



# RBC Tesla Inc. Callable Contingent Yield 12.90% Securities (CAD), Series 3253, F-Class Non-Principal Protected Security

5.0 year term

Performance linked to the returns of Tesla, Inc.

Potential 12.90% coupon p.a. paid monthly

50.00% protection barrier price

Callable quarterly at 105% of Initial Closing Price starting on December 1, 2026

Fundserv	Subscriptions Close	Issue Date	Maturity Date
RBC14207	on or about December 12, 2025	December 15, 2025	December 16, 2030

## KEY TERMS

**Issuer:** Royal Bank of Canada

**Issuer Credit Ratings:** Moody's: Aa1; S&P: AA-; DBRS: AA

**Currency:** CAD

**Minimum Investment:** 10 Securities or \$1,000.

**Term:** Approximately 5.0 years

**Principal at Risk:** The Securities are not principal protected.

**Underlying Securities:** The return on the Securities is linked to the Closing Price of the securities (the "Underlying Securities") of Tesla, Inc. on the Initial Valuation Date and the Observation Dates, including the Final Valuation Date.

The Securities do not represent an interest in the Underlying Securities, and holders will have no right or entitlement to the Underlying Securities, including, without limitation, redemption rights (if any), voting rights or rights to receive dividends or other distributions paid on such Underlying Securities. The annual dividend yield on the Underlying Securities as of November 28, 2025 was 0.000%, representing an aggregate dividend yield of 0.000% compounded annually over the five-year term, on the assumption that the dividend yield remains constant. There is no requirement for the Bank to hold any interest in the Underlying Securities.

Issuer	Ticker
Tesla, Inc.	NASDAQ: TSLA

**Issue Date:** December 15, 2025.

**Initial Closing Price:** The Closing Price on the Initial Valuation Date.

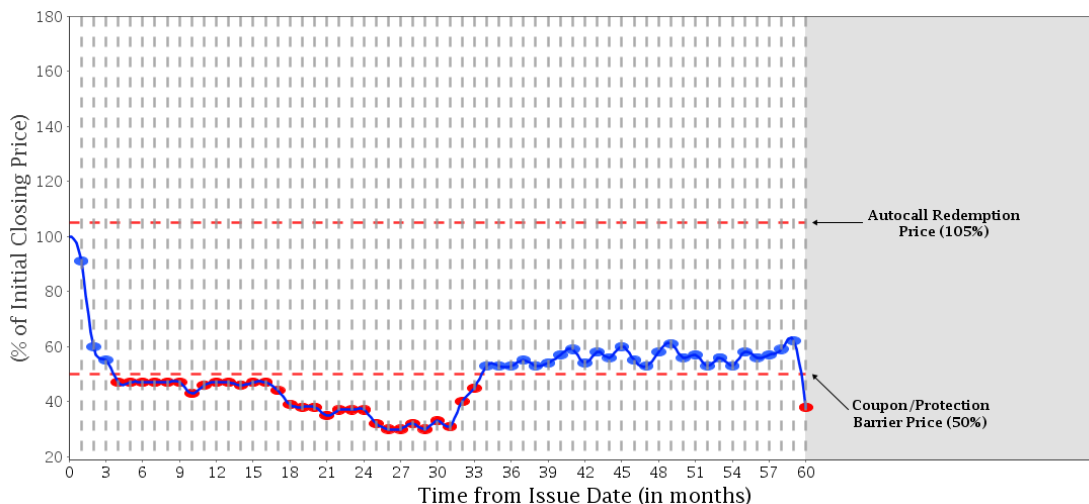
A final base shelf prospectus containing important information relating to the securities described in this document has been filed with the securities regulatory authorities in each of the provinces and territories of Canada. The final base shelf prospectus, any applicable shelf prospectus supplement, the Pricing Supplement and any amendment to such documents are accessible through SEDAR+ at [www.sedarplus.com](http://www.sedarplus.com). Copies of the documents may also be obtained from [www.rbcnotes.com](http://www.rbcnotes.com). 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 applicable shelf prospectus supplement, the Pricing Supplement and any amendment to such documents for disclosure of those facts, especially risk factors relating to the securities offered, before making an investment decision.

