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### VANGUARD INVESTMENTS CANADA ANNOUNCES ESTIMATED 2020 ANNUAL CAPITAL GAINS DISTRIBUTIONS FOR THE VANGUARD ETFs®

TORONTO (November 16, 2020) – Vanguard Investments Canada Inc. today announced the estimated annual capital gains distributions for the Vanguard ETFs listed below for the 2020 tax year. ***Please note that these are estimated amounts only, as of October 30, 2020, and reflect forward-looking information which may cause the estimates to change before the ETFs' tax year-end of December 15, 2020.***

These estimates are for the year-end capital gains distributions only, which will be re-invested and the resulting units immediately consolidated, so that the number of units held by each investor will not change. These estimates do not include estimates of ongoing monthly or quarterly cash distribution amounts.

Vanguard expects to announce the final year-end distribution amounts for VBU, VBG and VGAB on or about December 17, 2020. The ex-dividend date for the 2020 year-end distributions for VBU, VBG and VGAB will be December 23, 2020. The record date will be December 24, 2020 and payable on January 5, 2021.

Other than VBU, VBG and VGAB, the 2020 final year-end distribution amounts, as well as the monthly and quarterly cash distribution amounts will be announced on or about December 22, 2020. The ex-dividend date for the 2020 year-end distributions (with the exception of VBU, VBG and VGAB) will be December 30, 2020. The record date will be December 31, 2020 and payable on January 8, 2021.

Vanguard ETF	TSX Ticker Symbol	Estimated annual capital gain per unit as of October 30, 2020 (\$)
Vanguard FTSE Canada Index ETF	VCE	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Canada All Cap Index ETF	VCN	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Canadian High Dividend Yield Index ETF	VDY	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Canadian Capped REIT Index ETF	VRE	0.0000000
Vanguard S&P 500 Index ETF	VFV	0.0000000
Vanguard U.S. Dividend Appreciation Index ETF	VGG	0.0044040
Vanguard U.S. Dividend Appreciation Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VGH	0.7188470
Vanguard S&P 500 Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VSP	0.8650030
Vanguard U.S. Total Market Index ETF	VUN	0.0000000
Vanguard U.S. Total Market Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VUS	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Developed Asia Pacific All Cap Index ETF	VA	0.3580640
Vanguard FTSE Developed All Cap ex U.S. Index ETF	VDU	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Developed Europe All Cap Index ETF	VE	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Emerging Markets All Cap Index ETF	VEE	0.0000000

Vanguard FTSE Developed All Cap ex U.S. Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VEF	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Developed All Cap ex North America Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VI	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Developed ex North America High Dividend Yield Index ETF	VIDY	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Developed All Cap ex North America Index ETF	VIU	0.0000000
Vanguard FTSE Global All Cap ex Canada Index ETF	VXC	0.1474240
Vanguard Canadian Aggregate Bond Index ETF	VAB	0.0466210
Vanguard Canadian Corporate Bond Index ETF	VCB	0.0441790
Vanguard Canadian Government Bond Index ETF	VGW	0.1629700
Vanguard Canadian Long-Term Bond Index ETF	VLB	0.4125280
Vanguard Canadian Short-Term Bond Index ETF	VSB	0.0000000
Vanguard Canadian Short-Term Corporate Bond Index ETF	VSC	0.0000000
Vanguard U.S. Aggregate Bond Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VBU	0.0000000
Vanguard Global ex-U.S. Aggregate Bond Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VBG	0.0000000
Vanguard Balanced ETF Portfolio	VBAL	0.0820810
Vanguard Conservative Income ETF Portfolio	VCIP	0.0363350
Vanguard Conservative ETF Portfolio	VCNS	0.0322510
Vanguard All-Equity ETF Portfolio	VEQT	0.0000000
Vanguard Growth ETF Portfolio	VGRO	0.0850820
Vanguard Retirement Income ETF Portfolio	VRIF	0.0000000
Vanguard Global Momentum Factor ETF	VMO	0.0000000
Vanguard Global Value Factor ETF	VVL	0.0000000
Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility ETF	VVO	0.0000000
Vanguard Global Aggregate Bond Index ETF (CAD-hedged)	VGAB	0.0463040

### Forward-looking information

This notice contains forward-looking statements with respect to the estimated 2020 year-end capital gains distributions for the Vanguard ETFs. By their nature, these forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties that could cause the actual distributions to differ materially from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements. Material factors that could cause the actual distributions to differ from the estimated distributions include, but are not limited to, the actual amounts of distributions received by the Vanguard ETFs, portfolio transactions, currency hedging transactions, and subscription and redemption activity.

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