UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT Pursuant to Section 13 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): May 26, 2021

T. Rowe Price Group, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland 000-32191 <u>52-2264646</u> (Commission File Number) (IRS Employer Identification No.) (State of incorporation)

100 East Pratt Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21202

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (410) 345-2000

(Former Name of Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Ch	eck the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:							
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	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))							
Se	curities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:							
	Title of each class Trading Symbol Name of each exchange on which registered							
	Common Stock, par value \$0.20 TROW The NASDAQ Stock Market LLC							
	icate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934							

Emerging growth company \square

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Section 7 - REGULATION FD

Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure.

As previously announced, T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. will host an Investor Day for analysts and investors on May 26, 2021, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time during which senior executives will present an update on the firm's strategic initiatives and plans moving forward. A copy of the presentation materials to be distributed at the event and posted to the firm's investor relations website (troweprice.gcs-web.com/investor-relations) is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference. Investor day will also be simultaneously webcast on the firm's investor relationship website and a replay of the webcast will be available shortly after the conclusion of the event. It will be archived online for one year.

The information furnished under Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including Exhibit 99.1 attached hereto shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section.

Section 9 - Financial Statements and Exhibits.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

99.1 Investor Day materials presented on May 26, 2021.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized

T. Rowe Price Group, Inc.

By: <u>/s/ Céline S. Dufétel</u> Céline S. Dufétel Vice President, Chief Operating Officer, Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer Date: May 26, 2021





Forward-looking statements

This presentation, and other statements that T. Rowe Price may make, may contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act, with respect to T. Rowe Price's future financial or business performance, strategies, or expectations.

Forward-looking statements are typically identified by words or phrases such as "trend," "potential," "opportunity," "pipeline," "believe," "comfortable," "expect," "anticipate," "current," "intention," "estimate," "position," "assume," "outlook," "continue," "remain," "maintain," "sustain," "seek," "achieve," and similar expressions, or future or conditional verbs such as "will," "would," "should," "could," "may," and similar expressions. Forward-looking statements in this presentation may include, without limitation, information concerning future results of our operations, expenses, earnings, liquidity, cash flow and capital expenditures, industry or market conditions, amount or composition of assets under management, regulatory developments, demand for and pricing of our products, the impact of the coronavirus pandemic, stock repurchases, dividends, strategic transactions, and other aspects of our business or general economic conditions. T. Rowe Price cautions that forward-looking statements are subject to numerous assumptions, risks, and uncertainties, which change over time. Actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in forward-looking statements, and future results could differ materially from historical performance. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made, and T. Rowe Price assumes no duty to and does not undertake to update forward-looking statements.

We caution investors not to rely unduly on any forward-looking statements and urge you to carefully consider the risks described in our most recent Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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Agenda

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Opening and T. Rowe Price Overview	Bill Stromberg CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
Investments, Performance, and Capabilities	Rob Sharps PRESIDENT, HEAD OF INVESTMENTS, GROUP CIO
Global Distribution	Robert Higginbotham HEAD OF GLOBAL DISTRIBUTION
Financial Overview	Céline Dufétel CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER AND TREASURER
Questions	

A global asset management firm focused on client success



Firmwide AUM includes assets managed by T. Rowe Price Associates, Inc., and its investment advisory affiliates

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Our vision is to be a premier global active asset manager

By executing on important multiyear strategic objectives



More global and diversified asset manager



Strong process orientation and effective internal controls, while becoming a more adaptive and agile company



Global partner for retirement investors and provider of integrated investment solutions



Strong financial results and balance sheet



Embedding ESG and sustainability principles across the firm



Destination of choice for top talent with diverse workforce and inclusive culture

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Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion—strategic enablers for our business

