

# Prosperity International Equity Fund

Quarterly Update | As of December 31, 2019

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**Investment Objective:** To provide long-term capital appreciation through investment in equity markets outside of Canada and the US by investing in equity securities of issuers throughout the world including Europe, Asia and the Far East. The Fund seeks to outperform the MSCI EAFE Net Index (CAD) over rolling four-year periods.

**Portfolio Manager:** iA Investment Counsel Inc.

## Portfolio Sub-advisors:

### Mawer Investment Management

Founded in 1974 by Charles Mawer, the firm's bottom-up fundamental research process seeks to identify high-quality growth companies trading at a discount to their intrinsic value, relative to the market.

### Pyrford International Ltd.

Founded in 1987, Pyrford uses a proven investment process that focuses on fundamentals. Their value-driven philosophy is based on a quality, absolute return approach.

### MFS Investment Management

MFS was founded in 1924 on the belief that earnings growth along with valuation discipline are the most important drivers of stock performance and that quality is often underappreciated by the market.

## Performance

Annualized <sup>1</sup>	3mo	6mo	1yr	3yr	5yr	7yr	10yr	Inception <sup>2</sup>
Prosperity International Equity Fund	6.2%	5.9%	13.0%	7.5%	7.6%	10.3%	8.0%	6.1%
MSCI EAFE Net (CAD)	5.9%	6.2%	15.9%	8.3%	8.1%	10.4%	7.8%	5.3%

  

Calendar Year	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Prosperity International Equity Fund	13.0%	-3.3%	13.6%	-0.3%	16.6%	7.1%	28.2%	14.2%
MSCI EAFE Net (CAD)	15.9%	-6.0%	16.8%	-2.5%	19.0%	3.7%	31.0%	14.7%

## Sector Allocation



Cash	2.18%
Consumer Discretionary	7.34%
Consumer Staples	14.97%
Energy	3.58%
Financials	14.68%
Health Care	11.66%
Industrials	20.06%
Information Technology	9.72%
Materials	9.05%
Real Estate	0.00%
Telecommunication Services	5.10%
Utilities	1.66%

## Top 10 Holdings

Nestle	3.01%
Roche Holding	2.88%
Air Liquide	2.73%
Novartis	2.30%
SAP SE	2.03%
AIA Group Ltd	1.81%
Taiwan Semiconductor	1.76%
AON PLC	1.69%
LVMH Moet Hennessy	1.68%
Relx PLC	1.58%

## Country Allocation



France	11.59%
Germany	8.76%
Japan	11.85%
Brazil	0.18%
Mexico	0.00%
Netherlands	3.89%
Other	17.84%
Other Europe	12.45%
Switzerland	12.85%
United Kingdom	15.93%
United States	2.47%

Management Fee<sup>3</sup> 0.85%

Total Fund Assets \$132,620,000

Distributions Annually

<sup>1</sup>Returns are annualized only for those periods greater than one year.

<sup>2</sup>The inception date for the Prosperity International Equity Fund is February 24, 2004.

<sup>3</sup>The annual fee payable by the fund to iA Investment Counsel Inc. for acting as manager of the Prosperity International Equity Fund.

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The above performance information reflects previous sub-advisors and/or sub-advisor allocations.

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