

# Vanguard Dividend Growth Fund

Domestic stock fund

### Fund facts

| Risk level |                            |      | Total net   | Expense ratio  | Ticker | Turnover | Inception | Fund   |
|------------|----------------------------|------|-------------|----------------|--------|----------|-----------|--------|
| Low ←      | $\longrightarrow$ $\vdash$ | ligh | assets      | as of 05/28/21 | symbol | rate     | date      | number |
| 1 2        | 3 4                        | 5    | \$55,159 MM | 0.26%          | VDIGX  | 15.2%    | 05/15/92  | 0057   |

### Investment objective

Vanguard Dividend Growth Fund seeks to provide, primarily, a growing stream of income over time and, secondarily, long-term capital appreciation and current income.

### Investment strategy

The fund invests primarily in stocks that tend to offer current dividends. The fund focuses on high-quality companies that have prospects for long-term total returns as a result of their ability to grow earnings and their willingness to increase dividends over time. These stocks typically—but not always—will be undervalued relative to the market and will show potential for increasing dividends. The fund will be diversified across industry sectors.

For the most up-to-date fund data, please scan the QR code below.



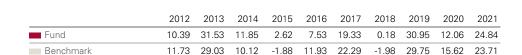
### Benchmark

Dividend Growth Spliced Index

## Growth of a \$10,000 investment: January 31, 2012 - December 31, 2021



### Annual returns



### Total returns

Periods ended March 31, 2022

|           | Quarter | Year to date | One year | Three years | Five years | Ten years |
|-----------|---------|--------------|----------|-------------|------------|-----------|
| Fund      | -2.04%  | -2.04%       | 17.30%   | 16.38%      | 15.17%     | 13.57%    |
| Benchmark | -5.19%  | -5.19%       | 12.32%   | 16.07%      | 14.71%     | 13.06%    |

The performance data shown represent past performance, which is not a guarantee of future results. Investment returns and principal value will fluctuate, so investors' shares, when sold, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data cited. For performance data current to the most recent month-end, visit our website at vanguard.com/performance. The performance of an index is not an exact representation of any particular investment, as you cannot invest directly in an index. 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.

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### Ten largest holdings\*

| _                               |                                       |  |  |  |  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| 1                               | UnitedHealth Group Inc.               |  |  |  |  |
| 2                               | Johnson & Johnson                     |  |  |  |  |
| 3                               | Colgate-Palmolive Co.                 |  |  |  |  |
| 4                               | Coca-Cola Co.                         |  |  |  |  |
| 5                               | Northrop Grumman Corp.                |  |  |  |  |
| 6                               | TJX Cos. Inc.                         |  |  |  |  |
| 7                               | Procter & Gamble Co.                  |  |  |  |  |
| 8                               | Union Pacific Corp.                   |  |  |  |  |
| 9                               | Visa Inc.                             |  |  |  |  |
| 10 Honeywell International Inc. |                                       |  |  |  |  |
| То                              | Top 10 as % of total net assets 32.1% |  |  |  |  |
|                                 |                                       |  |  |  |  |

<sup>\*</sup> The holdings listed exclude any temporary cash investments and equity index products.

### Sector Diversification



| Industrials            | 21.7% |
|------------------------|-------|
| Health Care            | 20.0  |
| Consumer Staples       | 16.5  |
| Information Tech       | 13.2  |
| Consumer Discretionary | 10.1  |
| Financials             | 9.0   |
|                        |       |

| Materials              | 4.7 |
|------------------------|-----|
| Real Estate            | 3.0 |
| Communication Services | 1.8 |
| Energy                 | 0.0 |
| Utilities              | 0.0 |
| Other                  | 0.0 |

Sector categories are based on the Global Industry Classification Standard ("GICS"), except for the "Other" category (if applicable), which includes securities that have not been provided a GICS 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.

Manager risk: The chance that poor security selection will cause the fund to underperform relevant benchmarks or other funds with a similar investment objective.

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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