2020-2021 Progress

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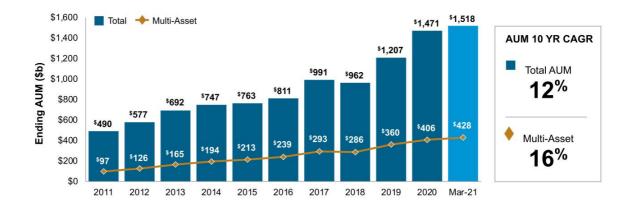
- Onboarded new global head of DEI and expanded the team under his leadership
- Executed strategy to improve representation of under-represented minorities and women
- Launched Diverse Connections mentoring program
- Expanded programming of our Business Resource Groups and Diversity Dialogues to support our associates
- Black Leadership Council and DEI Steering Committee guide and advise senior leadership

of our U.S. associates are ethnically diverse of our associates in of our associates in our global workforce 3% of 2020 hires were diverse BEST PLACES TO WORK INVEST WITH CONFIDENCE 7

Figures as of December 31, 2020.
Persions & Investments, 2020 Best Places to Work in Money Management, published December 14, 2020.
2021 BEST PLACE TO WORK FOR LOBTO EQUALITY by Human Rights Campaign Foundation 100% Corporate Equality Index **

Consistent AUM growth over time, particularly in Multi-Asset

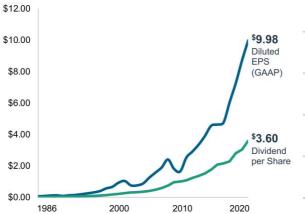
Driven by market returns + alpha + net cash inflows



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Consistent results and long-term orientation

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	5 years	10 years	20 years	30 years
Net revenues	8%	10%	9%	13%
Diluted EPS (GAAP)	17%	15%	12%	17%
Dividends	12%	13%	14%	16%
Annualized total stock return	19%	12%	13%	19%

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Left chart: Data are since April 2, 1986, IPO through December 31, 2020. Right chart: Compound annualized growth for periods ended December 31, 2020.

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Several trends continue to drive disruption

Investment Capabilities

- Target date competition
- Growing demand for ESG
- Accelerating interest in alternatives

Product Delivery

- Passive and pricing pressure
- Personalization segment of one
- Demand for vehicles beyond mutual funds

Distribution Channels

- Consolidating buying power and pressure from intermediaries
- Increased need for scale, and unbundling, in recordkeeping
- Faster growth occurring in APAC and EMEA

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Good progress on our 2020 strategic priorities

Investments

- Strong investment results
- Announced plans to launch TRPIM in Q2 2022
- Launched first four Active Equity ETFs
- Introduced new strategies across all asset classes – including alternatives
- Advanced corporate access, ESG, and Investment Data Insights capabilities

Distribution

- Net flows of \$5.6b; continued momentum in EMEA and APAC helped diversification
- Continued investment in U.S. wealth management
- Invested behind Individual Investor and RPS to improve efficiency and client experiences
- Strengthened our Target Date franchise

Corporate

- Revenue grew 11% and adjusted EPS increased 19%*
- Raised dividend 18% and repurchased 10.9m shares for \$1.2b (\$109.30)
- Further modernized our technology platform
- Advanced our DEI and talent initiatives
- Selected new green HQs for Baltimore and London

Data as of December 31, 2020.
*See the reconciliation to the comparable U.S. GAAP measures in the appendix (page 52)

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Our 2021 priorities

Investments

- Enhance target date offerings through reduced fees and new Retirement Blend products
- Advance TRPIM preparations ahead of Q2 2022 formation
- Launch initial Fixed Income ETF lineup
- Launch first Impact strategy and expand Responsible range
- Expand retirement capabilities including planning the launch of a managed account platform

Distribution

- Deliver 1%–3% organic growth
- Begin transformation of RPS technology and operations through new partnership with FIS
- Expand wealth management relationships including use of new vehicles (retail SMAs, ETFs)
- Continue EMEA and APAC buildout
- Roll out new holistic target date marketing campaign across channels

Corporate

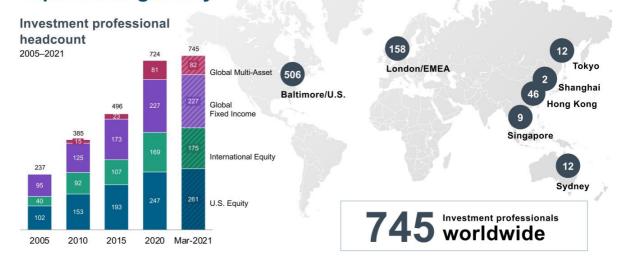
- Plan for associate return to office
- Deliver on expanded DEI goals
- Expand M&A evaluation capabilities
- Modernize front office tech tools, and continue middle office transformation
- Globalize corporate functional
- Plan new downtown Baltimore office space

