Fiscal year-end summary: 2/28/23 Growth fund



## The fund follows a disciplined approach in its search for companies with a record of past growth and expectations for future growth.

Ticker symbols: A shares: AMCPX C shares: AMPCX F-1 shares: AMPFX F-2 shares: AMCFX F-3 shares: FMACX R-3 shares: RAFCX

## **Disciplined approach**

In the fund's search for established growth companies, it follows disciplined stock selection criteria. The fund:

- Focuses on identifying companies of any size with strong fundamental opportunities for long-term growth.
- Invests primarily in U.S. companies and markets.

#### **Proven companies**

The fund seeks to invest in companies that have typically had:

- A history of, and potential for, growth in such measures as earnings, revenues and cash flow.
- A faster growth rate than the average U.S. company.
- A sustainable competitive advantage and identifiable long-term opportunities.
- Reasonable stock price valuation based on past results and growth potential.

## **Broad diversification**

The fund has the flexibility to invest in any U.S. company, regardless of its size. As a result, the fund's holdings typically include a wide variety of small, medium and large companies that our company-by-company research shows have strong growth potential and attractive future growth potential.

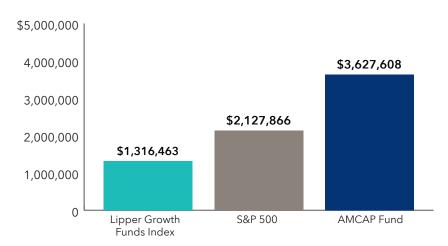
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## Historically higher long-term returns

Our disciplined approach has helped the fund over its lifetime (since 1967) outpace both S&P 500 Index and the Lipper Growth Funds Index. Of course, there have been times when the fund has lagged the indexes – usually during rapidly rising markets.

Results are based on hypothetical \$10,000 investments. The S&P 500 is a market capitalization-weighted index based on the results of 500 widely held common stocks. Results for the Lipper indexes do not reflect sales charges. Lipper indexes track the largest mutual funds (no more than 30), represented by one share class per fund, in the corresponding Lipper category. Market indexes are unmanaged and, therefore, have no expenses. Investors cannot invest directly in an index.

### Growth of \$10,000 over AMCAP's lifetime (5/1/67-2/28/23)

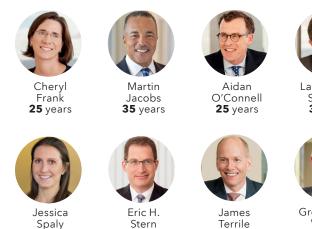


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## Experienced portfolio management

The fund's eight portfolio managers each manage a portion of fund assets independently and have a median 31 years of investment experience as of the prospectus dated 5/1/2023. A group of investment analysts also manages a portion of the fund.



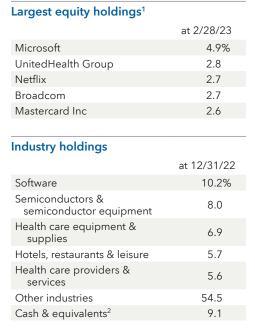
34 years



Lawrence R. Solomon **39** years



Gregory W Wendt **36** years



# Expense ratios 9.4% average 70,000 Fund 0.65% 60,000 Industry average<sup>3</sup> 50,000

10 years: 9.86%

28 years



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

26 years

Average annual total returns for periods ended 3/31/23 after payment of the 5.75% maximum up-front sales charge for Class A shares:

#### 1 year: -15.66%

Investment results assume all distributions are reinvested and reflect applicable fees and expenses. The expense ratio is as of the fund's prospectus available at the time of publication. When applicable, results reflect fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements, without which they would have been lower. Refer to **capitalgroup.com** for more information.

5 years: 5.87%

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. If used after 6/30/23, this sheet must be accompanied by the most recent American Funds quarterly statistical update.

<sup>1</sup>The information shown may include affiliates of the same issuer when applicable.

<sup>2</sup>Cash & 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.

<sup>3</sup>Source for industry average: Lipper Growth Funds Average, which represents funds that normally invest in companies with long-term earnings expected to grow significantly faster than the earnings of the stocks represented in the major unmanaged stock indexes. The industry average expense ratio is based on statistics for front-end load funds (excluding funds of funds) for the most recent fiscal year-end available through 3/31/23.

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Expense ratio: 0.65%