

# Vanguard Total World Stock Index Fund

Global stock fund | Institutional Shares

## Fund facts

<b>Risk level</b> Low ← → High					<b>Total net assets</b>	<b>Expense ratio as of 02/27/24</b>	<b>Ticker symbol</b>	<b>Turnover rate</b>	<b>Inception date</b>	<b>Fund number</b>
1	2	3	4	5	\$5,105 MM	0.08%	VTWIX	4.3%	10/09/08	0826

## Investment objective

Vanguard Total World Stock Index Fund seeks to track the performance of a benchmark index that measures the investment return of global stocks.

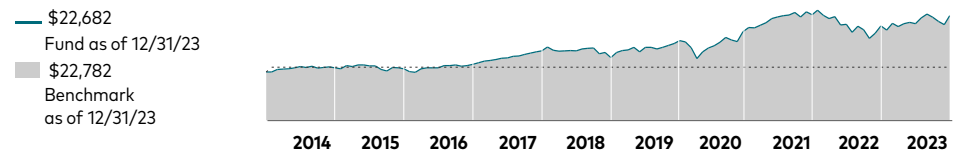
## Investment strategy

The fund employs a “passive management”—or indexing—investment approach designed to track the performance of the FTSE Global All Cap Index, a free-float-adjusted, market-capitalization-weighted index designed to measure the market performance of large-, mid-, and small-capitalization stocks of companies located around the world. The index includes stocks of companies located in various countries, including both developed and emerging markets.

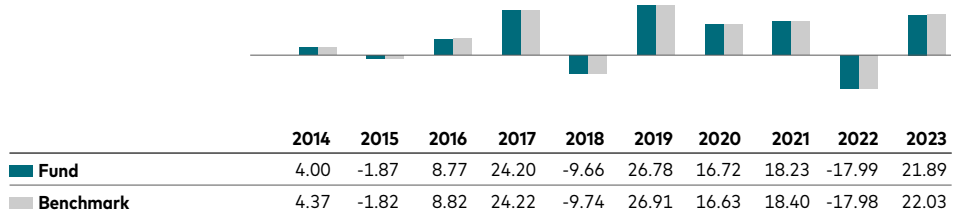
## Benchmark

Primary: Spliced Total World Stock Index, Fair-valued priced: FTSE Global All Cap Fair Value Idx

## Growth of a \$10,000 investment: January 31, 2014–December 31, 2023



## Annual returns



## Total returns

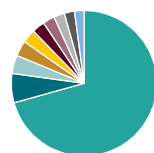
Periods ended September 30, 2024

	Quarter	Year to date	One year	Three years	Five years	Ten years
<b>Fund</b>	6.82%	17.90%	31.18%	7.83%	12.14%	9.50%
<b>Benchmark</b>	6.98%	18.14%	31.33%	7.90%	12.25%	9.59%
<b>FVP Benchmark</b>	6.93%	—	31.41%	7.93%	12.23%	—

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Figures for periods of less than one year are cumulative returns. All other figures represent average annual returns. Performance figures include the reinvestment of all dividends and any capital gains distributions. All returns are net of expenses.

## Market allocation—stocks



United States	62.3%	India	2.5
Japan	5.8	France	2.3
United Kingdom	3.6	Switzerland	2.1
China	3.0	Taiwan	2.0
Canada	2.7	Australia	1.9

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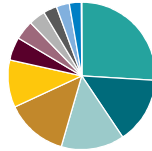
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## Ten largest holdings\*

1	Apple Inc.
2	Microsoft Corp.
3	NVIDIA Corp.
4	Alphabet Inc.
5	Amazon.com Inc.
6	Meta Platforms Inc.
7	Berkshire Hathaway Inc.
8	Broadcom Inc.
9	Tesla Inc.
10	Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Co. Ltd.
Top 10 as % of total net assets	
19.5%	

\* The holdings listed exclude any temporary cash investments and equity index products.

## Sector Diversification



Technology	26.0%	Energy	4.2
Financials	14.6	Basic Materials	3.6
Industrials	13.9	Utilities	3.0
Consumer Discretionary	13.6	Real Estate	2.9
Health Care	10.4	Telecommunications	2.6
Consumer Staples	5.1	Other	0.1

Sector categories are based on the Industry Classification Benchmark system ("ICB"), except for the "Other" category (if applicable), which includes securities that have not been provided an ICB classification as of the effective reporting period.

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## Plain talk about risk

An investment in the fund could lose money over short or long periods of time. You should expect the fund's share price and total return to fluctuate within a wide range. The fund is subject to the following risks, which could affect the fund's performance:

**Stock market risk**, which is the chance that stock prices overall will decline. Stock markets tend to move in cycles, with periods of rising prices and periods of falling prices. The fund's investments in foreign stocks can be riskier than U.S. stock investments. Foreign stocks may be more volatile and less liquid than U.S. stocks. The prices of foreign stocks and the prices of U.S. stocks may move in opposite directions. In addition, the fund's target index may, at times, become focused in stocks of a particular market sector, which would subject the fund to proportionately higher exposure to the risks of that sector.

**Country/regional risk**, which is the chance that world events—such as political upheaval, financial troubles, or natural disasters—will adversely affect the value of securities issued by companies in foreign countries or regions. Because the fund may invest a large portion of its assets in securities of companies located in any one country or region, the fund's performance may be hurt disproportionately by the poor performance of its investments in that area. Country/regional risk is especially high in emerging markets.

**Emerging markets risk**, which is the chance that the stocks of companies located in emerging markets will be substantially more volatile, and substantially less liquid, than the stocks of companies located in more developed foreign markets because, among other factors, emerging markets can have greater custodial and operational risks; less developed legal, tax, regulatory, financial reporting, accounting, and recordkeeping systems; and greater political, social, and economic instability than developed markets.

**Currency risk**, which is the chance that the value of a foreign investment, measured in U.S. dollars, will decrease because of unfavorable changes in currency exchange rates. Currency risk is especially high in emerging markets.

**Index sampling risk**, which is the chance that the securities selected for the fund, in the aggregate, will not provide investment performance matching that of the fund's target index. Index sampling risk for the fund is expected to be low.

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