

Periods ended March 31, 2025

# **International Equity Index Fund**

International stock fund

Fund facts	Total net	Expense ratio	Turnover	Inception	Fund
	assets	as of 03/30/25	rate	date	number
	\$1,997 MM	0.07%	3.00%	03/10/09	7612

#### Investment objective

The fund invests in the Vanguard Developed Markets Index Fund, Institutional Plus Shares. The investment seeks to track the performance of a benchmark index that measures the investment return of stocks issued by companies located in the major markets of Europe, the Pacific region, and Canada.

#### Investment strategy

The fund employs a passive management' or indexing-investment approach designed to track the performance of the FTSE Developed All Capex US Index, which includes approximately 3873 common stocks of companies located in Europe, Australia, Asia, Canada, and the Far East. It attempts to replicate the target index by investing in all, or substantially all, of its assets in the stocks that make up the index, holding each stock in approximately the same proportion as its weighting in the index.

#### **General note**

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## Benchmark

FTSE Developed All Cap ex US Index

#### **Annual returns**

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	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Fund	-0.28	2.43	26.42	-14.50	22.04	10.18	11.46	-15.36	17.77	3.06
Benchmark	-1.78	3.10	26.31	-14.79	22.34	10.00	11.58	-15.58	17.96	3.36

#### **Total returns**

	Quarter	Year to date	One year	Three years	Five years	Ten years
Fund	6.81%	6.81%	4.72%	5.30%	12.15%	5.58%
Benchmark	5.83%	5.83%	4.06%	4.76%	11.91%	5.53%

The performance data shown represent past performance, which is not a guarantee of future results. Investment returns and principal value will fluctuate, so investors' shares, when sold, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data cited. For performance data current to the most recent month-end, visit our website at

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Figures for periods of less than one year are cumulative returns. All other figures represent average annual returns. Performance figures include the reinvestment of all dividends and any capital gains distributions. All returns are net of expenses.

#### Market allocation-stocks



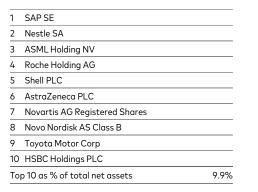
Japan	21.3%	<ul> <li>Germany</li> </ul>	7.9
<ul> <li>United Kingdom</li> </ul>	12.3	Australia	6.2
Canada	10.1	Netherlands	3.8
Switzerland	8.1	<ul> <li>South Korea</li> </ul>	3.8
France	8.0	Sweden	3.3

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#### **Ten largest holdings**

#### Fund allocation





Foreign Stocks	97.1%
Short-Term Reserves	2.1
Domestic Stocks	0.6
Other	0.2

Domestic Bonds	0.0
Foreign Bonds	0.0
Preferred Stock	0.0
Convertible Stock	0.0

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#### **Plain talk about risk**

An investment in the fund could lose money over short or even long periods. You should expect the fund's share price and total return to fluctuate within a wide range, like the fluctuations of the overall stock market. The fund's performance could be hurt by:

Stock market risk: The chance that stock prices overall will decline. Stock markets tend to move in cycles, with periods of rising stock prices and periods of falling stock prices. In addition, investments in foreign stock markets can be riskier than U.S. stock investments. The prices of foreign stocks and the prices of U.S. stocks have, at times, moved in opposite directions.

Investment style risk: The chance that returns from the types of stocks in which the fund invests will trail returns from the overall stock market. As a group, non-U.S. stocks tend to go through cycles of doing better—or worse—than the stock market in general. These periods have, in the past, lasted for as long as several years. Country risk: The chance that domestic events—such as political upheaval, financial troubles, or natural disasters—will weaken a country's securities markets. Country risk is especially high in emerging markets.

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