

# Canada Life Canadian Value Fund QF5



February 28, 2026

The fund seeks long-term capital growth by investing mainly in Canadian equities. The fund uses a value equity style of investing and may hold up to 30% of its assets in foreign investments.

## Is this fund right for you?

- Are looking for a Canadian equity fund to hold as part of their portfolio.
- Want a medium- to long-term investment.
- Can handle the volatility of stock markets.

RISK RATING



**Fund category**  
Canadian Equity

**Inception date**  
May 25, 2020

**Management expense ratio (MER)**  
1.41%  
(September 30, 2025)

**Fund management**  
Mackenzie Investments

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



Asset allocation (%)

Canadian Equity	90.7
US Equity	5.4
Income Trust Units	3.2
Cash and Equivalents	0.5
International Equity	0.3
Other	-0.1



Geographic allocation (%)

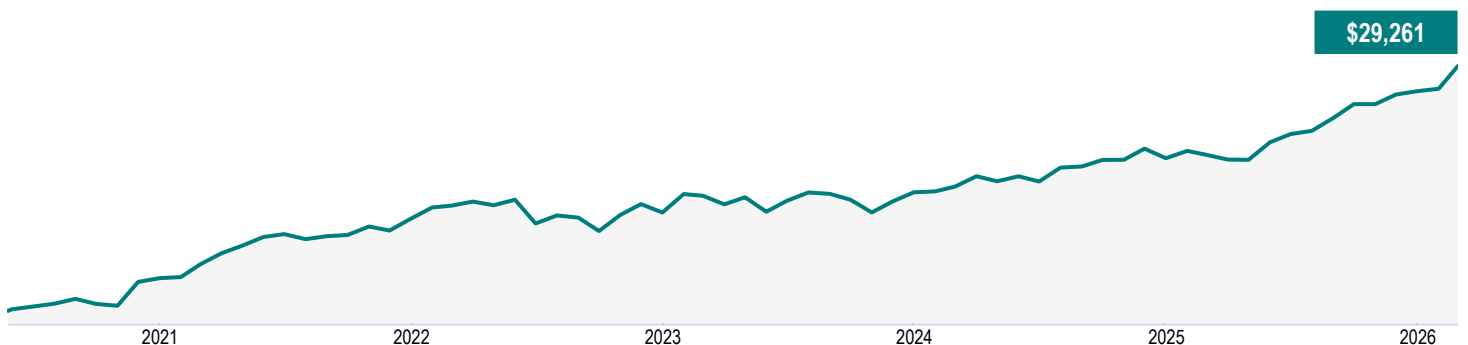
Canada	94.4
United States	5.4
Australia	0.2
Ireland	0.1
Other	-0.1



Sector allocation (%)

Financial Services	29.9
Basic Materials	13.7
Energy	11.2
Industrial Services	9.8
Technology	8.5
Consumer Services	6.9
Real Estate	5.5
Consumer Goods	5.1
Utilities	2.4
Other	7.0

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



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

Top holdings	%
Royal Bank of Canada	6.8
Toronto-Dominion Bank	4.7
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd	4.4
Kinross Gold Corp	3.5
Shopify Inc Cl A	2.9
Canadian Natural Resources Ltd	2.8
Canadian National Railway Co	2.7
Canadian Pacific Kansas City Ltd	2.7
Brookfield Corp Cl A	2.6
Suncor Energy Inc	2.5
<b>Total allocation in top holdings</b>	<b>35.6</b>

Portfolio characteristics	
Standard deviation	11.0%
Dividend yield	2.1%
Yield to maturity	-
Duration (years)	-
Coupon	-
Average credit rating	-
Average market cap (million)	\$153,256.1

### Net assets (million)

\$298.9

### Price

\$26.20

### Number of holdings

639

### Minimum initial investment

\$500

### Fund codes

NL – MAX6524

## Understanding returns

### Annual compound returns (%)

1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	INCEPTION
<b>6.5</b>	<b>8.3</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>31.4</b>	<b>15.4</b>	<b>16.5</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>20.5</b>

### Calendar year returns (%)

2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
<b>24.0</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>9.0</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>37.2</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

## Range of returns over five years (June 01, 2020 - February 28, 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
<b>20.4%</b>	<b>Oct. 2025</b>	<b>16.5%</b>	<b>Feb. 2026</b>	<b>18.0%</b>	<b>100.0%</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>

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## Q4 2025 Fund Commentary

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### Market commentary

Canada's economy showed signs of strain in the fourth quarter as U.S. tariffs and weakening trade flows continued to pressure manufacturing and export-oriented sectors. Business confidence softened, and labour-market momentum faded, although household spending remained stable heading into year-end.

The Bank of Canada held its policy rate at 2.25% in December following its 25-basis-point rate cut in October, citing moderating inflation and persistent economic uncertainty. Canada's unemployment rate rose to 6.8% in December, as labour-force growth outpaced hiring and trade-sensitive industries showed renewed weakness.

The Canadian equity market advanced in the quarter, with the S&P/TSX Composite Index rising about 6.3%, supported by strength in the materials and consumer discretionary sectors. Information technology also contributed, while energy lagged broader market gains amid softer crude oil prices through year-end.

### Performance

Relative exposure to Kinross Gold Corp., CCL Industries Inc. and Constellation Software Inc. contributed to the Fund's performance. Kinross Gold benefited from a 12% increase in the price of gold, cost discipline and production consistency. Shares of CCL Industries rose because of improvement across the company's core businesses, with more stable volumes in key segments. No exposure to Constellation Software was a contributor as the company's shares fell amid investor concerns about the potential impact of artificial intelligence on the business.

Relative exposures to Barrick Mining Corp., Allied Properties REIT and Northland Power Inc. detracted from the Fund's performance. Underweight exposure to Barrick Mining detracted from performance. The company's stock rose as the price of gold rose, and the company benefited from discussions around simplifying its portfolio. Allied Properties REIT was affected by the slow recovery in the office sector following the COVID-19 pandemic. The company's stock fell after the company made a 60% cut to its monthly distribution. Northland Power cut its distribution despite reassurances from a new management team that a cut had not been under consideration.

At a sector level, stock selection in the industrials, health care and energy sectors contributed to the Fund's performance. Underweight exposure to the energy sector and overweight exposure to the consumer discretionary sector also contributed to performance. Underweight exposure and stock selection in the materials sector detracted from performance, as did selection in the utilities, financials and real estate sectors.

### Portfolio activity

The sub-advisor increased a Fund holding in Waste Connections Inc. and reduced the Fund's holding in Bank of Montreal. These transactions were based on the company stocks' individual risk/reward profile.

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