

## **DELAWARE IVY LARGE CAP GROWTH FUND\***

QUARTERLY FACT SHEET - AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

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## OBJECTIVE

To seek to provide growth of capital.

### **INVESTMENT APPROACH**

The Fund primarily uses a bottom-up strategy focusing on companies that we feel have dominant market positions and established competitive advantages. We believe that these characteristics can help to mitigate competition and lead to more sustainable revenue and earnings growth. Other factors considered are the company's brand equity, proprietary technology, economies of scale, strength of management, level of competitive intensity, interaction and bargaining power between a company, it's customers, suppliers and competitors and the threat of substitute products.

## **PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT**

Delaware Management Company					
	Years in Industry	Years with Fund			
Bradley M. Klapmeyer, CFA	21	5			
Brad Angermeier, CFA	13	<1			

MORNINGSTAR RANKINGS		
CATEGORY: LARGE GROWTH	Rank	Percentile
1-Year	619 / 1235	51
3-Year	352 / 1133	30
5-Year	287 / 1024	29
10-Year	250 / 762	32

Rankings are as of Sep 30, 2021 for Class I and are based on average annual total returns and are not affected by sales charges. Morningstar Ranking / # of Funds in Category displays the fund's actual rank within its Morningstar Category based on average annual total return and number of Funds in that Category. The Morningstar Percentile Ranking compares a Fund's Morningstar risk and return scores with all the Funds in the same Category, where 1% = Best and 100% = Worst.

## **OVERALL MORNINGSTAR RATING\***

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Class I among 1133 Large Growth.

Based on risk-adjusted returns. The fund received

4 stars for the 3-year period among 1133 funds

4 stars for the 5-year period among 1024 funds

4 stars for the 10-year period among 762 funds

## FUND PERFORMANCE<sup>1,2,3</sup>

AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (%)	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	10-Year	Life
Class A NAV	16.41	26.09	20.96	22.01	18.54	9.35
Class A Load	12.34	21.66	19.53	21.14	18.12	9.16
Class C NAV	15.72	25.10	19.99	21.06	17.84	8.98
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Class I NAV	16.67	26.51	21.35	22.37	18.87	12.95
Class R6 NAV	16.71	26.50	21.38	22.46	19.01	13.09
Russell 1000 Growth TR USD	14.30	27.32	22.00	22.84	19.68	_
Morningstar Large Growth	12.40	26.60	19.75	20.68	17.93	_

EXPENSES	Gross Expense	Net Expense	Inception Date
Class A	0.98	0.98	6/30/00
Class C	1.82	1.82	7/3/00
Class I	0.79	0.64	4/2/07
Class R6	0.64	0.64	7/31/14

CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS NAV (%)	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Class I	1.38	29.37	2.41	36.86	31.19
Russell 1000 Growth TR USD	7.08	30.21	-1.51	36.39	38.49

Calendar year returns do not reflect any sales charges and, if those sales charges were included, returns would be less than those shown. Class I shares are sold without sales charges.

Data quoted is past performance and current performance may be lower or higher. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate, and shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Please visit ivyinvestments.com for the most recent month-end performance. Total returns include share price changes and reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, if any.

1 Performance at net asset value (NAV) does not include the effect of sales charges. Returns for periods less than 1 Year are not annualized. Class A share performance, including sales charges, reflects the maximum applicable front-end sales load of 3.50%. For Class C shares, a 1% CDSC applies to the lesser of amount invested or redemption value of shares redeemed within twelve months after the purchase date. Class I and Class R6 shares are sold without any front-end sales load or contingent deferred sales charges, and both share classes are only available to certain types of investors. 2 The Russell 1000<sup>®</sup> Growth Index measures the performance of the large-cap growth segment of the US equity universe. It includes those Russell 1000 companies with higher price-to-book ratios and higher forecasted growth values. It is not possible to invest directly in an index. The Morningstar Large Growth Category compares funds that invest primarilyin big US companies that are projected to grow faster than other large-cap stocks. Growth is defined based on fast growth (high growth rates for earnings, sales, book value, and cash flow) and high valuations (high price ratios and low dividend yields). 3 Net expense ratio reflects a contractual waiver of certain fees and/or expense reimbursements through July 29, 2022. Please see the fee table in the Fund's prospectus for more information.

Effective July 1, 2021, Class N shares were renamed Class R6 shares. Class R6 Shares have no performance history as of 7/31/2014. Performance prior to that date is the Fund's Class I share class performance restated to reflect the Class R6 (formerly Class N) total annual fund operating expenses as of 7/31/2014. Class R6 (formerly Class N) shares will have substantially similar returns to Class I shares of the Fund, though returns will be different to the extent that expenses differ among the classes. Class R6 (formerly Class N) shares of investors. Please see the Fund's prospectus for additional information.

