# **Mid Cap Growth**

MID CAP GROWTH COMPOSITE

### About Navellier

### **Portfolio Management:**

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Benchmark: Russell Mid Cap Growth (Pure Gross)

Firm Background: Navellier & Associates, Inc. is a registered investment advisor and was founded by Louis G. Navellier. Navellier has published its investment research since 1980, and has managed money for institutions and high net worth individuals since 1987.

**Objective:** The Navellier Mid Cap Growth Portfolio seeks to achieve long-term capital appreciation relative to the mid cap equities market.

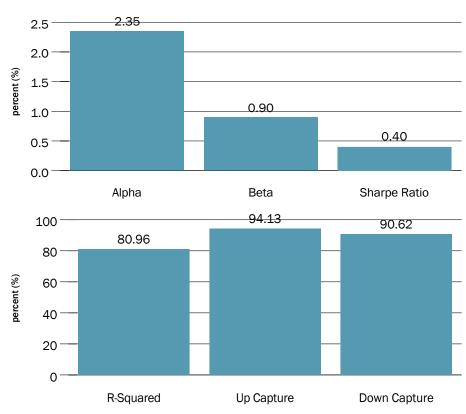
Investment Process: Navellier uses a highly disciplined, quantitative process to identify inefficiently priced mid cap growth stocks with superior fundamentals relative to the underlying market. In addition to identifying stocks with superior reward/risk (risk-adjusted return) characteristics, the investment process seeks to identify stocks that have superior earnings, revenue, and profit margin expansion relative to the general market.

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|                         | Navellier Mid Cap Growth (Pure Gross) Composite 1,2 | Navellier Mid Cap Growth (Net) Composite 1,2 | Russell Mid Cap<br>Growth (Pure Gross) |
|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter | 4.96%   | 4.75%  | 8.14%                                  |
| Year-to-Date            | 31.21%  | 30.08%                                       | 22.10%                                 |

## Return/Risk Analysis • Supplemental Information Mid Cap Growth (Pure Gross) • 4/1/1999 to 12/31/2024<sup>1,2</sup>



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Return/Risk statistics are calculated versus the Russell Mid Cap Growth Index. Graphs are for illustrative and discussion purposes only. Past performance does not guarantee future results; investment in equity strategies involves substantial risk and has the potential for partial or complete loss of funds invested. Results presented include reinvestment of dividends and other earnings. None of

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|                              | Mid Cap Growth<br>(Pure Gross) Composite <sup>1,2</sup> | Mid Cap Growth<br>(Net) Composite <sup>1,2</sup> | Russell Mid Cap<br>Growth (Pure Gross) |
|------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Annualized Returns: through  | 12/31/24  |  |  |
| Year-to-Date                 | 31.21%  | 30.08%   | 22.10%                                 |
| Trailing 1 Year              | 31.21%  | 30.08%   | 22.10%                                 |
| Trailing 3 Year              | 10.42%  | 9.54%  | 4.04%                                  |
| Trailing 5 Year              | 15.42%  | 14.45%   | 11.47%                                 |
| Trailing 7 Year              | 15.63%  | 14.38%   | 12.08%                                 |
| Trailing 10 Year             | 15.22%  | 13.81%   | 11.54%                                 |
| Since Inception (4/1999)     | 10.37%  | 8.77%  | 8.93%                                  |
| Calendar Year Returns: Cal   | endar Year Performance beyond 10 ye                     | ears available upon request                      |  |
| 2024                         | 31.21%  | 30.08%   | 22.10%                                 |
| 2023                         | 24.94%  | 24.03%   | 25.87%                                 |
| 2022                         | -17.87%   | -18.53%  | -26.72%                                |
| 2021                         | 14.34%  | 13.35%   | 12.73%                                 |
| 2020                         | 33.06%  | 31.85%   | 35.59%                                 |
| 2019                         | 31.43%  | 28.90%   | 35.47%                                 |
| 2018                         | 2.66%   | 1.14%  | -4.75%                                 |
| 2017                         | 33.38%  | 31.31%   | 25.27%                                 |
| 2016                         | 8.53%   | 6.84%  | 7.33%                                  |
| 2015                         | 3.09%   | 1.46%  | -0.20%                                 |
| Quarterly Returns: Quarterly | Performance beyond 5 years available                    | e upon request                                   |  |
| 12/31/24                     | 4.96%   | 4.75%  | 8.14%                                  |
| 9/30/24                      | 3.68%   | 3.49%  | 6.54%                                  |
| 6/30/24                      | -3.17%  | -3.47%   | -3.21%                                 |
| 3/31/24                      | 24.52%  | 24.30%   | 9.50%                                  |
| 12/31/23                     | 10.25%  | 10.04%   | 14.55%                                 |
| 9/30/23                      | -3.32%  | -3.50%   | -5.22%                                 |
| 6/30/23                      | 9.33%   | 9.13%  | 6.23%                                  |
| 3/31/23                      | 7.22%   | 7.03%  | 9.14%                                  |
| 12/31/22                     | 9.79%   | 9.60%  | 6.90%                                  |
| 9/30/22                      | 1.30%   | 1.05%  | -0.65%                                 |
| 6/30/22                      | -17.16%   | -17.26%  | -21.07%                                |
| 3/31/22                      | -10.86%   | -11.10%  | -12.58%                                |
| 12/31/21                     | 2.72%   | 2.61%  | 2.85%                                  |
| 9/30/21                      | 1.61%   | 1.43%  | -0.76%                                 |
| 6/30/21                      | 7.16%   | 6.77%  | 11.07%                                 |
| 3/31/21                      | 2.23%   | 2.00%  | -0.57%                                 |
| 12/31/20                     | 19.85%  | 19.57%   | 19.02%                                 |
| 9/30/20                      | 8.52%   | 8.28%  | 9.37%                                  |
| 6/30/20                      | 23.51%  | 23.21%   | 30.26%                                 |
| 5, 55, 20                    | -17.17%   | -17.35%  | -20.04%                                |