Achieve excellent investment results for clients + attractive returns for stockholders over long term

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Multiyear investment to grow our investment capabilities globally



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Investment performance overview

Performance across global equity remains strong with global fixed income performance improving in the near term

U.S. Mutual Funds Outperforming Morningstar Median ¹			U.S. Mutual Funds Outperforming Passive Peer Median ²			Composites Outperforming Benchmark ³						
Asset Class	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years
Equity	65%	68%	67%	87%	57%	58%	62%	72%	55%	60%	73%	78%
Fixed Income	71%	60%	55%	57%	91%	59%	57%	60%	87%	69%	80%	72%
Multi-Asset	94%	94%	91%	90%	94%	91%	87%	86%				
Overall	75%	73%	70%	78%	78%	68%	68%	72%	68%	63%	76%	76%

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Rotation underway...long heritage of value investing

US Large-Cap	US Small-Cap	US Value	US Mid-Cap	International
Equity Income	Value Equity	Equity	Value Equity	Value Equity
US Large-Cap	Global	Emerging Markets	QM US Value	US Select
Value Equity	Value Equity	Discovery Equity	Equity	Value Equity
2000	2012	2015	2016	2017

Value equity Morningstar peer rankings1

Percent of Value Mutual Funds Percentile Rankings Above Median









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Our value franchise is broad, is at scale, and has generated strong results.

Value equity AUM²

AUM CAGR since 2010

Global/International Equity performance and capabilities—ready for any rotation away from U.S. Equities

% of funds and composites

	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year
U.S. Mutual Funds Outperforming Peers ¹	71%	75%	61%	86%
U.S. Mutual Funds Outperforming Passive Peers ² Composites Outperforming Benchmarks ³	65%	63%	56%	85%
	82%	68%	81%	95%

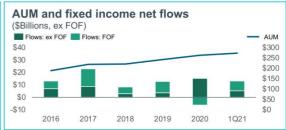
% total AUM by investment strategy



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Fixed Income efforts underway





Product offerings

High performing, with capacity and strong commercial potential

- Global Multi-Sector Bond
- US Total Return Bond
- Global High Income Bond
- Emerging Markets Corporate Bond
 Global Aggregate Bond and Local Currency Bond
- US Ultra-Short Term Bond
- QM US Aggregate Bond Index
- US High Yield Bond

Recent or planned launches and conversions

- 9 existing SICAV funds converted to ESG "Responsible" funds
- Launching three transparent active fixed income ETFs
- Short Duration Income

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

Net returns for composites are calculated using the highest applicable separate account fee schedule and compared to official GIPS composite primary benchmark. Excludes money market composites.

Primary share class only. Excludes T. Rower Price passive funds and institutional funds that are a clone of a retail fund. Mutual funds measured against the most appropriate style benchmark used for portfolio manager evaluation, which may not always be the prospectus benchmark. Net=NAV. Source. Morningstar (see inserted disclosure on page 53 for information about this Morningstar information.

The strategies and capabilities is lated are not available in all jurisdictions not to all investors. There is no guarantee that the capabilities and strategies currently under evaluation will be launched.

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Target date fund performance remained strong



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Investment capabilities

Introducing strategies that form the intersection of what we believe we can do well as a capability and meeting our clients' needs



Vehicle extensions to help EMEA and APAC business

ITMs in Japan, OEICs in the UK, additional SICAV offerings, and AUTs in Australia



Introducing additional vehicles in the U.S.

Semi-transparent equity active ETFs, transparent active fixed income ETFs, additional I-share classes and expanding our SMA offerings



Growing our alternatives lineup

Dynamic global bond, multi-strategy total return, and introduced our first private fund



ESG-specific products

From integrating ESG into our existing vehicles to launching specific Responsible and Impact portfolios



More concentrated portfolios targeted toward institutional buyers

U.S. equity value, global, European equity, to name a few, with more planned

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T. Rowe Price Investment Management (TRPIM)

We announced our intent to create a fully independent investment capability with the T. Rowe Price cultural tenets of investment excellence, placing clients first, collaboration, and a long-term time horizon to deliver superior investment client outcomes.



