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**Focus on quality**

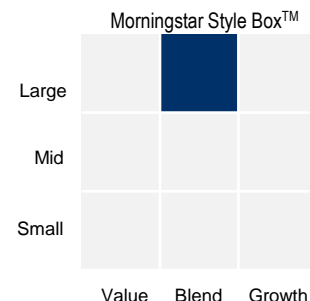
Our goal is to provide clients with high quality performance through investing in the highest quality companies in the investment universe.

**Distinctive top-down and bottoms-up approach**

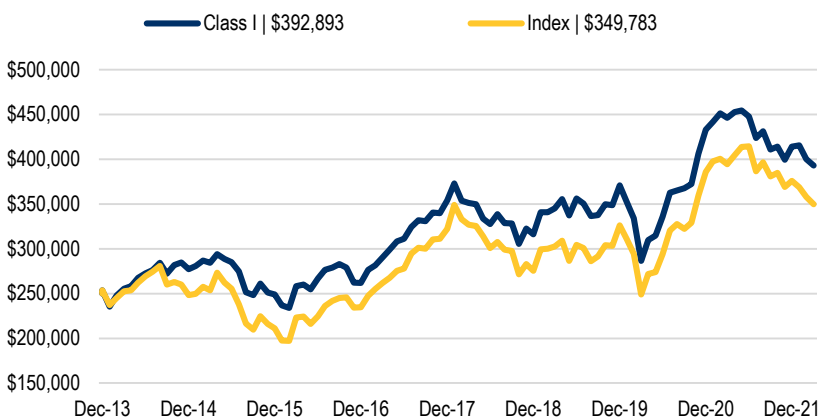
Positioning the portfolio in areas of long-term growth coupled with in-depth company level research seeks to provide lower volatility returns and downside protection.

**Integrated ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance)**

ESG considerations are fully integrated into our investment process. We actively engage with companies to promote responsible and sustainable business practices.



**Growth of a hypothetical investment**



This chart illustrates the performance of a hypothetical investment of \$250,000 made in the Fund on the Inception date through 3.31.22. Assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains but does not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or redemption of fund shares. This chart does not imply future performance.

**Investment performance (%)**

As at 3.31.22

	QTR	YTD	1YR	3YR	5YR	SI*
A shares	-5.22	-5.22	-12.17	4.14	5.94	5.36
A shares with max load	-10.70	-10.70	-17.21	2.11	4.68	4.61
I shares	-5.13	-5.13	-11.97	4.42	6.22	5.61
R6 shares	-5.18	-5.18	-11.99	4.40	6.19	5.71
Index	-6.97	-6.97	-11.37	4.94	5.98	4.14

All returns greater than one year are shown on an annualized basis. \*Since Inception: I shares 12.20.13

**Calendar year returns (%)**

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
I shares	-4.39	16.76	17.27	-10.64	35.12	5.28	-10.19	9.29	-	-
Index	-2.54	18.31	18.42	-14.57	37.28	11.19	-14.92	-2.19	-	-

Performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance of the Fund may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. For performance data current to the most recent month-end, visit our website at <https://us.rbcgam.com/mutual-funds/default.fs> after the seventh business day after month-end or call 800.973.0073. Class A performance with maximum load reflects a maximum 5.75% sales charge. Source: RBC, MSCI

Performance shown reflects contractual fee waivers. Without such waivers, total returns would be reduced. Performance shown for a share class before its inception is based on the performance of the share class with the earliest inception date and adjusted to reflect the fees and expenses, and any applicable sales charges of the share class shown. <sup>1</sup>The Adviser has contractually agreed to waive certain fees and/or pay certain operating expenses until at least 9.30.22. Net expense ratios are as of the most recent prospectus (available here: <http://dfinview.com/usrbcgam>) and applicable to investors.

**Fund facts**

	A	I	R6
Symbol	REEAX	REEIX	RREMX
Inception date	12.20.13	12.20.13	11.22.16
Net expense ratio <sup>1</sup> (%)	1.13	0.88	0.88
Gross expense ratio (%)	1.45	0.99	0.88
Total net assets: \$2,656.55M			
Index: MSCI Emerging Markets Net Total Return USD Index			

