MEXICO EQUITY & INCOME FUND INC Form N-Q December 15, 2015

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## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM N-Q

# QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-06111

The Mexico Equity & Income Fund, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

615 East Michigan Street Milwaukee, WI 53202 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

> Mr. Mario Alberto Gonzalez C/O U.S. Bancorp Fund Services, LLC 615 E. Michigan Street Milwaukee, WI 53202 (Name and address of agent for service)

877-785-0367 Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Date of fiscal year end: July 31, 2016

Date of reporting period: October 31, 2015

Item 1. Schedule of Investments.

The Mexico Equity and Income Fund, Inc.

Schedule of Investments

October 31, 2015 (Unaudited)

MEXICO - 101.16%	Shares	Value
COMMON STOCKS - 97.45% Airports - 5.56%		
Grupo Aeroportuario del Centro Norte, S.A.B. de C.V. Grupo Aeroportuario del Pacifico, S.A.B. de C.V Series B	563,416 321,649	\$ 2,897,954 2,896,979 5,794,933
Auto Parts and Equipment - 6.07% Nemak, S.A.B. de C.V. (a) Rassini, S.A.B. de C.V.	2,486,043 707,748	3,595,610 2,735,819 6,331,429
Beverages - 10.18% Arca Continental, S.A.B. de C.V. Fomento Economico Mexicano, S.A.B. de C.V.	1,057,522 389,680	6,770,451 3,849,428 10,619,879
Cable and Satellite - 5.53% Megacable Holdings, S.A.B. de C.V Series L	1,512,603	5,764,591
Chemical Products - 3.70% Alpek, S.A.B. de C.V. Mexichem, S.A.B. de C.V.	1,942,772 406,500	2,805,162 1,054,285 3,859,447
Construction and Infrastructure - 5.18% Promotora y Operadora de Infraestructura, S.A.B. de C.V. (a) Promotora y Operadora de Infraestructura, S.A.B. de C.V Series L (a)	300,454 149,400	3,767,271 1,629,690 5,396,961
Consumer Products - 3.24% Kimberly-Clark de Mexico, S.A.B. de C.V.	1,400,000	3,378,416
Energy - 2.54% Infraestructura Energetica Nova, S.A.B. de C.V.	549,527	2,649,858
Financial Groups - 8.07% Banregio Grupo Financiero, S.A.B. de C.V. Grupo Financiero Banorte, S.A.B. de C.V Series O	689,919 872,233	3,721,965 4,697,062 8,419,027
Food - 7.20% Gruma, S.A.B. de C.V. Grupo Bimbo, S.A.B. de C.V. (a) Grupo Lala, S.A.B. de C.V.	273,538 1,050,949 120,333	4,221,194 2,982,115 307,502
Holding Companies - 7.81% Alfa, S.A.B. de C.V Series A	2,393,528	7,510,811 4,986,215

Grupo Carso, S.A.B. de C.V.	707,603	3,154,650 8,140,865
Home Builders - 0.14% Consorcio ARA, S.A.B. de C.V.	400,005	149,901

Hotels, Restaurants, and Recreation - 6.47%		
Alsea, S.A.B. de C.V Series A	1,194,909	3,926,653
Grupe, S.A.B. de C.V. (a)	1,071,520	2,821,872
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Mining - 0.92%	205 766	064 140
Grupo Mexico, S.A.B. de C.V Series B	395,766	964,149
Publishing and Broadcasting - 2.43%		
Grupo Televisa, S.A.B. de C.V Series CPO	435,200	2,532,242
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Real Estate Services - 1.83%		
Corporacion Inmobiliaria Vesta, S.A.B. de C.V.	1,160,894	1,906,032
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Retail - 6.36%	(7.225	056 500
Corporativo Fragua, S.A.B. de C.V. El Puerto de Liverpool, S.A.B. de C.V.	67,235 205,998	956,598 2,860,785
Wal-Mart de Mexico, S.A.B. de C.V.	1,068,000	2,817,775
wai-Mait de Mexico, S.A.B. de C.V.	1,008,000	6,635,158
Telecommunication - 14.22%		0,033,130
America Movil, S.A.B. de C.V Series L	16,603,079	14,826,152
TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$94,422,677)	10,000,07	101,628,376
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CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT CERTIFICATES -		
2.39%		
Atlas Discovery Trust II (b)	300,000	2,497,461
TOTAL CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT		
CERTIFICATES (Cost \$2,190,759)	D : 1	2,497,461
CHORT TEDM INVESTMENTS 1 220	Principal	
SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS - 1.32% Mexican BANOBRA	Amount 1,600,000 *	96,851
0.00% Coupon, 2.775% Effective Yield, 11/03/2015	1,000,000	90,631
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Mexican INAFIN	3,600,000 *	217,930
0.00% Coupon, 2.733% Effective Yield, 11/04/2015	2,223,223	,,,,,,
(c)		
Mexican INAFIN	17,500,000 *	1,059,306
0.00% Coupon, 2.734% Effective Yield, 11/05/2015		
(c)		
TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (Cost		
\$1,368,687)		1,374,087
TOTAL MEXICO (Cost \$97,982,123)		105,499,924
UNITED STATES - 0.20%	Shares	
INVESTMENT COMPANIES - 0.20%	Shares	
First American Treasury Obligation - Class A	208,539	208,539
TOTAL INVESTMENT COMPANIES (Cost	200,337	200,337
\$208,539)		208,539
TOTAL UNITED STATES (Cost \$208,539)		208,539
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Total Investments (Cost \$98,190,662) - 101.36% 105,708,463 Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets - (1.36)% (1,418,491) TOTAL NET ASSETS - 100.00% \$ 104,289,972

