

Commerce Growth Fund

6/30/20



Commerce Funds

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| TICKER SYMBOL | CFGRX | CUSIP | 200626406 | INCEPTION DATE | 12/12/94 |
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FUND OBJECTIVE

Seeks capital appreciation. The Fund pursues this objective through investment in equity securities of companies with the potential for above-average growth in earnings.

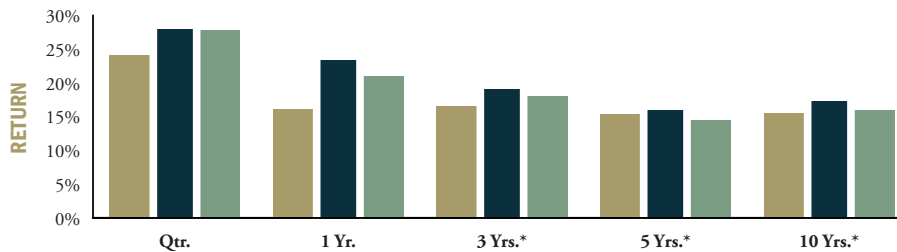
GROWTH FUND UPDATE

In the second quarter, the markets experienced a swift and persistent rally after massive fiscal and monetary stimulus were injected into the US economy and financial markets. The economy showed signs of recovering as we emerged from COVID-19 lockdowns in the last half of the quarter. For the second quarter, the Commerce Growth Fund's return of 24.05% underperformed the Russell 1000 Growth Index return of 27.84%.

Security selection was the main detractor from the Fund's relative performance. The Fund's top detractors were Public Storage (1.07%), Armstrong World Industries, Inc. (0.0%), Becton, Dickinson and Company (0.0%), and Citrix Systems, Inc. (0.92%) returning -2.40%, -1.57%, 3.73%, and 4.75%, respectively. The Fund's top contributors were Cadence Design Systems, Inc. (1.00%) and PayPal Holdings Inc. (1.25%) returning 45.31% and 81.98%, respectively.

The Fund's sector allocations detracted from relative performance as well. The Fund's 4.25% overweight to the Industrials sector (only up 16.14%) hurt performance. In addition, the Fund's 3.37% position versus the Index weight of 1.11% to the Materials (only up 20.57%) sector also detracted from performance. However, the 1.21% underweight to the Consumer Staples sector (only up 10.54%), helped performance. The Index had a 4.61% position to Consumer Staples.

TOTAL RETURNS (%) AS OF 6/30/20



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| Fund | 24.05 | 16.02 | 16.48 | 15.26 | 15.45 |
| Russell 1000 Growth Index ² | 27.84 | 23.28 | 18.99 | 15.89 | 17.23 |
| Lipper Category 2nd Quartile Total Return Ranking ³ | 27.65 | 20.96 | 18.01 | 14.43 | 15.86 |

Lipper Category: Large-Cap Growth Funds

** Returns for periods over one year are annualized. The returns represent past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. The Fund's investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted above. To obtain the most recent month-end returns, please visit our website at <https://commercefunds.com/fund-information/fund-performance>.

SECTOR DIVERSIFICATION⁴ (%)

| Sector | Fund | Index* | Sector | Fund | Index* |
|------------------------|--------|--------|------------------------|--------|--------|
| Communication Services | 8.46% | 11.14% | Industrials | 8.69% | 4.62% |
| Consumer Discretionary | 13.39% | 15.43% | Information Technology | 42.95% | 43.89% |
| Consumer Staples | 3.34% | 4.82% | Materials | 3.22% | 0.82% |
| Energy | 0.00% | 0.08% | Real Estate | 2.24% | 2.07% |
| Financials | 2.95% | 2.10% | Utilities | 0.00% | 0.02% |
| Health Care | 13.27% | 15.01% | Unassigned | 1.49% | 0.00% |

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

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| Total Fund Assets | \$206,057,635 |
| Net Asset Value ¹ | \$39.41 |

EXPENSE RATIO⁵

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| Current (net) | 0.76% |
| Before Waiver (gross) | 0.76% |

MANAGER TEAM

The Fund is managed by the Equity Strategy Team, a group of senior-level investment professionals who average 34 years of experience.

