MarketGrader 100 Index



The MarketGrader 100 Index seeks to track the performance of the most fundamentally sound companies with the best growth prospects in the U.S. The objective of MarketGrader 100 is to provide a benchmark to investors seeking long-term capital appreciation through diversified exposure to U.S. equities. The Index uses fundamental analysis and a growth at a reasonable price (GARP) methodology to select the top 100 constituents in the U.S. equity universe after filtering for liquidity and diversification over size and sectors.

Index Rules

Underlying Universe

MarketGrader North American coverage universe of approximately 6,000 companies, excluding Canada, listed on U.S. exchanges.

Objective

Designed to serve as the basis of investment funds providing access to investors to some of the most promising stocks in the U.S.

Weighting

The index is equally weighted.

Rebalance Frequency

Semi-annually on the third Friday of February and August.

Selection Criteria

Stocks are selected based on their overall MarketGrader fundamental score on a scale of one hundred (100). Score is calculated based on 24 fundamental factors across Growth, Value, Profitability and Cash Flow.

Market Cap Requirements

All selections must have a minimum total market cap of USD \$100 million. At least 25 of all index constituents must have a total market cap of at least USD \$10 billion. No more than 25 of all index constituents may have a total market cap below \$1 billion.

Liquidity Requirements

All selections must have a minimum three month average daily traded dollar volume of \$2 million.

Sector Limits

No more than 25 index constituents may belong to the same economic sector while no more than 12 may belong to the same sub-industry. REITs and Utilities are altogether ineligible for selection to the index.

Ticker MGONE

Index Calculation

New York Stock Exchange

Licensing opportunities

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Performance

Cumulative Price Return, Sep. 2002 - Sep. 2024

All data as of September 30, 2024



■ MG 100 Index ■ Russell 3000 ■ S&P 500 Index

Calendar Year Returns

	MG100	R3000	S&P500
2024*	13.3	19.4	20.8
2023	18.6	24.0	24.2
2022	-15.1	-20.5	-19.4
2021	25.7	19.4	21.6
2020	5.9	18.8	16.3
2019	25.1	28.5	28.9
2018	-14.3	-7.0	-6.2
2017	26.6	18.9	19.4
2016	8.3	10.4	9.5
2015	-6.5	-1.5	-0.7
2014	8.5	10.5	11.4
2013	41.6	31.0	29.6
2012	16.6	14.0	13.4
2011	-0.6	-0.9	0.0
2010	19.2	14.8	12.8
2009	40.9	25.5	23.5
2008	-45.5	-38.7	-38.5
2007	14.0	3.3	3.5

All values in USD. *YTD Values as of 09/30/2024. Sources: FactSet, MarketGrader.com

Annualized Returns

	MG100	R3000	S&P500
3-Years	7.3	8.6	10.2
5 -Years	10.2	13.5	14.1
Since 12/'02	10.2	8.7	8.6

Cumulative Returns

	MG100	R3000	S&P500
3-Years	23.6	28.2	33.8
5 -Years	62.1	88.3	93.6
Since 12/'02	759.9	543.9	529.0

Standard Deviation

	MG100	R3000	S&P500
3-Years	20.1	17.6	17.3
5 -Years	20.0	18.3	17.7
Since 12/'02	18.8	15.3	14.9

Sharpe Ratio

	MG100	R3000	S&P500
3-Years	0.36	0.49	0.59
5 -Years	0.51	0.74	0.80
Since 12/'02	0.54	0.57	0.58

Frequency: Monthly. Sources: FactSet, MarketGrader.com

^{*} The MarketGrader 100 Index was first published in September 2007 by NYSE. All estimated daily historical closing prices prior to that date are based on back-testing (i.e., calculations of how the index might have performed in the past if it had existed). Back-tested performance information is purely hypothetical and is solely for informational purposes. Backtested performance does not represent actual performance, and should not be interpreted as an indication of actual performance. Past performance is not indicative of future results. The index inception date was December 31, 2002.

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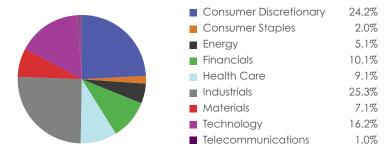
Index composition data as of September 30, 2024

Index Bio

Average Market Cap (millions of USD)	\$104,859
Median Market Cap (millions of USD)	\$6,756
Average 3 Mo. Dollar Volume	\$369,537,312
Average 3 Mo. Trading Volume	1,653,557
Last Rebalance Date	8/19/24
Companies Replaced	82
Biggest Sector Increase	Consumer Discretionary
Biggest Sector Decrease	Financials
Companies Overlapping S&P 500	28
Fundamental Attributes	Median
Trailing P/E Ratio	19.7
Forward P/E Ratio	17.4
Earnings Yield	5.4%
Price/Book Ratio	3.7
Revenue Change - 3 Years	42.9%
Operating Income Change - 3 Years	66.9%
Operating Margin	17.8%
Earnings per Share (EPS) 3-Year Growth	22.2%
Long-Term Debt to Capital	33.7%
Return on Equity	25.4%
Dividend Yield	0.63%
Beta	1.03

Median and Average Grades	Median	Average
MarketGrader 100 Index	65.0	64.4
S&P 500	51.2	50.2
Dow Jones Industrial Average	50.9	51.6
NASDAQ Composite	54.1	52.5
Russell 3000	44.5	43.9

Sector Breakdown



Market Cap Breakdown





Top 20 Stocks by Fundamentals

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Ticker	Name	Grade
LPX	Louisiana-Pacific Corporation	• 79.3
DECK	Deckers Outdoor Corporation	• 79.2
HRMY	Harmony Biosciences Holdings, Inc.	o 78.9
META	Meta Platforms Inc Class A	o 78.4
LRN	Stride, Inc.	• 77.2
VC	Visteon Corporation	o 76.8
SM	SM Energy Company	o 76.0
YOU	Clear Secure, Inc. Class A	o 75.4
AX	Axos Financial, Inc.	• 74.3
VIRC	Virco Mfg. Corporation	• 73.3
MANH	Manhattan Associates, Inc.	72.5
GRBK	Green Brick Partners, Inc.	72.2
CBT	Cabot Corporation	• 71.7
VITL	Vital Farms, Inc.	• 70.9
VAL	Valaris Ltd.	• 70.6
HLNE	Hamilton Lane Incorporated Class	• 70.6
EXP	Eagle Materials Inc.	• 70.4
FCNCA	First Citizens BancShares, Inc. Class	• 70.3
MWA	Mueller Water Products, Inc. Class	• 70.2
GOOG	Alphabet Inc. Class C	• 70.0

Most Selections Since Inception

Ticker	Name	Times
MSFT	Microsoft Corporation	18
ROST	Ross Stores, Inc.	15
TJX	TJX Companies Inc	13
MANH	Manhattan Associates, Inc.	13
GOOG	Alphabet Inc. Class C	13
MTH	Meritage Homes Corporation	11
SHOO	Steven Madden, Ltd.	11
ISRG	Intuitive Surgical, Inc.	10
LEN	Lennar Corporation Class A	10
DECK	Deckers Outdoor Corporation	10
DHI	D.R. Horton, Inc.	10
META	Meta Platforms Inc Class A	9
NFLX	Netflix, Inc.	8
CPRT	Copart, Inc.	8
CAT	Caterpillar Inc.	8
PHM	PulteGroup, Inc.	8
ZTS	Zoetis, Inc. Class A	8
SM	SM Energy Company	7
NMIH	NMI Holdings, Inc.	7
FAST	Fastenal Company	6

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