

## Mawer EAFE Large Cap Fund (Series A)

As at December 31, 2024 | Morningstar Rating™: ★★

## **Fund Details**

**Fund Managers:** 

David Ragan, CFA Jim Hall, CFA

**Date Series Started:** 

May 29, 2020

Fund Net Asset Value (Series A, O):

\$102.4 million

Total Net Asset Value (Series A):

\$7.2 million

**Net Asset Value Per Unit:** 

\$13.49

Management Expense Ratio<sup>2</sup>: 1.40% (as at Dec 31, 2024)

Trading Expense Ratio<sup>3</sup>: 0.08% (as at Dec 31, 2024)

**Fund Code:** 

**MAW170** 

**Minimum Investment:** 

\$500 initial, \$50 minimum subsequent investment

Number of Holdings<sup>1</sup>:

65

Number of Countries1:

16

#### What Does The Fund Invest In?

The Fund invests primarily in equity and equity related securities of larger companies located in developed countries outside of Canada and the United States, primarily in Europe, Australasia and the Far East (EAFE). Treasury bills or short-term investments, not exceeding three years to maturity will also be used.

#### **Investor Suitability**

Investors seeking long-term, above-average growth who can tolerate equity volatility. Medium risk.

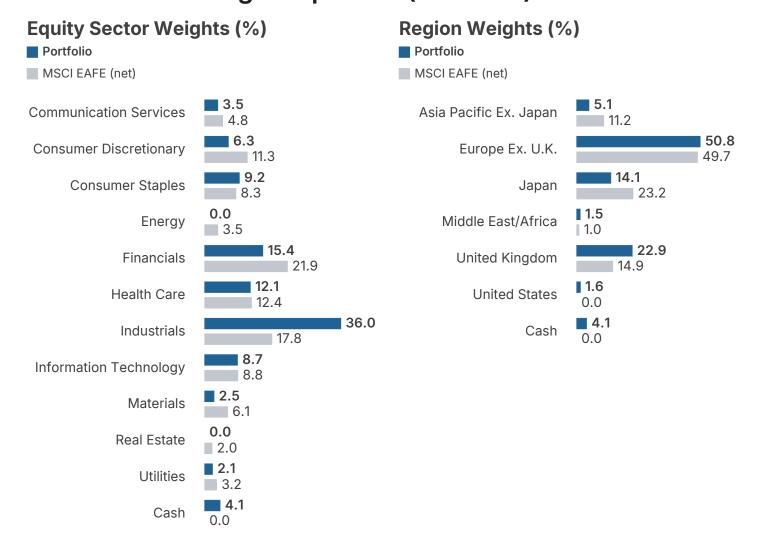
#### **Investment Strategy**

In order to achieve its investment objectives, the Manager systematically creates a broadly diversified portfolio of wealth-creating companies with excellent management teams bought at discounts to their intrinsic values. The Manager employs a highly disciplined, research-driven, bottom-up process and long-term holding period to allow for investor recognition or corporate growth, and to minimize transaction costs.

| Net Performance (%) <sup>4</sup>                             | 1-Yr | 3-Yr | 5-Yr | 10-Yr | Since<br>Inception <sup>5</sup> |
|--|------|------|------|-------|---------------------------------|
| Mawer EAFE Large Cap Fund                                    | 7.8  | 1.6  | -    | -     | 7.3                             |
| MSCI EAFE (net)  | 13.2 | 6.1  | -    | -     | 9.7                             |
| Morningstar Rating   | 2    | 2    | -    | -     | -                               |
| Number of Funds in Morningstar Category International Equity | 647  | 588  | -    | -     | -                               |



# Mawer EAFE Large Cap Fund (Series A) cont'd



| Top 25 Holdings                   | % Weight |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Cash and Cash Equivalents         | 4.1      |
| DBS Group Holdings Ltd            | 3.4      |
| Wolters Kluwer NV                 | 3.2      |
| Compass Group PLC                 | 2.9      |
| BAE Systems PLC                   | 2.8      |
| RELX PLC                          | 2.3      |
| Bunzi PLC                         | 2.3      |
| InterContinental Hotels Group PLC | 2.3      |
| Rheinmetall AG                    | 2.1      |
| Iberdrola SA                      | 2.1      |
| Koninklijke Ahold Delhaize NV     | 2.1      |
| Roche Holding AG                  | 2.1      |
| Haleon PLC                        | 2.1      |

| Top 25 Holdings                    | % Weight |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Deutsche Boerse AG                 | 2.0      |
| Chugai Pharmaceutical Co Ltd       | 2.0      |
| Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group Inc | 2.0      |
| Assa Abloy AB                      | 1.9      |
| Novo Nordisk A/S                   | 1.8      |
| Publicis Groupe SA                 | 1.8      |
| Ashtead Group PLC                  | 1.7      |
| Air Liquide SA                     | 1.7      |
| KDDI Corp                          | 1.7      |
| Diageo PLC                         | 1.7      |
| Techtronic Industries Co Ltd       | 1.7      |
| DNB Bank ASA                       | 1.6      |
| Total                              | 55.4     |



### **Disclaimers**

- <sup>1</sup> Equity holdings, excluding cash.
- The Fund's MER is made up of the management fee and operating expenses. The Fund's annual management fee is 1.10% of the Fund's value. Because this fund is new, its operating expenses are relatively large in comparison to the fund's assets. Mawer Investment Management Ltd. has committed to subsidize the operating expenses of the Fund from its inception so that the MER is no more than 1.40%; without the subsidy the MER may be higher. Mawer Investment Management Ltd. reserves the right to terminate the subsidy at any time. Management plans to review the subsidy periodically with the intent to remove the subsidy once the MER of the Fund has stabilized. After the subsidized period ends, the actual MER for the Fund may be higher than 1.40%.
- <sup>3</sup> The trading expense ratio represents total commissions and other portfolio transaction costs expressed as an annualized percentage of daily average net assets during the year.
- <sup>4</sup> Performance has been presented for the A-series mutual funds and has been calculated net of fees. Performance has been expressed in Canadian dollars.
- <sup>5</sup> Mawer EAFE Large Cap Fund Series A inception: May 29, 2020.

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