Manulife Canadian Dividend Growth Fund

Advisor Series • Performance as at February 29, 2024 • Holdings as at February 29, 2024

Overview

Overall Morningstar Rating¹



Key Facts

Management Team: Fundamental Equity Team

Inception date: November 8, 1994

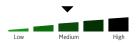
AUM²: \$654.28M

CIFSC category: Canadian Dividend & Income Equity

Investment style: Blend Distribution frequency 3: Quarterly Distribution yield⁴: 2.95% Positions: 45 Management fee: 1.38%

MER: 1.77% (as at 2022-12-31, includes HST) Min. investment: \$500 initial; \$25 PAC

Fund Status: Open Risk: Medium



Equity Characteristics

P/E Ratio	16.26
P/B Ratio	2.03
P/CF Ratio	8.66
ROE	15.91%
Average Market Cap	\$53.47B
Dividend Yield	3.82%

Equity Style Box⁵



The fund's portfolio is biased toward large-cap value stocks.

Fund Codes (MMF)

Series	FE	LL2	LL3	DSC	NL
Advisor	3506	3270	3706	3406	_
Advisor - DCA	23506	23270	23706	23406	_
F	_	_	_	_	3606
F - DCA	_	_	_	_	23606
FT6	_	_	_	_	3906
T6	3507	3370	3707	3407	_

DSC/LL2/LL3 load options are available for switches only and are not available for new purchases.

Why invest?

- Managed by the Fundamental Equity Team
- · Employs a fundamental bottom-up approach investing in a diversified portfolio of primarily Canadian dividend paying securities exhibiting strong future growth prospects.
- · The portfolio manager looks towards companies that have exhibited consistent growth prospects over time, paying special attention to industries and individual management teams that have historically shown their ability and willingness to increase shareholder value by distributing profits in the form of growing dividends.

Performance

Growth of \$10,000 since inception⁶



Calendar Returns (%)

2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
7.13	-1.54	10.91	7.98	-8.45	21.31	0.87	27.93	-3.05	6.80	

Compound Returns (%)

1 Mth	3 Mth	6 Mth	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	15 Yrs	20 Yrs	Inception
3.85	7.54	7.55	4.52	8.09	10.46	9.04	6.96	8.98	_	9.48

Risk Measures (5 yr.)	Standard Deviation (%)	Sortino Ratio	Sharpe Ratio	Alpha	Beta	R-Squared (%)
Fund	12.96	1.05	0.39	0.89	0.89	90.82
Benchmark ⁷	14.62	0.89	0.33	_	_	_

Manulife Investment Management

Management

Portfolio advisor:

Fundamental Equity Team



Steve Belisle



Patrick Blais

Annual Distributions ³

	Income	Dividends	Capital Gains	Return of Capital	Total
2023	_	\$1.80	\$4.37	_	\$6.26
2022	_	\$1.87	\$6.21	_	\$8.08
2021	\$0.64	\$1.63	\$3.37	_	\$5.65
2020	\$0.04	\$0.24	_	_	\$0.28
2019	\$0.10	\$0.94	\$1.58	_	\$2.62
2018	\$0.01	\$0.05	\$0.04	_	\$0.09
2017	\$0.13	\$0.55	\$0.65	_	\$1.33
2016	\$0.08	\$0.54	\$0.41	_	\$1.03

Management Fee Reduction Rates⁸

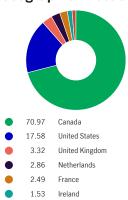
Account/Household Value Tiers	All Qualifying Investments
\$250K+ to \$499K	2.50 basis points
\$500K+ to \$999K	5.00 basis points
\$1M+ to \$4.9M	7.50 basis points
\$5M+ to \$9.9M	10.00 basis points
\$10M+	12.50 basis points

Top 10 Holdings (%) 9

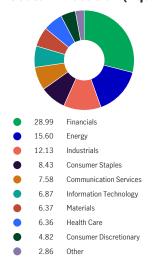
1. Royal Bank of Canada Com	6.37
2. Toronto-Dominion Bank Com New	5.16
3. Enbridge Inc. Com	5.15
4. Sun Life Financial Inc. Com	4.75
5. Suncor Energy Inc. Com	4.27
6. National Bank of Canada Com	4.01
7. Canadian National Railway Company Com	3.96
8. Intact Financial Corporation Com	3.75
9. Canadian Natural Resources Ltd. Com	3.68
10.Ahold Delhaize N.V. Sponsored ADR Sponsored Adr New 2016	2.86

Portfolio Allocation

Geographic Allocation (%)



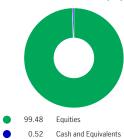
Sector Allocation (Equities) (%)



Asset Allocation (%)

Germany

1.23



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