# **Global Growth Fund**

## **Management Team**

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# Objective

Seeks to produce long-term growth of capital

#### **Benchmark**

MSCI All Country World Index

## **Highlights**

- Active management with a long-term, private equity approach to investing
- High active share: strives for greater than 90%
- Low turnover: annualized since inception 3/31/2016: 11.0%
- Seven-step research framework focuses on quality, growth and valuation
- High-conviction portfolio of typically 30 to 45 stocks
- Looks to identify high-quality companies those with difficult-to-replicate business models
- Team must view growth as sustainable and profitable
- Stock values are modeled and regularly updated based on our four valuation scenarios: Best, Base, Bear and Worst
- Seeks to create a margin of safety by investing only when the company is selling meaningfully below the team's estimate of intrinsic value
- Active risk management defines risk as a permanent loss of capital, not tracking error or short-term relative underperformance
- Bottom-up stock selection drives excess returns
- Invests between 40% 70% in companies located outside the US and may invest up to 30% of its assets in securities of companies located in emerging markets

<b>Fund Facts</b>	
Fund inception	3/31/16
Total net assets	\$97.1M
Morningstar category	Global Large-
Number of holdings	42
Turnover (at 11/30/21)	18%

Share class	Υ
Inception	3/31/16
Ticker	LSGGX
CUSIP	63872T224
Gross expense ratio	1.04%
Net expense ratio	0.95%

Additional share classes may be available for certain funds for eligible investors. Performance results will vary based on the share class.

# Performance (%) as of September 30, 2022

CUMULATIVE RETURN			AVERAGE ANNUALIZED RETURN			
	3 MO	YTD	1 YEAR	3 YEAR	5 YEAR	SINCE INCEPTION
CLASS Y	-4.53	-30.72	-30.51	2.22	4.99	8.44
BENCHMARK	-6.82	-25.62	-20.66	3.75	4.44	7.17

### **Calendar Year Performance (%)**

	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
CLASS Y	5.86	35.34	30.58	-6.71	32.00	-	-	-	-	-
BENCHMARK	18.54	16.26	26.60	-9.41	23.97	-	-	-	-	-

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Returns reflect changes in share price and reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, if any.

Institutional Class shares (Class Y) are available to institutional investors only; minimum initial investment of \$100,000.

As of the most recent prospectus, the investment advisor has contractually agreed to waive fees and/or reimburse expenses (with certain exceptions) once the expense limitation of the fund has been exceeded. This arrangement is set to expire on 3/31/23. When an expense limitation has not been exceeded, the fund may have similar expense ratios.

<sup>\*</sup>Active share indicates the proportion of portfolio's holdings (by market value) that are different than the benchmark. A higher active share indicates a larger difference between the benchmark and the portfolio.



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PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS					
	Fund	Index			
Price/earnings (trailing 12 mths)	21.49x	13.72x			
Est. P/E (forward 12 months)	21.48x	13.46x			
ROE (1-yr equal wtd)	27.56%	18.09%			
3-5 yr EPS growth	8.16%	12.30%			
Price/book	4.54	2.47			
Wtd avg market cap	\$324.05B	\$305.84B			
Median market cap	\$46.50B	\$9.88B			
Median active share (since inception)	86.54%	-			

TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)				
	Fund			
Amazon.com Inc	6.2			
Alphabet Inc	5.4			
Novartis AG	5.3			
MercadoLibre Inc	4.7			
Visa Inc	4.0			
Microsoft Corp	3.9			
Meta Platforms Inc	3.5			
Alnylam Pharmaceuticals Inc	3.4			
Boeing Co/The	3.4			
Ambev SA	3.3			
Total	43.0			

SECTOR DISTRIBUTION (%)				
	Fund	Index		
Information				
Technology	23.5	20.7		
Consumer				
Discretionary	20.9	11.5		
Healthcare	19.6	13.0		
Communication				
Services	16.5	7.4		
Industrials	10.1	9.5		
Consumer Staples	7.8	7.7		
Financials	0.9	14.5		
Energy	-	5.2		
Materials	-	4.7		
Utilities	-	3.1		
Real Estate	-	2.7		
Cash	0.5	-		

The MSCI ACWI Index is a free floatadjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of developed and emerging markets. Indices are unmanaged. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

MARKET CAPITALIZATION (%)				
	Fund	Index		
> \$50 Billion	58.6	59.5		
\$25 to 50 Billion	26.1	17.1		
\$10 to 25 Billion	8.9	15.4		
< \$10 Billion	5.8	7.9		
Cash	0.5	-		

COUNTRY DISTRIBUTION (%)				
	Fund	Index		
United States	52.9	62.0		
Switzerland	12.5	2.6		
China	9.1	3.4		
Netherlands	5.1	1.0		
Argentina	4.7	0.1		
United Kingdom	4.6	3.7		
Brazil	3.3	0.6		
Japan	2.5	5.4		
Denmark	2.0	0.6		
Other	3.4	20.7		

Portfolio composition statistics are from the adviser's internal system and may not match the fund's regulatory documents. Due to rounding, Market Capitalization and Sector Distribution totals may not equal 100%. This portfolio is actively managed and characteristics are subject to change. Top 10 Holdings may combine more than one security from the same issuer and related depositary receipts. Portfolio weight calculations include accrued interest. Holdings are based on total gross assets before any fees are paid; any cash held is included. Reference to specific securities or holdings should not be considered recommendations for action by investors. There is no guarantee the fund continues to invest in the securities referenced. Cash may include unsettled trades, fees and/or derivatives.

P/E (forward) measures price-to-earnings ratio using forecasted earnings for the price-to-earnings calculation; the forward measure is not a forecast of the fund's performance. P/E (trailing) is the sum of a company's price-to-earnings, calculated by dividing current stock price by trailing earnings per share for the past 12 months. 3-5 Year EPS Growth is sourced from FactSet and based on long-term EPS growth rate estimates gathered directly from brokers. The portfolio and benchmark statistic is a weighted average of company level estimates. 3-yr Historical EPS is the average earnings per share value that the company reports quarterly over the trailing 3-year term, calculated by dividing earnings available to shareholders by total number of shares outstanding. 5-yr Historical EPS is the average earnings per share value that the company reports quarterly over the trailing 5-year term, calculated by dividing earnings available to shareholders by total number of shares outstanding. Return on Equity (ROE) measures a company's profitability and reveals how much profit a company generates with money shareholders invested. ROE is calculated by dividing net income by shareholder equity. ROE (1-year equal wtd) is the 1-year ROE of all holdings divided by number of holdings. Price (Cash Flow compares the price of a company's stock relative to how much cash flow the firm is generating, calculated by dividing the current market price of the share by the cash flow per share. Price/Book is a ratio that compares a stock's market value to its book value calculated by dividing current closing price of the stock by the latest quarter's book value per share. Debt-to-capital provides a measure of how much debt the company has on its books calculated by total company debt divided by total capitalization of the company. Median Market Cap is the midpoint of market capitalization (market price multiplied by number of shares outstanding) of stocks in a portfolio. Median Active Share (since inception) indicates the proportion of the portfolio's holdings (by market value) that is different than the benchmark. A higher active share indicates a larger difference between the benchmark and the portfolio.

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