Large Cap Core

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Strategy description

Large Cap Core invests primarily in large-capitalization stocks of U.S. companies. The strategy seeks long-term capital appreciation through rigorous fundamental research, complemented with quantitative analysis in constructing a portfolio of securities of companies that we believe to have compelling business fundamentals.

At-a-glance

Benchmark	Russell 1000® Index
Number of positions	45 – 65
Market capitalization	Range of Russell 1000® Index
Individual holding exposure	Target +/- 2% vs. Russell 1000® Index
Sector exposure	Target +/- 5% vs. Russell 1000® Index
Expected turnover (%)	30 - 70
Factor exposure	+/- 0.2 St. Dev. Vs. Russell 1000® Index
Alpha target	100-200 bps vs. Russell 1000® Index over a full market cycle
Tracking error range (%)	300-600 bps

Investment process

Integrated research platform combines fundamental and quantitative analysis to identify companies with attractive fundamentals, valuations and catalysts. Portfolio managers evaluate high conviction investment ideas from both disciplines for inclusion, and a bottom-up, stock-driven approach considers the risk/reward trade-off to construct the portfolio within risk parameters. Holdings are actively monitored to ensure the investment thesis remains intact.

Average annualized total returns (%)

	Inception date	QTD	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	Since inception
Gross	01 Jan 13	14.24	10.52	19.90	22.90	13.69	16.19	16.00
Net	01 Jan 13	13.43	8.90	16.40	19.32	10.36	12.79	12.60
Benchmark		15.14	10.33	22.02	20.47	12.66	15.30	14.94

Performance data shown represents past performance and does not predict or guarantee future results. Performance shown is based on the composite. The value of the portfolio will fluctuate based on the value of the underlying securities. Individual returns may vary based on factors such as the account type, market value, cash flows and fees. Current performance is preliminary and may be higher or lower than the performance shown. Final numbers are available upon request. Total returns for a period of less than one year are cumulative.

Portfolio management

Scott M. Tonneson, CFA | *32 years industry experience*

David A. Chalupnik, CFA | *42 years industry experience*

David S. Park, CFA,CPA | *28 years industry experience*

Portfolio statistics

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Number of positions	66	1,023
Weighted average market cap ($B)	$1381.1	$1312.5
Dividend yield	0.9	1.1
Estimated 3-5 year EPS growth (%)	22.6	20.2
P/E ratio (forward 1 year)	24.2	22.2
Price/book ratio	6.0	5.4

Negative P/Es are excluded in the calculation of the P/E ratio.

Top ten positions (%)

	Portfolio
Apple Inc.	6.5
NVIDIA Corporation	6.5
Alphabet Inc. Class A	6.2
Microsoft Corporation	4.8
Broadcom Inc.	3.7
Amazon.com, Inc.	2.9
Micron Technology, Inc.	2.6
Intel Corporation	2.5
Lam Research Corporation	2.3
Palo Alto Networks, Inc.	2.2

Sector allocation (%)

	Portfolio	Benchmark
Information Technology	37.7	36.0
Industrials	11.2	10.2
Financials	10.9	12.0
Communication Services	10.2	9.5
Consumer Discretionary	9.3	9.4
Health Care	8.1	9.1
Consumer Staples	3.6	4.4
Utilities	2.9	2.2
Energy	2.8	3.0
Materials	2.3	2.1
Real Estate	0.9	2.1

Data source: FactSet. All characteristics are based on a representative account deemed appropriate. Specific securities described do not represent all of the securities purchased, sold or recommended over the past year and you should not assume that securities identified were or will be profitable.

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Year	Calendar year total return (net of fees) (%)	Calendar year total return ("pure" gross of fees) (%)*	Benchmark return (%)	Composite 3-year standard deviation (%)	Benchmark 3-year standard deviation (%)	Number of accounts	Composite internal dispersion (%)	% Non fee paying portfolios	% Bundled fee portfolios	Composite assets at period end ($ millions)	Firm assets at period end ($ billions)
2025	11.45	14.81	17.37	12.18	12.14	343	0.81	0	100	163.4	261.9
2024	27.86	31.67	24.51	16.84	17.40	313	0.58	0	100	145.0	240.0
2023	23.13	26.81	26.53	17.08	17.42	306	0.80	0	100	116.4	220.0
2022	-22.12	-19.69	-19.13	21.34	21.33	314	0.38	0	100	101.6	228.7
2021	30.50	34.38	26.45	18.52	17.71	316	0.29	0	100	135.1	275.8
2020	14.71	18.17	20.96	19.71	19.10	313	0.53	0	100	102.0	220.4
2019	25.29	29.03	31.43	13.24	12.05	356	0.78	0	100	97.5	189.3
2018	-7.71	-4.88	-4.78	12.46	10.95	288	0.51	8	92	68.5	156.8
2017	18.63	22.19	21.69	11.45	9.97	177	0.19	21	79	56.6	157.2
2016	5.49	8.69	12.05	11.97	10.69	80	N/A	57	43	49.6	141.1

Current benchmark: Russell 1000® Index

* "Pure" gross-of-fees returns are supplemental to net returns.

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5 To receive a list of composite descriptions, pooled fund descriptions for limited distribution pooled funds, and broad distribution pooled funds, please contact the GIPS Compliance Team at DL_PerfTeam@tiaa.org.

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8 All returns represent the reinvestment of income.

9 The composite internal dispersion is the asset-weighted standard deviation of pure gross annual returns for portfolios in the composite the entire year. The number of accounts represents the number in the composite at year end. Composite dispersion is reported as N/A when information is not statistically meaningful due to an insufficient number of portfolios in the composite for the entire year.

10 The composite consists of fully discretionary, retail separately managed accounts and a seed account managed in a Large Cap Core style. Nuveen Asset Management, LLC's Large Cap Core strategy seeks to outperform the broad benchmark over a full market cycle, while generating comparable total return characteristics relative to the Russell 1000 Index.

11 The composite inception date is 01 Jan 2013; the composite creation date is 28 Feb 2013.

12 The composite performance has been achieved at Nuveen Asset Management.

13 The Russell 1000 Index measures the performance of the large-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. It is a subset of the Russell 3000® Index and includes approximately 1000 of the largest securities based on a combination of their market cap and current index membership. The Russell 1000 represents approximately 92% of the U.S. market.

14 The composite net of fees returns are calculated by deducting 1/12th of a model fee of 3.00%, which NAM reasonably believes is the maximum applicable fee, from the monthly "pure" gross of fee returns.

15 Results are calculated in U.S. dollars.

16 Interest income and dividends on foreign securities are subject to the corresponding foreign countries' withholding taxes. Capital gains are not subject to country taxation.

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