Concentrated Global Growth Equity Strategy

AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

Strategy facts

Lead Portfolio Manager: Andrew Jacobson, CFA

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Inception: December 3, 2014

Firm assets: $19.3 B*

Strategy assets under management: $787 M

Vehicles: Separate account, commingled fund, CIT** and UCITS

Benchmark: MSCI All Country World

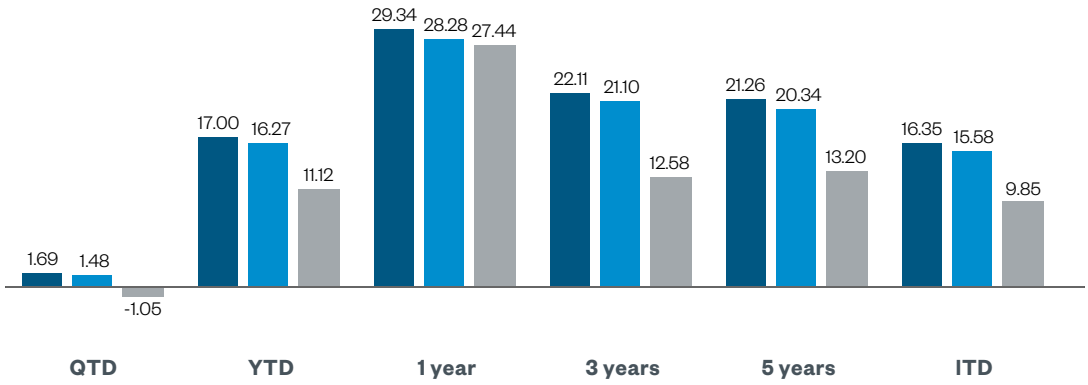
Strategy objectives

Axiom invests in dynamic growth stocks globally. Axiom targets companies whose key business drivers are both improving and exceeding expectations through its disciplined process of data collection, analysis and portfolio construction. Axiom's dynamic growth strategy is implemented by the firm's experienced, stable, and collaborative investment team. The Concentrated Global Growth Equity strategy concentrates its investments in global developed markets, but may also invest in companies located in emerging markets. The strategy focuses on growing companies undergoing significant change.

Annualized returns

Performance period: 12/3/14-9/30/21

- Concentrated Global Growth Equity Composite (% gross of fees)
- Concentrated Global Growth Equity Composite (% net of fees)
- MSCI AC World Index (%)



Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

Portfolio statistics

	Strategy	Bench.
Holdings	25	2979
Weighted Average Market Cap ($M)	$468,331	$355,588
Liquidity ($M/Day)	$1,847	$1,637
Net Debt/Equity Ratio	-6.8	54.9
Price Earnings Ratio (forward)	36.6	17.1
Earnings Growth Rate (forward)	17.2	16.1
PEG Ratio (PE/Growth Rate)	2.1	1.1
Earnings Revisions Up	79%	64%
Earnings Revisions Down	21%	36%

Portfolio top ten holdings

Security	Country	Sector	Strategy	Bench.
Microsoft	US	Info. Tech.	9.4%	3.1%
ASML Holding	Netherlands	Info. Tech.	8.4%	0.5%
Adobe	US	Info. Tech.	7.0%	0.4%
SVB Financial	US	Financials	6.5%	0.1%
ServiceNow	US	Info. Tech.	5.9%	0.2%
Sartorius Stedim	France	Health Care	4.8%	0.0%
Alphabet	US	Comm. Serv.	4.7%	1.2%
Ashtead Group	UK	Industrials	4.6%	0.1%
Adyen NV	Netherlands	Info. Tech.	4.4%	0.1%
NVIDIA	US	Info. Tech.	4.4%	0.8%

**Assets include Assets Under Management ($18.6B) & Assets Under Advisement ($0.7B).*

Source: Factset and Axiom. There can be no assurance that the Strategy will continue to hold these positions or that weightings do not change after the as of date stated. Please refer to the attached GIPS compliant presentation for complete performance information.

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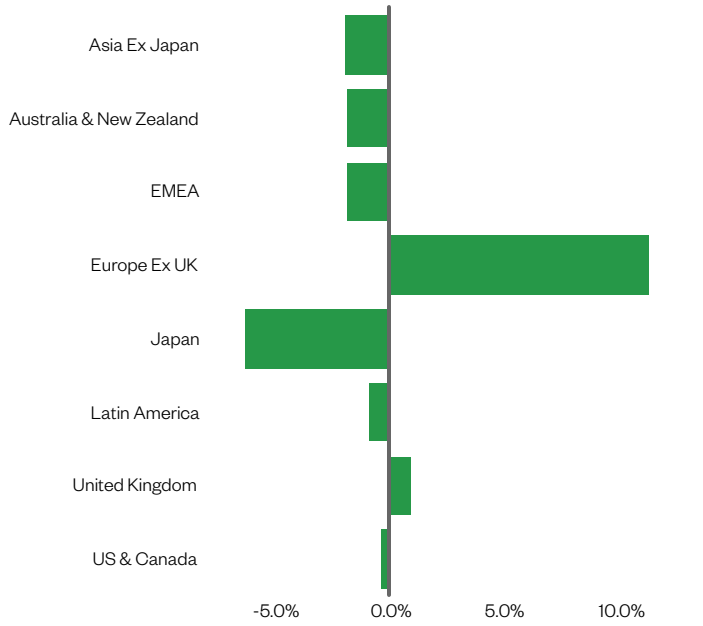
Portfolio exposure by region

