# **PH&N Balanced Pension Trust**



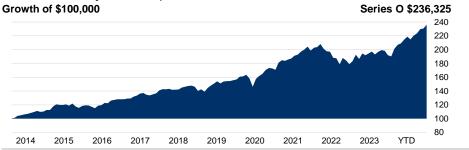
#### Investment objective

The fundamental investment objectives of the Fund are to provide long-term capital growth and income by investing primarily in a well-diversified, balanced portfolio of Canadian common stocks, bonds and money market securities. The Fund also holds a portion of its assets in foreign common stocks.

#### **Fund details**

Series	Currency	Fund code						
0	CAD	RBF8305						
Inception Total fun	n date nd assets \$MI	October 2002 M 2,131.6						
Benchma	ark							
36%	FTSE Canad	FTSE Canada Universe Bond Index						
36%	MSCI World (CAD)	MSCI World Total Return Net Index (CAD)						
20%		S&P/TSX Capped Composite Total Return Index						
4%	MSCI Emerg Return Net I	ging Markets Total ndex (CAD)						
3%	Canada CPI	+ 400 bps						
1%	FTSE Canad	da 30 Day TBill Index						

# Performance analysis as of September 30, 2024





2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD
12.6	5.7	8.5	10.3	-2.5	16.1	14.4	12.8	-10.4	10.9	14.2 Fund
10.6	3.6	8.1	8.5	-2.4	15.8	10.6	11.2	-9.8	12.6	13.6 Bench- mark
1 Mth	3 Mt	h 6 N	lth 1	Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since	e incep.	Trailing return %
2.4	5.8	7.9	) 23	3.1	6.0	8.7	8.0		7.7	Fund
2.3	5.9	7.9	) 22	2.7	6.4	7.9	7.1		_	Benchmark

## Portfolio analysis as of September 30, 2024

#### Asset mix % Assets Cash 1.7 Fixed income 34.1 Canadian equities 20.5 • U.S. equities 25.8 European equities 7.4 Asia-Pacific equities 2.6 • Emerging markets equities 4.6 • Real estate 3.3

#### Equity style

	00	0.4	00	Weight %
Large	20	34	26	• > 50
Mid	4	7	7	25-50
0 "				10-25
Small	0	1	1	0-10

Value Blend Growth

#### **Equity characteristics**

Dividend yield (%)	1.9
Price to earnings ratio (forward)	17.3
Price to book ratio	3.2
Price to free cash flow ratio	11.9
Price to sales ratio	1.8
Weighted average market capitalization (\$Bn)	559.8

Risk measures	Fund	Benchmark
3-year standard deviation	9.3	9.4
5-year standard deviation	9.7	9.6

#### Portfolio analysis continued as of September 30, 2024

Top 25 holdings	% Assets
Phillips, Hager & North Bond Fund - Se	ries O 25.8
RBC QUBE Global Equity Fund - Series	s O 14.8
Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Equity Underlying Fund - Series O	y 13.3
RBC Global Equity Focus Fund - Series	s O 11.6
RBC Global Equity Leaders Fund - Seri	ies O 10.2
Phillips, Hager & North Canadian Equity Value Fund - Series O	y 5.2
RBC Emerging Markets Equity Fund - SO	Series 4.2
BlueBay Global Investment Grade Corp Bond Fund (Canada) - Series O	oorate 4.2
RBC Global Bond Fund - Series O	2.7
RBC Canadian Core Real Estate Fund Series N	- 2.5
Phillips, Hager & North Small Float Fun Series O	d - 2.0
Phillips, Hager & North High Yield Bond - Series O	Fund 1.4
RBC Global Infrastructure Fund LP - Se	eries N 0.9
Total % of top 25 holdings	98.8

Equity sector allocation	%	Fixed income characteristics
Financials	21.6	Current yield (%)
Information Technology	19.2	Yield to maturity (%)
Industrials	12.4	Duration (years)
Consumer Discretionary	10.0	Average term to maturity (years)
Health Care	7.8	Average credit rating
Consumer Staples	7.2	
Energy	6.6	
Materials	5.7	
Communication Services	4.6	
Utilities	3.2	Fixed income breakdown
Real Estate	1.7	Government Bonds
Unclassified	-0.1	Corporate Bonds
		Other Bonds
		Securitized Debt
		ST Investments (Cash & Other)

Fixed income characteristics			
Current yield (%) Yield to maturity (%)	3.8 3.7		
Duration (years) Average term to maturity (years) Average credit rating	6.9 10.1 A		
Fixed income breakdown	%		
Government Bonds	43.0		
Corporate Bonds	440		
	44.8		

0.0

7.4

0.1

Distributions (\$)/unit*	YTD	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Interest	_	0.28	0.20	0.22	0.27	0.22	0.22	0.21	0.24	0.24	0.23
Canadian dividends	_	0.13	0.14	0.13	0.14	0.14	0.18	0.16	0.17	0.19	0.17
Foreign dividends	_	0.16	0.16	0.14	0.16	0.17	0.15	0.18	0.16	0.17	0.11
Foreign taxes paid	_	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	-0.02	_
Capital gains	_	0.28	0.43	1.41	0.50	0.18	0.54	0.63	0.37	0.89	0.85
Return of capital	_	0.02	0.03	0.02	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total distributions	0.27	0.85	0.93	1 90	1 05	0.69	1 08	1 16	0.92	1 48	1 36

**Direct Mortgages** 

# **Manager bios**

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<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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