

Capital Markets

## INDEX LINKED SECURITIES | RBC GLOBAL INVESTMENT SOLUTIONS

RBC Solactive Canada Utilities 160 AR Index Autocallable 14.25% Securities (CAD), Series 147 Non-Principal Protected Security

7 year term		Potential 14.2500% coupon per annual period	75% protection barrier
	KEY TERM	S	
	Issuer:	Royal Bank of Canada	
Subscriptions Close	Issuer Credit Ratings:	Moody's: Aa1; S&P: AA-; DBRS: AA	
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On or about	Minimum Investment:	50 Debt Securities or \$5,000	
Tebruary 10, 2023	Term:	Approximately 7 years	
	Principal at Risk:	The Debt Securities are not principal pro-	tected.
FUNDSERV RBC4171 This summary is qualified in its entirety by a pricing supplement (in the "Pricing Supplement"), the base shelf prospectus dated March 25, 2022, the program prospectus supplement dated March 28, 2022, as supplemented November 11, 2022 and the product prospectus supplement dated March 28, 2022 in respect of index linked securities, as supplemented November 11, 2022.	Underlying Index:	The return on the Debt Securities is linke Utilities 160 AR Index (the "Underlying Observation Dates, including the Final V adjusted return index that aims to track th Canada Utilities Index TR (the "Target I dividend of 160 index points per annum of Factor"). For the avoidance of doubt, t Underlying Index and is not linked to t 13, 2023 was 3,455.06. The Adjusted Rei therefore equal to 4.6309% on January 12 not occur, over the term of the Debt Secu be approximately 1120 index points, repr January 13, 2023. For the calculation of t other distributions paid on the constituen reinvested across all of the constituent se 2023, the annual dividend yield on the Ta aggregate dividend yield of approximatel of the Debt Securities, on the assumption Securities do not represent an interest in securities of the entities that comprise the entitlement to such securities including, v voting rights or rights to receive dividend	d to the adjusted returns of the Solactive Canada Index") on the Initial Valuation Date and the aluation Date. The Underlying Index is an e gross total return performance of the Solactive index"), subject to a reduction of a synthetic calculated daily in arrears (the "Adjusted Return he return on the Debt Securities is linked to the the Target Index. The Closing Level on January turn Factor divided by the Closing Level was 8, 2023. If an Autocall Redemption Event does rities the sum of the Adjusted Return Factor will esenting 32.4162% of the Closing Level on he level of the Target Index, any dividends or t securities of the Target Index. As of January 13, arget Index was 4.249%, representing an y 33.815% compounded annually over the term that the dividend yield remains constant. Debt the Underlying Index, the Target Index or in the e Target Index, and holders will have no right or vithout limitation, redemption rights (if any), ls or other distributions paid on such securities.
	Issue Date:	February 17, 2023	
	Initial Index Level:	The "Initial Index Level" is the Closing Valuation Date")	Level on February 13, 2023 (the "Initial
www.rbcnotes.com	Protection Barrier	The " <b>Protection Barrier Level</b> " is 75.00	% of the Initial Index Level.
	Final Index Level:	The " <b>Final Index Level</b> " is (i) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs, the Closing Level on the applicable Observation Date or (ii) if no Autocall Redemption Event occurs, the Closing Level on February 13, 2030 (the " <b>Final Valuation Date</b> ").	
	Closing Level:	The "Closing Level" on any date is the o quoted on www.solactive.com for such d	fficial closing level of the Underlying Index ate, as determined by the Calculation Agent.
	Maturity Date:	February 19, 2030	

A final base shelf prospectus containing important information relating to the securities described in this document has been filed with the securities regulatory authorities in each of the provinces and territories of Canada. A copy of the final base shelf prospectus, any amendment to the final base shelf prospectus and any applicable shelf prospectus supplement that has been filed, is required to be delivered with this document. This document does not provide full disclosure of all material facts relating to the securities offered. Investors should read the final base shelf prospectus, any amendment and any applicable shelf prospectus supplement for disclosure of those facts, especially risk factors relating to the securities offered, before making an investment decision.

