

**FUND DETAILS**

AS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

TSX Symbol	RBN.UN
Total Assets	\$120 million
Inception Date	Sept. 17, 1997
NAV	\$8.42
Management Fee	1.00% p.a.

**Distributions:**

Per unit	\$0.05 monthly/\$0.60 p.a.
Since inception	\$19.23

Distribution Rate <sup>1</sup>	7.2%
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**Investment Manager**

Bloom Investment Counsel, Inc. ("Bloom") was established in 1985 and specializes in the management of segregated investment portfolios for wealthy individuals, corporations, foundations, institutions and trusts. In addition to its conventional investment management business, Bloom currently manages specialty high income equity portfolios comprised of dividend-paying common equity securities, income trusts, and real estate investment trusts. Bloom currently provides investment management services to four TSX-listed, closed-end funds and one open-end mutual fund.


**Sub-Administrator**

Brompton Funds, a division of Brompton Group which was founded in 2000, is an experienced investment fund manager with over \$2.0 billion in assets under management<sup>2</sup>. Brompton's investment solutions include TSX listed closed-end funds and exchange-traded funds.

**WHY INVEST?**

- The Investment Manager believes that high-income common equities in Canada will continue to outperform non-dividend paying common equities
- Over 20-year strategy focused on undervalued investments in the Canadian high income equity market
- RBN.UN offers monthly distributions of \$0.05/unit (\$0.60 p.a.)
- With over 30 years of experience Investment Manager, Bloom Investment Counsel, Inc. focuses on high income equity investments

**INVESTMENT OBJECTIVES**

To achieve a high level of monthly cash distributions and the opportunity for capital appreciation by investing in a high income equity portfolio, consisting primarily of dividend paying Canadian equities.

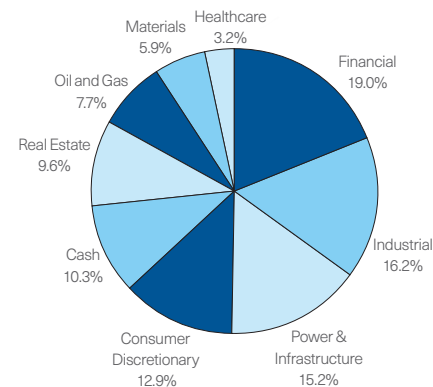
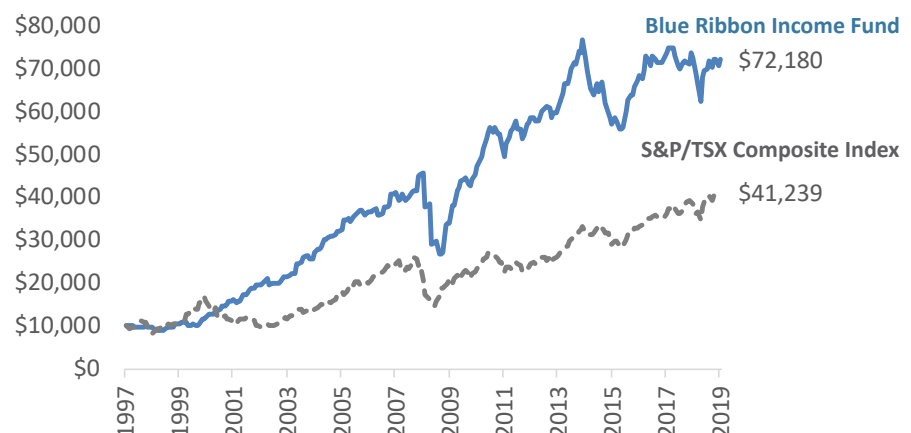
**PORTFOLIO**

SEPTEMBER 30, 2019

**Top 10 Holdings**

	% of Portfolio
Cash and short-term investments	10.3%
Altus Group Limited	5.6%
Premium Brands Holdings Corp.	4.7%
Manulife Financial Corporation	4.4%
Keyera Corp.	4.4%
Sun Life Financial Inc.	4.4%
Superior Plus Corp.	4.3%
Bank of Nova Scotia (The)	4.3%
Boralex Inc.	4.3%
Toronto-Dominion Bank (The)	4.3%

**Total** **51.0%**

**Sector Allocation**

**Cumulative Growth of \$10,000 Since Inception<sup>3</sup>**


## HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE

Annual Compound Returns <sup>3</sup>	YTD	1-YR	3-YR	5-YR	10-YR	Since Inception
Blue Ribbon Income Fund	15.8%	(0.5%)	1.7%	0.0%	6.7%	9.4%
S&P/TSX Composite Index	19.1%	7.1%	7.4%	5.3%	7.0%	6.7%

<sup>(1)</sup> Distribution rate is based on market price on September 30, 2019. Source: TMX Group Inc.

<sup>(2)</sup> Please visit [www.bromptongroup.com](http://www.bromptongroup.com) for further information.

<sup>(3)</sup> Returns are for the periods ended September 30, 2019. The table shows the Fund's compound return for each period indicated compared with the S&P/TSX Composite Index ("Composite Index"). The Composite Index tracks the performance, on a market weight basis and a total return basis, of a broad index of large capitalization issuers listed on the TSX. Since the Fund is actively managed, the sector weightings differ from those of the Composite Index. In addition, the Fund's portfolio contains predominantly higher dividend paying securities, whereas the Composite Index does not necessarily focus on this type of investment. For these reasons it is not expected that the Fund's performance will mirror that of the Composite Index. Further, the Composite Index is calculated without the deduction of management fees, fund expenses and trading commissions, whereas the performance of the Fund is calculated after deducting such fees and expenses.

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