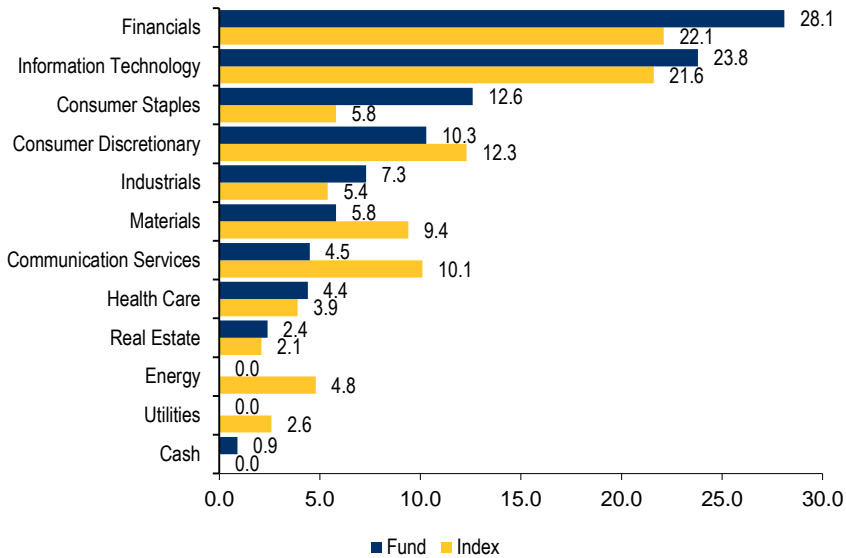
**Fund characteristics**

	Fund	Index
Holdings (ex cash)	47	1,334
Weighted average market cap (bn)	US\$ 109.3	US\$ 124.6
Portfolio turnover	15.0%	-
Active share	78.7%	-

**Risk characteristics (5 year)**

	Fund	Index
Upside capture	82.67%	-
Downside capture	90.52%	-
Alpha	0.71%	-
Beta	0.88	-
Standard deviation	14.88%	16.48%
Sharpe ratio	0.34	0.29

## Sector allocation (%)



Source: RBC, Factset. The sum of all categories may not equal 100.0% due to rounding.

## Top 10 holdings (%)

Issuer	Fund (%)
TSMC	7.02
SK Hynix	5.86
Tata Consultancy Services	4.67
Tencent	4.48
Antofagasta	4.38
Housing Development Finance	3.52
Ping An Insurance	3.10
Alibaba	2.87
Dr Reddy's Laboratories	2.80
AIA	2.76

## Top 10 countries (%)

Country	Fund (%)	Index (%)
China/HK	24.58	30.04
India	15.59	13.10
Taiwan	15.47	16.15
South Korea	11.11	12.58
Chile	5.34	0.51
Brazil	5.09	5.82
South Africa	5.01	4.05
United Kingdom	4.06	0.00
Indonesia	3.47	1.75
Mexico	2.75	2.33

## Investment team



**Phil Langham**

Senior Portfolio Manager & Head of Emerging Markets Equities  
30 years of experience

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*Mutual fund investing involves risk. Principal loss is possible. The Fund invests in foreign securities, which involve greater volatility and political, economic, and currency risks, and differences in accounting methods. These risks may be greater in emerging markets. The Fund may be subject to the risk that a particular investment may be difficult to purchase or sell and that the Fund may be unable to sell illiquid securities at an advantageous time or price. These risks are described more fully in the prospectus.*

**Diversification does not assure a profit or protect against loss.**

**Index:** The MSCI Emerging Markets Net Total Return USD Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization index that is designed to measure equity market performance of emerging markets. It captures large and mid capitalization representation across emerging markets countries and covers approximately 85% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in each country. The Net Index is net of any foreign withholding tax. You cannot invest directly in an index.

**Definitions:** **Active Share:** a measure of the percentage of holdings in a portfolio that differ from the benchmark index. **Alpha:** a risk-adjusted performance measurement of a portfolio's excess return relative to its benchmark after considering its risk relative to the benchmark. **Beta:** a volatility measurement of a portfolio compared to a benchmark or the overall market and indicates the sensitivity of a portfolio's returns to benchmark or market movements. **Sharpe Ratio:** a risk-adjusted return measurement of efficiency and is calculated using a portfolio's standard deviation and excess return relative to a risk-free rate to determine reward per unit of risk. **Standard Deviation:** a volatility measurement and represents the average, or standard, deviation of a return series from its mean, or average, return. **Weighted Average Market Cap:** an average market capitalization of a portfolio calculated by giving more value to stocks with greater portfolio weights than stocks with lesser portfolio weights. **Upside Capture/Downside Capture:** a performance measurement of a portfolio compared to its benchmark when the benchmark had positive returns/negative returns and is calculated by dividing a portfolio's returns by its benchmark returns and multiplying by 100.

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