

# ANNUAL PERFORMANCE DISCLOSURE

## All-Country World ex-U.S. Equity Composite

	Composite Return (%) Gross-of-Fees	Composite Return (%) Net-of-Fees	Benchmark Return (%)	Dispersion of Returns Within Composite (%)	Three-Year ex-Post Standard Deviation of Absolute Returns		Number of Portfolios in Composite	Assets In Composite (\$MMs)	Total Firm Assets Under Management (\$MMs)
					Composite	Benchmark			
2010	18.0	17.1	11.2	1.4	29.2	27.3	12	5829	49,032
2011	-12.3	-13.0	-13.7	1.3	22.1	22.7	13	6058	42,200
2012	18.6	17.8	16.8	1.1	19.1	19.3	11	6037	51,903
2013	18.5	17.6	15.3	1.2	16.1	16.2	10	6353	65,153
2014	-1.2	-2.0	-3.9	0.7	13.1	12.8	9	5676	70,339
2015	-3.9	-4.6	-5.7	1.0	11.7	12.1	9	5004	66,834
2016	9.5	8.7	4.5	1.3	12.2	12.5	9	5388	74,174
2017	35.7	34.7	27.2	1.2	11.6	11.9	9	6207	96,765
2018	-14.8	-15.5	-14.2	0.7	12.0	11.4	11	5682	85,338
2019	19.1	18.3	21.5	1.0	11.7	11.3	13	8251	101,232

Performance Inception: November 1, 1998. This composite was created on: December 1, 1998. All figures stated in USD.

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