

Vanguard Dividend Appreciation Index Fund

Domestic stock fund | Admiral™ Shares

Fund facts

Risk level Low ← → High					Total net assets	Expense ratio as of 05/28/21	Ticker symbol	Turnover rate	Inception date	Fund number
1	2	3	4	5	\$12,147 MM	0.08%	VDADX	14.3%	12/19/13	5702

Investment objective

Vanguard Dividend Appreciation Index Fund seeks to track the performance of a benchmark index that measures the investment return of common stocks of companies that have a record of increasing dividends over time.

Investment strategy

The fund employs an indexing investment approach designed to track the performance of the S&P U.S. Dividend Growers Index, which consists of common stocks of companies that have a record of increasing dividends over time. The fund attempts to replicate the target index by investing 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.

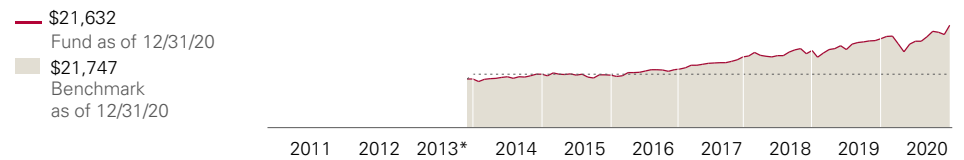
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Benchmark

Spliced S&P U.S. Dividend Growers Index TR

Growth of a \$10,000 investment : December 31, 2013—December 31, 2020



Annual returns



	2011	2012	2013*	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Fund	—	—	2.15	10.04	-1.93	11.79	22.22	-2.03	29.68	15.46
Benchmark	—	—	2.14	10.12	-1.88	11.93	22.29	-1.98	29.75	15.62

Total returns

	Periods ended September 30, 2021					
	Quarter	Year to date	One year	Three years	Five years	Since inception
Fund	-0.33%	10.06%	21.37%	13.59%	15.04%	12.10%
Benchmark	-0.30%	10.12%	21.48%	13.70%	15.12%	—

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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.

* Partial return since fund started, December 19, 2013.
Spliced S&P U.S. Dividend Growers Index TR: NASDAQ US Dividend Achievers Select Index (formerly known as the Dividend Achievers Select Index) through September 19, 2021, S&P U.S. Dividend Growers Index thereafter.

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Ten largest holdings*

1	Microsoft Corp.	
2	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	
3	Johnson & Johnson	
4	UnitedHealth Group Inc.	
5	Visa Inc.	
6	Home Depot Inc.	
7	Procter & Gamble Co.	
8	Comcast Corp.	
9	Abbott Laboratories	
10	PepsiCo Inc.	
Top 10 as % of total net assets		30.8%

* The holdings listed exclude any temporary cash investments and equity index products.

Sector Diversification



■	Industrials	21.1%	■	Basic Materials	4.2
■	Consumer Discretionary	15.6	■	Utilities	3.9
■	Financials	15.4	■	Telecommunications	2.3
■	Health Care	13.9	■	Energy	0.0
■	Technology	13.4	■	Real Estate	0.0
■	Consumer Staples	10.2	■	Other	0.0

Sector categories are based on the Industry Classification Benchmark system ("ICB"), except for the "Other" category (if applicable), which includes securities that have not been provided an ICB classification as of the effective reporting period.

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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. The fund's target index may, at times, become focused in stocks of a particular sector, category, or group of companies. Because the fund seeks to track its target index, the fund may underperform the overall stock market.

Investment style risk: The chance that returns from dividend-paying large-capitalization stocks will trail returns from the overall stock market. Specific types of 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.

Asset concentration risk: The chance that the fund's performance may be hurt disproportionately by the poor performance of relatively few stocks. The fund tends to invest a high percentage of assets in its ten largest holdings.

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