GWL Global Small-Mid Cap Growth DSC

October 31, 2026

Canada Life segregated funds policy originally with Great-West Life

A blended-style equity fund investing in smaller companies across North America for long-term growth.

Is this fund right for you?

- You want your money to grow over the longer term.
- You want to invest in North American small- and mid-sized companies.
- You're comfortable with a moderate to high level of risk.

RISK RATING

LOW — MODERATE — HIGH

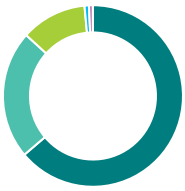
Fund category
Global Small/Mid Cap Equity

Inception date
January 23, 1996

Management expense ratio (MER)*
2.83%
(December 31, 2024)

Fund management
Mackenzie Investments

How is the fund invested? (as of October 31, 2026)



Asset allocation (%)

US Equity	63.8
Canadian Equity	22.9
International Equity	11.8
Cash and Equivalents	0.8
Income Trust Units	0.7

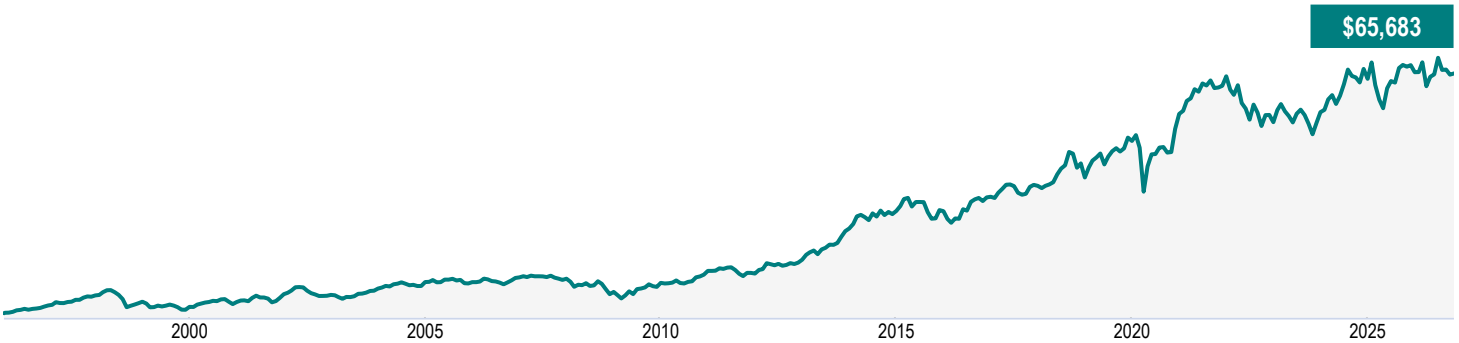
Geographic allocation (%)

United States	64.0
Canada	24.2
Bermuda	3.8
United Kingdom	2.5
Switzerland	1.5
Netherlands	0.7
Puerto Rico	0.7
Israel	0.6
France	0.6
Other	1.4

Sector allocation (%)

Technology	14.8
Financial Services	12.6
Healthcare	11.2
Basic Materials	9.8
Real Estate	9.4
Energy	8.8
Industrial Goods	8.2
Industrial Services	8.1
Consumer Goods	7.7
Other	9.4

Growth of $10,000 (since inception)



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Fund details

As of October 31, 2026

Top holdings	%
Savaria Corp	1.0
Aritzia Inc	1.0
iA Financial Corp Inc	0.9
Kinaxis Inc	0.9
CES Energy Solutions Corp	0.9
Badger Infrastructure Solutions Ltd	0.9
Host Hotels & Resorts Inc	0.8
Everest Group Ltd	0.8
Textron Inc	0.8
Renaissancere Holdings Ltd	0.8
Total allocation in top holdings	**8.8**

As of October 31, 2026

Portfolio characteristics	
Standard deviation	13.75%
Dividend yield	1.33%
Yield to maturity	-
Duration (years)	-
Coupon	-
Average credit rating	-
Average market cap (million)	$7,805.6

Net assets (million)
$16.3

Price
$1,182.30

Number of holdings
250

Minimum initial investment
$300

Fund codes
DSC^ – CLGTJ071

Understanding returns

Annual compound returns (%)

1 MO	3 MO	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	INCEPTION
0.42	**-1.24**	**-0.45**	**-2.33**	**8.40**	**1.02**	**6.18**	**6.31**

Calendar year returns (%)

2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
2.40	**13.63**	**4.30**	**-16.39**	**15.52**	**12.55**	**20.43**	**4.91**

Range of returns over five years (February 01, 1996 - October 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
19.32%	**Feb. 2014**	**-3.84%**	**Feb. 2009**	**6.52%**	**91.61%**	**284**	**26**

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†Soft capped - Contributions are no longer accepted to new investors., ‡Hard capped - Contributions are no longer accepted.

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