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#### **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS<sup>4</sup> PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION**<sup>6</sup> (as a % of net assets) TOP 10 HOLDINGS<sup>6</sup> (% of net assets) 06/30/2000 Fund Inception Microsoft Corp. 97.9 Domestic Common Stock Apple, Inc. Net Assets \$6.1 bil Foreign Common Stock 1.7 Amazon.com, Inc. Dividends Annually Cash and Cash Equivalents 0.4 Alphabet, Inc., Class A 23% Turnover Rate (03/31/2021) Visa, Inc., Class A **Total Equity Holdings** 39 Motorola Solutions, Inc. \$802.0 bil Market Cap. Weighted Avg. Facebook, Inc., Class A \$108.5 bil Median Market Cap NVIDIA Corp. 33.8 SECTOR ALLOCATIONS<sup>6</sup> (as a % of equity holdings) P/E (LTM) Electronic Arts, Inc. 30.9 ROE UnitedHealth Group, Inc. 47.9 Information Technology 14.0 **RISK CHARACTERISTICS (5YR)**5 0 Alpha 0.96 6 0

15.50
15.50
1.37
-0.15
95.90
92.76
96.68

Communication Services	14.0
Consumer Discretionary	13.0
Health Care	11.6
Industrials	8.0
Financials	3.3
Consumer Staples	2.2

4 Price/Earnings Ratio (P/E (LTM)) measures a company's current share price compared to its per-share earnings over the last twelve months. ROE measures a company's financial performance by dividing net income by shareholders' equity. 5 Alpha is a measure of a fund's actual returns and expected performance, given its level of risk (as measured by Beta). Beta reflects the sensitivity of the fund's return to fluctuations in the market index. Standard Deviation is measure of how volatile a fund's returns are. Sharpe and Information Ratios are a measure of a fund's risk-adjusted performance. Capture Ratio reflects the annualized product of fund vs. index returns for all months in which the ind had a positive return (Upside Capture Ratio) or negative return (Downside Capture Ratio). R-Squared indicates how much of a fund's fluctuations are attributable to movements in the fund's benchmark. 6 Information is subject to	s a
change and is not intended to represent any past or future investment recommendations.	

\* The Morningstar Rating<sup>TM</sup> for funds, or "star rating", is calculated for managed products (including mutual funds, variable annuity and variable life subaccounts, exchange-traded funds, closed-end funds, and separate accounts) with at least a three-year history. Exchange-traded funds and open-ended mutual funds are considered a single population for comparative purposes. It is calculated based on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure that accounts for variation in a managed product's monthly excess performance, placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance, and does not include the effects of sales charges. The top 10% of products in each product category receive 5 stars, the next 22.5% receive 4 stars, the next 35% receive 3 stars, the next 22.5% receive 2 stars, and the bottom 10% receive 1 star. The Overall Morningstar Rating for a managed product is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its three-, five-, and 10-year (if applicable) Morningstar Rating metrics. The weights are: 100% three-year rating for 36-59 months of total returns, 60% five-year rating/40% three-year rating for 60-119 months of total returns, and 50% 10-year rating/30% five-year rating/20% three-year rating for 120 or more months of total returns. While the 10-year overall star rating formula seems to give the most weight to the 10-year period, the most recent three-year period actually has the greatest impact because it is included in all three rating periods.

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\*Effective July, 1, 2021 the Fund's name changed from Ivy Large Cap Growth Fund, references to Class N shares are replaced with Class R6, and the Class A shares front-end sales load changed to 5.75%. Please see the Fund's prospectus and supplement dated April 30, 2021 for additional information.

Significant Events On December 2, 2020, Waddell & Reed Financial, Inc., the parent company of Ivy Investment Management Company, the investment adviser of the Ivy Funds, and Macquarie Management Holdings, Inc., the US holding company for Macquarie Group Limited's US asset management business ("Macquarie"), announced that they had entered into an agreement whereby Macquarie would acquire the investment management business of Waddell & Reed Financial, Inc. (the "Transaction"). The Transaction closed on April 30, 2021. The Ivy Funds, as part of Delaware Funds by Macquarie®, are now managed by Delaware Management Company and distributed by Delaware Distributors, L.P.

On October 1, 2021, Brad Angermeier was added as an additional portfolio manager for the Fund.

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The expense ratio is the percentage of net assets that a fund pays annually for operating expenses and management fees. These expenses include accounting and administration expenses, services for shareholders, and similar expenses.

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