-12.1	11.9	7.6	Fund
1 <sup>st</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Quartile

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since incep.	Trailing return %
2.3	7.6	16.0	15.1	4.5	6.3	6.2	4.0	Fund
2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	—	Quartile
1,233	1,232	1,210	1,182	1,024	932	490	—	# of funds in category

## Portfolio analysis as of March 31, 2024

### Asset mix



● Cash	3.2
● Fixed income	22.6
● Canadian equities	17.4
● U.S. equities	30.4
● European equities	13.7
● Asia-Pacific equities	3.9
● Emerging markets equities	8.8
● Other	0.0

### % Assets

## Equity style

Large	12	27	33
Mid	3	12	8
Small	1	2	2

Value Blend Growth

### Weight %

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

## Equity characteristics

Dividend yield (%)	1.9
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	19.1
Price to book ratio	2.7
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	256,338.5

## Portfolio analysis continued as of March 31, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets	Equity sector allocation	%	Fixed income characteristics	
Phillips, Hager & North U.S. Multi-Style All-Cap Equity Fund - Series O	14.3	Information Technology	19.2	Current yield (%)	4.2
NBI International High Conviction Equity Private Portfolio - Series O	10.9	Financials	17.8	Yield to maturity (%)	5.7
TD U.S. Mid-Cap Growth Fund - Series O	8.4	Industrials	15.1	Duration (years)	6.0
RBC Bond Fund - Series O	8.0	Health Care	10.3	Average term to maturity (years)	-
Fidelity U.S. Focused Stock Fund - Series O	7.3	Consumer Discretionary	9.7	Average credit rating	BBB
		Consumer Staples	7.9		
		Energy	6.2		
RBC Canadian Equity Fund - Series O	7.2	Materials	5.7		
Fidelity Canadian Disciplined Equity Fund - Series O	6.8	Communication Services	4.9		
RBC European Equity Fund - Series O	5.4	Real Estate	1.9		
RBC Emerging Markets Equity Fund - Series O	5.2	Utilities	1.4		
RBC Global Corporate Bond Fund - Series O	4.0	Unclassified	-0.1		
Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Growth Fund - Series O	3.0				
Phillips, Hager & North High Yield Bond Fund - Series O	2.5				
RBC Global Bond Fund - Series O	2.4				
RBC Japanese Equity Fund - Series O	1.9				
BlueBay Global Monthly Income Bond Fund - Series O	1.6				
RBC Emerging Markets Dividend Fund - Series O	1.3				
RBC Emerging Markets Small-Cap Equity Fund - Series O	1.3				
BlueBay Global Sovereign Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	1.2				
RBC Asia Pacific ex-Japan Equity Fund - Series O	1.2				
IA Clarington Canadian Small Cap Fund - Series I	1.2				
Phillips, Hager & North Total Return Bond Fund - Series O	0.8				
BlueBay European High Yield Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	0.8				
RBC Global High Yield Bond Fund - Series O	0.8				
BlueBay Global Investment Grade Corporate Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	0.4				
Total % of top 25 holdings	97.9				

Fixed income breakdown	%
Government Bonds	32.9
Corporate Bonds	48.9
Other Bonds	0.2
Securitized Debt	0.1
ST Investments (Cash & Other)	17.6
Direct Mortgages	0.3

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.02
Canadian dividends	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.05
Foreign dividends	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Foreign taxes paid	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital gains	—	0.67	1.12	0.54	0.22	0.23	0.88	0.34	—	0.23	—
Return of capital	—	0.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>Total distributions</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>0.68</b>	<b>1.12</b>	<b>0.54</b>	<b>0.22</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>0.88</b>	<b>0.34</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>0.23</b>	<b>0.07</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).

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