## **LARGE-CAP GROWTH EQUITY COMPOSITE**



Year	Composite Total Gross Returns (%)	Composite Total Net Returns (%)	Benchmark Returns (%)	Composite 3-Yr Annualized Standard Deviation (%)	Benchmark 3-Yr Annualized Standard Deviation (%)	Portfolios in Composite at End of Year	Composite Dispersion (%)	Composite Assets (\$USD Millions)*	GIPS Firm Assets (\$USD Millions)*
2021	20.0	19.5	27.6	17.8	18.2	93	0.3	16,272	79,715
2020	33.8	33.2	38.5	18.6	19.6	103	0.5	16,589	59,683
2019	41.9	41.4	36.4	13.4	13.1	103	0.3	13,269	42,426
2018	5.9	5.5	-1.5	13.1	12.1	94	0.3	9,339	30,529
2017	33.7	33.1	30.2	11.7	10.5	130	0.3	10,073	33,155
2016	-2.3	-2.7	7.1	11.2	11.2	158	0.1	9,848	30,417
2015	7.8	7.4	5.7	10.2	10.7	189	0.3	12,677	43,746
2014	7.1	6.6	13.1	11.0	9.6	211	0.2	14,806	44,772
2013	30.3	29.7	33.5	15.5	12.2	268	0.4	15,849	40,739
2012	16.7	16.2	15.3	18.7	15.7	190	0.4	8,660	26,794

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- 2. The Large-Cap Growth Equity Composite (the Composite) includes all discretionary portfolios invested in U.S. equities with strong earnings growth characteristics and large market capitalizations. The minimum account market value required for Composite inclusion is \$1.5 million.
- 3. The Composite was created in 1997. The Composite inception date is June 1, 1996.
- 4. The benchmark is the Russell 1000® Growth Index. The Russell 1000® Growth Index measures the performance of the large-cap growth segment of the U.S. equity universe. It includes those Russell 1000® Growth Index companies with higher price-to-book ratios and higher forecasted growth values. The Russell 1000® Growth Index is constructed to provide a comprehensive and unbiased barometer for the large-cap growth segment. The Index is completely reconstituted annually to ensure new and growing equities are included and that the represented companies continue to reflect growth characteristics. The Russell 1000® Growth Index and Russell® are trademarks/service marks of the London Stock Exchange Group companies. An investor cannot invest directly into an index. Benchmark returns are not covered by the report of the independent verifiers.
- 5. The composite dispersion presented is an equal-weighted standard deviation of portfolio gross returns calculated for the accounts in the Composite for the entire calendar year period.
- 6. Gross-of-fees performance returns are presented before management fees but after all trading commissions, and gross of foreign withholding taxes (if applicable). Net-of-fee performance returns reflect the deduction of actual management fees and all trading commissions. Certain accounts in the Composite pay asset-based custody fees that include commissions. For these accounts, gross and net returns are also net of custody fees. Other expenses can reduce returns to investors. The standard management fee schedule is as follows: For accounts below \$150 million, 0.70% on the first \$25 million; 0.50% on the next \$100 million; 0.465% on the next \$100 million; 0.25% on the next \$250 million; and 0.20% on the balance over \$500 million. Further information regarding investment advisory fees is described in Part II A of the firm's form ADV. Actual fees paid by accounts in the Composite may differ from the current fee schedule
- 7. The investment management fee for the Investor Shares of the Brown Advisory Growth Equity Fund (the Fund), which is included in the Composite, is 0.60%, and represents the highest fee charged excluding Advisor Shares. The total expense ratio for the Investor Shares of the Fund as of the most recent fiscal year end (June 30, 2021) was 0.82%. Further information regarding investment management fees and expenses is described in the fund prospectus and annual report.
- 8. The investment management fee for the Dollar Class B Acc Shares of the Brown Advisory US Equity Growth Fund (the UCITS), which is included in the composite, is 0.75%. The total expense ratio for the Dollar Class B Acc Shares of the UCITS as of the most recent fiscal year end (October 31, 2021) was 0.84%. Further information regarding investment management fees and expenses is described in the fund prospectus and annual report.
- 9. The three-year annualized ex-post standard deviation measures the variability of the Composite (using gross returns) and the benchmark for the 36-month period ended on December 31.
- Valuations and performance returns are computed and stated in U.S. Dollars. All returns reflect the reinvestment of income and other earnings.
  A complete list of composite descriptions and broad distribution and limited distribution pooled funds is available upon request.
- 11. Policies for valuing investments, calculating performance, and preparing GIPS Reports are available upon request.
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