

# Vanguard Extended Market Index Fund

Domestic stock fund | Admiral<sup>™</sup> Shares

# **Fund facts**

Risk	leve	I			Total net	Expense ratio	Ticker	Turnover	Inception	Fund
Low	$\leftarrow$			ightarrow Higł	assets	as of 04/29/22	symbol	rate	date	number
1	2	3	4	5	\$19,328 MM	0.06%	VEXAX	18.6%	11/13/00	0598

# Investment objective

Vanguard Extended Market Index Fund seeks to track the performance of a benchmark index that measures the investment return of small- and mid-capitalization stocks.

#### Investment strategy

The fund employs an indexing investment approach designed to track the performance of the Standard & Poor's Completion Index, a broadly diversified index of stocks of small and medium-size U.S. companies. The Standard & Poor's Completion Index contains all of the U.S. common stocks regularly traded on the New York and American Stock Exchanges, and the Nasdag over-the-counter market, except those stocks included in the Standard & Poor's 500 Index. The fund invests all, or substantially all, of its assets in stocks of its target index, with nearly 80% of its assets invested in the 1,200 largest stocks in its target index (covering nearly 80% of the index's total market capitalization), and the rest of its assets in a representative sample of the remaining stocks. The fund holds a broadly diversified collection of securities that, in the aggregate, approximates the full index in terms of key characteristics. These key characteristics include industry weightings and market capitalization, as well as certain financial measures such as price/earnings ratio and dividend vield.

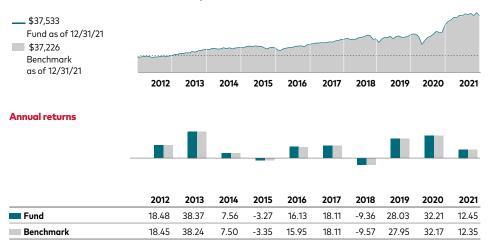
For the most up-to-date fund data, please scan the QR code below.



## Benchmark

Spliced Extended Market Index

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



# **Total returns**

				Periods ended September 30, 2022			
	Quarter	Year to date	One year	Three years	Five years	Ten years	
Fund	-2.73%	-30.04%	-29.55%	4.24%	4.82%	9.41%	
Benchmark	-2.78%	-30.09%	-29.62%	4.16%	4.72%	9.31%	

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.

# Vanguard Extended Market Index Fund

Domestic stock fund | Admiral<sup>™</sup> Shares

#### Ten largest holdings\*

_				
1	Blackstone Inc.			
2	Uber Technologies Inc.			
3	Palo Alto Networks Inc.			
4	Snowflake Inc.			
5	Cheniere Energy Inc.			
6	Airbnb Inc.			
7	Marvell Technology Inc.			
8	Crowdstrike Holdings Inc.			
9	Lululemon Athletica Inc.			
10 Workday Inc.				
То	p 10 as % of total net assets	7.3%		

**Sector Diversification** 



Information Tech	19.7%	Energy	4.9
Financials	16.3	Materials	4.2
Industrials	14.5	Communication Services	3.6
Health Care	14.3	Consumer Staples	2.9
Consumer Discretionary	11.0	Utilities	2.2
Real Estate	6.4	<ul> <li>Other</li> </ul>	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.

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

## Connect with Vanguard • • <u>vanguard.com</u> 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 small- and mid-capitalization stocks will trail returns from the overall stock market. Historically, small- and mid-cap stocks have been more volatile in price than the large-cap stocks that dominate the overall market, and they often perform quite differently. Small- and mid-size companies tend to have greater stock volatility because, among other things, these companies are more sensitive to changing economic conditions.

Index sampling risk: The chance that the securities selected for the fund, in the aggregate, will not provide investment performance matching that of the index. Index sampling risk for the fund should be low.

## Note on frequent trading restrictions

Frequent trading policies may apply to those funds offered as investment options within your plan. Please log on to <u>vanguard.com</u> for your employer plans or contact Participant Services at 800-523-1188 for additional information.

The index is a product of S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, a division of S&P Global, or its affiliates ("SPDJI"), and has been licensed for use by Vanguard. Standard & Poor's® and S&P® are registered trademarks of Standard & Poor's Financial Services LLC, a division of S&P Global ("S&P"); Dow Jones® is a registered trademark of Dow Jones Trademark Holdings LLC ("Dow Jones"); and these trademarks have been licensed for use by SPDJI and sublicensed for certain purposes by Vanguard. Vanguard products are not sponsored, endorsed, sold or promoted by SPDJI, Dow Jones, S&P, or their respective affiliates and none of such parties make any representation regarding the advisability of investing in such product(s) nor do they have any liability for any errors, omissions, or interruptions of the index.

For more information about Vanguard funds or to obtain a prospectus, see below for which situation is right for you.

If you receive your retirement plan statement from Vanguard or log on to Vanguard's website to view your plan, visit vanguard.com or call 800-523-1188.

If you receive your retirement plan statement from a service provider other than Vanguard or log on to a recordkeeper's website that is not Vanguard to view your plan, please call **855-402-2646**.

Visit <u>vanguard.com</u> to obtain a prospectus or, if available, a summary prospectus. Investment objectives, risks, charges, expenses, and other important information about a fund are contained in the prospectus; read and consider it carefully before investing.

Financial advisor clients: For more information about Vanguard funds, contact your financial advisor to obtain a prospectus.

Investment Products: Not FDIC Insured • No Bank Guarantee • May Lose Value

© 2022 The Vanguard Group, Inc. All rights reserved. Vanguard Marketing Corporation, Distributor.