\$198b AUM

- US Capital Appreciation
- US Mid-Cap Growth Equity
- US Small-Cap Core Equity
- US Small-Cap Value Equity
- US Smaller Companies Equity
- US High Yield Bond

100+ **Associates**

- Separate investment personnel
- Dedicated experienced leadership
- Leverage T. Rowe Price Associates' (TRPA) shared functions (Distribution, Technology, Corporate)



Update on **Progress**

- Hiring for both TRPA and TRPIM remains on schedule
- Analysts sharing investment process best practices as they ramp research coverage
- Deploying and testing new systems
- Anticipated transition in Q2 2022

¹For more information, read November 19, 2020 press release regarding a proposal to launch a new investment adviser. https://lroweprice.gcs-web.com/press-releases Strategies/structures shown are not available in all jurisdictions from T. Rowe Price. This is not intended to be an offer or solicitation for any of these products.

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Balance of experienced portfolio managers and analysts at each adviser



Central Research*	~15		
	~15		
	associate		
	analysts		
esearch Platform			
1	11 years		
e tot	total investment		
	experience		
rtfolio Managemer	nt —		
21 years	22 years		
T. Rowe Price tenure	total investment		
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*Equity Research Platform includes analysts and sector PMs; all figures are averages. Expected analyst headcount after transition. Tenure is based on experience as of March 31, 2021.

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We have made significant progress on our ESG journey, with more planned

2007 Governance	2008 Corporate Responsibility	2010 PRI ¹	2012 CSR Report	2013 "E" and "S" Research	2014 Sustainalytics
Donna Anderson hired to head governance expertise	Responsible Investment Policy established	T. Rowe Price becomes signatory to the Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI)	First Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Report issued	Sustainalytics appointed as specialized ESG research provider	Sustainalytics ESG ratings are embedded in company notes

2017 Responsible Investing	2018 RIIM ² Corporates	2019 RIIM Sovereigns	2020 Responsible Products and Corporate ESG	2021 Impact Strategies	
Maria Elena Drew hired as director of research to establish in-house responsible investing	Proprietary ESG rating system for equity and credit rolled out	The firm rolls out proprietary ESG rating system for sovereigns	T. Rowe Price launches its first Responsible products in Europe	T. Rowe Price launches Global Impact Equity	Additional Responsible products and Impact strategies for U.S. Equity and Fixed Income under
expertise (environmental and social)			Hired Gabriela Infante as director of corporate ESG		consideration for 2021 and 2022

The PRI is an independent investor initiative supported by, but not part of, the United Nations.

*RIMM = Responsible Investing Indicator Model.

Not all products are available to all investors in all jurisdictions. There is no guarantee that the capabilities and strategies currently under evaluation will be launched.

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Expanding our ETF offering



Launched first suite of semi-transparent active equity ETFs in August 2020



Semi-transparent active ETFs are still in their infancy but have significant room for growth



Our proprietary model is producing industry-leading spreads



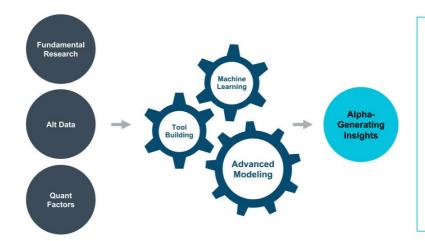
We have plans to broaden our lineup in 2021 and beyond

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Investment Data Insights team

Improving our client's investment outcomes through data-driven insights



People

Our cross-functional team is comprised of fundamental analysts, quantitative analysts, data scientists, data engineers, application developers, and UX designers.