<b>Initial Valuation Date:</b>	December 1, 2025.
<b>Protection Barrier Price:</b>	50.00% of the Initial Closing Price.
<b>Coupon Barrier Price:</b>	50.00% of the Initial Closing Price.
<b>Final Closing Price:</b>	The Closing Price on the Final Valuation Date.
<b>Final Valuation Date:</b>	December 2, 2030.
<b>Closing Price:</b>	On any date, the official closing price of the Underlying Securities quoted on www.nasdaq.com for such date, as determined by the Calculation Agent (defined below). Neither the Bank nor the Dealers make any representation as to the accuracy of such information and all calculations regarding the Closing Price will be made by the Calculation Agent.
<b>Maturity Date:</b>	December 16, 2030.
<b>Observation Dates:</b>	The dates set out below under the heading "Observation Dates", provided that if any Observation Date is not an Exchange Day, such Observation Date will be the next following day that is an Exchange Day, subject to the occurrence of an Extraordinary Event.
<b>Interest Payment Dates:</b>	The dates set out below under the heading "Interest Payment Dates", subject to the occurrence of an Extraordinary Event, and provided that (i) the Securities are not redeemed by the Bank as described below, and (ii) if any Interest Payment Date is not a Business Day, such Interest Payment Date will be the first following day that is a Business Day. For greater certainty, the final Interest Payment, if any, will be made on the earlier of the Autocall Redemption Date, if any, and the Maturity Date.
<b>Interest Payments:</b>	Interest payments, if any, on the Securities will be payable in arrears on each Interest Payment Date at a fixed interest rate of 1.0750% for each monthly period ending on an Interest Payment Date (an "Interest Period") in which a Digital Payout Event occurs. If a Digital Payout Event does not occur on an Observation Date, no interest will be payable for the relevant Interest Period.
<b>Digital Payout Event:</b>	If the Closing Price is greater than or equal to the Coupon Barrier Price on the relevant Observation Date, a Digital Payout Event will occur.
<b>Autocall Redemption Event:</b>	If the Closing Price on an Observation Date immediately preceding an Autocall Redemption Date is greater than or equal to 105.00% of the Initial Closing Price (the "Autocall Redemption Price"), an Autocall Redemption Event will occur. Following the occurrence of an Autocall Redemption Event, the Securities will be redeemed for an amount equal to the Principal Amount thereof (the "Autocall Redemption Amount") on the applicable Autocall Redemption Date. In addition to the Autocall Redemption Amount, an Interest Payment will be paid on the Autocall Redemption Date.
<b>Autocall Redemption Dates:</b>	The dates set out below under the heading "Autocall Redemption Dates", subject to the occurrence of an Extraordinary Event and provided that if any Autocall Redemption Date is not a Business Day, such Autocall Redemption Date will be the first following day that is a Business Day.
<b>Payment at Maturity:</b>	If the Securities have not been previously redeemed, the amount payable on the Maturity Date (the "Final Redemption Amount") for each Security will be: (a) if the Final Closing Price is greater than or equal to the Protection Barrier Price, \$100.00; or (b) if the Final Closing Price is less than the Protection Barrier Price, an amount equal to the Underlying Security Return, but in any event not less than \$1.00.
<b>Underlying Security Return:</b>	$\$100.00 \times (X_f / X_i)$ , where: "X <sub>f</sub> " means the Final Closing Price, and "X <sub>i</sub> " means the Initial Closing Price.
<b>Secondary Market:</b>	Fundserv, RBC14207 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.

## SAMPLE CALCULATIONS

The following examples show how the return on the Securities would be calculated under different scenarios. These examples are included for illustration purposes only. The performance of the Underlying Securities used in the examples is not an estimate or forecast of the performance of the Underlying Securities or the Securities. The actual performance of the Underlying Securities and the Securities will be different from these examples and the differences may be material. All examples below assume that a holder of the Securities has purchased Securities with an aggregate Principal Amount of \$100.00 and that no Extraordinary Event has occurred. For convenience, each vertical line in the charts below represents both a hypothetical Observation Date and the next succeeding Interest Payment Date. Where applicable, dollar amounts shown below are rounded to the nearest whole cent for ease of reading, but the amount(s) payable to an investor per Security may reflect more decimal places.

