

# RBC Principal Protected Solactive Canada Index Equal Weight Basket Linked Booster® LEOS® (USD), Series 2, F-Class

## 5 year term

100% Principal Protection at Maturity

68.00% Booster

This Note is a 5 year investment designed to provide exposure to an equally weighted basket of 6 Solactive Indices. Investors will receive a Booster Amount of 68.00% or, if applicable, 100.00% of the appreciation of the Portfolio should the Portfolio rise in value and will receive their full principal amount at maturity should the Portfolio decrease in value. The principal amount is guaranteed by RBC on the maturity date of April 23, 2029.

#### Offering Closes

April 17, 2024

**Issue Date** 

April 19, 2024

#### **Maturity Date**

April 23, 2029

#### **Fundserv**

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www.rbcnotes.com

The deposit notes are not insured under the Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation Act. The Notes are not conventional notes or debt securities. For the various risks associated with such an investment. please see the Risk Factors section of the Information Statement

#### **INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS**

Issuer: Royal Bank of Canada

USD **Currency:** 

Term: Approximately 5 years

Underlying Indices:

Variable return on the Notes ("Variable Return") will be determined by reference to the performance of a notional index portfolio (the "Portfolio") consisting of the underlying indices (each, an "Underlying Index" and collectively, the "Underlying Indices") referenced below. The Underlying Indices will be equally weighted in the Portfolio (the "Portfolio Weight") on the Initial Valuation Date. Such weightings will not be adjusted or rebalanced during the term

Each of the Underlying Indices are adjusted return indices which aim to track the gross total return performance of their respective target index referenced below (each a "Target Index" and collectively, the "Target Indices") subject to a reduction of a synthetic dividend based on the respective Target Index's fixed number of index points per annum, calculated daily in arrears (the "Adjusted Return Factors"). Each of the Target Indices is a gross total return index that reflects the price changes of its constituent securities referenced below and the reinvestment in the index of any dividends and distributions paid in respect of such constituent securities (each a "Constituent Security" and collectively, the "Constituent Securities"). For the avoidance of doubt, Variable Return on the Notes is linked to the Portfolio, which consists of the Underlying Indices and is not linked to the Target Indices or the Constituent Securities.

Underlying Indices	Bloomberg Ticker	Target Indices	Bloomberg Ticker	Constituent Securities
Solactive Bank of Nova Scotia AR 4.24 Index	SOBNS424 Index	BNS GTR Index	SOBNSGTR Index	The Bank of Nova Scotia
Solactive BCE AR 3.99 Index	SOBCE399 Index	Solactive BCE GTR Index	SOBCEGTR Index	BCE Inc.
Solactive EMA AR 2.87 Index	SOEMA287 Index	Solactive EMA GTR Index	SOEMAGTR Index	Emera Inc.
Solactive ENBRIDGE AR 3.66 Index	SOENB366 Index	Solactive ENBRIDGE GTR Index	SOENBGTR Index	Enbridge Inc.
Solactive TC ENERGY AR 3.84 Index	SOTRP384 Index	Solactive TC ENERGY GTR Index	SOTRPGTR Index	TC Energy Corporation
Solactive Telus AR 1.5044 Index	SOT15044 Index	Solactive Telus GTR Index	SOTELGTR Index	TELUS Corporation

The Notes do not represent an interest in the Underlying Indices, Target Indices or in the Constituent Securities, and holders will have no right or entitlement to such Constituent Securities including, without limitation, redemption rights (if any), voting rights or rights to receive dividends or other distributions paid on such Constituent Securities

The annual dividend yield on an equally-weighted portfolio of the Target Indices as of March 20, 2024 was 6.8860%, representing an aggregate dividend yield of approximately 39.510% compounded annually over the five-year term, on the assumption that the dividend yield remains constant.

Booster 68.00%, applied only if the Percentage Change is greater than or equal to 0.00%. Amount:

100.00%, applied only if the Percentage Change is greater than or equal to 68.00%. Participation

Rate:

100% principal protection guaranteed by RBC at maturity. RBC is rated Aa1 by Moody's, AA- by Standard and Credit Rating: Poor's and AA by DBRS.

Secondary Market:

The Notes are tradeable in a daily secondary market, subject to availability, which RBC Capital Markets will use reasonable efforts to provide as outlined in the Information Statement. Proceeds on sale may be less than the \$100

Eligibility for

RRSPs. RRIFs. TFSAs. FHSAs. RDSPs. RESPs and DPSPs.

Investment:

#### SAMPLE CALCULATIONS OF THE PAYMENT AMOUNT

The examples set out below are included for illustration purposes only. The levels of the Underlying Indices included in the Portfolio used to illustrate the calculation of the Variable Return are not estimates or forecasts Base Levels or Settlement Levels of the Underlying Indices on which the calculation of the Percentage Change, and in turn Variable Return, will depend. All examples assume that a Noteholder has purchased Notes with an aggregate principal amount of US\$10,000 and that no Extraordinary Event has occurred. Capitalized terms which are not otherwise defined herein are defined under "Definitions" in the Information Statement.

