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**Class A shares** Growth-and-income fund

1Q Fact Sheet Data as of March 31, 2022



# **Fund Information**

Began operations: August 1, 1978

Objective: The fund's investment objective is to achieve long-term growth of capital and income.

Distinguishing characteristics: With an emphasis on growth over income, the strategy seeks undervalued and overlooked opportunities. It invests in companies with high-quality products and leading market shares with the underappreciated potential for growth in sales, earnings and dividends. It has the flexibility to invest a sizeable portion of its assets outside of the U.S.

Types of investments: Primarily common stocks or securities convertible into common stocks, bonds, U.S. government securities and cash.

Non-U.S. holdings: The fund may invest up to 35% of assets in securities of issuers outside the United States.

Portfolio restrictions: The fund may invest up to 5% of assets in debt securities rated BB+/Ba1 or below

Implementation guidance: Consider for a large-cap core allocation

Minimum initial investment: \$250 Fund number: 10 CUSIP: 360802 10 2

## **Investment process**

Capital Group's American Funds has helped investors since 1931 with a consistent approach that has led to consistent long-term results. The Capital System<sup>SM</sup> investment process divides funds into portions that are managed independently by investment professionals with diverse backgrounds and approaches, backed by an extensive global research effort.

#### Expense ratio<sup>1</sup>

Fund expense ratio

0.59%

### Portfolio managers

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As of most	Years with	Years in
recent prospectus	Capital Group <sup>2</sup>	Profession
Julian N. Abdey	19	27
Paul Benjamin	17	17
Mark L. Časey	22	22
Mathews Cherian	18	25
Brady L. Enright	25	30
Irfan M. Furniturewala	21	22
Dina N. Perry	30	44
Diana Wagner	21	25

Portfolio digest					
Fiscal years ended December	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Fund assets (in millions)	\$135,689.9	\$115,820.5	\$108,517.4	\$88,230.9	\$96,465.6
Portfolio turnover	25%	48%	40%	34%	29%
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Holdings: 317 (approximate number of companies/issuers as of most recent fiscal year-end)

Weighted median market capitalization : \$95,983.00 million

Figures shown are past results and are not predictive of results in future periods. Current and future results may be lower or higher than those shown. Investing for short periods makes losses more likely. Prices and returns will vary, so investors may lose money. For current information and monthend results, visit capitalgroup.com.

Returns shown at maximum offering price (MOP) for Class A shares reflect deduction of the 5.75% maximum sales charge.

Class A share returns for periods ended 3/31/22 <sup>3,5</sup>	Т	otal returns (%	)	Average annual total returns (%)			
	Quarter to date	Year to date <sup>3,4,5</sup>	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Fund lifetime
Fund at net asset value (NAV)	-5.79	-5.79	8.56	14.77	12.84	13.06	12.50
Fund at maximum offering price (MOP)	-11.21	-11.21	2.33	12.53	11.51	12.40	12.35
S&P 500 Index	-4.60	-4.60	15.65	18.92	15.99	14.64	N/A
MSCI World Index	-5.15	-5.15	10.12	14.98	12.42	10.88	N/A
Lipper Growth & Income Funds Index	-3.39	-3.39	8.99	13.67	11.39	10.92	N/A

und's annualized 30-day SEC yield (net): 0.83% (for Class A shares at MOP as of 3/31/22)

Investments are not FDIC-insured, nor are they deposits of or guaranteed by a bank or any other entity, so they may lose value. Investors should carefully consider investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses. This and other important information is contained in the fund prospectuses and summary prospectuses, which can be obtained from a financial professional and should be read carefully before investing. Investing outside the United States involves risks, such as currency fluctuations, periods of illiquidity and price volatility. These risks may be heightened

in connection with investments in developing countries.

There may have been periods when the results lagged the index(es). The indexes are unmanaged and, therefore, have no expenses. Investors cannot invest directly in an index. Results for Lipper indexes/averages do not reflect sales charges. Lipper categories are dynamic and averages may have few funds, especially over longer periods. Lipper indexes track the largest mutual funds (no more than 30), represented by one share class per fund, in the corresponding Lipper category. Lipper averages reflect the current composition of all eligible mutual funds (all share classes) within a given category. To see the number of funds included in the Lipper category for each fund's lifetime, please see the quarterly statistical update, available on www.capgroup.com.

