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Benchmark
MSCI ACWI Ex USA NR USD

Overall Morningstar Rating™
★★★★
Out of 737 Foreign Large Blend funds. **An investment's overall Morningstar Rating, based on its risk-adjusted return, is a weighted average of its applicable 3-, 5-, and 10-year Ratings. See disclosure for details.**

Morningstar Return
Above Average

Morningstar Risk
Below Average

Investment Strategy from investment's prospectus

The investment seeks to provide long-term growth of capital.

The fund invests primarily in common stocks of issuers in Europe and the Pacific Basin that the investment adviser believes have the potential for growth. Growth stocks are stocks that the investment adviser believes have the potential for above-average capital appreciation. It normally invests at least 80% of net assets in securities of issuers in Europe and the Pacific Basin. The fund may invest a portion of its assets in common stocks and other securities of companies in countries with developing economies and/or markets.

Fees and Expenses as of 09-30-11

Prospectus Net Expense Ratio	0.82%
Prospectus Gross Expense Ratio	0.82%
Maximum Sales Charge	5.75%
12b-1 Fee	0.24%
Redemption Fee/Term	—

Waiver Data	Type	Exp. Date	%
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Operations and Management

Fund Inception Date	04-16-84
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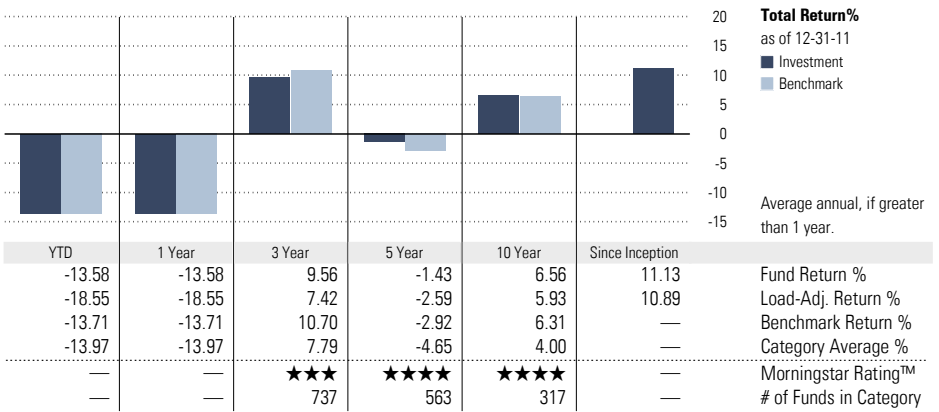
Benchmark Description: MSCI ACWI Ex USA NR USD

A capitalization-weighted index of stocks from Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Columbia, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, India, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Korea, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, Thailand, Turkey, United Kingdom, and Venezuela. The returns reported for this index are listed in US dollars. NDTR_D indexes provide an estimate of the total return that would be achieved by reinvesting one twelfth of the annual yield reported at every month end. It also takes into account actual dividends before withholding taxes, but excludes special tax credits declared by companies. In addition, NDTR_D indexes subtract withholding taxes retained at the source, for foreigners who do not benefit from a double taxation treaty

Category Description: Foreign Large Blend

Foreign large-blend funds invest in a variety of big, international stocks. Most of these funds divide their assets among a dozen or more developed markets, including Japan, Britain, France, and Germany. They tend to invest the rest in emerging markets such as Hong Kong, Brazil, Mexico and Thailand. These funds typically will have less than 20% of assets invested in U.S. stocks.

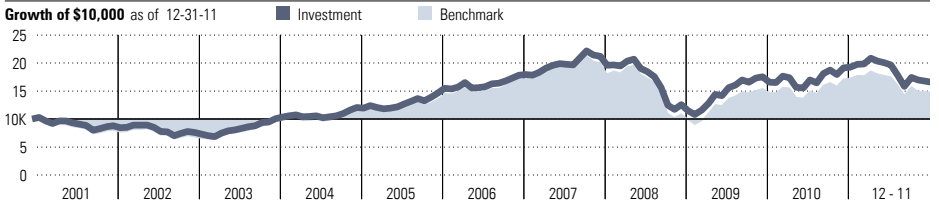
Performance



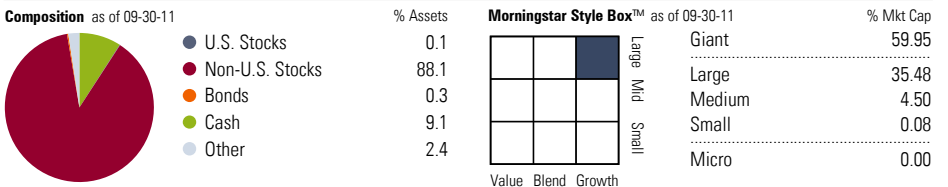
Quarter End Returns as of 12-31-11

	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Since Inception
Fund Return %	-13.58	-13.58	9.56	-1.43	6.56	11.13
Standardized Return %	-18.55	-18.55	7.42	-2.59	5.93	10.89

Performance Disclosure: The performance data quoted represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate thus an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than return data quoted herein.



Portfolio Analysis as of 09-30-11



Top 10 Holdings as of 09-30-11

	% Assets
Novo Nordisk A/S	2.56
America Movil, S.A.B. de C.V. ADR L	2.17
Novartis AG	2.16
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	1.87
SOFTBANK Corp	1.68
Nestle SA	1.66
Anheuser-Busch InBev SA	1.27
Bayer AG	1.21
British American Tobacco PLC	1.18
Canon, Inc.	1.09

Total Number of Stock Holdings	315
Total Number of Bond Holdings	3
Annual Turnover Ratio %	31
Total Fund Assets (\$mil)	94,239.59

Morningstar World Regions as of 09-30-11

	% Fund	S&P 500%
Americas	8.85	99.92
North America	4.63	99.92
Latin America	4.22	0.00
Greater Europe	53.08	0.08
United Kingdom	11.17	0.00
Europe Developed	37.32	0.08
Europe Emerging	1.41	0.00
Africa/Middle East	3.18	0.00
Greater Asia	38.07	0.00
Japan	12.15	0.00
Australasia	1.74	0.00
Asia Developed	11.42	0.00
Asia Emerging	12.77	0.00