

PH&N Dividend Income Fund

Investment Objective

To provide long-term capital growth and income by investing primarily in a well-diversified portfolio of dividend income-producing Canadian securities that have a relatively high yield.

Fund Details

Series	Load Structure	Currency	Fund Code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF7150
Adv	Front End	CAD	RBF6150
Adv	Low Load	CAD	RBF4150

Inception Date	November 2008
Total Fund Assets \$Mil	2,627.4
Series A NAV \$	107.83
Series A MER %	1.87
Benchmark	S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index

Income Distribution	Quarterly
Capital Gains Distribution	Annually

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

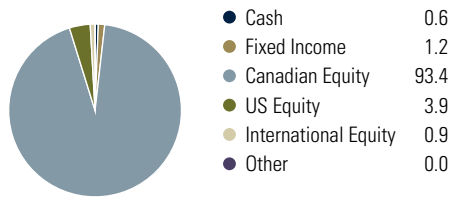
Fund Category	Canadian Dividend and Income Equity
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Management Company	RBC Global Asset Management Inc.
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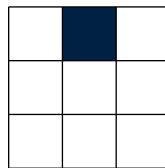
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Portfolio Analysis as of December 31, 2017

Asset Mix



Equity Style



Value Blend Growth

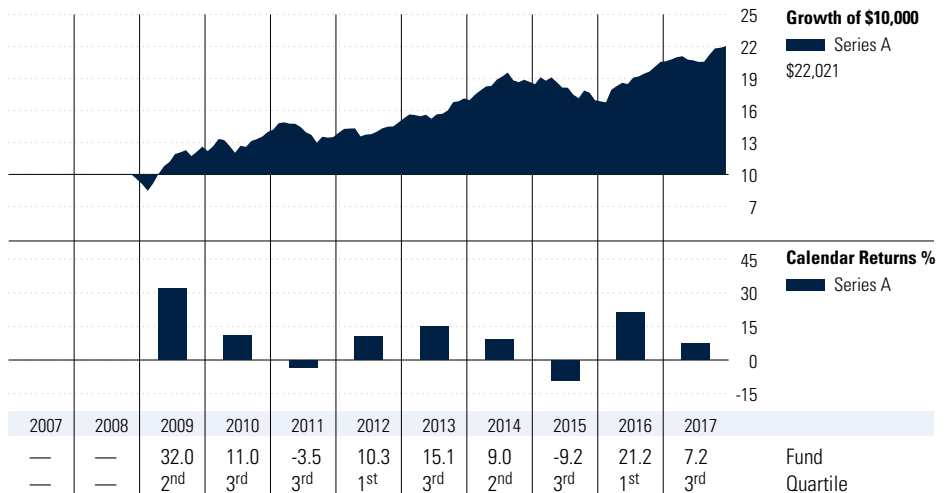
Global Equity Sectors

Sector	% Equity
Financials	43.8
Energy	19.3
Industrials	8.7
Telecommunication Services	5.1
Materials	5.1
Consumer Staples	4.7
Utilities	4.2
Consumer Discretionary	4.0
Real Estate	3.6
Information Technology	0.8
Health Care	0.7
Unclassified	0.0

Top 25 Holdings

Company	% Assets
Royal Bank of Canada	8.7
The Toronto-Dominion Bank	7.6
Bank of Nova Scotia	5.8
Canadian National Railway Co	4.6
Enbridge Inc	4.0
Bank of Montreal	4.0
Brookfield Asset Management Inc Class A	3.7
Manulife Financial Corp	3.2
Suncor Energy Inc	3.2
CIBC	3.0
TransCanada Corp	2.8
BCE Inc	2.4
Sun Life Financial Inc	2.1
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	2.0
Loblaw Companies Ltd	1.7
Magna International Inc Class A	1.6
Canadian Pacific Railway Ltd	1.5
Intact Financial Corp	1.5
Waste Connections Inc	1.4
Rogers Communications Inc Class B	1.4
Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc B	1.3
TELUS Corp	1.3
Pembina Pipeline Corp	1.1
Power Corporation of Canada	1.0
Cenovus Energy Inc	0.9
Total % of Top 25 Holdings	71.6
Total Number of Stock Holdings	80
Total Number of Bond Holdings	1
Total Number of Other Holdings	3
Total Number of Holdings	84

Performance Analysis as of December 31, 2017



1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Incep.	Trailing Return %
0.7	3.7	6.4	7.2	5.6	8.2	—	9.1	Fund
1 st	3 rd	2 nd	3 rd	3 rd	3 rd	—	—	Quartile
553	551	539	513	399	309	154	—	No. of Funds in Category

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Management Overview

Manager Bios

Warner Sulz

RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

Warner Sulz is Vice President and Senior Portfolio Manager, Canadian Equities. He has been in the investment industry since 1986.

Performance Analysis Cont'd as of December 31, 2017

Distributions (\$)/Unit	2017*	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
Total Distributions	3.46	1.44	1.45	1.48	1.06	1.94	1.77	0.70	1.05	0.56	—
Interest	1.35	—	—	—	—	—	—	0.70	—	—	—
Dividends	—	1.44	1.45	1.17	1.06	0.73	0.33	—	1.05	0.56	—
Capital Gains	2.11	—	—	0.31	—	1.21	1.44	—	—	—	—
Return Of Capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Best/Worst Periods %	Ended	1 Yr	Ended	3 Yr	Ended	5 Yr	Ended	10 Yr
Best	2-2010	49.5	2-2012	19.0	2-2014	15.6	—	—
Worst	2-2016	-12.3	8-2017	1.7	2-2016	2.5	—	—
Average		9.5		7.6		8.4		—
No. of Periods		98		74		50		—
Pct. Positive		77.6		100.0		100.0		—

* Final distribution attribution (interest, dividends, capital gains and return of capital) for 2017 will be reflected with January month-end profiles.

Quarterly Commentary as at December 31, 2017

The Fund's performance in the fourth quarter was driven by holdings such as Cardinal Energy Ltd., Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (CIBC) and Jamieson Wellness Inc.

Cardinal Energy had a solid quarter, which was further buoyed by strong crude oil price appreciation. We continue to expect the company to improve its balance sheet and lower its payout ratio, given its best-in-class decline rate, margin expansion and accretive asset sales. Attractive upside still remains as the company should continue to narrow its trading discount to peers.

CIBC also continues to narrow its discount to peers through positive operating results. Last quarter, earnings exceeded expectation as a result of strong credit, good expense control and solid earnings growth from the newly acquired PrivateBancorp Inc. (PVTB). In fact, PVTB had one of its best quarters across a number of key metrics, illustrated by strong loan growth. As long as the economic backdrop plays out in line with expectations, we continue to expect CIBC to perform well.

Jamieson Wellness continued its strong performance last quarter. The Branded businesses continued to deliver strong organic growth, driven by volume growth in both domestic and international markets. A recently launched cough and cold product is seeing good early reception. We remain confident in the company's prospects to outgrow the market due to new product launches and increased global market penetration, given its broad range of products for all ages and lifestyles.

During the quarter, we added Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd., Chartwell Retirement REIT, Jamieson Wellness and Neo Performance Materials Inc. We also raised our weighting in a number of stocks, including Enbridge Inc., Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc. and Tricon Capital Group Inc. We reduced our weighting in various stocks, including Cenovus Energy Inc., Restaurant Brands International and Brookfield Renewable Power Inc. We also eliminated our position in Trisura Group Ltd.

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