- Asia Ex Japan: 8.6%
- Australia & New Zealand: 0.0%
- EMEA: 0.0%
- Europe Ex UK: 24.0%
- Japan: 0.0%
- Latin America: 0.0%
- United Kingdom: 4.6%
- US & Canada: 62.0%

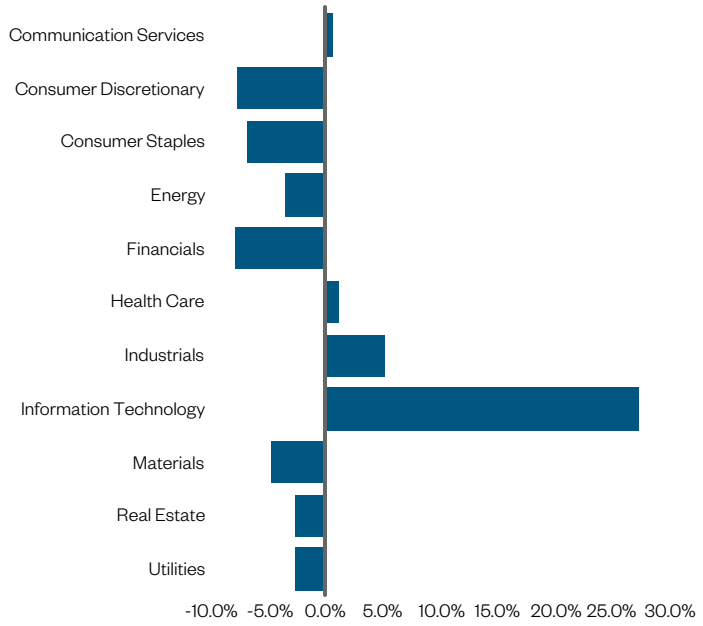
Regional allocation vs. benchmark weight



Portfolio exposure by sector

- Communication Services: 10.0%
- Consumer Discretionary: 4.8%
- Consumer Staples: 0.0%
- Energy: 0.0%
- Financials: 6.5%
- Health Care: 13.0%
- Industrials: 15.0%
- Information Technology: 49.9%
- Materials: 0.0%
- Real Estate: 0.0%
- Utilities: 0.0%

Sector allocation vs benchmark weight



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Commentary

During the third quarter 2021, the Axiom Concentrated Global Growth Equity Strategy ("Strategy") outperformed the MSCI ACWI Index ("Index") net of fees. The Strategy remains ahead of the Index on a net of fees basis over the year-to-date, 1-year, 3-year, 5-year, and since inception periods.

Axiom outperformed this quarter despite global growth headwinds from the Delta variant, supply chain disruptions, and policy. Key global economic indicators continued to moderate this quarter. For example, the JPM Global PMI Composite has fallen every month since peaking in May at 58.6 and the most recent August data point of 52.6 indicates a more moderate pace of global recovery. Leading the global slowdown, China's local Caixin PMI Composite fell to 47.2 in August as China has been especially aggressive about reimposing a COVID lockdown in the face of Delta. In addition, President Xi's policy turn towards more direct state control over the economy under the mantra of "common prosperity" resulted in a myriad of disruptive regulations. Finally, the Evergrande credit saga pressured the important Chinese property sector. Recently, there have been signs of stabilization in China as policy has started easing in response to the slowdown. In the US, a modest backup in interest rates combined with persistent labor market imbalances restrained the pace of economic recovery. The US policy debate around substantial proposed tax hikes partly under the rubric of "fighting income inequality" creates risks to private sector investment and longer-term economic growth. Inflation remains elevated globally and it is still unclear how soon inflation will moderate once supply chain bottlenecks ease. Global growth stocks slightly outperformed global value stocks this quarter notwithstanding a setback to emerging market growth stocks due to the policy headwinds facing the Chinese internet sector. While the recovery is maturing and economic growth is moderating, corporate profitability remains attractive. Also providing support, the Delta-wave appears to have peaked and credit conditions continue to be extremely favorable for equities.

The best performing sectors on a relative basis during the third quarter were information technology, led by top performing stock in the portfolio ASML, followed by communication services, led by strong performance from CTS Eventim, and health care, due to high performing stock Sartorius Stedim. Consumer discretionary, energy, and utilities were the largest relative detractors for the quarter.

