

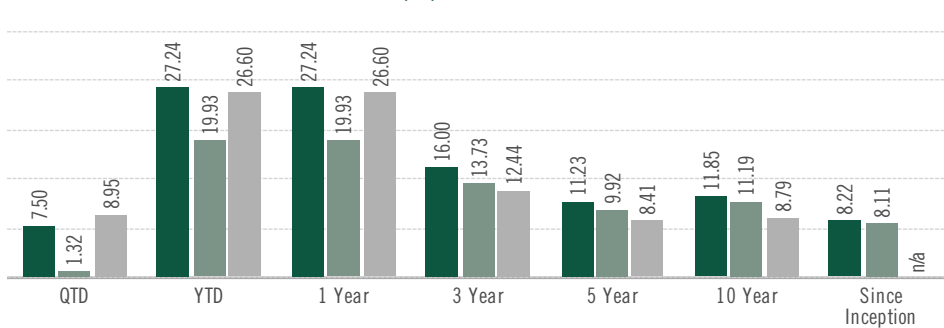
INVESTMENT OVERVIEW

The Fund seeks to generate attractive risk-adjusted long-term returns by investing in high-quality companies across the globe. Fundamental, bottom-up research aims to identify well-managed businesses with consistent operating histories and financial performance that have favorable long-term economic prospects, and, in most cases, generate free cash flow.

KEY FEATURES

- High-Quality Growth** — Searches for quality, high-return growth businesses with strong profitability and durable franchises, trading at attractive valuations
- Benchmark Unconstrained** — A high-conviction, concentrated approach to investing that focuses on minimizing business risk rather than Index risk
- Lower Volatility Approach** — A long-term-focused investment philosophy and approach which strives to offer market participation with less risk and volatility than the Index

AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (%) as of 12/31/19



Performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Please visit virtus.com for performance data current to the most recent month end. Class A shares have a maximum sales charge of 5.75%. A contingent deferred sales charge of 1% may be imposed on certain redemptions within 18 months on purchases on which a finder's fee has been paid.

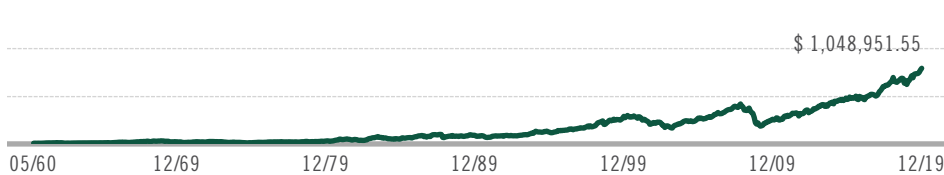
The fund class gross expense ratio is 1.40%. The net expense ratio is 1.36%, which reflects a contractual expense reimbursement in effect through 3/31/2021.

Average annual total return is the annual compound return for the indicated period and reflects the change in share price and the reinvestment of all dividends and capital gains. Returns for periods of one year or less are cumulative returns.

ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010
Fund	27.24	-5.07	29.21	4.34	4.54	6.35	15.94	19.41	5.37	16.01
Index	26.60	-9.41	23.97	7.86	-2.36	4.16	22.80	16.13	-7.35	12.67

GROWTH OF \$10,000



This chart assumes an initial investment of \$10,000 made on 5/13/1960. As of 12/31/2019 the fund value would have been \$1,048,951.55. Fund performance assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gain distributions and reflects a front end sales charge of 5.75%.

FUND INFORMATION

	Ticker	CUSIP
A Shares	NWVOX	92828R446
C Shares	WWOCX	92828R420
I Shares	WVOIX	92828W775
R6 Shares	VRGOX	92828W213

Inception Date	05/13/60
AUM (\$ millions)	348.4
Number of Holdings	49
Dividends	Semi-Annually
Morningstar Category	World Large Stock
Lipper Category	Global Large-Cap Growth
Index	MSCI AC World Index (net)

MORNINGSTAR RATINGS

Time Period	# of Stars	# of Funds
Overall	★★★★★	722
3 Year	★★★★★	722
5 Year	★★★★★	605
10 Year	★★★★★	362

Morningstar ratings are based on risk-adjusted returns. Strong ratings are not indicative of positive future performance.

INVESTMENT ADVISER

Virtus Investment Advisers, Inc.

INVESTMENT SUBADVISER

Vontobel

Vontobel Asset Management believes that the best way to achieve capital appreciation and outperform the market over time is by investing in well-managed businesses with consistent operating histories and financial performance that have favorable long-term economic prospects.

PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

Matthew Benkendorf
Industry start date: 1998
Start date as Fund Portfolio Manager: 2009

Ramiz Chelat
Industry start date: 1997
Start date as Fund Portfolio Manager: 2016

CHARACTERISTICS	Fund	Index
Avg. Weighted Market Cap (bn)	221.89	164.62
Median Market Cap (bn)	84.39	5.35
Trailing P/E Ex-Negative Earnings	27.66	18.50
Price-to-Cash Flow	22.03	16.39
Price-to-Book Value	5.94	3.99
3-Year EPS Growth Rate	17.27	14.47
5-Year EPS Growth Rate	10.47	10.08
Active Share	84.76	n/a

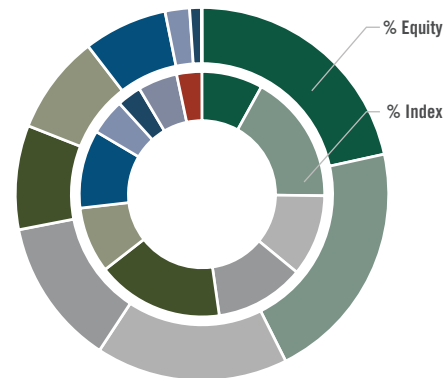
RISK STATISTICS (3 YEAR)	Fund	Index
Alpha	4.84	n/a
Beta	0.83	1.00
R ²	0.82	1.00
Sharpe Ratio	1.39	0.96
Standard Deviation	10.36	11.22

TOP TEN HOLDINGS	% Fund
Microsoft Corp	4.52
Mastercard Inc	3.70
Unilever NV	3.70
Safran SA	3.69
Visa Inc	3.59
HDFC Bank Ltd	3.44
Amazon.com Inc	3.37
Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc	3.21
Medtronic PLC	3.12
Sap SE	3.00

TOP TEN COUNTRIES	% Invested Assets	% Index
United States	54.68	55.16
India	7.23	1.05
Netherlands	6.65	1.16
France	5.84	3.34
China	5.03	4.19
Canada	4.26	2.96
Germany	3.11	2.54
Switzerland	2.98	2.87
United Kingdom	2.27	4.85
Belgium	1.79	0.29

Holdings and sector weightings are subject to change.

SECTOR ALLOCATIONS



Sector	% Equity	% Index
Consumer Staples	21.57	8.05
Information Technology	21.04	17.15
Consumer Discretionary	16.65	10.77
Health Care	12.70	11.77
Financials	9.02	16.74
Communication Services	8.60	8.72
Industrials	7.26	10.30
Materials	2.11	4.76
Real Estate	1.06	3.22
Energy	0.00	5.21
Utilities	0.00	3.32

IMPORTANT RISK CONSIDERATIONS

Equity Securities: The market price of equity securities may be adversely affected by financial market, industry, or issuer-specific events. Focus on a particular style or on small or medium-sized companies may enhance that risk. **Foreign & Emerging Markets:** Investing internationally, especially in emerging markets, involves additional risks such as currency, political, accounting, economic, and market risk. **Prospectus:** For additional information on risks, please see the fund's prospectus.

GLOSSARY

Avg. Weighted Market Cap (bn): The total dollar market value of all of a company's outstanding shares. **Trailing P/E Ex-Negative Earnings:** Per share stock price divided by the latest 12-months earnings per share. **Price-to-Cash Flow:** Per-share stock price divided by the per-share operating cash flow. **Price-to-Book Value:** A ratio used to compare a stock's market value to its book value. **3-Year EPS Growth Rate:** Average of earnings per share growth for latest 3-year period. **5-Year EPS Growth Rate:** Average of earnings per share growth for latest 5-year period. **Active Share:** A measure of the percentage of stock holdings in a manager's portfolio that differ from the benchmark index. **Alpha:** A risk-adjusted measure of an investment's excess return relative to a benchmark. **Beta:** A quantitative measure of the volatility, or systematic risk, of a security or a portfolio in comparison to the market as a whole. **R²:** A measure that represents the percentage of a fund or security's movements that can be explained by movements in a benchmark index. **Sharpe Ratio:** A risk-adjusted measure calculated using standard deviation and excess return to determine reward per unit of risk. **Standard Deviation:** Measures variability of returns around the average return for an investment portfolio. Higher standard deviation suggests greater risk.

INDEX DEFINITION

Index: The MSCI AC World Index (net) is a free float-adjusted market capitalization-weighted index that measures equity performance of developed and emerging markets. The index is calculated on a total return basis with net dividends reinvested. The index is unmanaged, its returns do not reflect any fees, expenses, or sales charges, and is not available for direct investment.

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