ASSET ALLOCATION

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| Equities | 99.0% |
| Cash | 1.0% |

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

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| Weighted Avg. Mkt. Capitalization | \$492.8 Billion |
| Price/Earnings Ratio ⁶ | 32.7x |
| Number of Holdings | 67 |

TOP TEN HOLDINGS⁴

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| 1 | Microsoft Corporation | 8.9% |
| 2 | Apple Inc | 8.5% |
| 3 | Amazon.com Inc | 6.6% |
| 4 | Alphabet Inc | 4.3% |
| 5 | Facebook Inc | 3.1% |
| 6 | Visa Inc | 1.9% |
| 7 | Mastercard Incorporated | 1.5% |
| 8 | iShares Russell 1000 Growth ETF | 1.5% |
| 9 | UnitedHealth Group Incorporated | 1.4% |
| 10 | Nvidia Corporation | 1.3% |

LIPPER RANKINGS***

Lipper Large-Cap Growth Funds as of 6/30/20

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| 1 Year | 532 out of 625 |
| 5 Years | 178 out of 525 |
| 10 Years | 260 out of 413 |

MORNINGSTAR RATINGS****

Large Growth Funds Category as of 6/30/20

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| Overall | ★★★ | out of 1237 funds |
| 3-Year | ★★★ | out of 1237 funds |
| 5-Year | ★★★★ | out of 1084 funds |
| 10-Year | ★★★ | out of 809 funds |



NOTES

1. The Net Asset Value represents the assets of the Fund (ex dividend) divided by the total number of shares.
2. The Russell 1000 Growth Index is an unmanaged index that measures the performance of those Russell 1000 companies with higher price-to-book ratios and higher forecasted growth values. The Index figures do not reflect any deduction for fees, expenses or taxes. It is not possible to invest directly in an unmanaged index.
3. The Lipper Category 2nd Quartile Total Return Ranking represents the lowest performing fund in the second quartile within the respective Lipper investment category.
4. Fund holdings and allocations shown are unaudited, and may not be representative of current or future investments. Fund holdings and allocations may not include the Fund's entire investment portfolio, which may change at any time. Fund holdings should not be relied on in making investment decisions and should not be construed as research or investment advice regarding particular securities. Current and future holdings are subject to risk. Diversification does not protect an investor from market risk and does not ensure a profit.
5. The total annual operating expenses of the Funds, both current (net of any fee waivers or expense limitations) and before waivers (gross of any fee waivers or expense limitations), are as set forth above. In the case of the Value, Growth, Bond, Short-Term Government, National Tax-Free Intermediate, Missouri Tax-Free Intermediate and Kansas Tax-Free Intermediate Funds, the Adviser has contractually agreed to limit each Fund's total annual operating expenses (excluding interest, taxes and extraordinary expenses) until March 1, 2021. After that date, the Adviser or a Fund may terminate the contractual arrangement. A Fund's total annual operating expenses may increase without shareholder approval. Percentages may not sum to 100% due to rounding.
6. The price-earnings ratio (PE Ratio) is the market value per share of a company, divided by its earnings per share (EPS). The PE Ratio is used as a measure of valuation of a company's stock price.

A basis point (bp) is equal to 1/100th of 1%, or 0.01% (0.0001). For example: 1% change = 100 basis points, and 0.01% = 1 basis point.

FOOTNOTES

The Fund invests in mid-capitalization securities. The securities of mid-capitalization companies involve greater risks than those associated with larger, more established companies and may be subject to more abrupt or erratic price movements.

* Russell 1000 Growth Index

**** The Total Returns are average annual total returns or cumulative total returns (only if the performance period is one year or less) as of the most recent calendar quarter-end. They are net of expenses and assume reinvestment of all distributions at net asset value. Because the Fund is not subject to a sales charge, such a charge is not applied to their Total Returns.**

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