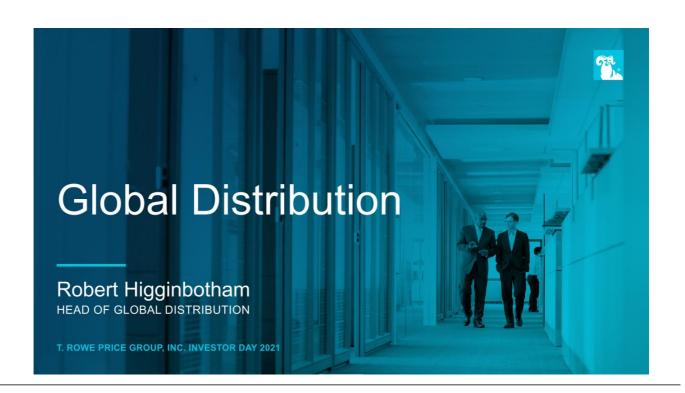
Business Value

Our proprietary technology ecosystem has accelerated our ability to insource new alternative data, perform analysis, and supply insights to our analysts and portfolio managers

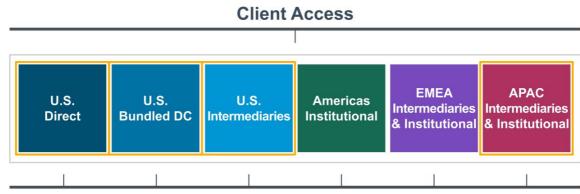
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Summary





T. Rowe Price has one of the broadest distribution franchises in global asset management

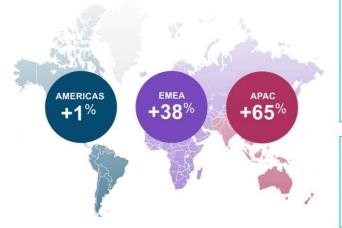


T. Rowe Price Global Distribution

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Transforming the distribution workforce—more global, more enabled, more expertise in key areas





Propelled by technology investments

\$330m¹ overall spend

- Operating scale
- Digital acceleration
- Opportunity management
- Marketing enablement
- Client experience
- Data & analytics

1 2020 technology investment

Yielding progress against key priorities

- Build a diversified business
- Outstanding client service
- Improved efficiency
- Build brand globally

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Our diversified access to clients is shown in our AUM

Global AUM



+11.8%
AUM CAGR
2010-2020

Other includes T. Rowe Price investments in proprietary products, Private Asset Management accounts, assets of the T. Rowe Price employee benefit plans, and Distribution Management Services accounts.

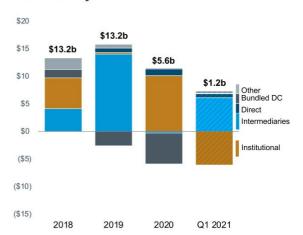
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Our 2020 results show continued diversified organic growth

Net flows by client geography

\$20 EMEA and APAC 84% \$15 \$13.2b \$13.2b of Net Flows \$10 since 2018 \$1.2b \$5 APAC Americas \$0 EMEA (\$10) (\$15) 2018 2019 2020 Q1 2021

Net flows by channel



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Strengthening target date solutions franchise for growth



New initiatives designed to help our clients achieve desired retirement outcomes

\$351.6b	Competitive Fees	 Reducing fees on both fund and trust products Enhanced positioning relative to peers Continued investment excellence with greater value for our clients
Franchise AUM	Breadth of Capabilities	 Vehicle, strategy extension to meet investors' unique goals Launch of Retirement Blend Fund series Proactive strategy for custom solutions
\$4.5b	Fortified Marketing	 Investing to increase awareness, consideration in a competitive market New "Retirement. Meet Your Match." campaign highlights breadth of solutions
Franchise Q1 2021 Net Flows	Continued Innovation	 Managed account/QDIA solution to engage participants preretirement, attract new clients Retirement income product and solutions

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Investing to sustain the strength of U.S. Direct business

Activating three-year strategy with an enhanced, growth-oriented value proposition



Tailored retirementoriented advice



Premium access to products, pricing, and expertise



Zero commission trades for stocks, ETFs



Select client services asset-tiered benefit program



Improve ease of doing business with us





Redemption rate is based on a 12-month rolling average ended March 31, 2021. T. ROWE PRICE GROUP, INC. INVESTOR DAY 2021



Reaffirming commitment to U.S. Bundled DC via accelerated transformation



\$153b 6,386 2.3m Net Promoter Score (2020 Plan Sponsor Survey) **Retirement Plans Plan Participants**

Strategic partnership with FIS will grow business in a stable, scalable, and efficient manner...

