# **ALGER**

# Alger Spectra Fund

# 1st Quarter 2023 As of March 31, 2023

# **Ticker Symbols**

Class A	SPECX
Class I	ASPIX
Class Y	ASPYX
Class Z	ASPZX

# **Investment Strategy**

Primarily invests in growth equity securities of U.S. companies identified through our fundamental research as demonstrating promising growth potential, and engages in short selling (up to approximately 10% of the market value of the portfolio). Seeks long-term capital appreciation.

#### **Portfolio Management**



#### Patrick Kelly, CFA Executive Vice President Portfolio Manager, Head of Alger Capital Appreciation and Spectra Strategies 26 Years Investment Experience

Dan Chung, CFA Chief Executive Officer, Chief Investment Officer Portfolio Manager 29 Years Investment Experience



# Dr. Ankur Crawford

Executive Vice President Portfolio Manager *19 Years Investment Experience* 

STYLE

Blend

Value

SIZ

#### Benchmark Russell 3000 Growth

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#### Morningstar

Category: Large Growth

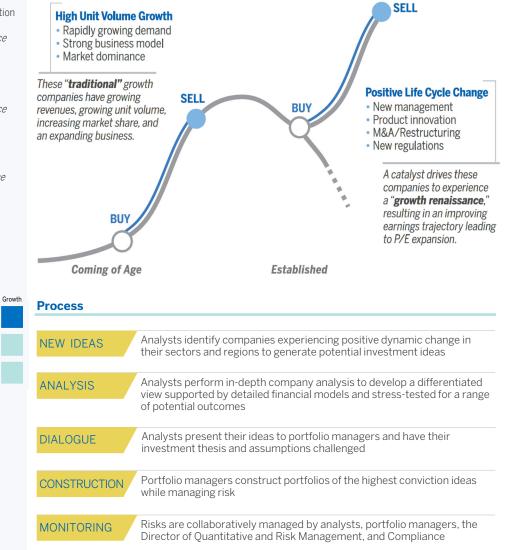
Morningstar Style Box<sup>™</sup> reveals a fund's investment strategy by showing its investment style and market capitalization based on the portfolio holdings. As of 1/31/2023

## Who We Are

Fred Alger Management, LLC is widely recognized as a pioneer of growth-style investment management. We have been an independent, privately owned firm since our founding in 1964. For more than 50 years, we have had **three leaders with one vision**: Maintaining the legacy and continuity of the Alger Investment Philosophy.

## Philosophy

Alger has been committed to a growth style of investing since the firm was founded in 1964. We believe that the best way to uncover and evaluate such companies is through intensive, fundamental, proprietary investment research. At Alger, we believe companies undergoing **Positive Dynamic Change** offer the best investment opportunities. By Positive Dynamic Change, we mean those companies experiencing High Unit Volume Growth and Positive Life Cycle Change.





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## Average Annual Total Returns (%) (as of 3/31/23)

	QTR	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
Class A (Incepted 7/28/69)							
Without Sales Charge	13.94	13.94	-18.07	8.51	7.16	10.98	14.92
With Sales Charge	7.98	7.98	-22.38	6.58	6.01	10.38	14.80
Class I (Incepted 9/24/08)	13.96	13.96	-18.07	8.52	7.16	11.00	11.87
Class Y (Incepted 12/3/18)	14.07	14.07	-17.71	8.90	_	_	6.97
Class Z (Incepted 12/29/10)	14.05	14.05	-17.82	8.85	7.50	11.33	11.46
Morningstar Category Average (Large Growth)	11.65	11.65	-12.67	14.80	10.21	12.07	_
Russell 3000 Growth Index	13.85	13.85	-10.88	18.23	13.02	14.16	(Since 9/24/08) 12.95 (Since 12/03/18) 13.34 (Since 12/29/10) 13.75
<b>Morningstar Percentile Rank</b> (Large Growth) Based on Total Returns							
Class A	_	_	87% 1077/1250	94% 1067/1139	88% 926/1053	76% 622/809	_
Class I	_	_	87% 1078/1250	94% 1066/1139	88% 925/1053	76% 620/809	_
Class Y	_	_	86% 1063/1250	93% 1059/1139	-	-	_
Class Z	_	_	87% 1068/1250	94% 1061/1139	85% 897/1053	70% 577/809	_
Fotal Annual Operating Expenses by Class (Prospectus Dated 3/1/23)	Without Waiver: With Waiver:	A: 1.51%	l: 1.49% —	Y:1.20% Z 1.13%	: 1.19% —		

Performance shown is net of fees and expenses. Fred Alger Management, LLC has contractually agreed to waive fees or to reimburse Fund expenses (excluding acquired fund fees and expenses, dividend expense on short sales, borrowing costs, interest, taxes, brokerage and extraordinary expenses) through February 29, 2024 to the extent necessary to limit the total annual fund operating expenses of Class Y to 0.79% and Class Z to 0.99% of the class's average daily net assets. This expense reimbursement may only be amended or terminated prior to its expiration date by agreement between Fred Alger Management, LLC and the Fund's Board of Trustees, and will terminate automatically in the event of termination of the Investment Advisory Agreement. Fred Alger Management, LLC may, during the term of the contract, recoup any fees waived or expenses reimbursed pursuant to the contract, however, the Fund will only make repayments to Fred Alger Management, LLC if such repayment does not cause the Fund's expense ratio after the repayment is taken into account, to exceed both (i) the expense cap in place at the time such amounts were waived or reimbursed, and (ii) the Fund's current expense cap. Such recoupment is limited to two years from the date the amount is initially waived or reimbursed. Only periods greater than 12 months are annualized.