Percentages are stated as a percent of net assets.

- (a) Non-income producing security.

  The Adviser has determined this security to be illiquid. The total value of illiquid securities at
- (b) October 31, 2015 was \$2,497,461, comprising 2.39% of net assets, while the remainder of the Fund's net assets 97.61% were liquid.
  - Effective yield based on the purchase price. The calculation assumes
- (c) the security is held to maturity.

<sup>\*</sup> Principal amount in Mexican pesos.

The cost basis of investments for federal income tax purposes at October 31, 2015 was as follows:

Cost of investments**	\$ 98,190,662
Gross unrealized appreciation	9,988,152
Gross unrealized depreciation	(2,470,351)
Net unrealized appreciation	\$ 7.517.801

<sup>\*\*</sup>Because tax adjustments are calculated annually, the above table does not reflect tax adjustments.

For the previous fiscal year's federal income tax information, please refer to the Notes to Financial

Statements section of the Fund's most recent semi-annual or annual report.

Significant accounting policies are as follows:

Portfolio Valuation: Investments are stated at value. All securities for which market quotations are readily available are valued at the last sales price

prior to the time of determination of net asset value, or, if no sales price is available at that time, at the closing price last quoted for the securities. If there

are no such closing prices, the security shall be valued at the mean between the most recent highest bid and lowest ask prices at the valuation time.

Securities that are traded over-the-counter are valued, if bid and asked quotations are available, at the mean between the current bid and asked prices.

Investments in short-term debt securities having a maturity of 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost if their term to maturity from the date of purchase was less than 60 days, or by amortizing their value on the 61st day prior to maturity if their term to maturity from the date of purchase when

acquired by the Fund was more than 60 days. Other assets and securities for which no quotations are readily available will be valued in good faith at fair

value using methods determined by the Board of Directors. These methods include, but are not limited to, the fundamental analytical data relating to

the investment; the nature and duration of restrictions in the market in which they are traded (including the time needed to dispose of the security.

methods of soliciting offers and mechanics of transfer); the evaluation of the forces which influence the market in which these securities may be purchased or sold, including the economic outlook and the condition of the industry in which the issuer participates. The Fund has a Valuation

Committee comprised of independent directors which oversees the valuation of portfolio securities.

The Valuation Committee of the Fund shall meet to consider any fair valuations. This consideration includes reviewing various factors set forth

in the pricing procedures adopted by the Board of Directors and other factors as warranted. In considering a fair value determination, factors that

may be considered, among others include; the type and structure of the security; unusual events or circumstances relating to the security's issuer;

general market conditions; prior day's valuation; fundamental analytical data; size of the holding; cost of the security on the date of purchase;

trading activity and prices of similar securities or financial instruments.

#### FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The Fund follows the FASB ASC Topic 820 hierarchy, under which various inputs are used in determining the value of the Fund's investments.

The basis of the hierarchy is dependent upon various "inputs" used to determine the value of the Fund's investments. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below:

Level 1 – Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Fund has the ability to access.

Level 2 – Observable inputs other than quoted prices included in level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either

directly or indirectly. These inputs may include quoted prices for the identical instrument on an inactive market, prices for

similar instruments, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risks, yield curves, default rates and similar data.

Level 3 – Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability, to the extent relevant observable inputs are not available, representing

the company's own assumptions about the assumptions a market participant would use in valuing the asset or liability, and would be based on the best information available.

The availability of observable inputs can vary from security to security and is affected by a wide variety of factors, including, for example,

the type of security, whether the security is new and not yet established in the

marketplace, the liquidity of the markets, and other characteristics

particular to the security. To the extent that valuation is based on models or inputs that are less observable or unobservable in the market

the determination of fair value requires more judgment. Accordingly, the degree of judgment exercised in determining fair value is greatest

for instruments categorized in level 3.

The inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, for disclosure purposes, the level in the fair value hierarchy within which the fair value measurement falls in its entirety, is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety.

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The following is a summary of the inputs used to value the Fund's investments carried at fair value as of October 31, 2015:

	Level 1*	Level 2*	Level 3**	Total
Equity				
Airports	\$5,794,933	\$-	\$-	\$5,794,933
Auto Parts and Equipment	6,331,429	-	-	6,331,429
Beverages	10,619,879	-	-	10,619,879
Capital Development Certificates	-	-	2,497,461	2,497,461
Cable and Satellite	5,764,591	-	-	5,764,591
Chemical Products	3,859,447	-	-	3,859,447
Construction and Infrastructure	5,396,961	-	-	5,396,961
Consumer Products	3,378,416	-	-	3,378,416
Energy	2,649,858	-	-	2,649,858
Financial Groups	8,419,027	-	-	8,419,027
Food	7,510,811	-	-	7,510,811
Holding Companies	8,140,865	-	-	8,140,865
Home Builders	149,901	-	-	149,901
Hotels, Restaurants, and Recreation	3,926,653	2,821,872	-	6,748,525
Mining	964,149	-	-	964,149
Publishing and Broadcasting	2,532,242	-	-	2,532,242
Real Estate Services	1,906,032	-	-	1,906,032
Retail	6,635,158		-	6,635,158
Telecommunications	14,826,152	-	-	14,826,152
Total Equity	\$98,806,504	\$2,821,872	\$2,497,461	\$104,125,837
Short-Term Investments	\$208,539	\$1,374,087	\$-	\$1,582,626
Total Investments in Securities	\$99,015,043	\$4,195,959	\$2,497,461	\$105,708,463

<sup>\*</sup> Transfers between Levels are recognized at the end of the reporting period.

Transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 securities as of October 31, 2015 resulted from securities priced previously with an official close price (Level 1 securities) or on days where there is not an official close price the securities are valued at the mean between the most recent bid and asked prices (Level 2 securities). Transfers as of October 31, 2015 are summarized in the table below:

Transfers into Level 1	\$1,037,760
Transfers out of Level 1	(2,821,872)
Net transfers in and/or out of Level 1	\$(1,784,112)
Transfers into Level 2	\$2,821,872
Transfers out of Level 2	(1,037,760)
Net transfers in and/or out of Level 2	\$1,784,112

<sup>\*\*</sup> The Fund measures Level 3 activity as of the beginning and end of each reporting period.

Disclosures about Derivative Instruments and Hedging Activities

The Fund did not invest in derivative securities or engage in hedging activities during the period ended October 31, 2015.

#### Level 3 Reconciliation Disclosure

Following is a reconciliation of Level 3 assets for which significant unobservable inputs were used to determine fair value.

	Investments
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Description	Securities
Balance as of July 31, 2015	\$2,565,943
Acquisition/Purchase	-
Sales	-
Realized gain	-
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	(68,482)
Balance as of October 31, 2015	\$2,497,461

The following table presents additional information about valuation methodologies and inputs used for investments that are measured at fair value and categorized within Level 3 as of October 31, 2015:

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					Valuation
					from an
			Valuation	Unobservable	Increase in
	F	Fair Value October 31, 2015	Methodologies	Input (1)	Input (2)
			Market		
			Comparables/		
Capital			Sum		
Development			of the Parts	Liquidity	
Certificates	\$	2,497,461	Valuation	Discount	Decrease

In determining certain of these inputs, management evaluates a variety of factors including economic conditions, foreign exchange rates, industry and market developments, market valuations of comparable companies and company specific developments.

This column represents the directional change in the fair value of the Level 3 investment that would result from increases to the corresponding unobservable input. A decrease to the unobservable input would have the opposite effect.

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#### Item 2. Controls and Procedures.

- (a) The Registrant's President and Chief Financial Officer have concluded that the Registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (the "1940 Act")) (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c)) are effective as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of the report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on the evaluation of these controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rule 13a-15(b) or Rule 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(d)).
- (b) There were no changes in the Registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act) (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d)) that occurred during the Registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

#### Item 3. Exhibits.

Separate certifications for each principal executive officer and principal financial officer of the Registrant as required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-2(a)). Filed herewith.

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

(Registrant) The Mexico Equity & Income Fund, Inc.

By (Signature and Title) /s/ Maria Eugenia Pichardo Maria Eugenia Pichardo, President

Date December 9, 2015

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Maria Eugenia Pichardo Maria Eugenia Pichardo, President

Date December 9, 2015

By (Signature and Title)\* /s/ Mario Alberto Gonzalez ——
Mario Alberto Gonzalez, Chief Financial Officer

Date December 9, 2015

<sup>\*</sup> Print the name and title of each signing officer under his or her signature.