EUROPEAN EQUITY FUND, INC / MD Form N-Q November 29, 2006 UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20549

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QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED

MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-4632

European Equity Fund, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Two International Place

Boston, MA 02110

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Paul Schubert

345 Park Avenue

New York, NY 10154

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (212) 454-7190

Date of fiscal year end: 12/31

Date of reporting period: 09/30/06

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ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

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THE EUROPEAN EQUITY FUND, INC.

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2006 (unaudited)

Shares Description Value INVESTMENTS IN GERMAN SECURITIES 22.4%

COMMON STOCKS 21.4% AUTOMOBILES 2.1%

59,000 DaimlerChrysler AG \$2,947,178

CHEMICALS 1.0%

17,200 K + S 1,377,823 CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS 1.0%

10,000 Domos Cropos AC

40,000 Demag Crones AG 1,368,900

ELECTRIC UTILITIES 1.9%

22,000 E.ON AG 2,606,690

ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT & INSTRUMENTS 1.8%

17,000 Wincor Nixdorf 2,470,421

INDUSTRIAL CONGLOMERATES 1.8%

28,100 Siemens AG 2,450,432

INDUSTRIAL GASES 2.0%

29,000 Linde AG 2,730,715

PHARMACEUTICALS 1.7%

22,000 Merck KGAA 2,331,744

REAL ESTATE 2.8%

62,500 Hypo Real Estate Holding 3,897,563

SOFTWARE 2.8%

20,000 SAP AG 3,964,740

TEXTILES, APPAREL & LUXURY GOODS 2.5%

73,400 Adidas Salomon AG 3,451,580

Total Common Stocks (cost \$18,183,411) 29,597,786

PREFERRED STOCKS 1.0%

HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS & SERVICES 1.0%

8,000 Fresenius AG (Cost \$783,785) 1,427,002

Total Investments in German Securities (cost \$18,967,196) 31,024,788

Shares Description Value INVESTMENTS IN AUSTRIAN COMMON STOCKS 3.1%

COMMERCIAL BANKS 1.0%

21,750 Wiener Staedt Vers. \$1,364,622

CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS 1.0%

28,300 Wienerberger AG 1,334,732

INSURANCE 1.1%

50,000 Uniqa Versicherungen AG 1,584,375 Total Investments in Austrian Common Stocks (cost \$3,789,263) 4,283,729

INVESTMENTS IN DUTCH COMMON STOCKS 1.0%

FOOD & STAPLES RETAILING 1.0%

30,169 Koninklijke Numico NV* (Cost \$1,266,180)

1,357,492

INVESTMENTS IN FRENCH COMMON STOCKS 31.8%

AIRLINES 1.7%

40,000 Zodiac SA* 2,371,746

BEVERAGES 2.4%

15,800 Pernod-Ricard 3,286,349

CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS 2.6%

50,000 Compagnie De Saint-Gobain 3,625,050

ENERGY EQUIPMENT & SERVICES 1.0%

8,000 Cie Fen de Geophysiq 1,229,982

INDUSTRIAL CONGLOMERATES 1.7%

20,000 Neopost SA 2,385,435

INSURANCE 4.5%

138,100 Axa 5,090,214

12,000 CNP Assurances 1,163,565

6,253,779

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SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2006 (unaudited) (continued)