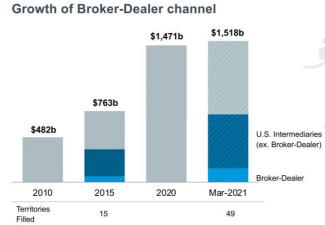
- Optimization of select technology, operational functions
- Builds on 30-year relationship with global leader in financial technology, services, and solutions
- Sole accountability for all recordkeeping services retained by T. Rowe Price

...enhancing plan sponsor and participant experiences without conversion disruption.

- Improved delivery of products and services
- Operational efficiency and risk mitigation
- More flexible and intuitive client functionality
- Digital payments, dark Web monitoring
- Platform continuity, client service teams unchanged

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Expansion of Broker-Dealer business drives results





"Count represents regional investment consultants in place or with agreed-upon start dates in place through 03 2021.
"Source: T. Rowe Price Proprietary Client Satisfaction Study (Q3 2019, Q4 2020); "Extreme Satisfaction = 9 and 10 responses on a scale of 0–10)
"Trailing 12-month net new flows over beginning of period AUM.

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APAC: A large, heterogeneous region of growth



Presence

3-year increase in headcount

- Deepening relationships, local incorporation enhance outcomes
- Shanghai research office opened in March 2021

Perception

3-year improvement in brand ranking¹

- Reputation increasing across key growth markets and client segments
- Enhancing brand uplift through advertising and promotion

Results

Q1 2021 organic growth²

- Region has achieved net inflows in every quarter since Q3 2016
- Extension of ITM product range in Japan continues to drive momentum



¹NMG Consulting's annual Global Asset Manager Study; data re permission. © NMG Group 2021. ²Trailling 12-month net new flows over beginning of period AUM. els between 2017 and 2020 studies. Most recent data available and used with

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Global Equities suite: A meaningful driver of flows with room to scale



	Global Focused Growth	Global Growth	Global Value	Global Select	Global SRS	QM Global Equity	Global Equity Dividend	Global Impact	Newly launched, differentiated portfolios complement	
Strategy/ Manager Inception	Dec 1995/ Oct 2012	Oct 2008	July 2012	Dec 2020	Jul 2021 (estimated)	Apr 2016	Apr 2018	Mar 2021	the more mature strategies with strong track records	
Vehicles Available	AUT Canadian Pool ITM Mutual Fund OEIC SICAV Responsible SICAV	AUT Canadian Pool Collective Trust Mutual Fund SICAV Responsible SICAV		■ Australia SMA ■ SICAV	• Responsible SICAV ¹	■ Mutual Fund	SICAV	• AUT • Mutual Fund • SICAV¹ • OEIC²	Global Impact meets demand for investors looking for ways to direct capital to companies creating positive social or environmental impact while generating alpha	

Strategies/structures shown are not available in all jurisdictions from T. Rowe Price. There is no guarantee that the capabilities and strategies currently under evaluation will be launched.
*SICAV prospectus filed with the CSSF, inception date (July 2021 estimated) is subject to receipt and timing of regulatory approval.

*Launch expected in GW 2021, subject to FCA approval and Day 1 market opening.

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Summary





Creating value for stockholders over time

As of March 31, 2021

Net Revenue 1 year

> Strong revenue momentum driven by rising markets and organic growth

Expense Growth¹ -1 year 6.9% 7.8%

Continued investment in capabilities to drive diversified and sustainable growth

Return of Capital² 1 year 5 years

Consistent return of capital to stockholders over time

See the reconciliation to the comparable U.S. GAAP measures in the appendix (page 51). Figures represent percent of U.S. non-GAAP net income attributable to T. Rowe Price Group, Inc., returned to stockholden

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Continued positive organic growth—institutional flows lessening seasonality

T. Rowe Price quarterly net flows



Annual organic growth rate

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2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
(0.4)%	1.7%	1.3%	1.4%	0.5%