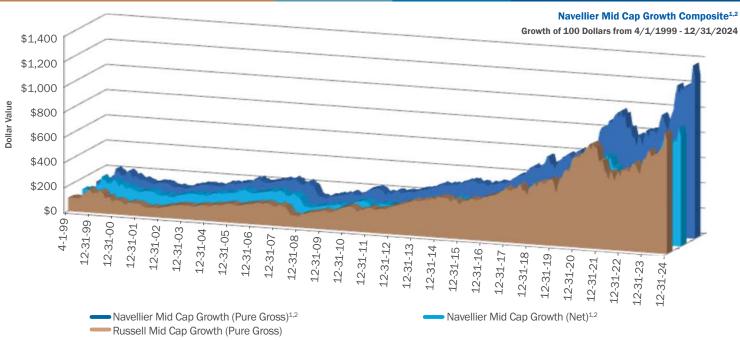
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# **Supplemental Information**

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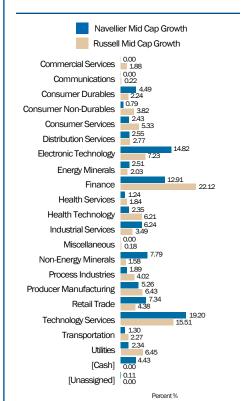
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## Portfolio Highlights

| Weighted Average Forecasted P/E                    | 66.43  |
|--|--------|
| Weighted Average Forward 1<br>Year Earnings Growth | 17.01% |
| Weighted Average Market Cap (millions)             | 39,935 |
| Median Market Cap (millions)                       | 10,343 |
| Weighted Average Dividend Yield                    | 0.98   |
| Average Number of Holdings                         | 45-70  |
| Annualized Standard Deviation<br>Since Inception   | 20.85  |
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Current portfolio characteristics can be found at www.navellier.com/individual\_investor/ pa\_portfolio\_fundamentals.aspx, updated weekly. ¹Source: Navellier & Associates and Ridgeline Inc.