Shares Description Value

METALS & MINING 2.3%

13,500 Vallourec \$3,146,759

NATIONAL COMMERCIAL BANKS 4.6%

40,000 Societe Generale 6,362,850

OIL, GAS & CONSUMABLE FUELS 4.2%

89,600 Total SA 5,877,144

PHARMACEUTICALS 3.7%

58,000 Sanofi-Aventis 5,160,753

SPECIALTY RETAIL 1.5%

20,700 Essilor International 2,118,658

TEXTILES, APPAREL & LUXURY GOODS 1.6%

22,000 LVMH Moet Hennessy Loui V Sa 2,265,656

Total Investments in French Common Stocks (cost \$38,592,527) 44,084,161

INVESTMENTS IN SWEDISH COMMON STOCKS 1.9%

COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT 1.9%

740,000 Ericsson (Cost \$2,455,165) 2,566,883

INVESTMENTS IN ITALIAN COMMON STOCKS 11.5%

COMMERCIAL BANKS 7.9%

630,000 Banca Intesa SPA 4,144,345

60,000 Banca Italease 2,958,345 468,000 Capitalia SPA 3,876,497

10,979,187

DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL SERVICES 1.0%

190,000 Mediolanum SPA 1,411,235

ENERGY EQUIPMENT & SERVICES 1.0%

59,000 Saipem 1,281,024

HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS & SERVICES 1.0%

170,000 Amplifon SPA 1,335,945

Shares Description Value

INSURANCE 0.6%

150,000 Ergo Previdenza SPA \$880,279

Total Investments in Italian Common Stocks (cost \$10,870,261) 15,887,670

INVESTMENTS IN SWISS COMMON STOCKS 4.2%

DIVERSIFIED CONSUMER SERVICES 1.7%

2,400 SGS SA 2,411,492

NATIONAL COMMERCIAL BANKS 1.4%

34,000 Credit Suisse Group 1,963,208

TEXTILES, APPAREL & LUXURY GOODS 1.1%

30,000 Cie Finance Richemont 1,441,341

Total Investments in Swiss Common Stocks (cost \$5,259,844) 5,816,041

INVESTMENTS IN FINNISH COMMON STOCKS 4.1%

ELECTRIC UTILITIES 1.3%

66,000 Fortum OYJ 1,757,592

MACHINERY 1.5%

57,000 METSO OYJ 2,096,622

PAPER MILLS 1.3%

75,000 UPM-Kymene OYJ 1,781,471

Total Investments in Finnish Common Stocks (Cost \$5,430,313) 5,635,685

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Shares Description Value INVESTMENTS IN SPANISH COMMON STOCKS 4.5%

COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT 1.4%

90,000 Indra Sistemas SA \$1,957,527

DIVERSIFIED TELECOMMUNICATIONS 3.1%

250,000 Telefonica S.A. 4,331,681 Total Investments in Spanish Common Stocks (cost \$5,872,126) 6,289,208

INVESTMENTS IN NORWEGIAN COMMON STOCKS 1.9%

OIL, GAS & CONSUMABLE FUELS 1.9%

114,000 Statoil ASA (cost \$4,950,095) 2,698,955

INVESTMENTS IN LUXEMBOURG COMMON STOCKS 0.9%

ENERGY EQUIPMENT & SERVICES 0.9%

71,000 Acergy SA (Cost \$733,396) 1,215,063

INVESTMENTS IN BELGIAN COMMON STOCKS 1.6%

METALS & MINING 1.6%

15,000 Umicore (Cost \$1,828,962) 2,218,759

INVESTMENTS IN GREEK COMMON STOCKS 4.1%

COMMERCIAL BANKS 1.2%

51,600 EFG Eurobank 1,580,136

DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL SERVICES 1.0%

85,000 Hellenic Exchanges SA 1,346,718

Shares Description Value

DIVERSIFIED TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES 1.9%

110,000 Hellenic Telecommunications Organization SA*\$2,696,480

Total Investments in Greek Common Stocks (cost \$5,022,010) 5,623,334

INVESTMENTS IN IRISH COMMON STOCKS 2.1%

COMMERCIAL BANKS 2.1%

178,000 Anglo Irish Bank Corp PLC (Cost \$2,488,406)2,923,970

INVESTMENTS IN UNITED KINGDOM COMMON STOCKS 2.0%

DIVERSIFIED FINANCIAL SERVICES 0.9%

100,000 Barclays PLC 1,259,302

INSURANCE 1.1%

120,000 Prudential PLC 1,487,620

Total Investments in United Kingdom Common Stocks (cost \$2,555,841)2,746,922

Total Investments in Common Stocks (cost \$110,081,585) 134,372,660

SECURITIES LENDING COLLATERAL 3.6%

15,637,163 Daily Assets Fund Institutional, 5.31% (cost \$5,057,055)5,057,055

Total Inve	estments	101% (cost \$1	15,138,640)	139,429	9,715									
Liabilities	in excess	of cash and oth	ner assets (0.0	01)% ((849,797)									
	NET ASS	SETS 100.0%		\$138,57	79,918									
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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.

SIGNATURES

Registrant:	European Equity Fund, Inc.
By: President	/s/Michael G. Clark Michael G. Clark
Date:	November 21, 2006
Pursuant to the requirements of the Secu below by the following persons on beha	urities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed alf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.
Registrant:	European Equity Fund, Inc.
By: President	/s/Michael G. Clark Michael G. Clark
Date:	November 21, 2006
By: Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer	/s/Paul Schubert Paul Schubert
Date: November 21, 2006	