### Example #1 — Loss Scenario with Payment on the Maturity Date at Less Than the Principal Amount



- Indicates Observation Dates on which the Coupon Barrier Price is breached; therefore no Interest Payment will occur on the related Interest Payment Date.
- Indicates Observation Dates on which there is a Digital Payout Event; therefore an Interest Payment will occur on the related Interest Payment Date.
- Underlying Securities

In this scenario, the Closing Price is below the Autocall Redemption Price on all Observation Dates, so the Securities would not be redeemed before the Maturity Date. The Closing Price is at or above the Coupon Barrier Price on 29 of the 60 Observation Dates. On the Final Valuation Date, the Final Closing Price is below the Protection Barrier Price.

#### (i) Interest Payments

Digital Payout Events occur on 29 of the 60 Observation Dates. Therefore, an Interest Payment would be payable for 29 Interest Periods on the applicable Interest Payment Date, for total Interest Payments of:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Principal Amount of Securities} \times 1.0750\% \text{ per Interest Period} \times 29 \text{ Interest Periods} \\ & \$100.00 \times 1.0750\% \times 29 = \$31.18 \end{aligned}$$

#### (ii) Final Redemption Amount

In this example, the Initial Closing Price ( $X_i$ ) is US\$430.17 and the Final Closing Price ( $X_f$ ) is US\$163.46. Therefore, the Final Redemption Amount is as follows:

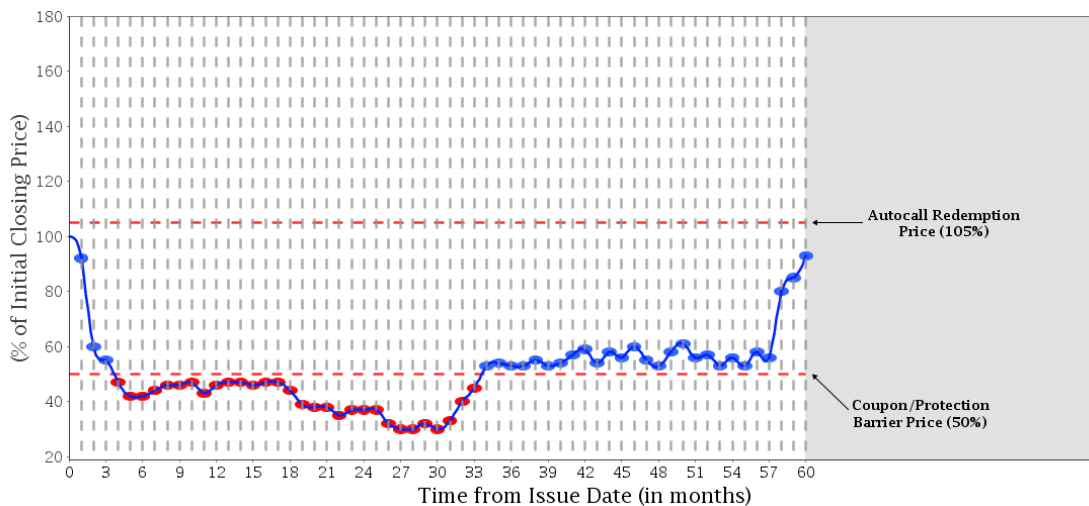
$$\begin{aligned} & \$100.00 \times (X_f / X_i) \\ & \$100.00 \times (\text{US}\$163.46 / \text{US}\$430.17) = \$38.00 \end{aligned}$$

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

- (a) Total Interest Payments: \$31.18
- (b) Final Redemption Amount: \$38.00
- (c) Total amount paid over the term of the Securities: \$69.18

The equivalent annually compounded rate of return in this example is -7.10%.

