

Growth Equity – 4Q 2009



Robert G. Hagstrom, CFA
Portfolio Manager

Strategy: Large Cap Growth

Inception of Style: April 17, 1995

Assets Under Management: \$2.9 billion (\$10 MM account min.)

Objective: Growth Equity seeks to provide investors with long-term growth of capital through ownership of a diversified portfolio of undervalued securities with market capitalizations generally greater than \$5 billion at the time of purchase, targeting those companies that exhibit above average economic growth and possess a sustainable long-term competitive position.

A **concentrated, bottom-up, valuation-based approach** to investing in companies with secular growth characteristics.

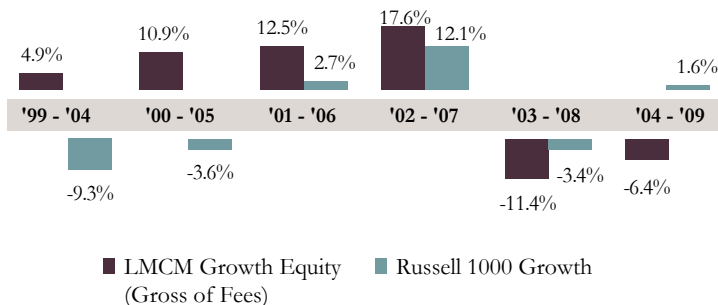
Morningstar named **Robert G. Hagstrom, CFA** to the **Honorable Mention** list for 2007's Domestic-Stock Fund Manager of the Year.¹

Highlights: Outperformed the Russell 1000 Growth Index by 113 basis points on average per year since inception (*Gross of Fees*).

Growth Equity outperformed the Russell 1000 Growth Index 75% of rolling 5-year periods.²

GOOD LONG-TERM RESULTS

Annualized Five-Year Rolling Performance³



SECTOR BREAKDOWN

| | LMCM Growth Equity | Russell 1000 Growth |
|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Technology | 37.88% | 30.66% |
| Producer Durables | 15.96% | 10.54% |
| Health Care | 11.57% | 15.72% |
| Consumer Discretionary | 10.20% | 13.79% |
| Financial Services | 10.19% | 6.77% |
| Energy | 5.95% | 4.46% |
| Consumer Staples | 5.02% | 12.81% |
| Materials & Processing | 1.82% | 4.28% |
| Cash | 1.41% | 0.00% |
| Utilities | 0.00% | 0.97% |

PERFORMANCE

| | 4Q 2009 | 1 Year | 3 Years | 5 Years | 10 Years | Since Inception |
|-------------------------------|---------|--------|---------|---------|----------|-----------------|
| Growth Equity (Gross of Fees) | 8.16% | 44.17% | -12.33% | -6.38% | -0.91% | 7.36% |
| Growth Equity (Net of Fees) | 7.96% | 43.12% | -12.99% | -7.09% | -1.63% | 6.60% |
| Russell 1000 Growth | 7.94% | 37.21% | -1.89% | 1.63% | -3.98% | 6.23% |

TOP TEN HOLDINGS BY ISSUER

| | |
|--------------------------|-------|
| American Express Company | 4.90% |
| EMC Corporation | 4.66% |
| Microsoft Corporation | 4.59% |
| Amazon.com, Inc. | 4.10% |
| Cisco Systems, Inc. | 3.99% |
| Allergan, Inc. | 3.96% |
| PepsiCo, Inc. | 3.68% |
| Google Inc. | 3.62% |
| Qualcomm Inc. | 3.48% |
| Apple Inc. | 3.44% |

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All data as of December 31, 2009. Please see the disclosure on the back for more information. Returns greater than one year are annualized. The portfolio information is based on a representative Growth Equity account and is provided as supplemental information. It may not be disclosed or distributed without the prior written consent of Legg Mason Capital Management. ¹Morningstar, 2007. ²Percentage of rolling monthly five-year periods from 05/01/95 through 12/31/09, in which the Growth Equity Composite outperformed the Russell 1000 Growth Index, gross of fees.

³All five-year rolling returns are for periods ending December 31.