Observation Dates:	An " <b>Observation Date</b> " for the purposes of determining whether an Autocall Redemption Event has occurred and whether the Interest Payment will be payable will occur annually on the dates specified below in each year that the Debt Securities are outstanding, from and including February 13, 2024 to and including the Final Valuation Date. If any such Observation Date is not an Exchange Day, it shall be postponed to the next succeeding Exchange Day.				
	Provided that an Autocall Redemption Event does not occur prior to the Final Valuation Date, the Bank intends the				
	Observation Dates to be: February 13, 2024 February 13, 2025 February 13, 2026 February 16, 2027				
	February 14, 2028 February 13, 2029 February 13, 2030 (the Final Valuation Date)				
Interest Payment	The "Interest Payment Date" for the Interest Payment, if any, will occur annually on the dates specified below in				
Dates:	each year that the Debt Securities are outstanding, from and including February 16, 2024 to and including the Maturity Date.				
	Provided that an Autocall Redemption Event does not occur prior to the Final Valuation Date, the Bank intends the				
	Interest Payment Dates to be:				
	February 16, 2024 February 19, 2025 February 19, 2026 February 19, 2027				
	February 17, 2028 February 10, 2029 February 19, 2030 (the Maturity Date)				
	occurred on the immediately preceding Observation Date.				
Autocall Redemption Event:	An "Autocall Redemption Event" will occur if the Closing Level on an Observation Date is greater than or equal to the Initial Index Level (the "Autocall Redemption Level"). On the next succeeding Interest Payment Date following the occurrence of an Autocall Redemption Event (the "Autocall Redemption Date") the Debt Securities will be redeemed for an amount equal to the Principal Amount thereof (the "Autocall Redemption Amount").				
	If an Autocall Redemption Event occurs, in addition to the Autocall Redemption Amount, an interest payment (the "Interest Payment") on the Debt Securities will be payable on the next succeeding Autocall Redemption Date, in arrears, as follows:				
	(a) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs on the first Observation Date, the Interest Payment payable per Debt Security will be equal to the sum of (i) \$14.25 and (ii) if the Index Return (defined below) exceeds \$14.25, $5.00\% \times$ (Index Return - \$14.25);				
	(b) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs on the second Observation Date, the Interest Payment payable per Debt Security will be equal to the sum of (i) \$28.50 and (ii) if the Index Return exceeds \$28.50, $5.00\% \times$ (Index Return - \$28.50);				
	(c) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs on the third Observation Date, the Interest Payment payable per Debt Security will be equal to the sum of (i) \$42.75 and (ii) if the Index Return exceeds \$42.75, $5.00\% \times$ (Index Return - \$42.75);				
	(d) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs on the fourth Observation Date, the Interest Payment payable per Debt Security will be equal to the sum of (i) $57.00$ and (ii) if the Index Return exceeds $57.00$ , $5.00\% \times$ (Index Return - $57.00$ );				
	(e) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs on the fifth Observation Date, the Interest Payment payable per Debt Security will be equal to the sum of (i) \$71.25 and (ii) if the Index Return exceeds \$71.25, $5.00\% \times$ (Index Return - \$71.25);				
	(f) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs on the sixth Observation Date, the Interest Payment payable per Debt Security will be equal to the sum of (i) \$85.50 and (ii) if the Index Return exceeds \$85.50, $5.00\% \times$ (Index Return - \$85.50); or				
	(g) if an Autocall Redemption Event occurs on the Final Valuation Date, the Interest Payment payable per Debt Security on the Maturity Date will be equal to the sum of (i) \$99.75 and (ii) if the Index Return exceeds \$99.75, 5.00% × (Index Return - \$99.75).				
	If an Autocall Redemption Event does not occur on an Observation Date, no Interest Payment will be payable on the Debt Securities on the next succeeding Autocall Redemption Date.				
Payment at Maturity:	On the Maturity Date, if an Autocall Redemption Event has not previously occurred, the amount payable (the " <b>Final Redemption Amount</b> ") for each \$100.00 Principal Amount per Debt Security will be equal to:				
	(a) if the Final Index Level is greater than or equal to the Protection Barrier Level, \$100.00; or				
	(b) if the Final Index Level is less than the Protection Barrier Level, an amount equal to the Index Return, but in any event not less than \$1.00.				
Index Return:	Means (i) for the purpose of calculating the Final Redemption Amount, $100.00 \times (X_f/X_i)$ and (ii) for all other purposes, $((X_f/X_i) - 1) \times 100.00$ .				
	where: "Xr" means the Final Index Level, and "Xi" means the Initial Index Level.				