### **Sector Allocation**



### Top 10 Stock Holdings

| 1.  | Palantir Technologies Inc.<br>Class A | PLTR |
|-----|---------------------------------------|------|
| 2.  | Quanta Services, Inc.                 | PWR  |
| 3.  | Copart, Inc.                          | CPRT |
| 4.  | MicroStrategy Incorporated Class A    | MSTR |
| 5.  | Howmet Aerospace Inc.                 | HWM  |
| 6.  | MSCI Inc. Class A                     | MSCI |
| 7.  | Steel Dynamics, Inc.                  | STLD |
| 8.  | Apollo Global Management<br>Inc       | APO  |
| 9.  | Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc.           | DKS  |
| 10. | Itron, Inc.                           | ITRI |

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Reporting Currency U.S. Dollar

| Year | Firm Assets<br>(\$M) | Composite<br>Assets<br>(\$M) | Number<br>of<br>Accounts | Composite<br>Pure Gross<br>Return (%) | Composite<br>Net<br>Return (%) | Russell Mid<br>Cap® Growth<br>Index Return (%) | Composite<br>Dispersion<br>(%) | Composite<br>3-Yr Std Dev<br>(%) | Russell Mid<br>Cap® Growth<br>Index 3-Yr Std<br>Dev (%) |
|------|----------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| 2023 | 745                  | 17                           | 29                       | 24.94                                 | 24.03                          | 25.87  | 0.31                           | 20.51                            | 21.06   |
| 2022 | 580                  | 12                           | 11                       | 17.87                                 | -18.53                         | -26.72   | 0.21                           | 22.65                            | 24.53   |
| 2021 | 808                  | 15                           | 12                       | 14.34                                 | 13.35                          | 12.73  | 0.46                           | 17.24                            | 20.19   |
| 2020 | 635                  | 13                           | 13                       | 33.06                                 | 31.85                          | 35.59  | 0.40                           | 19.34                            | 21.45   |
| 2019 | 688                  | 11                           | 14                       | 31.43                                 | 28.90                          | 35.47  | 0.27                           | 13.64                            | 13.88   |
| 2018 | 674                  | 3                            | 8                        | 2.66                                  | 1.14                           | -4.75  | 0.12                           | 13.20                            | 12.82   |
| 2017 | 835                  | 2                            | 8                        | 33.38                                 | 31.31                          | 25.27  | 0.20                           | 9.97                             | 10.89   |
| 2016 | 771                  | 3                            | 12                       | 8.53                                  | 6.84                           | 7.33   | 0.64                           | 10.83                            | 12.18   |
| 2015 | 1,118                | 4                            | 18                       | 3.09                                  | 1.46                           | -0.20  | 0.09                           | 11.11                            | 11.31   |
| 2014 | 2,107                | 4                            | 19                       | 12.35                                 | 10.41                          | 11.90  | 0.14                           | 11.21                            | 10.87   |

Wrap performance beyond 10 years available upon request.

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- 3. Composite Description As of October 1, 2019, the Navellier Mid Cap Growth strategy was redefined to include both wrap and institutional accounts to more broadly market the strategy. Prior to this date, only wrap accounts were included in the composite. The Mid Cap Growth Composite name changed from the Mid Cap Growth Wrap Composite to the Mid Cap Growth Composite. The Navellier Mid Cap Growth Composite includes all discretionary Mid Cap Growth equity accounts that are managed with similar objectives for a full month, including those accounts no longer with the firm. The strategy is designed for aggressive investors seeking long-term capital growth appreciation and seeks to achieve the highest possible returns while controlling risk. The strategy invests in U.S. listed securities with market capitalizations within the range of the targeted benchmark, the Russell Mid

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- 4. Management Fees The management fee schedule for accounts ranges from 0.30% to 1.25% of assets under management; however, some incentive fee, fixed fee, and fulcrum fee accounts may be included. Fees are negotiable, and not all accounts included in the composite are charged the same rate. Wrap fee schedules are provided by independent wrap sponsors and are available upon request from the respective wrap sponsor. Wrap fees generally range from 100 to 200 basis points and include custody, trading expenses, and other expenses associated with the management of the account. The client is referred to the firm's Form ADV Part 2A for a full disclosure of the fee schedule. Net performance is calculated using actual fees.
- **5. Composite Dispersion** If applicable, the dispersion of annual returns is measured by the standard deviation across asset-weighted portfolio level gross returns represented within the composite for the full year.
- **6. Benchmark –** The primary benchmark for the composite is the Russell Mid Cap® Growth Index. The Russell Mid Cap® Growth Index measures the performance of those Russell Mid Cap companies with higher price-to-book ratios and higher forecasted growth values. The index is considered a reasonable measure of the

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