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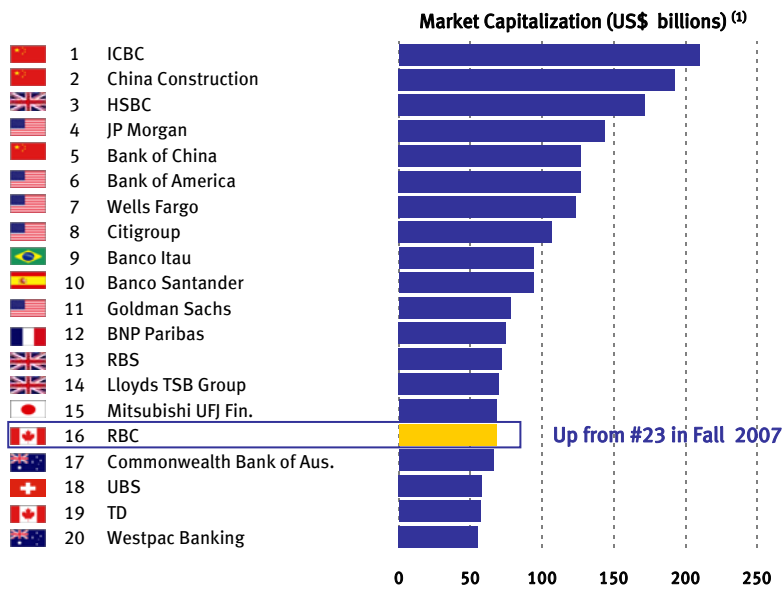
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RBC – Among the Top 20 largest banks globally



Who we are – Universal bank with financial strength



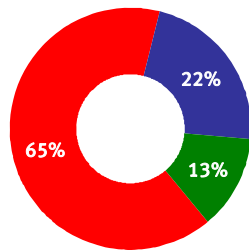
- Universal bank in Canada with selective focus globally
 - Active in all banking areas in Canada with leading market positions
 - Global capabilities in capital markets and wealth management
- Diversified model with the right mix of businesses and geographies
 - Able to generate significant returns throughout the economic cycle
 - Long-term strategic balance
 - 75% retail banking, wealth management and insurance businesses
 - 25% capital markets businesses
 - 2/3 Canada and 1/3 other geographies
- Continuing to invest in our businesses while focusing on cost management
- Senior debt ratings amongst the highest globally:
 - Moody's: Aaa⁽¹⁾ – DBRS: AA
 - S&P: AA⁽²⁾ – Fitch: AA

Managing our company for long-term success

Diversified business with core strength in Canada

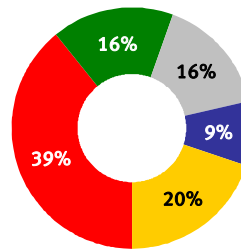


Revenue by Geography
Five Year Average
(2005-2009)



■ Canada
■ U.S.
■ Other International

Revenue by Business Segment ⁽¹⁾
Five Year Average
(2005-2009)

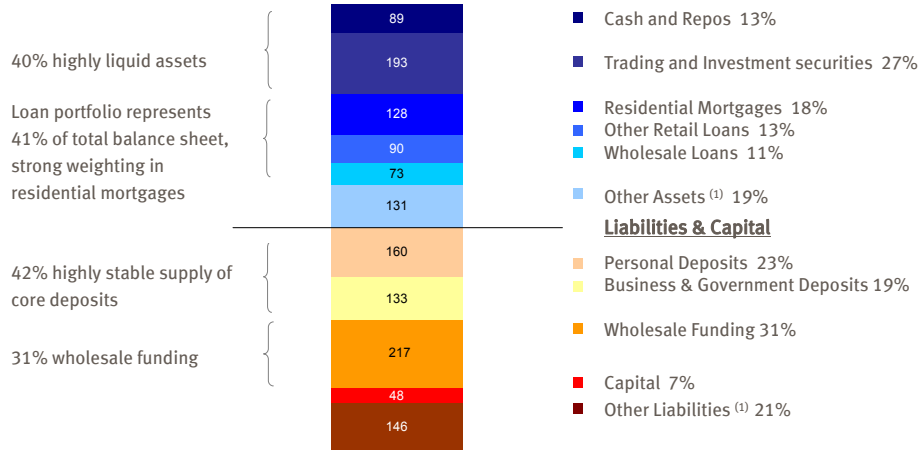


■ Canadian Banking
■ Wealth Management
■ Insurance
■ International Banking
■ Capital Markets

High quality, liquid balance sheet provides significant flexibility



\$704 billion
(as at July 31, 2010)



Solid risk management contributes to balance sheet strength

(1) Other assets include \$96B of derivatives related assets, largely offset by derivatives related liabilities in Other liabilities. Under Canadian GAAP derivative amounts with master netting agreements cannot be offset and the gross derivative assets and liabilities are reported on balance sheet.