Secondary Market:

## Fundserv, RBC4171

Generally, to be effective on a Business Day, a redemption request will need to be initiated by 2:00 p.m. (Toronto time) on that Business Day (or such other time as may be established by Fundserv). Any request received after such time will be deemed to be a request sent and received on the next following Business Day.

Early Trading Charge Schedule:	If Sold Within the Following No. of Days from the Issue Date	Early Trading Charge (% of Principal Amount)
	1 – 45 days	3.00%
F	46 – 90 days	2.75%
-	91 – 135 days	2.50%
	136 – 180 days	2.00%
	181 – 225 days	1.50%
	226 – 270 days	1.00%
F	Thereafter	Nil

Calculations of Final Redemption Amount or Autocall Redemption Amount and Interest Payment: The examples set out below are included for illustration purposes only. The performance of the Underlying Index used to illustrate the calculation of the Final Redemption Amount or Autocall Redemption Amount and the Interest Payment over the term of the Debt Securities is not an estimate or forecast of the performance of the Underlying Index or the Debt Securities. All examples assume that a holder of the Debt Securities has purchased Debt Securities with an aggregate principal amount of \$100.00 and that no Extraordinary Event has occurred. All examples assume an Autocall Redemption Level of 100.00% of the Initial Index Level and a Protection Barrier Level of 75.00% of the Initial Index Level. For convenience, each vertical line in the charts below represents both a hypothetical Observation Date and the next succeeding Interest Payment Date. All dollar amounts are rounded to the nearest whole cent.





— Solactive Canada Utilities 160 AR Index

In this scenario, there is no Observation Date on which the Closing Level is greater than or equal to the Autocall Redemption Level and, accordingly, the Debt Securities would not be redeemed. On the Final Valuation Date, the Final Index Level is below the Protection Barrier Level.

(i) Interest Payment

In this example, no Autocall Redemption Event would occur because the Closing Level at each Observation Date is below the Autocall Redemption Level. Therefore, an Interest Payment would not be payable on any Interest Payment Date. (ii) Final Redemption Amount

In this example, the Initial Index Level  $(X_i)$  is 3,455.06 and the Final Index Level  $(X_f)$  is 2,522.19. Therefore, the Final Redemption Amount is as follows:

$$100.00 \times (X_{\rm f} / X_{\rm i})$$

## $100.00 \times (2,522.19 / 3,455.06) = 73.00$

Therefore, the total amounts payable per Debt Security from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date are:

(a) Interest Payment: \$0.00

(b) Final Redemption Amount: \$73.00

(c) Total amount paid over the term of the Debt Securities: \$73.00

The equivalent annually compounded rate of return in this example is -4.40%.

Sample Calculations: *(continued)* 

## Example #2: Scenario with Payment on the Maturity Date at the Principal Amount



In this scenario, there is no Observation Date on which the Closing Level is greater than or equal to the Autocall Redemption Level and, accordingly, the Debt Securities would not be redeemed. On the Final Valuation Date, the Final Index Level is greater than or equal to the Protection Barrier Level but is below the Autocall Redemption Level.

(i) Interest Payment

In this example, no Autocall Redemption Event would occur because the Closing Level at each Observation Date is below the Autocall Redemption Level. Therefore, an Interest Payment would not be payable on any Interest Payment Date.