**Example #2 — Gain Scenario with Payment on the Maturity Date at the Principal Amount**



- Indicates Observation Dates on which the Coupon Barrier Price is breached; therefore no Interest Payment will occur on the related Interest Payment Date.
- Indicates Observation Dates on which there is a Digital Payout Event; therefore an Interest Payment will occur on the related Interest Payment Date.
- Underlying Securities

In this scenario, the Closing Price is below the Autocall Redemption Price on all Observation Dates so the Securities would not be redeemed before the Maturity Date. The Closing Price is at or above the Coupon Barrier Price on 30 of the 60 Observation Dates. On the Final Valuation Date, the Final Closing Price is at or above the Protection Barrier Price.

*(i) Interest Payments*

Digital Payout Events occur on 30 of the 60 Observation Dates. Therefore, an Interest Payment would be payable for 30 Interest Periods on the applicable Interest Payment Date, for total Interest Payments of:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Principal Amount of Securities} \times 1.0750\% \text{ per Interest Period} \times 30 \text{ Interest Periods} \\ & \$100.00 \times 1.0750\% \times 30 = \$32.25 \end{aligned}$$

*(ii) Final Redemption Amount*

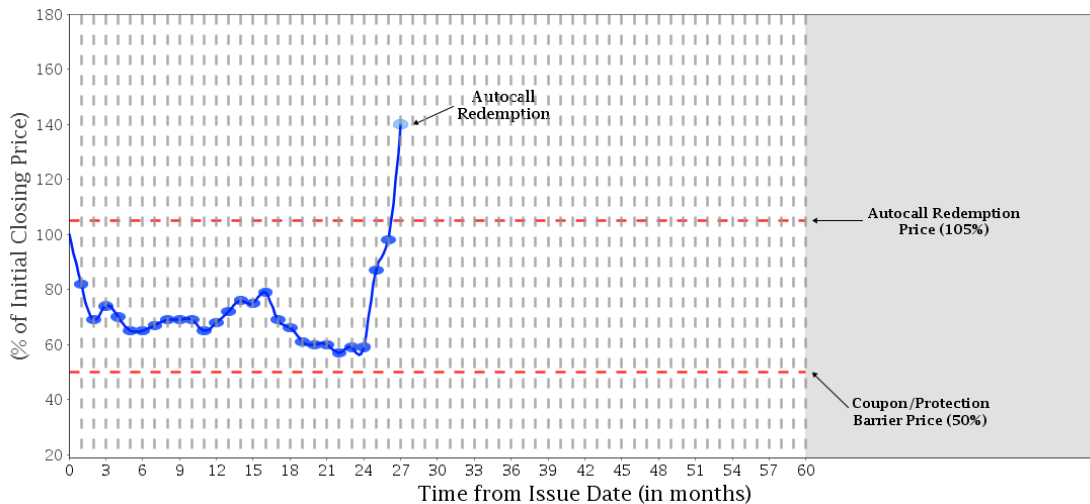
In this example, the Final Closing Price is greater than or equal to the Protection Barrier Price. Therefore, the Final Redemption Amount is \$100.00.

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

- (a) Total Interest Payments: \$32.25
- (b) Final Redemption Amount: \$100.00
- (c) Total amount paid over the term of the Securities: \$132.25

The equivalent annually compounded rate of return in this example is 5.75%.

**Example #3 — Gain Scenario with Autocall Redemption Event**



- Indicates Observation Date on which the Autocall Redemption Price is exceeded.
- Indicates Observation Dates on which there is a Digital Payout Event; therefore an Interest Payment will occur on the related Interest Payment Date.
- Underlying Securities

In this scenario, the Closing Price is at or above the Autocall Redemption Price on the Observation Date that falls 27 months into the term of the Securities. This would constitute an Autocall Redemption Event and the Bank would redeem the Securities on the next succeeding Autocall Redemption Date. The Closing Price is at or above the Coupon Barrier Price on 27 Observation Dates prior to the Autocall Redemption Date.