Where we are going



Our Goals

Vision

Always earning the right to be our clients' first choice

In Canada, to be the undisputed leader in financial services

In the U.S., to be a leading provider of capital markets, wealth management and banking services by building on and leveraging our considerable capabilities

Outside North America, to be a premier provider of select capital markets, wealth management and banking services in markets of choice



What we are doing to outpace the competition

- Canadian Banking – Clear leader and building on momentum
 - Profitably growing market share by delivering on client needs better than peers
 - Driving efficiencies and positive operating leverage
- Insurance – Growing the business
 - Leveraging RBC’s distribution and brand strength
- Capital Markets – Building global capabilities
 - Leading Canadian position
 - Two-thirds of employees based in U.S. and U.K.; a major growth opportunity
 - Deepening expertise by adding quality teams from competition
- Wealth Management – Seizing opportunities for growth
 - Top performing Canadian asset manager with ability to lead market direction
 - Largest full service brokerage in Canada with industry leading performance
 - Attracting top advisors in North America and globally
- International Banking – Integrating operations and building efficiencies

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Canadian Banking – Clear leader and widening the gap



Largest, most integrated advice based distribution network

- Offering superior client access with most branches (1,205) and ATMs (4,245)
- Largest dedicated mobile mortgage specialist network (1,250)
- Cross-selling products and services from Wealth Management and Insurance

Improving client experience through 4 key areas of differentiation – service, advice, convenience/access and value for money

- Best Banking Award recipient for “Branch Service”, “Financial Planning and Advice” and “Values My Business” (Synovate, 2009)
- Ranked #1 for a Canadian financial institution public website (Forrester, 2010)
- RBC Direct Investing ranked #1 service provider - discount brokerage (Dalbar, 2010)

Driving efficiencies and positive operating leverage by streamlining and automating key processes

- 2009 efficiency ratio of 47.8%, improved 180 basis points from 49.6% in 2008
- 2009 operating leverage of 3.8%, up from 2.6% in 2008

Canadian retail momentum



	Q3/10 ⁽¹⁾		Q3/09 ⁽¹⁾		
	Rank	Market Share	Rank	Market Share	
Leadership in most personal products	Consumer Lending ⁽²⁾	1	21.1%	1	20.8%
	Personal core deposits	2	20.0%	2	18.5%
	Personal Investments ⁽³⁾	1	15.9%	1	17.0%
Leadership in business products	Business loans ⁽⁴⁾				
	\$0 - \$250M	1	26.3%	1	26.5%
	\$250M - \$5MM	1	26.6%	1	26.9%
	Business deposits & investments	1	22.4%	1	22.5%

(1) Market share is calculated using most current data available from Bank of Canada (BoC), Investment Funds Institute of Canada (IFIC) and Canadian Bankers Association (CBA). BoC and IFIC data is at June 2010 and CBA data is at March 2010. Market share is of total Chartered Banks unless otherwise noted.

(2) Consumer Lending comprises residential mortgages, personal loans and credit cards.

(3) Personal Investments comprises GICs and mutual funds. Mutual fund market share is per IFIC.

(4) Market share is of the nine Chartered Banks that submit Business Loan tiered data to CBA on a quarterly basis.

Wealth Management – Seizing opportunities for growth



Top performing Canadian asset manager focused on global growth

- Largest Canadian retail mutual fund company with over \$100B AUM and 15% market share ⁽¹⁾
- Track record of industry leading performance
 - ✓ PH&N voted Best Overall Fund Group and Best Bond Fund Family (Lipper, 2010)
 - ✓ In 2009, RBC captured 31% of the industry net sales of long-term funds
- Leading Canadian institutional asset manager with growing presence in the U.S. market through recent mandate wins
- Actively considering acquisition opportunities outside Canada

Largest and most comprehensive full-service wealth manager in Canada

- Largest full-service brokerage in Canada with 23% of assets and 15% of advisors ⁽²⁾
- Market leader in estate and trusts with 27% share of industry revenue ⁽²⁾

Strong and growing position in U.S. Wealth Management

- 6th largest U.S. full-service retail brokerage firm with almost 2,300 financial consultants
- Translating recent significant growth in our U.S. Wealth Management business into bottom-line profitability