Long-term organic growth target of 1%–3%

Lower seasonality due to growing institutional and EMEA/APAC businesses

Within retirement, plan wins and losses often overshadow more seasonal participant flows

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Positioning our target date franchise for continued growth

As of March 31, 2021

- Fee reductions of ~5.5 bps across the \$351.6b target date franchise
 - 6.3 bps on funds
 - 4.8 bps on trusts

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- Fee changes and expansion of blend capabilities will position our products competitively against both active and passive
- Changes we are making will support growth of our target date franchise, with the goal to remain a market leader, in a growing market

'Data through December 2019 to illustrate normalized markets. Data in 2020 are skewed by unprecedented fiscal stimulus packages and regulations specific to the global pandemic. Not all companies were included due to limited data availability. Source: Mornigater (see neserted disclosure on page 35 for information about this Morningster information).

Target Date Industry Growth Rate

> **Overall Target Date Market**

Active and Blend Products

12/31/2017 – 12/31/2019 (Morningstar Funds and Trusts)¹

Making investments across the firm in 2021



- Final year of TRPIM hiring ramp up
- Talent to support product expansions including research, trading, and product specialists
- Buildout of ESG, ETF, and IDI teams
- Shanghai office opening



- ~25% planned expansion in broker-dealer coverage team and support
- TDF, ETF, and brand building marketing campaigns
- Continued EMEA and APAC distribution and brand buildout
- RPS transformation transition costs
- Individual Investor strategic refresh



Technology, Operations, and Corporate

- Front and middle office modernization including enabling TRPIM and product expansions
- Augmented Intelligence and data analytics for investments and technology infrastructure
- Digital capabilities and client experience
- Globalization of corporate functions and regulatory impact

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Areas of investment over next two to three years



Investments

- Talent to support product expansions
- ESG and Impact capabilities across asset classes
- ETF road map
- Liquid alternatives
- Global multi-asset expansion



M Distribution

- Continued expansion of wealth management coverage
- Expansion of digital marketing capabilities and brand investments
- Continued development of client partnerships in all regions
- RPS transition costs (2022)
- · Vehicle expansion (SMA, model delivery)



Technology, Operations, and Corporate

- Continued front and middle office modernization including trading systems
- Digital capabilities and client experience
- Responding to increasing complexity and regulation
- New Baltimore headquarters and London office
- Normalized travel

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Driving efficiencies for reinvestment



Strategic Partnership with FIS

- Increased efficiency across operations and technology, leveraging scale and automation
- Enhanced delivery of innovative retirement solutions



Technology Cost Optimization

- Software demand management
- Application decommissioning
- Consolidation of data center footprint



Client Digitization and Automation

- Customer transaction processing automation
- Statement processing modernization
- Robotics process automation



Technology Modernization

- Infrastructure automation
- Software developer services
- Desktop environment (VDI)

Disciplined strategic and financial planning

Leveraging partnerships to drive efficiencies

Modernizing technology to drive long-term efficiencies

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Effectively deploying capital



Grow dividend annually

- Continued year-on-year dividend increase since IPO
- 38% payout ratio over past five years¹



Buy back stock opportunistically and offset dilution

- 8% decline in shares outstanding over past five years
- Repurchased \$4.2b over past five years at an average share price of \$95.71
 - 8x average P/E²
 - 3.9% dividend yield2



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Remain debt-free and strategically deploy seed capital

- \$4.8b in cash and discretionary investments
- \$1.2b in seed capital deployed against ~70 strategies
 - \$100m–\$500m deployed annually³

Based on U.S. GAAP. Includes recurring dividends only.

*Last Twelve Months (LTM) U.S. GAAP earnings, LTM dividends paid.

