

# Canada Life EAFE Stock Gens I†

May 31, 2026

A value-style international equity fund seeking growth through large companies.

## Is this fund right for you?

- You want your money to grow over the longer term.
- You want to invest in companies outside of Canada and the U.S. for the long term.
- You're comfortable with a moderate level of risk.

RISK RATING



**Fund category**  
International Equity

**Inception date**  
June 05, 2006

**Management expense ratio (MER)\***  
3.53%

**Fund management**  
Putnam Investments

## How is the fund invested? (as of December 31, 2025)



Asset allocation (%)

International Equity	96.3
Cash and Equivalents	3.7



Geographic allocation (%)

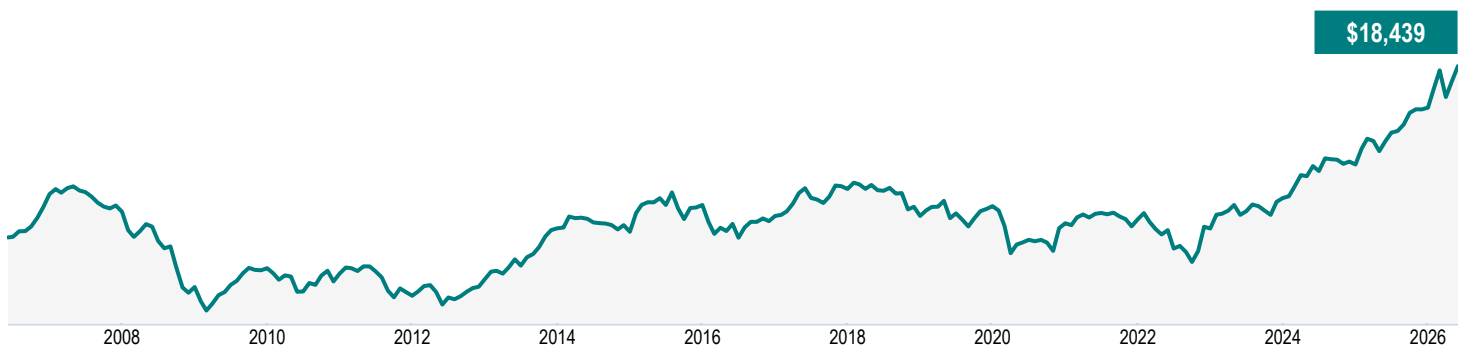
United Kingdom	22.9
Netherlands	12.7
Japan	11.6
Germany	8.6
France	8.1
Ireland	5.5
Taiwan	4.4
China	4.1
Korea, Republic Of	3.9
Other	18.2



Sector allocation (%)

Financial Services	19.0
Technology	15.3
Consumer Goods	12.0
Healthcare	10.2
Industrial Goods	9.8
Energy	8.4
Basic Materials	5.7
Utilities	5.1
Cash and Cash Equivalent	3.7
Other	10.8

## Growth of \$10,000 (since inception)



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## Fund details (as of December 31, 2025)

Top holdings	%
Taiwan Semiconductor Manufactrg Co Ltd	4.4
AstraZeneca PLC	4.1
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	3.9
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA 2.10% 02-Jan-2026	3.6
BP PLC	3.2
ING Groep NV	3.2
SSE PLC	3.1
Mitsubishi Electric Corp	3.0
Ebara Corp	2.8
Shell PLC	2.7
<b>Total allocation in top holdings</b>	<b>34.0</b>

Portfolio characteristics	
Standard deviation	10.25%
Dividend yield	2.43%
Yield to maturity	-
Duration (years)	-
Coupon	-
Average credit rating	-
Average market cap (million)	\$247,626.5

Net assets (million)

-

Price  
\$18.44

Number of holdings  
53

Minimum initial  
investment  
\$1,000

Fund codes  
DSC^ – CLGLF105  
NL – CLGLN105

## Understanding returns

### Annual compound returns (%)

1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	INCEPTION
4.30	1.16	12.50	25.04	18.40	10.56	5.63	3.11

### Calendar year returns (%)

2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
20.59	13.85	14.36	-4.17	1.84	-7.31	4.35	-10.71

## Range of returns over five years (July 01, 2006 - May 31, 2026)

Best return	Best period end date	Worst return	Worst period end date	Average Return	% of periods with positive returns	Number of positive periods	Number of negative periods
13.17%	May 2017	-11.48%	May 2012	2.29%	64.44%	116	64

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## Q1 2026 Fund Commentary

*Commentary and opinions are provided by Putnam Investments.*

### Market commentary

Non-U.S. equities were roughly flat during the first quarter of 2026. After gains in January and February, international equity performance reversed in March. European equities performed well early in the quarter, with some markets hitting record highs, benefiting from broader global optimism and commodity strength. Asian markets also posted solid performance, driven by strong demand for artificial intelligence (AI)-related and technology infrastructure stocks.

In March, global equity markets experienced declines and turbulence driven by the conflict in the Middle East, which began in late February. The conflict pushed up oil prices and raised inflation fears and anxiety over the potential for escalation. Markets became sensitive to oil price swings and conflict-related headlines, with European equities among the hardest hit because of the region's energy dependency risk. In Asia, stocks were particularly sensitive to oil import costs and supply disruptions.

### Performance

Sector allocation was the primary driver of performance during the quarter. An underweight allocation to the consumer discretionary sector and an overweight allocation to the energy sector contributed to performance. Stock selection within the information technology, health care and materials sectors also contributed to performance. By country, selection within the U.K., Switzerland and South Korea was positive.

An overweight exposure to Glencore plc contributed to performance. Samsung Electronics Co. Ltd., an out-of-benchmark allocation, also contributed to performance. An overweight exposure to Galp Energia SGPS S.A. contributed to performance.

Stock selection detracted from performance in the industrials, communication services and consumer discretionary sectors. By country, selection within Japan, France and Indonesia detracted. A slight overweight allocation to the industrials sector also marginally detracted from performance.

An overweight exposure to Deutsche Bank AG detracted from performance. Out-of-benchmark allocations to Alibaba Group Holding Ltd. and CRH plc detracted from performance during the quarter.

### Portfolio activity

The sub-advisor added BHP Group Ltd., Galp Energia SGPS S.A. and Hitachi Ltd. during the quarter. The sub-advisor increased Glencore plc, BP p.l.c. and Japan Exchange Group Inc.

The sub-advisor sold London Stock Exchange Group plc, Accor S.A. and Akzo Nobel N.V. The sub-advisor also reduced Prudential plc, Compass Group plc and Ryanair Holdings plc.

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## Outlook

The first quarter turned turbulent in its final month as the conflict in the Middle East brought notable uncertainty to global equity markets. In the sub-advisor's view, the situation remains fluid, and the conflict presents a wide range of implications depending on its duration and outcome. A relatively quick resolution could ease energy prices and inflationary pressures, while a drawn-out conflict could weigh on equity markets.

The sub-advisor notes a sharp momentum reversal in equities since the start of the conflict, especially in markets outside the U.S., which are more sensitive to energy price shocks. Concerns related to AI disruption, particularly in software, have added to uncertainty. The sub-advisor remains focused on active management and disciplined fundamental research, an approach the sub-advisor believes is particularly important in uncertain and volatile environments.

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