Leader in International Wealth Management

- Top 20 global private bank and 2009 Award winner for “Outstanding Private Banking – North America” ⁽³⁾
- Ranked #1 Best private banking services overall – Canada, Caribbean and Jersey (Euromoney, 2010)
- Pursuing acquisition opportunities that have synergies with existing business model

Insurance – Growing the business



Largest Canadian bank-owned group of insurers

- Only bank in Canada with a suite of solutions for business and personal clients
- Manufacturer and distributor for both life & health and property & casualty
- Market leader in Canadian travel insurance primarily through third party distribution, with growing authorized bank distribution
- Market leader in Bank Act authorized creditor insurance products

Increasing sales through lower-cost channels

- Growing in Canada by leveraging RBC's client, distribution, risk management and brand strength
- Expanded our retail insurance network to 52 branches
 - 17 new locations opened since the beginning of 2009, providing our clients with more convenient access to insurance services

Pursuing selected international niche opportunities

- Providing life insurance, annuity products and travel insurance in the U.S.
- Internationally, focusing on specialty reinsurance businesses

International Banking – Building a portfolio of quality assets



Transforming U.S. banking by enhancing the client experience and improving distribution capabilities

- Over 425 branches focused on retail, small business and commercial clients
- Refining operations and taking out costs to become more competitive in the attractive U.S. Southeast market

2nd largest bank in the English Caribbean and growing

- Integrating RBTT Financial Group acquisition to expand and deepen Caribbean banking platform
- Strong position for future expansion in the Caribbean and Latin America

RBC Dexia Investor Services: Top 10 global custodian

- Providing unique offshore and onshore solutions to institutions worldwide in 16 countries on 4 continents
- Delivering a globally integrated suite of products and services, while responding to emerging opportunities through select client and market initiatives
- Responding to emerging opportunities by pursuing select client and market initiatives

Capital Markets – outpacing our competition



- Diversified segment generating 25 – 30% of RBC’s revenue and earnings
 - Broad diversification across businesses, geographies and client segments
 - Strong risk management capabilities and focus on acceptable risk/return profile
 - Track record of consistent profitability, with lower volatility than most industry peers
- Market leadership in Canada with momentum
 - Largest Canadian investment bank with top tier market share in virtually all of our businesses
 - Well-positioned to extend our lead over the competition
- Leveraging Canadian leadership to grow globally
 - Approximately 60% of revenue from outside Canada; where we see our major growth opportunities
 - Cross-border and global capabilities also strengthen our domestic franchise
 - Investing in establishing our brand outside of Canada
- Disciplined and focused approach to growth
 - Adding capabilities and extending our strengths into new markets, typically through small acquisitions and team hires
 - Focus on rigorous cost management and balance sheet efficiency
 - Responding to evolving regulatory requirements

Capital Markets achievements



- ✓ Best Investment Bank in Canada for 3rd consecutive year (*Euromoney*)
- ✓ Best Bank for Fixed Income e-Trading and Non-Core Currency Bonds (*Credit Magazine's 2010 European Credit Awards*)
- ✓ Joint bookrunner and hedge manager on largest ever U.K. Gilt offering, and the largest ever European government bond to date

Rankings	Rank	Value (\$ millions)	# of deals	Market Share
Canadian corporate debt ⁽¹⁾	1	12,945	56	29.8%
Canadian all debt (excl. self funded) ⁽²⁾	1	19,814	64	25.8%
Canadian equity and equity-related (excl. structured products) ⁽³⁾	1	5,796	56	17.3%
U.S. M&A ⁽⁴⁾	19	11,232	28	2.9%

(1) Bloomberg: January 2010 - July 2010

(2) Thomson Reuters: January 2010 – June 2010

(3) FPIInformat: November 2009 – July 2010

(4) Bloomberg: January 2010 – June 2010, in US\$. Ranking up from #51 with a market share of 0.1% during the same period of 2009

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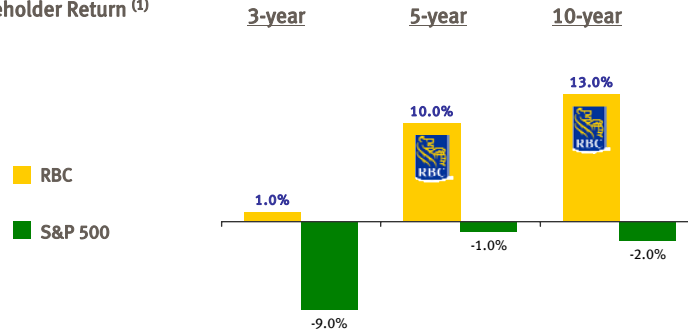
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Consistent outperformance



