

# Russell Investments Short Term Income Pool June 30, 2024

Target

45.0% 35.0%

20.0%

# **Pool Composition**



#### Sub-adviser

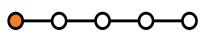
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Please see the prospectus for an explanation of the investment styles and risks of investing in a mutual fund.

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**



Low Low-Medium Medium Medium-High High

#### **Fund Facts**

Series Inception Date: 08/22/2012

MER: 1.23%

Total Fund Assets : \$80.88 M

Effective Duration : 2.55 years

Yield to Maturity: 4.75%

Current yield: 3.90%

CORPORATE CLASS: A similar corporate class fund is available.

As of March 31, 2024. 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.

The Current Yield is an annualized historical yield based on the seven-day period ended on May 31, 2024 and does not represent an actual one-year return.

# **Fund Objective**

To provide a stable level of cash flow by investing principally in short-term, high quality fixed income securities issued or guaranteed by Canadian federal, provincial or municipal governments or issued by Canadian corporations.

# **Investment Strategy**

Russell Investments Short Term Income Pool (The Fund) invests in shorter maturity Canadian fixed income securities using the following styles: interest rate management, sector selection, security selection, global management and currency management. The Fund may invest up to 25% of its net assets in foreign fixed income securities.

#### **Performance Review**

|          | 1     | 3      | 6      | Year to | 1    | 3     | 5     | 10    | Since     |
|----------|-------|--------|--------|---------|------|-------|-------|-------|-----------|
|          | month | months | months | date    | year | years | years | years | inception |
| Series B | 0.6%  | 1.0%   | 1.6%   | 1.6%    | 5.5% | 0.2%  | 1.0%  | 1.0%  | 1.1%      |

#### **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 |
|---|--------|
| Cppib Capital Inc Company Guar Regs 03/28 3.25        | 4.3%   |
| Royal Bank Of Canada Sr Unsecured 01/28 4.642         | 2.8%   |
| Canadian Government Bonds 06/27 1                     | 2.3%   |
| Pembina Pipeline Corp Company Guar Regs 06/27 4.24    | 2.2%   |
| Pacific Life Gf li Sr Secured Regs 02/27 Var          | 2.0%   |
| Met Life Glob Funding I Sr Secured Regs 04/25 3.257   | 1.9%   |
| Toyota Credit Canada Inc Sr Unsecured Regs 10/24 2.31 | 1.9%   |
| Manitoba (Province Of) Unsecured 06/27 2.6            | 1.7%   |
| Canadian Mortgage Pools Can 97528136                  | 1.7%   |
| Bank Of Nova Scotia Sr Unsecured 05/27 Var            | 1.6%   |

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**

|                                  | Weight |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Corporate - Investment Grade     | 63.6%  |
| Government Related               | 12.6%  |
| Other                            | 8.2%   |
| Corporate - High Yield           | 4.8%   |
| Treasuries                       | 4.4%   |
| Securitized                      | 4.0%   |
| Emerging Markets - Hard Currency | 2.5%   |

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# **Credit Ratings**

|             | Weight |
|-------------|--------|
| AAA         | 24.8%  |
| AA          | 10.6%  |
| A           | 28.8%  |
| BBB         | 30.3%  |
| ВВ          | 4.2%   |
| В           | 0.6%   |
| CCC & Below | 0.5%   |
| Unrated     | 0.3%   |

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

# **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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