**Legg Mason Capital Management
Growth Equity Composite
Performance Disclosure**

| Period Ending December 31 | Composite Assets | | Total Firm Assets at Period End (millions) | Accounts at Period End | Asset-Weighted Annual Returns | | Russell 1000 Growth Index | Composite Dispersion |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|---|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| | U.S. Dollars (millions) | % of Legg Mason Capital Management Assets | | | Gross of Fees | Net of Fees | | |
| 2009 | \$1,761 | 10% | \$17,169 | 18 | 44.17% | 43.12% | 37.21% | 0.58% |
| 2008 | 1,885 | 13% | 14,903 | 23 | -59.70% | -60.03% | -38.44% | 0.34% |
| 2007 | 4,582 | 8% | 59,679 | 21 | 15.99% | 15.13% | 11.81% | 0.14% |
| 2006 | 3,934 | 6% | 67,911 | 18 | 2.21% | 1.44% | 9.07% | 0.18% |
| 2005 | 2,759 | 5% | 60,232 | 10 | 4.41% | 3.63% | 5.26% | N.A. |
| 2004 | 752 | 2% | 48,856 | Five or fewer | 9.43% | 8.67% | 6.30% | N.A. |
| 2003 | 331 | <1% | 35,179 | Five or fewer | 66.34% | 65.20% | 29.75% | N.A. |
| 2002 | 135 | <1% | 20,362 | Five or fewer | -7.31% | -7.96% | -27.88% | N.A. |
| 2001 | 135 | <1% | 23,971 | Five or fewer | -4.77% | -5.44% | -20.42% | N.A. |
| 2000 | 172 | <1% | 22,866 | Five or fewer | -21.04% | -21.60% | -22.42% | N.A. |
| 1999 | 275 | 1% | 23,975 | Five or fewer | 20.85% | 20.01% | 33.16% | N.A. |

N.A. – Information is not statistically meaningful due to an insufficient number of portfolios in the composite for the entire year.

- The Growth Equity composite is comprised of discretionary accounts with no material investment restrictions, which invest primarily in domestic equity securities with market capitalizations generally greater than \$5 billion at the time of purchase, targeting those companies that exhibit above average economic growth and possess a sustainable long-term competitive position. As of October 1, 2005, the composite includes accounts with a minimum market value of \$10 million. From May 1, 2004 through September 30, 2005, the composite contains only accounts with a minimum market value of \$25 million. Prior to that date, the composite did not maintain a minimum market value requirement. Neither leverage nor derivatives are used in this composite. No balanced portfolio segments are included in this composite.
- Gross and net of fee performance results for Growth Equity: (a) include the reinvestment of all dividends, interest, and capital gains; and (b) were computed on a trade date (as opposed to a settlement date) basis. Prior to January 1, 2005, accounts in the Growth Equity composite were under management for at least three full months before being included. New discretionary accounts starting after January 1, 2005 are eligible to join the composite after one full month of performance. “Weighted” performance measures the average performance of all portfolios in the composite weighted by size. The U.S. dollar is the currency used to express performance. Effective August 1, 2005, portfolio returns are calculated daily using the Modified Dietz method. Previously, portfolio returns were calculated monthly using the Modified Dietz method. Additional information regarding policies for calculating and reporting returns is available upon request.
- The “gross” of fees performance figures reflect the day-weighted performance of assets (including cash reserves) managed for the period and do not reflect the deduction of our advisory fees, but do reflect the deduction of trading commissions, custodial fees, and withholding taxes. The “net” of fees performance figures reflect the deduction of trading commissions, custodial fees, and withholding taxes and, as of January 2005, represent the highest investment advisory fee payable by Growth Equity separate accounts according to our fee schedule. Actual fees may vary depending on, among other things, the applicable fee schedule and portfolio size. The following is our graduated fee schedule for a Growth Equity separate account: 0.75% on the first \$25 million under management; 0.65% on the next \$25 million under management; 0.45% on the next \$50 million under management; 0.40% on the next \$50 million under management; 0.35% on the next \$50 million under management; 0.30% for remaining amounts over \$200 million under management. Non-fee paying accounts are excluded from the composite.
- Growth Equity’s benchmark is the **Russell 1000® Growth Index**. The Russell 1000 Growth Index measures the performance of the large-cap growth segment of the U.S. equity universe. It includes those Russell 1000 companies with higher price-to-book ratios and higher forecasted growth values. The Russell 1000 Growth Index is constructed to provide a comprehensive and unbiased barometer for the large-cap growth segment. The Index is completely reconstituted annually to ensure new and growing equities are included and that the represented companies continue to reflect growth characteristics. The **Russell®** indices are trademark services of the Frank Russell Company. **Russell™** is a trademark of the Frank Russell Company.
- The dispersion of annual returns is measured by the standard deviation of asset-weighted portfolio returns represented within the composite for the full calendar year.
- The Growth Equity composite was created May 1, 2004. Prior to that date, returns of the Legg Mason Growth Fund are used. Although the Growth Equity style inceptioned in 1995, it was not under management by Legg Mason Capital Management until June 1998. At that time, the portfolio manager of the Growth Equity style joined Legg Mason Capital Management.
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