# **RBC O'Shaughnessy International Equity Fund**



### Investment objective

To provide a long-term total return, consisting of capital growth and current income by investing primarily in equity securities outside of North America 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.

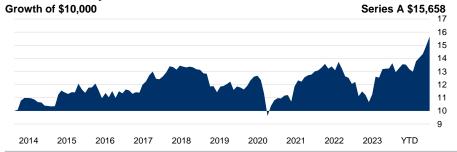
#### **Fund details**

Series	Load structure	Currency	Fund code				
Α	No load	CAD	RBF586				
Inceptio	n date	January	January 2005				
Total fur	nd assets \$MM	174.4	174.4				
Series A	NAV \$	11.71	11.71				
Series A	MER %	2.20					
Income	distribution	Annuall	Annually				
Capital of	gains distributio	<b>n</b> Annuall	Annually				
Sales st	atus	Open	Open				
Minimur	n investment \$	500	500				
Subsequ	uent investment	<b>\$</b> 25	25				
Risk rati	ng	Medium	Medium				
Fund ca	tegory	International					
		Equity					

#### **Benchmark**

100% MSCI EAFE Total Return Net Index (CAD)

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





2014	2015				2019					YTD	
3.6	16.6	-5.4	15.1	-13.0	11.0	-2.8	11.3	-8.6	12.2	11.3	Fund Quartile
2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	Quartile
1 Mth	3 Mt	h 6 N	ith 1	Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since	incep.	Trailing	return %
4.8	11.3	18.	9 18	8.4	7.2	5.4	3.6	;	3.2	Fund	

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519

275

# Portfolio analysis as of March 31, 2024

648

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## **Equity style**

1<sup>st</sup>

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Large	30	27	27	Weight %			
Large	30	21	21	<ul><li>&gt; 50</li></ul>			
Mid	8	4	4	25-50			
Small	0	0	0	10-25			
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Value Blend Growth

### **Equity characteristics**

Dividend yield (%)	3.2
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	11.5
Price to book ratio	1.6
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	118.8

Quartile

# of funds in category

# Portfolio analysis continued as of March 31, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets
Industria de Diseno Textil SA	3.4
Allianz SE	2.9
Heidelberg Materials AG	2.6
Safran SA	2.3
Novo Nordisk A/S - Class B Shares	2.2
ASML Holding NV	2.2
Pandora A/S	1.9
Hitachi Ltd	1.9
Mazda Motor Corp	1.9
Novartis AG	1.7
Toyota Motor Corp	1.6
Vicinity Ltd	1.5
Tokyo Gas Co Ltd	1.4
EssilorLuxottica SA	1.3
Galp Energia SGPS SA	1.3
Banco Bilbao Vizcaya Argentaria SA	1.3
TotalEnergies SE	1.3
Stellantis NV	1.2
Nippon Yusen KK	1.2
Shell PLC	1.2
CaixaBank SA	1.2
SAP SE	1.2
Commerzbank AG	1.2
Melrose Industries PLC	1.1
InterContinental Hotels Group PLC	1.0
Total % of top 25 holdings	42.1
Total number of stock holdings	297

Equity sector allocation	%	Top equity geographic allocation	%
Financials	22.3	Japan	23.0
Industrials	19.0	Germany	12.7
Consumer Discretionary	15.7	United Kingdom	12.5
Health Care	9.6	France	12.3
Materials	9.0	Spain	7.8
Information Technology	6.5	Australia	6.5
Energy	5.7	Switzerland	5.4
Consumer Staples	5.1	Denmark	4.8
Real Estate	2.9	Italy	4.2
Utilities	2.6	Netherlands	3.7
Communication Services	1.6		

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	_	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	_	_	_
Canadian dividends	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Foreign dividends	_	0.29	0.29	0.23	0.09	0.24	0.37	0.21	0.24	0.20	0.23
Foreign taxes paid	_	-0.04	-0.04	-0.03	-0.02	-0.04	-0.04	-0.02	-0.04	-0.05	_
Capital gains	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Return of capital	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total distributions	0.00	0.25	0.25	0.21	0.08	0.20	0.33	0.18	0.20	0.15	0.23

<sup>\*</sup>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.

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