*Reflects seed capital deployed annually since 2016 including redeployment of previous seed capital commitment

Our perspective on evaluating inorganic opportunities

Advance our strategy

- New capabilities
- Scale for capabilities not yet scaled
- Diversification

Align with best-inclass investors

- Repeatable source of alpha
- Strong investment performance and culture

Minimize existing business disruption

- Similar culture and business practices
- Minimal overlap with scaled capabilities

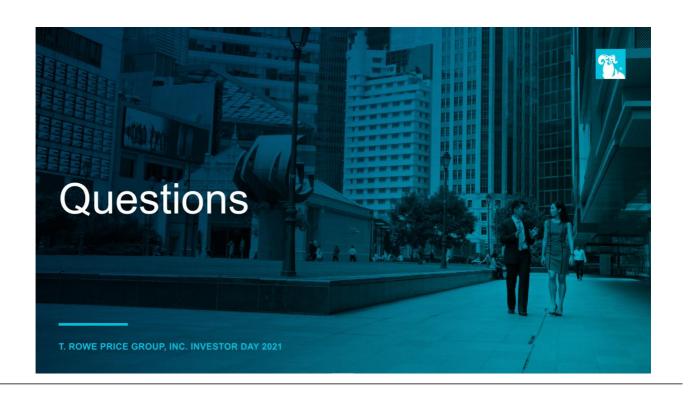
Add value to stockholders

- Value creation through distribution and new product development and seeding
- Fair valuation

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Summary: Clear objectives to measure our success







Non-GAAP operating income and net revenues reconciliation

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Net Revenues, GAAP basis	\$6,570.9	\$5,753.2	\$5,371.9	\$5,050.3	\$4,342.4
Non-GAAP adjustments:					
Consolidated Investment Products	8.7	7.8	6.0	6.5	6.0
Net Revenues, Non-GAAP basis	\$6,579.6	\$5,761.0	\$5,377.9	\$5,056.8	\$4,348.4
Operating Expenses, GAAP basis	\$3,639.2	\$3,191.5	\$3,061.8	\$2,879.4	\$2,498.2
Non-GAAP adjustments:					
Consolidated Investment Products	(7.5)	(7.5)	(7.3)	(5.7)	(7.0)
Supplemental Savings Plan Liability	(197.7)	27.1	(28.6)	(14.1)	
Nonrecurring Dell			15.2		(16.2)
Operating Expenses, Non-GAAP basis	\$3,434.0	\$3.211.1	\$3,041.1	\$2,859.6	\$2,475.0
Operating Income, GAAP basis	\$2,931.7	\$2,561.7	\$2,310.1	\$2,170.9	\$1,844.2
Non-GAAP adjustments:					
Consolidated Investment Products	16.2	15.3	13.3	12.2	13.0
Supplemental Savings Plan Liability	197.7	(27.1)	28.6	14.1	
Nonrecurring Dell			(15.2)		16.2
Operating Income, Non-GAAP basis	\$3,145.6	\$2,549.9	\$2,336.8	\$2,197.2	\$1,873.4
Operating Margin, GAAP basis ¹	44.6%	44.5%	43.0%	43.0%	42.5%
Operating Margin, as adjusted1	47.8%	44.3%	43.5%	43.5%	43.1%

¹Operating margin is equal to operating income divided by net revenues. Last 12 months ended March 31.

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Reconciliation between GAAP and adjusted (non-GAAP) EPS

As of December 31, 2020

	2020	2019
Diluted Earnings per Common Share, GAAP Basis	\$9.98	\$8.70
Non-GAAP adjustments:		
Consolidated T. Rowe Price Investment Products	(.27)	(.42)
Other non-operating income	(.19)	(.23)
Non-operating income of investments designated as an economic hedge of the SSP Plan less compensation expense	.06	.02
Adjusted diluted earnings per common share	<u>\$9.58</u>	\$8.07

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Investment performance overview (slide 15)

Source: Morningstar. Primary share class only. Excludes money market mutual funds, funds with an operating history of less than one year, T. Rowe Price passive funds, and T. Rowe Price funds that are clones of other funds. The chart reflects the percentage of T. Rowe Price funds with 1 year, 3 year, 5 year, and 10 year track record that are outperforming the Morningstar category median.

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³Composite net returns are calculated using the highest applicable separate account fee schedule. Excludes money market composites. All composites compared to official GIPS composite primary benchmark. The chart reflects the percentage of T. Rowe Price composites with 1 year, 3 year, 5 year, and 10 year track record that are outperforming their benchmarks.

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