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Largest equity holdings	as of 3/31/22	Asset mix <sup>7</sup>	as of 3/31/22	Equity portion break	down <sup>6</sup> a	as of 3/31/22	
	% of net assets		% of net assets	% of net assets	By	By	
Microsoft	5.0	U.S. stocks	79.9		Domicile	Revenue	
Broadcom	4.2	Non-U.S. stocks	17.9	United States	81.7	55	
Alphabet	2.6	U.S. bonds	0.0	Canada	4.0	4	
Amazon	2.0	Non-U.S. bonds	0.0	Europe	9.1	13	
Meta Platforms	2.0	Cash & equivalents <sup>8</sup>	2.2	Japan	0.3	3	
Philip Morris International	2.0			Asia-Pacific ex. Japan	0.5	2	
UnitedHealth Group	1.9			Emerging Markets	4.4	24	
Altria	1.7			5 5			

Sector breakdown	as of 3/31/22				
	% of net assets				
Energy	5.0				
Materials	4.4				
Industrials	9.1				
Consumer discretionary	11.2				
Consumer staples	9.1				
Health care	12.2				
Financials	10.6				
Information technology	23.3				
Communication services	9.3				
Utilities	2.1				
Real estate	1.5				

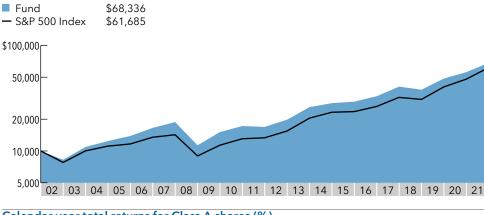
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# Results of a hypothetical \$10,000 investment (12/31/01-12/31/21)

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Calenda	Calendar year total returns for Class A shares (%)									
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Fund	17.1	31.5	9.0	3.4	12.5	23.4	-6.6	27.6	15.0	22.5
Index	16.0	32.4	13.7	1.4	12.0	21.8	-4.4	31.5	18.4	28.7

Portfolios are managed, so holdings will change. Certain fixed income and/or cash and equivalents holdings may be held through individual mutual funds managed by the investment adviser or its affiliates that are not offered to the public.

Investment results assume all distributions are reinvested and reflect applicable fees and expenses.

When applicable, results reflect fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements, without which they would have been lower and net expenses higher. This information is provided in detail in the shareholder reports. For more information on fee waivers and expense reimbursements, visit capitalgroup.com. <sup>1</sup>Expense ratios are as of each fund's prospectus available at the time of publication.

<sup>2</sup>The portfolio managers shown are as of each fund's prospectus available at the time of publication.

<sup>3</sup>Returns for less than one year are not annualized, but calculated as cumulative total returns.

<sup>4</sup>YTD (year-to-date return): the net change in the value of the portfolio (in percentage terms) from January 1 of the current year to the date shown above.

<sup>5</sup>Results for certain funds with an inception date after the share class inception also include hypothetical returns because those funds' shares sold after the funds' date of first offering.

<sup>6</sup>Figures include convertible securities. The equity breakdown by revenue reflects the portfolio's publicly traded equity holdings and excludes cash (and fixed income securities, if applicable). Underlying revenue data were compiled by MSCI and account for disparities in the way companies report their revenues across geographic segments. MSCI breaks out each company's reported revenues into country-by-country estimates. MSCI provides revenue data figures based on a proprietary, standardized model. Revenue exposure at the portfolio and index level was calculated by using FactSet, which takes these company revenue exposures and multiplies by the company's weighting in the portfolio and index. In this breakdown, Israel has been included in Europe.

<sup>7</sup>Totals may not reconcile due to rounding.

<sup>8</sup>Cash and equivalents includes short-term securities, accrued income and other assets less liabilities. It may also include investments in money market or similar funds managed by the investment adviser or its affiliates that are not offered to the public.

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Lipper Growth & Income Funds: Lipper Growth and Income Funds Index is an equally weighted index of funds that combines a growth-of-earnings orientation and an income requirement for level and/or rising dividends. The results of the underlying funds in the index include the reinvestment of dividends and capital gain distributions, as well as brokerage commissions paid by the funds for portfolio transactions and other fund expenses, but do not reflect the effect of sales charges, account fees or U.S. federal income taxes.

Standard & Poor's 500 Composite Index: S&P 500 Index is a market capitalization-weighted index based on the results of approximately 500 widely held common stocks. This index is unmanaged, and its results include reinvested dividends and/or distributions but do not reflect the effect of sales charges, commissions, account fees, expenses or U.S. federal income taxes.

**MSCI World Index:** MSCI World Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure equity market results of developed markets. The index consists of more than 20 developed market country indexes, including the United States. Results reflect dividends net of withholding taxes. This index is unmanaged, and its results include reinvested dividends and/or distributions but do not reflect the effect of sales charges, commissions, account fees, expenses or U.S. federal income taxes.