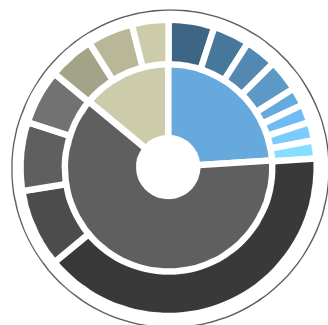


Russell Investments Income Essentials Class - US\$ Hedged

Pool composition

Equity	24.0%
Fixed income	62.0%
Real assets	14.0%



Fund	Target
Canadian Dividend Pool	5.0%
Focused Global Equity Pool	4.0%
Focused US Equity Pool	3.5%
Overseas Equity Pool	3.5%
Emerging Markets Equity Pool	2.0%
Focused Canadian Equity Pool	2.0%
Global Smaller Companies Pool	2.0%
Russell Investments: Positioning strategies	2.0%
Fixed Income Pool	40.0%
Global Unconstrained Bond Pool	8.5%
Global Credit Pool	7.5%
Short Term Income Pool	6.0%
Global Infrastructure Pool	5.0%
Yield Opportunities Pool	5.0%
Global Real Estate Pool	4.0%

Goal

To provide income and some long-term capital growth primarily through investments in and exposure to fixed income securities, financial instruments and, to a lesser extent, Canadian and foreign equity securities.

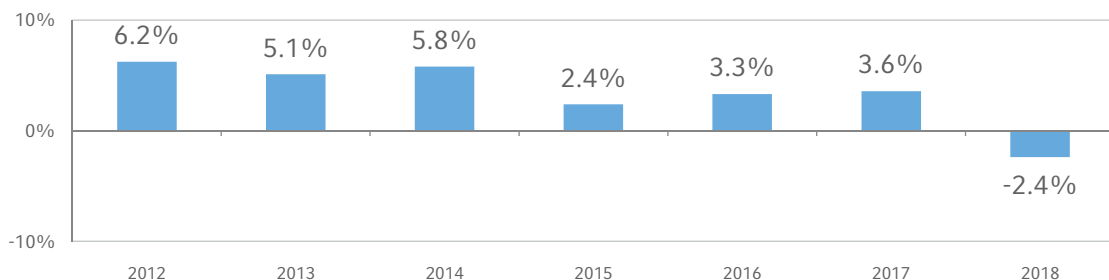
Investment strategy

The Fund invests primarily in Underlying Funds. The decision to invest in an Underlying Fund is based on Russell Investments' assessment of the market outlook and the Underlying Funds' ability to help the Fund meet its stated investment objectives.

Performance review (Series USD Hedged B-5)¹ As at April 30, 2019

	Annualized									
	1 month	3 months	6 months	Year to date	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception	
Series B	0.91%	3.62%	6.12%	6.30%	3.99%	3.66%	3.08%	-	3.87%	

Annual Returns



¹ All Performance shown are only for Series B and are net of fees and expenses. Annual returns are calendar year returns for the last ten years or since inception if the Fund has less than ten years of history. Performance is annualized except for periods of less than one year.

¹ Please see the prospectus for an explanation of the investment styles and risks of investing in a mutual fund.

² Fund names are preceded by "Russell Investments".

Risk tolerance



Fund facts

Series inception date: 08/29/2011
Management fee: 1.75%
Asset Class: Balanced
Total fund assets: \$704.20M
Annualized standard deviation 3yr: 3.4%
Annualized standard deviation 5yr: 3.6%

Russell Investments Income Essentials Class - US\$ Hedged (continued)

Ten largest holdings^{6,7}

Top 5 equity holdings	Weight
Transurban Limited	0.5%
NextEra Energy, Inc.	0.4%
Aena S.A.	0.4%
Bank of Nova Scotia	0.4%
Kinder Morgan, Inc.	0.3%

⁶ This represents the top five stock holdings as held within the underlying Russell Investments Pools. This holdings list does not include the effects of cash securitization within the underlying Pools. Cash holdings are included in calculating the weights, but are not shown.

Top 5 fixed income holdings	Weight
Province of Ontario, 2.400% 02-Jun-2026	0.8%
Government of Canada, 0.000% 02-May-2019	0.8%
Government of Canada, 0.000% 04-Apr-2019	0.7%
Province of Ontario, 2.600% 02-Jun-2025	0.6%
Government of Canada, 2.750% 01-Dec-2048	0.6%

⁷ This represents the top five bond holdings as held within the underlying Russell Investments Pools. This does not include the effects of cash securitization. Cash holdings are included in calculating the weights, but are not shown.

Regional weights

Region	Weight
Canada	52.5%
United States	28.9%
Europe	9.2%
Emerging Markets	2.6%
United Kingdom	2.5%
Asia ex Japan	2.4%
Japan	2.0%

Holdings by sector⁸

	Weight
Foreign	21.1%
Corporate	18.5%
Provincial/Municipal	13.3%
Federal	9.3%
Other	3.4%

⁸ Sector weights are combined fixed income sector weights.

Fund Codes (FRC)

	B-5	F-5
Class	2229	2338

For additional Series fund codes, visit russellinvestments.com/ca/fundcodes.

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All rates of return shown are for periods ending April 30, 2019. Rates of return shown for less than one year are not annualized. All other data shown is as of April 30, 2019 with exception of Ten largest holdings, Holdings by sector and Regional weights which are as of March 31, 2019.

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