

# Russell Investments Fixed Income Plus Pool

February 29, 2024

## Pool Composition



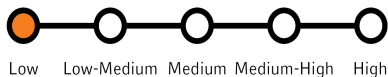
### Sub-adviser

Sub-adviser	Target
RIPL Fixed Income Pool	45.0%
MetLife Investment Management, LLC	20.0%
Western Asset Management Company, LLC	15.0%
Russell Investments	11.0%
PICTON MAHONEY FORTIFIED INCOM	9.0%

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

Sub-advisers are current as of the report end date and are subject to change. Russell Investments has the right to engage or terminate a sub-adviser at any time and without notice.

## Risk Tolerance



## Fund Facts

Series Inception Date : 12/20/2011

MER : 1.61%

Total Fund Assets : \$94.74 M

Effective Duration : 5.74 years

Yield to Maturity : 5.77%

As of March 31, 2023. Management expense ratio (MER) is based on total expenses (excluding commissions and other portfolio transaction costs) for the stated period and is expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net asset value during the period.

The expected rate of return on a bond if it is held until maturity based on its current market price. It is not a measure of historical yield or the income received by an investor. Investment management fees, expenses and taxes are not included in this calculation that would have decreased the yield shown.

## Fund Objective

Russell Investments Fixed Income Plus Pool (the Fund) aims to provide income primarily through exposure to Canadian and foreign fixed income investments.

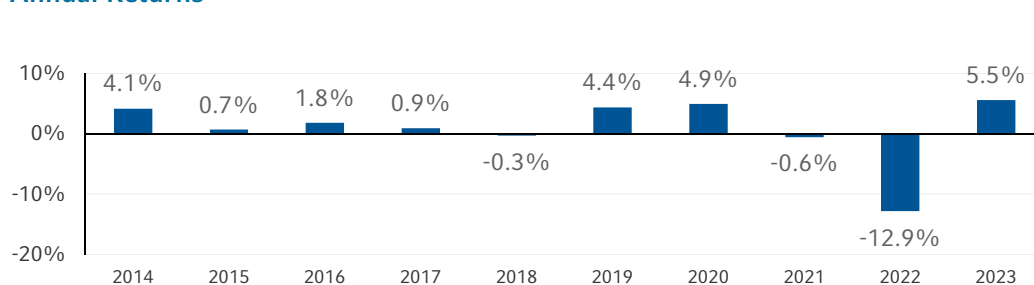
## Investment Strategy

To achieve its objective, the Fund invests primarily in Underlying Funds.

## Performance Review

	1 month	3 months	6 months	Year to date	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Series B	-0.5%	1.7%	2.5%	-1.1%	3.2%	-2.8%	-0.5%	0.4%	0.7%

## Annual Returns



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 been offering securities by way of prospectus for more than one year but less than 10 years. Performance is annualized except for periods of less than one year.

## Ten Largest Holdings

Holdings	Weight
Picton Mahoney Fortified Incom	13.0%
Canadian Government Bonds 12/53 1.75	2.5%
Ontario (Province Of) Sr Unsecured 06/33 3.65	1.4%
Canadian Government Bonds 06/27 1	1.2%
Canadian Government Bonds 12/33 3.25	1.1%
Canada Housing Trust Govt Guarant 144A 12/28 2.65	1.1%
Canadian Government Bonds 03/28 3.5	0.9%
Canadian Government Bonds 03/26 0.25	0.8%
Japan (10 Year Issue) Bonds 03/29 0.1	0.7%
Province Of Quebec Unsecured 12/45 3.5	0.6%

Cash holdings are included in the calculation of weights, but excluded from the holdings list.

In instances where another Russell Investments fund is held, look-through is conducted to underlying securities.

## Fixed Income Sector Weights

Sector	Weight
Corporate - Investment Grade	27.1%
Treasuries	19.7%
Government Related	15.7%
Securitized	15.5%
Corporate - High Yield	12.0%
Other	9.2%
Emerging Markets - Hard Currency	0.5%
Emerging Markets - Local Currency	0.3%

The "Other" component includes cash and cash equivalents, derivatives and currency.

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## Credit Ratings

	Weight
AAA	30.6%
AA	16.3%
A	14.5%
BBB	32.2%
BB	0.3%
B	1.1%
CCC & Below	0.2%
Unrated	4.9%

This list does not include unclassified securities and may not add to 100%

## Fund Codes (FRC)

	Trust	Class
B (front load)	028	closed
B-3	317	closed
F (fee based)	030	closed
F-3	315	closed
O	424	closed

For additional Series Fund Codes, visit [russellinvestments.com/ca/fundcodes](https://russellinvestments.com/ca/fundcodes)

## Regional Weights

Region	Weight
Canada	38.6%
United States	37.2%
United Kingdom	1.5%
Japan	1.3%
Italy	0.6%
Germany	0.6%
France	0.4%
Spain	0.3%
Ireland	0.2%
Mexico	0.2%
Australia	0.2%
European Union	0.2%
Austria	0.1%
Belgium	0.1%
Brazil	0.1%
New Zealand	0.0%
Singapore	0.0%
Sweden	0.0%
Serbia (old)	0.0%
Norway	0.0%
Denmark	0.0%
Hungary	0.0%
Argentina	0.0%
Kenya	0.0%
South Korea	0.0%
Switzerland	0.0%
Finland	0.0%
Israel	0.0%
Netherlands	0.0%
Portugal	0.0%
United Arab Emirates	0.0%
Chile	0.0%
Colombia	0.0%

## Important Information

Commissions, trailing commissions, management fees and expenses all may be associated with mutual fund investments. Please read the prospectus before investing. The indicated rates of returns are the historical annual compounded total returns including changes in unit/share value and reinvestment of all dividends or distributions and does not take into account sales, redemption, distribution or optional charges or income taxes payable by any security holder that would have reduced returns. Mutual Funds are not guaranteed, their values change frequently and past performance may not be repeated.

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