**Example #1** — Hypothetical calculation of the Payment Amount where the Percentage Change of the Portfolio is positive and greater than or equal to 68.000%. It is assumed that the Base Levels and the Settlement Levels for the Underlying Indices are as illustrated below (hypothetical). The Payment Amount would be calculated as follows:

Underlying Index	Symbol	Base Level	Settlement Level	Underlying Index Level Change	Component Weight	Weighted Component Change
SOLACTIVE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA AR 4.24 INDEX	SOBNS424 Index	67.48	83.74	24.10%	16.667%	4.016%
SOLACTIVE BCE AR 3.99 INDEX	SOBCE399 Index	47.02	78.34	66.61%	16.667%	11.102%
SOLACTIVE EMA AR 2.87 INDEX	SOEMA287 Index	47.58	85.35	79.38%	16.667%	13.231%
SOLACTIVE ENBRIDGE AR 3.66 INDEX	SOENB366 Index	48.35	95.71	97.95%	16.667%	16.326%
SOLACTIVE TC ENERGY AR 3.84 INDEX	SOTRP384 Index	53.72	97.05	80.66%	16.667%	13.443%
SOLACTIVE TELUS AR 1.5044 INDEX	SOT15044 Index	22.50	52.04	131.29%	16.667%	21.882%
Sum of the Weighted Component Changes						80.000%
Percentage Change					80.000%	

Sum of the Weighted Component Changes = 80.000% Percentage Change = 80.000% Booster Amount = 68.000% Participation Rate = 100.00% Variable Return = US\$10,000.00 × 68.000% + [US\$10,000.00 × 100.00% × (80.000% - 68.000%)] = US\$8,000.00 Payment Amount = US\$10,000.00 + US\$8,000.00 = US\$18,000.00

In this example, a sum of the Weighted Component Changes of 80.000% results in a Percentage Change of 80.000% and a Payment Amount of US\$18,000.00, which is equivalent to an annually compounded rate of return of 12.47%.

Example #2 — Hypothetical calculation of the Payment Amount where the Percentage Change of the Portfolio is positive but less than 68.000%. It is assumed that the Base Levels and the Settlement Levels for the Underlying Indices are as illustrated below (hypothetical). The Payment Amount would be calculated as follows:

Underlying Index	Symbol	Base Level	Settlement Level	Underlying Index Level Change	Component Weight	Weighted Component Change
SOLACTIVE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA AR 4.24 INDEX	SOBNS424 Index	67.48	73.74	9.28%	16.667%	1.546%
SOLACTIVE BCE AR 3.99 INDEX	SOBCE399 Index	47.02	68.35	45.36%	16.667%	7.561%
SOLACTIVE EMA AR 2.87 INDEX	SOEMA287 Index	47.58	80.53	69.25%	16.667%	11.542%
SOLACTIVE ENBRIDGE AR 3.66 INDEX	SOENB366 Index	48.35	76.60	58.43%	16.667%	9.738%
SOLACTIVE TC ENERGY AR 3.84 INDEX	SOTRP384 Index	53.72	77.54	44.34%	16.667%	7.390%
SOLACTIVE TELUS AR 1.5044 INDEX	SOT15044 Index	22.50	52.50	133.33%	16.667%	22.223%
Sum of the Weighted Component Changes						60.000%
Percentage Change						60.000%

Sum of the Weighted Component Changes = 60.000% Percentage Change = 60.000% Booster Amount = 68.000% Variable Return = US\$10,000.00 × 68.000% = US\$6,800.00 Payment Amount = US\$10,000.00 + US\$6,800.00 = US\$16,800.00

In this example, a sum of the Weighted Component Changes of 60.000% results in a Percentage Change of 60.000% and a Payment Amount of US\$16,800.00, which is equivalent to an annually compounded rate of return of 10.93%.

**Example #3** — Hypothetical calculation of the Payment Amount where the Percentage Change of the Portfolio is deemed to be **zero.** It is assumed that the Base Levels and the Settlement Levels for the Underlying Indices are as illustrated below (hypothetical). The Payment Amount would be calculated as follows:

Underlying Index	Symbol	Base Level	Settlement Level	Underlying Index Level Change	Component Weight	Weighted Component Change
SOLACTIVE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA AR 4.24 INDEX	SOBNS424 Index	67.48	24.93	-63.06%	16.667%	-10.509%
SOLACTIVE BCE AR 3.99 INDEX	SOBCE399 Index	47.02	16.58	-64.74%	16.667%	-10.790%
SOLACTIVE EMA AR 2.87 INDEX	SOEMA287 Index	47.58	37.02	-22.19%	16.667%	-3.699%
SOLACTIVE ENBRIDGE AR 3.66 INDEX	SOENB366 Index	48.35	20.66	-57.27%	16.667%	-9.545%
SOLACTIVE TC ENERGY AR 3.84 INDEX	SOTRP384 Index	53.72	42.03	-21.76%	16.667%	-3.627%
SOLACTIVE TELUS AR 1.5044 INDEX	SOT15044 Index	22.50	20.03	-10.98%	16.667%	-1.830%
Sum of the Weighted Component Changes						-40.000%
Percentage Change					0.000%	

Sum of the Weighted Component Changes = -40.000% Percentage Change = 0.000% Variable Return = US\$10,000.00 × 0.000% = US\$0.00 Payment Amount = US\$10,000.00 + US\$0.00 = US\$10,000.00

In this example, a sum of the Weighted Component Changes of -40.000% results in a Percentage Change deemed to be zero and a Payment Amount of US\$10,000.00, which is equivalent to an annually compounded rate of return of 0.00%.

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- Interest Payable at Maturity The Principal Amount plus Variable Return (if positive) is payable only at maturity.
- Noteholders do not have ownership in the Underlying Index, the Target Index or in the securities of the entities that comprise the Target Index and therefore are not entitled to receive dividends or other distributions paid on these securities.
- Secondary Market Price The price for the Notes in any secondary market will be based on market conditions and could be above or below the \$100 Principal Amount. RBC reserves the right not to make a secondary market.
- Extraordinary Events The payment of Variable Return could be accelerated or delayed due to the occurrence of certain Extraordinary Events.

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