The largest contributing country on a relative basis was the Netherlands, again driven by top performing stock ASML and strong performance from Adyen, followed by China, led by Contemporary Amperex Technology, and Germany, again due to strong performance from CTS Eventim. Japan was the largest detracting country for the quarter, followed by Sweden and Taiwan.

From an individual stock perspective, the Strategy's best relative contributors this quarter included ASML, Sartorius Stedim, SVB Financial, ServiceNow, and Adyen. The largest detractors on a relative basis were LVMH, PayPal, Epiroc, Taiwan Semiconductor, and Adobe.

We are approaching the one-year anniversary of the announcement of vaccines. While the recovery is continuing, year-on-year economic comparisons get more challenging. Also, we are seeing some policy headwinds from proposed tax and interest rate hikes globally. Furthermore, input prices, especially related to energy and logistics, represent ongoing economic challenges. Notwithstanding the challenges, global growth seems likely to settle into a more moderate expansion supported by ongoing reopening and supply chain restocking, absent additional major policy or health shocks. As growth moderates, value stocks seem likely to face renewed challenges having benefited from the cyclical tailwinds. We remain positive about the opportunities to differentiate Axiom's portfolios through dynamic growth stock selection with a medium and longer-term time horizon.

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	Composite return (gross of fees)	Composite return (net of fees)	Benchmark Total Return (%)	No. of accounts	Market value (millions)	Total firm assets (millions)	% of firm assets (%)	Internal dispersion (%)	Composite 3-year standard deviation (%)	Benchmark 3-year standard deviation (%)
YTD 2021	17.00%	16.27%	11.12%	≤ 5	787.4	18,649.8	4.22	N/A	19.69	17.95
2020	38.02%	36.89%	16.25%	≤ 5	781.1	18,535.9	4.21	N/A	19.28	18.13
2019	38.49%	37.36%	26.60%	≤ 5	105.1	13,458.1	0.78	N/A	14.21	11.22
2018	-9.59%	-10.34%	-9.42%	≤ 5	135.1	9,729.2	1.39	N/A	13.33	10.48
2017	36.29%	35.43%	23.97%	≤ 5	153.4	12,116.0	1.27	N/A	11.11	10.36
2016	-3.09%	-3.46%	7.86%	≤ 5	43.1	9,671.6	0.45	N/A	N/A	N/A
2015	6.71%	6.27%	-2.36%	≤ 5	64.0	8,704.3	0.74	N/A	N/A	N/A
2014*	-1.23%	-1.26%	-1.55%	≤ 5	74.1	9,482.3	0.78	N/A	N/A	N/A

*Non-annualized partial period performance beginning 12/3/2014

Fee schedule: First $25 million: 0.80%; next $50 million: 0.70%; next $150 million: 0.60%; next $250 million: 0.50%; Balance: 0.30%

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Composite Description: The Concentrated Global Growth Equity strategy (the "Composite) is designed for investors who seek to invest in a broadly diversified portfolio of international equities. Portfolios are invested in companies within the United States and throughout the world. Currencies may be actively managed to reduce portfolio volatility. The Composite represents the performance of all institutional concentrated global growth style fee-paying, discretionary equity accounts, regardless of asset size. The Composite was initiated and created in December 2014. A list of composite descriptions, a list of limited distribution pooled fund descriptions, a list of broad distribution pooled funds and performance results are available upon request.

Benchmark Description: The benchmark is the MSCI All Country World index, which is designed to measure the equity market performance of developed and emerging markets. The benchmark is calculated on a total return basis with net dividends reinvested, after the deduction of withholdings taxes and is free float-adjusted market cap weighted and unmanaged. FX is based off London 4 P.M. close.

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Fees: Gross of fees returns are presented before management and custodial fees but after all trading expenses. Net of fees returns are calculated by deducting the highest fee from the monthly gross composite return which is expressed above in the stated fee schedule. Prior to May 2017, actual fees were used to calculate net of fee performance. Returns include the reinvestment of income. Performance is calculated net of withholding taxes on dividends. The fee schedule for the Axiom Concentrated Global Growth Equity Fund, which is included in the Concentrated Global Growth Equity Composite is listed above. The total expense ratio as of December 31,2020 was 0.66%.

Internal Dispersion: Internal dispersion is calculated using the asset-weighted standard deviation of annual gross returns of those portfolios that were in the composite for the entire year. If 5 or less accounts, N/A is shown.

Annualized Standard Deviation: The three-year annualized standard deviation measures the variability of the composite gross returns and the benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period. The standard deviation is not required for periods prior to 2011.

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Reliance on key persons: The strategy's manager or advisor has total trading authority over the strategy and may be subject to various conflicts of interest. The death, disability or departure of the manager or advisor may have a material effect on the strategy.

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