

# GMO International Equity Fund

## Class IV (GMCFX)

### Annual Shareholder Report - February 28, 2025



This annual shareholder report contains important information about GMO International Equity Fund for the period of March 1, 2024 to February 28, 2025. You can find additional information about the Fund at <https://www.gmo.com/americas/mutual-fund-documents/>. You can also request this information by contacting us at (617) 346-7646 (collect).

#### What were the Fund costs for the last year?

(based on a hypothetical \$10,000 investment)

Class Name	Costs of a \$10,000 investment	Costs paid as a percentage of a \$10,000 investment
Class IV	\$198	1.81% <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Includes non-recurring legal fees from a one-time litigation settlement which increased the hypothetical expense ratio above by 1.20%.

#### How did the Fund perform last year and what affected its performance?

Although the Fund is not managed relative to any securities market index or benchmark, a discussion of the Fund’s performance relative to the MSCI EAFE Index is included for comparative purposes.

Class IV shares of GMO International Equity Fund returned +18.85% (net) for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2025, as compared with +8.77% for the MSCI EAFE Index.

Strong stock selection, country allocation, and sector allocation all contributed to portfolio outperformance relative to its benchmark. Financials delivered notable contributions from overweight positioning toward Spanish and Italian Financials. Other areas of positive stock selection included Health Care, Consumer Staples, Information Technology, Consumer Discretionary, the Netherlands, and Japan.

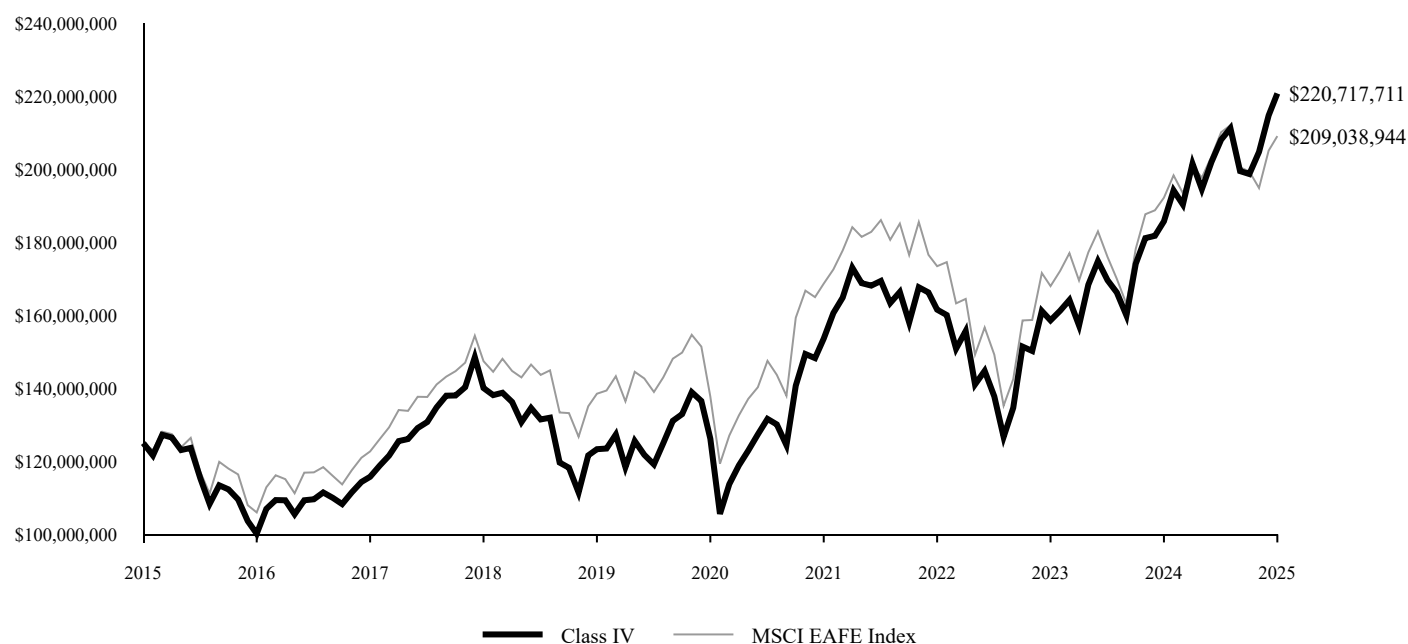
Decisions which detracted from performance included stock selection in Industrials, and a mix of overweight positioning and stock selection in French Information Technology and Italian Consumer Discretionary.

Returns include a substantial, one-time litigation settlement recovery received on December 16, 2024. This event contributed 5.52% to the performance for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2025. Performance for other periods including this date was also positively impacted, sometimes materially. Without this recovery, performance would have been lower in both absolute terms and relative to the benchmark. Additional information is available upon request.

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## Fund Performance

Change in Value of a \$125,000,000 Investment



### Average Annual Total Returns

	1 Year	5 Years	10 Years
Class IV*	18.85%	11.83%	5.85%
MSCI EAFE Index	8.77%	8.70%	5.28%

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The gross expense ratio of 0.66% for Class IV is equal to the Total Annual Operating Expenses set forth in the Fund's most recent prospectus dated June 30, 2024. The net expense ratio of 0.62% reflects the reduction of expenses from fee reimbursements. The fee reimbursements will continue until at least June 30, 2025 and may not be terminated prior to this date without the action or consent of the Trust's Board of Trustees. Elimination of this reimbursement will result in higher fees and lower performance.

**Key Fund Statistics**

Total Net Assets	\$1,017,658,647
Number of Portfolio Holdings	193
Portfolio Turnover Rate	71%*
Total Advisory Fees Paid, Net	\$4,906,163

\* The portfolio turnover rate excludes investments in GMO U.S. Treasury Fund ("USTF") which is used as a short-term investment vehicle for cash management. The portfolio turnover rate including transactions in USTF during the period was 84%.

**What does the Fund invest in?** The Fund primarily invested in equity securities at year end.

<b>Country/Region Summary*</b>	<b>% of Investments</b>	<b>Industry Group Summary**</b>	<b>% of Investments</b>
Japan	23.8	Banks	11.4
United Kingdom	12.5	Capital Goods	11.0
France	10.0	Pharmaceuticals, Biotechnology & Life Sciences	9.0
Netherlands	7.9	Insurance	8.2
Germany	7.4	Financial Services	7.7
Spain	6.4	Consumer Durables & Apparel	6.3
Switzerland	6.2	Software & Services	6.2
United States	5.0	Technology Hardware & Equipment	6.1
Singapore	4.8	Telecommunication Services	5.9
Italy	4.6	Consumer Discretionary Distribution & Retail	5.5
Australia	3.0	Food, Beverage & Tobacco	5.3
Hong Kong	2.4	Commercial & Professional Services	4.7
Finland	2.0	Consumer Staples Distribution & Retail	3.0
Belgium	1.5	Materials	2.4
Other (each less than 1%)	2.5	Automobiles & Components	2.2
		Media & Entertainment	2.0
		Other (each less than 1%)	3.1

\* Excludes short-term investments and derivative financial instruments, if any.

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**Additional Information**

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