(ii) Final Redemption Amount

In this example, the Final Index Level is greater than or equal to the Protection Barrier Level. Therefore, the Final Redemption Amount is \$100.00.

Therefore, the total amounts payable per Debt Security from the Issue Date to the Maturity Date are:

(a) Interest Payment: \$0.00

(b) Final Redemption Amount: \$100.00

(c) Total amount paid over the term of the Debt Securities: \$100.00

The equivalent annually compounded rate of return in this example is 0.00%.

Sample Calculations: *(continued)* 



In this scenario, the Closing Level is greater than or equal to the Autocall Redemption Level on the Observation Date that falls 36 months into the term of the Debt Securities. This would constitute an Autocall Redemption Event and an Interest Payment would be payable on the third Interest Payment Date.

(i) Interest Payment

In this example, the Initial Index Level  $(X_i)$  is 3,455.06 and the Final Index Level  $(X_f)$  is 5,182.59; therefore, there is an Autocall Redemption Event on the third Observation Date. On the first and second Observation Dates, no Autocall Redemption Event would occur because the Closing Level at each such Observation Date is below the Autocall Redemption Level. Therefore, the Interest Payment payable on the Autocall Redemption Date would be calculated as follows:

The Index Return is calculated as follows:

 $((X_f / X_i) - 1) \times \$100.00$   $((5,182.59 / 3,455.06) - 1) \times \$100.00 = \$50.00$ Since the Index Return is greater than \$42.75, the Interest Payment is:  $\$42.75 + [5.00\% \times (Index Return - \$42.75)]$   $\$42.75 + [5.00\% \times (\$50.00 - \$42.75)] = \$43.11$ 

(ii) Autocall Redemption Amount

The Autocall Redemption Amount per Debt Security is equal to \$100.00.

Therefore, the total amounts payable per Debt Security from the Issue Date to the Autocall Redemption Date are: (a) Interest Payment: \$43.11

(b) Autocall Redemption Amount: \$100.00

(c) Total amount paid over the term of the Debt Securities: \$143.11

The equivalent annually compounded rate of return in this example is 12.69%.

Sample Calculations: (continued)



In this scenario, the Closing Level is greater than or equal to the Autocall Redemption Level on the final Observation Date. This would constitute an Autocall Redemption Event and an Interest Payment would be payable on the Maturity Date (being the final Interest Payment Date).

(i) Interest Payment

In this example, the Initial Index Level  $(X_i)$  is 3,455.06 and the Final Index Level  $(X_f)$  is 4,146.07; therefore, there is an Autocall Redemption Event on the Final Valuation Date (being the final Observation Date). On the first through sixth Observation Dates, no Autocall Redemption Event would occur because the Closing Level at each such Observation Date is below the Autocall Redemption Level. Therefore, the Interest Payment payable on the Maturity Date (being the final Interest Payment Date) would be calculated as follows: The Index Return is calculated as follows:

 $((X_f / X_i) - 1) \times \$100.00$   $((4,146.07 / 3,455.06) - 1) \times \$100.00 = \$20.00$  Since the Index Return is less than \\$99.75, the Interest Payment is \\$99.75.

(ii) Autocall Redemption Amount

The Autocall Redemption Amount per Debt Security is equal to \$100.00.

Therefore, the total amounts payable per Debt Security from the Issue Date to the Autocall Redemption Date are: (a) Interest Payment: \$99.75

(b) Autocall Redemption Amount: \$100.00

(c) Total amount paid over the term of the Debt Securities: \$199.75

The equivalent annually compounded rate of return in this example is 10.39%.

Initial Estimated Value: The initial estimated value of the Debt Securities as of January 13, 2023 was \$94.61 per Debt Security, which is less than the price to the public and is not an indication of the actual profit to the Bank or its affiliates. The actual value of the Debt Securities at any time will reflect many factors, cannot be predicted with accuracy, and may be less than this amount. The initial estimated value of the Debt Securities is an estimate only and is based on the value of the Bank's obligation to make the payments on the Debt Securities. We describe our determination of the initial estimated value in more detail in the Pricing Supplement.



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