

# PH&N U.S. Multi-Style All-Cap Equity Fund

## Investment Objective

The fundamental investment objective of the Fund is to provide long-term capital growth primarily through exposure to a well-diversified portfolio of U.S. equity securities.

## Fund Details

Series	Load Structure	Currency	Fund Code
A	No Load	CAD	RBF7380
Adv	Front End	CAD	RBF6380
Adv	Low Load	CAD	RBF4380

Inception Date	June 2010
Total Fund Assets \$Mil	5,412.8
Series A NAV \$	17.43
Series A MER %	1.85
Benchmark	Russell 3000 Total Return Index (C\$)

Income Distribution	Annually
Capital Gains Distribution	Annually

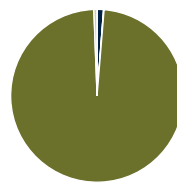
Sales Status	Open
Min. Investment \$	500
Subsequent Investment \$	25

Fund Category	US Equity
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Management Company	RBC Global Asset Management Inc.
Web Site	www.rbcgam.com

## Portfolio Analysis as of March 31, 2018

### Asset Mix

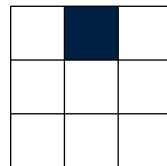


	% Assets
Cash	1.2
Fixed Income	0.0
Canadian Equity	0.1
US Equity	98.1
International Equity	0.6
Other	0.0

### Top 25 Holdings

	% Assets
Apple Inc	3.1
Microsoft Corp	3.1
Amazon.com Inc	2.0
The Home Depot Inc	1.6
Facebook Inc A	1.5
Boeing Co	1.3
Mastercard Inc A	1.2
JPMorgan Chase & Co	1.2
Bank of America Corporation	1.2
Alphabet Inc C	1.1
Citigroup Inc	1.1
Exxon Mobil Corp	1.0
Johnson & Johnson	1.0
Berkshire Hathaway Inc B	0.9
Lockheed Martin Corp	0.9
Intuit Inc	0.9
Accenture PLC A	0.9
Cisco Systems Inc	0.8
UnitedHealth Group Inc	0.8
Pfizer Inc	0.8
Alphabet Inc A	0.8
Philip Morris International Inc	0.8
Walmart Inc	0.8
Verizon Communications Inc	0.7
Altria Group Inc	0.7
Total % of Top 25 Holdings	30.3
Total Number of Stock Holdings	600
Total Number of Bond Holdings	0
Total Number of Other Holdings	1
<b>Total Number of Holdings</b>	<b>601</b>

### Equity Style



Value Blend Growth

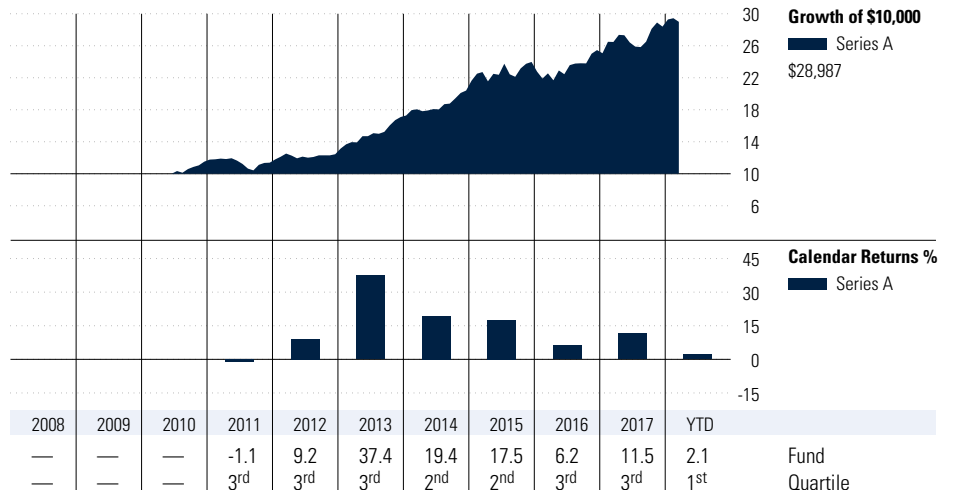
### Equity Statistics

P/B Ratio	2.8
P/E Ratio	16.5
Avg. Mkt Cap. \$B	61.9

### Global Equity Sectors

	% Equity
Information Technology	26.2
Financials	15.1
Consumer Discretionary	13.5
Health Care	12.6
Industrials	11.2
Consumer Staples	7.9
Energy	4.5
Materials	3.0
Real Estate	2.5
Utilities	2.1
Telecommunication Services	1.4
Unclassified	0.0

## Performance Analysis as of March 31, 2018



	1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since Incep.	Trailing Return %
	-1.5	2.1	9.3	9.5	8.5	15.8	—	14.7	Fund
	2nd	1st	1st	2nd	2nd	2nd	—	—	Quartile
	1430	1414	1401	1329	923	613	266	—	No. of Funds in Category

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## Management Overview

### Manager Bios

#### Sarah Riopelle

#### RBC Global Asset Management Inc.

Sarah Riopelle is Vice President and Senior Portfolio Manager, Investment Solutions. Sarah began her investment career in 1996. She is a member of the RBC Investment Strategy Committee and is responsible for the firm's Portfolio Solutions. Sarah has a Bachelor of Commerce in Finance and International Management from the University of Ottawa and is a CFA charter holder.

### Performance Analysis Cont'd as of March 31, 2018

Distributions (\$)/Unit	YTD*	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
Total Distributions	—	1.32	0.59	1.50	1.96	1.43	0.83	—	—	—	—
Interest	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dividends	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capital Gains	—	1.32	0.59	1.50	1.96	1.43	0.83	—	—	—	—
Return Of Capital	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Best/Worst Periods %	Ended	1 Yr	Ended	3 Yr	Ended	5 Yr	Ended	10 Yr
Best	12-2013	37.4	7-2015	25.5	11-2017	18.6	—	—
Worst	2-2016	-2.7	3-2018	8.5	4-2016	12.9	—	—
Average		14.7		16.8		16.4		
No. of Periods		82		58		34		
Pct. Positive		92.7		100.0		100.0		

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

### Quarterly Commentary as at March 31, 2018

Global trade suffered a setback in the first quarter of 2018 as U.S. President Trump threatened to impose trade tariffs on China and, to a lesser degree, allies in Europe and North America. The U.S. stock market posted modest gains over the period supported by a solid economic backdrop and robust earnings growth. Corporate profits have been growing meaningfully, bolstered by the U.S. tax cuts, and are expected to advance considerably in 2018. The continued economic expansion led the U.S. Federal Reserve (Fed) to raise interest rates during the period.

The Fund outperformed its benchmark, the Russell 3000 Index, during the period. All of the Fund's quant-based strategies had a positive impact on performance, led by the Large-Cap Growth sleeve. The fundamental Mid-Cap Growth and Mid-Cap Value strategies also aided returns. However, the Small-Cap sleeves were a drag on performance.

We expect the global economy to grow at its fastest pace since the financial crisis, allowing central banks to continue dialing back monetary accommodation. While our base case is for U.S. stocks to rise modestly over the year, there are several scenarios that could lead to declines, including a policy mistake by the Fed or protectionist trade moves by the U.S. government. Recent moves by the Trump Administration to place tariffs on aluminum and steel imports are not helpful as they raise inflation and could lead to retaliation by trading partners. An escalation of tensions with North Korea would also likely result in a spike in volatility and lower equity valuations. Our indicators suggest that the odds of a recession remain fairly low but, with valuations and the Fed intent on normalizing interest rates, risks have increased and earnings growth remains key for return prospects.

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