

American Funds® Washington Mutual Investors FundSM - Class R-4

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09-30-18

Category
Large Value

Investment Objective & Strategy

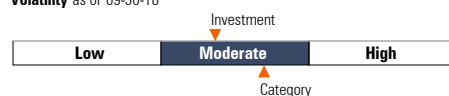
From the investment's prospectus

The investment seeks to produce income and to provide an opportunity for growth of principal consistent with sound common stock investing.

The fund invests primarily in common stocks of established companies that are listed on, or meet the financial listing requirements of, the New York Stock Exchange and have a strong record of earnings and dividends. Its advisor strives to maintain a fully invested, diversified portfolio, consisting primarily of high-quality common stocks.

Volatility and Risk

Volatility as of 09-30-18



Risk Measures as of 09-30-18	Port Avg	Rel S&P 500	Rel Cat
3 Yr Std Dev	8.74	0.95	0.89
3 Yr Beta	0.92	—	0.97

Principal Risks

Long-Term Outlook and Projections, Loss of Money, Not FDIC Insured, Growth Investing, Active Management, Issuer, Market/Market Volatility, Equity Securities

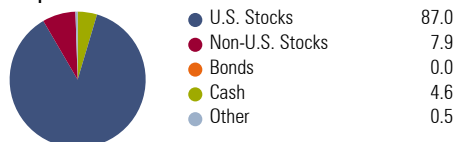
Important Information

Morningstar Investment Profiles must be accompanied by Morningstar Disclosure and Glossary.

Funds or their affiliates may pay compensation to Voya® affiliates offering a fund. Such compensation may be paid out of distribution, service and/or 12b-1 fees that are deducted from the fund's assets, and/or may be paid directly by the fund's affiliates. Any fees deducted from fund assets are discussed in the fund's prospectus and disclosed in the fund fact sheet. Because these fees are paid on an on-going basis, over time these fees will increase the cost of your investment and may cost you more than paying other types of sales charges. If offered through a retirement program, additional fees and expenses may be charged under that program. NOT A DEPOSIT. NOT FDIC INSURED. NOT INSURED BY ANY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCY. NOT GUARANTEED BY THE INSTITUTION. MAY GO DOWN IN VALUE.

Portfolio Analysis

Composition as of 09-30-18



Top 10 Holdings as of 09-30-18

Company	% Assets
Microsoft Corp	6.22
The Home Depot Inc	3.57
Intel Corp	2.76
Boeing Co	2.74
Royal Dutch Shell PLC ADR Class B	2.54
Merck & Co Inc	2.48
Broadcom Inc	2.33
DowDuPont Inc	2.25
Lockheed Martin Corp	2.23
Verizon Communications Inc	2.21

Morningstar Style Box™ as of 09-30-18

Style	% Mkt Cap
Giant	62.73
Large	33.99
Medium	3.28
Small	0.00
Micro	0.00

Value Blend Growth

Morningstar Equity Sectors as of 09-30-18

Sector	% Fund
Cyclical	29.82
Basic Materials	4.30
Consumer Cyclical	7.43
Financial Services	16.68
Real Estate	1.41
Sensitive	46.05
Communication Services	4.64
Energy	11.30
Industrials	12.48
Technology	17.63
Defensive	24.14
Consumer Defensive	6.24
Healthcare	15.13
Utilities	2.77

Operations

Gross Prosp Exp Ratio	0.64% of fund assets
Net Prosp Exp Ratio	0.64% of fund assets
Management Fee	0.23%
12b-1 Fee	0.25%
Other Fee	0.00%
Miscellaneous Fee(s)	0.16%
Fund Inception Date	05-20-02
Total Fund Assets (\$mil)	110,277.0
Annual Turnover Ratio %	25.00
Fund Family Name	American Funds

Waiver Data Type Exp. Date %

Portfolio Manager(s)

Alan Berro, CFA. Since 1997.			
Jeffrey Lager. Since 2004.			
Advisor	Capital Research and Management Company		
Subadvisor	—		

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