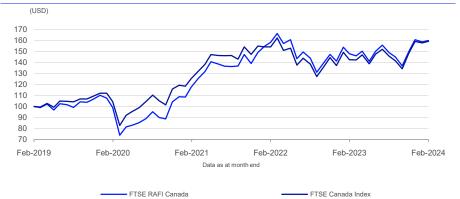


# FTSE RAFI™ Canada Index

FTSE partners with Research Affiliates on the FTSE RAFI Index Series. Index constituents are weighted using a composite of fundamental factors, including total cash dividends, free cash flow, total sales and book equity value. Prices and market values are not determinants of the index weights. Consequently the indices are less prone to excessive concentration arising from market fads, which can result in over-exposure to individual companies, sectors or countries.

The FTSE RAFI Canada Index is part of the FTSE RAFI Country Index Series. The index comprises all Canadian stocks in the FTSE RAFI Developed ex US 1000 Index.

#### 5-Year Performance - Total Return



#### **Performance and Volatility - Total Return**

| Index (CAD)       | Return % |     |     |      |      | Return pa %* |      | Volatility %** |      |      |      |
|-------------------|----------|-----|-----|------|------|--------------|------|----------------|------|------|------|
|                   | 3M       | 6M  | YTD | 12M  | 3YR  | 5YR          | 3YR  | 5YR            | 1YR  | 3YR  | 5YR  |
| FTSE RAFI Canada  | 6.9      | 7.7 | 2.5 | 7.7  | 45.5 | 64.9         | 13.3 | 10.5           | 11.2 | 13.5 | 17.8 |
| FTSE Canada Index | 7.4      | 9.6 | 3.0 | 11.3 | 36.1 | 64.1         | 10.8 | 10.4           | 11.0 | 13.4 | 15.3 |

\* Compound annual returns measured over 3 and 5 years respectively

\*\* Volatility - 1YR based on 12 months daily data. 3YR based on weekly data (Wednesday to Wednesday). 5YR based on monthly data

## Year-on-Year Performance - Total Return

| Index % (CAD)     | 2014 | 2015  | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 |
|-------------------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| FTSE RAFI Canada  | 7.4  | -10.6 | 30.7 | 8.2  | -9.7 | 20.8 | -2.9 | 35.8 | 1.7  | 10.6 |
| FTSE Canada Index | 12.1 | -8.3  | 20.5 | 9.2  | -7.7 | 22.9 | 4.7  | 28.6 | -5   | 12.9 |

#### **Return/Risk Ratio and Drawdown - Total Return**

| Index (CAD)       | Return/Risk Ratio |     |     |      | Drawdown (%) |       |       |       |
|-------------------|-------------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
|                   | 1YR               | 3YR | 5YR | 10YR | 1YR          | 3YR   | 5YR   | 10YR  |
| FTSE RAFI Canada  | 1.5               | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.6  | -8.5         | -15.7 | -41.9 | -41.9 |
| FTSE Canada Index | 1.7               | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.7  | -8.4         | -15.9 | -35.9 | -35.9 |

Return/Risk Ratio – based on compound annual returns and volatility in Performance and Volatility table Drawdown - based on daily data

#### Top 10 Constituents - FTSE RAFI Canada Index (% Weight)

| Constituent | ICB Sector | FTSE RAFI Canada (Wgt %) | FTSE Canada (Wgt %) | Diff % |
|-------------|------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------|
| Totals      |            |                          | 0.00                |        |

Data as at: 28 March 2024

# **FEATURES**

#### Coverage

Canadian constituents of the FTSE RAFI Developed ex US 1000 Index.

# Objective

The index is designed for use in the creation of a range of financial products, including index-linked funds, ETFs and over-thecounter (OTC) products.

# Liquidity

Stocks are screened to ensure that the index is tradable.

## Transparency

Index methodologies are freely available on the FTSE Russell website.

#### **Availability**

The index is calculated based on price and total return methodologies.

## Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB)

Index constituents are categorized in accordance with the Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB), the global standard for industry sector analysis.

#### Methodology

See www.ftserussell.com for a full explanation of the FTSE RAFI methodology.

## ICB Supersector Breakdown

|          |                 | FTSE RAF    | l Canada | FTSE C      |       |        |
|----------|-----------------|-------------|----------|-------------|-------|--------|
| ICB Code | ICB Supersector | No. of Cons | Wgt %    | No. of Cons | Wgt % | Diff % |
| Totals   |                 |             |          |             |       |        |

#### **Index Characteristics**

| Attributes              | FTSE RAFI Canada | FTSE Canada |
|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Number of constituents  | 91               | 48          |
| Dividend Yield %        | 3.95             | 3.16        |
| Constituent (Wgt %)     |                  |             |
| Average                 | 1.10             | 2.08        |
| Largest                 | 7.64             | 8.09        |
| Median                  | 0.44             | 1.44        |
| Top 10 Holdings (Wgt %) | 48.89            | 48.53       |

# **INFORMATION**

Index Universe FTSE RAFI Developed ex US 1000 Index Index Launch 28 November 2005 Base Date 30 September 2005 Base Value 5000 Index Calculation

Real-time and end of day

**End-of-Day Distribution** 

Via FTP and email

Currency

CAD, USD, Euro, Sterling, Yen

## **Review Dates**

Annually in March



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