*(i) Interest Payments*

Digital Payout Events occur on each of the 27 Observation Dates. Therefore, an Interest Payment would be payable for each Interest Period on the applicable Interest Payment Date (including on the Autocall Redemption Date), for total Interest Payments of:

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Principal Amount of Securities} \times 1.0750\% \text{ per Interest Period} \times 27 \text{ Interest Periods} \\ & \$100.00 \times 1.0750\% \times 27 = \$29.03 \end{aligned}$$

*(ii) Autocall Redemption Amount*

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

Therefore, the total amounts payable per Security from the Issue Date to the Autocall Redemption Date are:

- (a) Total Interest Payments: \$29.03
- (b) Autocall Redemption Amount: \$100.00
- (c) Total amount paid over the term of the Securities: \$129.03

The equivalent annually compounded rate of return in this example is 11.99%.

**INFORMATION REGARDING THE OBSERVATION DATES, INTEREST PAYMENT DATES AND AUTOCALL REDEMPTION DATES:**

<b>Observation Dates</b>	<b>Interest Payment Dates</b>	<b>Autocall Redemption Dates</b>
January 2, 2026	January 7, 2026	-
February 2, 2026	February 5, 2026	-
March 2, 2026	March 5, 2026	-
April 1, 2026	April 7, 2026	-
May 1, 2026	May 6, 2026	-
June 1, 2026	June 4, 2026	-
July 1, 2026	July 6, 2026	-
August 3, 2026	August 6, 2026	-
September 1, 2026	September 4, 2026	-
October 1, 2026	October 6, 2026	-
November 2, 2026	November 5, 2026	-
December 1, 2026	December 4, 2026	December 4, 2026
January 4, 2027	January 7, 2027	-
February 1, 2027	February 4, 2027	-
March 1, 2027	March 4, 2027	March 4, 2027
April 1, 2027	April 6, 2027	-
May 3, 2027	May 6, 2027	-
June 1, 2027	June 4, 2027	June 4, 2027
July 1, 2027	July 6, 2027	-
August 2, 2027	August 5, 2027	-
September 1, 2027	September 7, 2027	September 7, 2027
October 1, 2027	October 6, 2027	-
November 1, 2027	November 4, 2027	-
December 1, 2027	December 6, 2027	December 6, 2027
January 3, 2028	January 6, 2028	-
February 1, 2028	February 4, 2028	-
March 1, 2028	March 6, 2028	March 6, 2028
April 3, 2028	April 6, 2028	-
May 1, 2028	May 4, 2028	-
June 1, 2028	June 6, 2028	June 6, 2028
July 3, 2028	July 6, 2028	-
August 1, 2028	August 4, 2028	-
September 1, 2028	September 7, 2028	September 7, 2028
October 2, 2028	October 5, 2028	-
November 1, 2028	November 6, 2028	-
December 1, 2028	December 6, 2028	December 6, 2028
January 2, 2029	January 5, 2029	-
February 1, 2029	February 6, 2029	-
March 1, 2029	March 6, 2029	March 6, 2029
April 2, 2029	April 5, 2029	-
May 1, 2029	May 4, 2029	-
June 1, 2029	June 6, 2029	June 6, 2029
July 2, 2029	July 5, 2029	-
August 1, 2029	August 7, 2029	-
September 4, 2029	September 7, 2029	September 7, 2029

<b>Observation Dates</b>	<b>Interest Payment Dates</b>	<b>Autocall Redemption Dates</b>
October 1, 2029	October 4, 2029	-
November 1, 2029	November 6, 2029	-
December 3, 2029	December 6, 2029	December 6, 2029
January 2, 2030	January 7, 2030	-
February 1, 2030	February 6, 2030	-
March 1, 2030	March 6, 2030	March 6, 2030
April 1, 2030	April 4, 2030	-
May 1, 2030	May 6, 2030	-
June 3, 2030	June 6, 2030	June 6, 2030
July 1, 2030	July 4, 2030	-
August 1, 2030	August 7, 2030	-
September 3, 2030	September 6, 2030	September 6, 2030
October 1, 2030	October 4, 2030	-
November 1, 2030	November 6, 2030	-
December 2, 2030	December 16, 2030	-

All capitalized terms unless otherwise defined have the meanings ascribed to them in the Pricing Supplement.

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