

Newton US Large Cap Growth Equity Composite

Annual performance disclosure

Year	Asset-weighted Gross	Asset-weighted Net	Russell 1000® Growth Index	Composite 3-Yr St Dev	Benchmark 3-Yr St Dev	Number of Portfolios	Composite Assets (\$mm)	Firm Assets (\$mm)	Composite Dispersion
2025	15.79	15.15	18.56	17.24	14.71	9	3,711	59,158	0.11
2024	27.46	26.76	33.36	23.30	20.33	9	3,548	47,431	0.28
2023	43.48	42.72	42.68	23.11	20.51	9	2,888	47,863	0.45
2022	-33.26	-33.64	-29.14	25.48	23.47	10	2,219	49,228	0.23
2021	19.76	19.11	27.60	18.71	18.17	14	4,365	65,747	0.23
2020	47.63	46.85	38.49	20.45	19.64	17	4,702	601,427	0.25
2019	30.25	29.56	36.39	13.40	13.07	17	3,504	534,173	0.23
2018	1.61	1.06	-1.51	12.55	12.13	20	4,225	488,649	0.11
2017	24.72	24.04	30.21	10.64	10.54	26	5,754	151,956	0.13
2016	2.91	2.24	7.08	11.36	11.15	29	5,825	147,706	0.21

The Firm

Newton Investment Management North America, LLC ("NIMNA" or the "Firm") is a registered investment adviser and subsidiary of The Bank of New York Mellon Corporation ("BNY"). The Firm was established in 2021, comprised of equity and multi-asset teams from an affiliate, Mellon Investments Corporation. The Firm is part of the group of affiliated companies that individually or collectively provide investment advisory services under the brand "BNY Investments Newton" or "Newton Investment Management" ("Newton"). Newton currently includes NIMNA and Newton Investment Management Ltd. ("NIM"). Performance is presented to show the performance of all fee-paying portfolios with substantially similar investment objectives, policies and strategies, which were managed at a prior firm affiliated with NIMNA until September 1, 2021. Performance results from the prior affiliated firms were linked on September 1, 2021 to the results achieved at NIMNA in compliance with the GIPS Guidance Statement on Performance Record Portability.

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Composite

The US Large Cap Growth Equity composite measures the total return of all fee-paying, discretionary, equity portfolios that invest primarily in US-based companies with long-term growth prospects consistent with preservation of capital. The strategy may invest up to 25% of its total assets in non-US companies. The use of derivatives is a characteristic of this investment strategy. Derivatives may be used to generate excess return, create long and short positions, as well as to manage risk. Minimum portfolio size for inclusion is \$1 million. Effective November 1, 2015, this composite adopted a significant cash flow policy where portfolios will be removed temporarily from the composite for the month in which there is a client-initiated cash flow (on a net daily basis) of 30% or more of the beginning-of-month market value. The portfolio is returned to the composite the next month. Additional information regarding the historic treatment of significant cash flows is available upon request. The composite was created on July 31, 2005. The composite has an inception date of July 1, 2005. The performance of the composite is expressed in US Dollars. A list of composite descriptions and a list of limited distribution pooled fund descriptions are available upon request. Policies for valuing investments, calculating performance, and preparing GIPS reports are available upon request.

Benchmark

The composite's benchmark is the Russell 1000® Growth Index. The Russell 1000® Growth Index measures the performance of the large-cap growth segment of the US equity market.

Calculation methodology

Gross performance figures are time-weighted rates of return, which include the deduction of transaction costs. Performance results reflect the reinvestment of income and other earnings. Past performance is not an indication of future performance. Where NAV returns are used for fund vehicles participating in the composite, NAVs may have also been reduced by administrative fees in addition to trading expenses. More information about our return calculations are available upon request. Gross returns were used to calculate all risk measures presented in this GIPS Composite Report. Internal dispersion figures are an asset-weighted standard deviation of all portfolios that were included in the composite for the entire measurement period. Dispersion figures for years containing 5 or fewer Portfolios are considered Not Meaningful or "N/M". The composite track record lacks the required 36 months necessary for the three-year annualized ex-post standard deviation where "N/A" is presented.

Fees

The standard management fee for institutional separately managed accounts in this strategy is: 0.55% of assets on the first \$25 million, 0.45% of assets on the next \$25 million, 0.35% of assets on the next \$50 million, and 0.25% on assets thereafter. Net-of-fee returns are calculated using model fees which are equivalent to the highest tier management fee for the strategy. Fees are accrued monthly for each composite and subtracted from the gross returns to arrive at the net-of-fee returns.

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