Only periods greater than 12 months are annualized. The first full calendar year that Fred Alger Management, LLC was the Fund's investment manager was 1975; therefore, since inception performance is reflected as of this date. The Fund operated as a closed end fund from August 23, 1978 to February 12, 1996. The calculation of total return during that time assumes dividends were reinvested at market value. Had dividends not been reinvested, performance would have been lower. On September 24, 2008, the Fund's name was changed from Spectra Fund to Alger Spectra Fund, and the Fund's Class N shares were redesignated as Class A shares. Performance from February 13, 1996 through September 23, 2008 is that of the Fund's Class N Shares, adjusted to reflect applicable sales charges and operating expenses.

The performance data quoted represents past performance, which is not an indication or a guarantee of future results. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance figures assume all distributions are reinvested. Returns with sales charges reflect a maximum front-end sales charge on Class A Shares of 5.25%. For performance current to the most recent month end, visit www.alger.com or call 800.992.3863.

## Calendar Year Returns (%) (as of 12/31/22)

	Fund (Class A)	Morningstar Large Growth Category Average	Russell 3000 Growth Index
2022	-39.33	-29.91	-28.97
2021	11.74	20.45	25.85
2020	43.58	35.86	38.26
2019	32.15	31.90	35.85
2018	-0.88	-2.09	-2.12
2017	31.03	27.67	29.59
2016	-0.18	3.23	7.39
2015	7.08	3.60	5.09
2014	12.28	10.00	12.44
2013	35.07	33.92	34.23

#### Portfolio Exposure (%) (as of 3/31/23)

	Alger Spectra Fund
Long Portfolio	105.10
Short Portfolio	-5.94
Cash	0.84

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#### Characteristics (as of 3/31/23)

	Alger Spectra Fund	Russell 3000 Growth Index
Equity Holdings	110	1604
Active Share (%)	62.21	—
Market Cap (Median-\$Bn)	\$37.30	\$2.33
Market Cap (Wtd Average-\$Bn)	\$645.52	\$769.98
P/E Ratio	28.05	24.05
Sales Growth (Next 12 Months) (%)	9.37	6.75
EPS Growth (3-5 Yr Forecasted) (%)	16.18	11.14

#### Risk Metrics (5 Years as of 3/31/23 for Class A)

	Alger Spectra Fund	Russell 3000 Growth Index
Alpha (%)	-5.44	_
Beta	1.03	1.00
Standard Deviation (%)	22.19	21.04
Sharpe Ratio	0.35	0.62
Information Ratio	-1.01	_
Upside Capture (%)	90.57	_
Downside Capture (%)	107.91	_

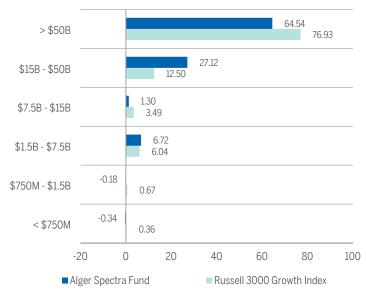
# **Top 10 Active Holdings (%)** (as of 1/31/23)

	Alger Spectra Fund	Russell 3000 Growth Index	Active Weight
TransDigm Group Incorporated	3.17	0.07	3.10
HEICO Corporation Class A	3.10	0.05	3.05
MercadoLibre, Inc.	2.69	_	2.69
Natera, Inc.	2.26	0.02	2.24
Las Vegas Sands Corp.	2.17	0.04	2.13
Marvell Technology, Inc.	2.03	_	2.03
Netflix, Inc.	2.13	0.35	1.78
Datadog Inc Class A	1.80	0.10	1.70
Albemarle Corporation	1.78	0.09	1.70
Pioneer Natural Resources Company	1.66	0.15	1.51
Total	22.80	0.87	21.93

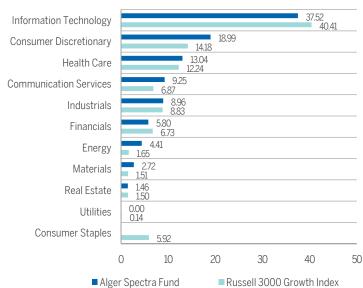
# Top 10 Holdings (%) (as of 3/31/23)

	Alger Spectra Fund	Russell 3000 Growth Index	Active Weight
Microsoft Corporation	11.42	10.44	0.99
Apple Inc.	6.98	11.99	-5.01
Amazon.com, Inc.	5.39	4.44	0.95
NVIDIA Corporation	5.07	3.18	1.89
MercadoLibre, Inc.	3.07	_	3.07
HEICO Corporation Class A	2.90	0.05	2.86
Natera, Inc.	2.62	0.02	2.60
TransDigm Group Incorporated	2.51	0.07	2.44
Alphabet Inc. Class C	2.36	2.29	0.07
Visa Inc. Class A	2.18	1.77	0.41
Total	44.51	34.25	10.26

# Market Capitalization (%) (as of 3/31/23)



# Sector Allocation (%) (as of 3/31/23)





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