Total Shareholder Return ⁽¹⁾



RBC rank versus:

Global peer group ⁽²⁾
Big 6 Canadian Banks

Global peer group ⁽²⁾	#4	#1	#4
Big 6 Canadian Banks	#4	#1	#3

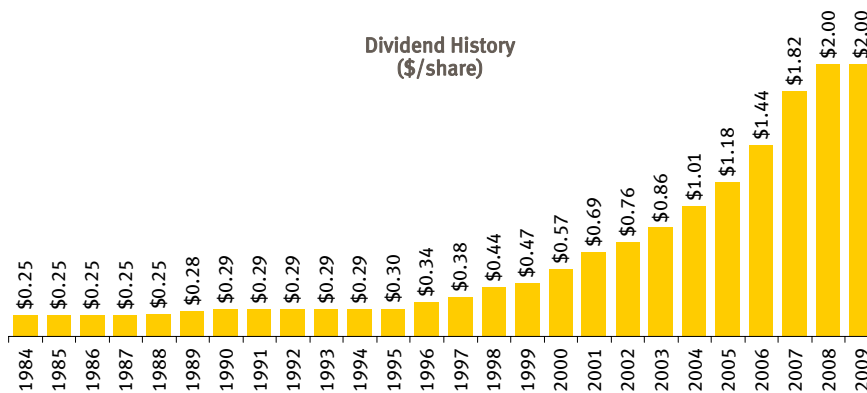
(1) Price appreciation plus dividends reinvested, annualized. As at August 25, 2010.

(2) Global peer group consist of 19 other financial institutions (7 large Canadian, 5 U.S., 5 European and 2 Australian). For additional information refer to page 9 of our 2009 Annual Report to Shareholders.

History of delivering stable and growing dividends

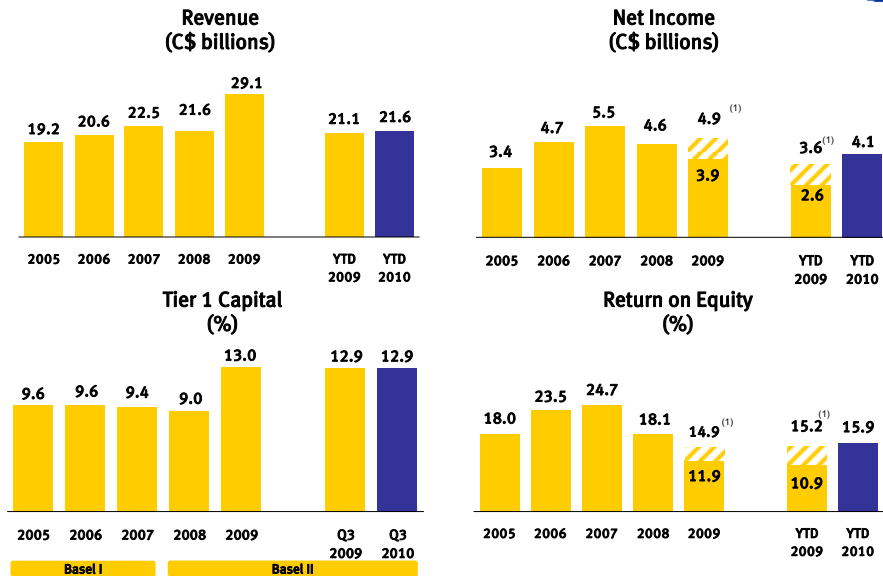


Dividend History
(\$/share)



Dividend maintained at \$0.50 in Q3 2010

Strong Financial Profile



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(1) Non-GAAP. Excludes goodwill impairment charge of C\$1 billion, which is a non-cash item and does not affect our business operations or capital strength. See the Key performance and non-GAAP measures sections of our Q3 2010 Report to Shareholders and our 2009 Annual Report to Shareholders. 21

Non-GAAP measures



We use a variety of financial measures to evaluate our performance. In addition to GAAP prescribed measures, we use certain non-GAAP measures we believe provide useful information to investors regarding our financial condition and results of operations. Readers are cautioned that non-GAAP measures do not have any standardized meanings prescribed by Canadian GAAP, and therefore, are unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other companies.

Reconciliation and additional information about our non-GAAP measures can be found under the "Key performance and non-GAAP measures" section in our 2009 Annual Report to Shareholders and our Q3 2010 Supplementary Financial Information.

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