

North Growth U.S. Equity Fund

As of 2026-02-28



**NORTH GROWTH
MANAGEMENT**

Investment Strategy

The objective of the Fund is to achieve long term growth and capital appreciation according to our "Growth at a Reasonable Price" philosophy.

The Fund invests in equity securities of U.S. based companies, avoiding the tobacco and oil and gas industries. On occasion, Treasury bills or short-term cash equivalents may be held.

Firm Name: North Growth Management Ltd.
Inception Date: October 13, 1992
Fund Size: \$919,403,671
Minimum Initial Purchase: 150,000
MER: 1.00%

Morningstar Category Performance

Morningstar Rating Overall	—
Morningstar Rating 10 Yr	—
Morningstar Rating 5 Yr	—

Portfolio Management Team

Erica Lau, CFA
 Erica is the lead portfolio manager for North Growth's Funds and Chief Executive Officer of the company. She has been a key member of the portfolio management team since the company opened its doors in 1998.

Alex Joshi, CFA
 Alex is a portfolio manager. He joined the North Growth portfolio management team in June 2017.

Jorge Marques, CFA
 Jorge is a portfolio manager. He joined the North Growth portfolio management team in April 2020.

Investment Growth

Time Period: Since Inception to 2026-02-28



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Trailing Returns

	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	Since Inception
North Growth US Equity	10.43	15.83	36.89	44.03	26.46	15.24	15.98	15.88	11.98	13.59
S&P 500 TR CAD	-0.05	-1.44	6.41	10.76	21.87	15.91	15.58	16.26	11.89	—

Calendar Year Returns

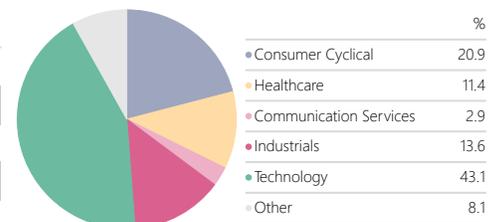
	2025	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
North Growth US Equity	25.81	18.21	-19.06	17.87	26.85	21.53	2.95	16.05	3.78	20.75
S&P 500 TR CAD	12.35	22.90	-12.16	27.61	16.32	24.84	4.23	13.83	8.09	21.59

Top Holdings

Company	Ticker	Portfolio Weight %
Ciena Corp	CIEN	8.27
Jabil Inc	JBL	6.24
Applied Materials Inc	AMAT	5.52
Lumentum Holdings Inc	LITE	5.09
Coherent Corp	COHR	3.82
Motorola Solutions Inc	MSI	3.34
Johnson Controls Internati	JCI	2.90
Tapestry Inc	TPR	2.85
Brinker International Inc	EAT	2.81
Somnigroup International I	SGI	2.41

Sector Mix

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Disclosure

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