# Polen Global Growth Fund

Mutual Fund – September 30, 2025

# **Investment Objective**

Our Global Growth Fund objective seeks to achieve longterm growth of capital. The advisor identifies a concentrated portfolio of competitively advantaged businesses with the sustainable, above-average earnings growth.

# Why Invest in Polen Global Growth?

- Global growth fund with a strong emphasis on sustainable earnings growth
- Focus on companies with high returns on capital and doubledigit earnings growth
- Concentrated portfolio of approximately 30 high-quality growth companies
- Low portfolio turnover with long-term holding periods

#### **Product Profile**

Inception Date	12-30-2014
Fund Size	\$326.1M
Number of Holdings	25-35
Style	Growth
Benchmark	MSCI ACWI

## **Experience in High Quality Growth Investing**



**Damon Ficklin**Head of Team, Portfolio Manager
23 years of industry experience



**Stephen Atkins, CFA**Portfolio Manager & Analyst
28 years of industry experience

# Fund Performance - Institutional Shares (%) (As of 9-30-2025)



	Qtr	YTD	1Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Inception
Polen Global Growth Fund - Institutional	2.73	4.94	7.35	18.08	6.14	11.78	10.93
MSCI ACWI	7.62	18.44	17.27	23.10	13.54	11.90	10.22

The performance data quoted represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be lower or higher. Performance data current to the most recent month end may be obtained by calling 1-888-678-6024. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Performance would have been lower without fee waivers in effect. Data shown (%) as of recent calendar quarter end. Periods over one-year are annualized. Since inception results are from 12-30-2014. Gross expense ratios as of the most recent prospectus are 1.01% for Institutional and 1.26% for Investor Shares. Polen Capital Management has contractually agreed to reduce its fees or reimburse the Fund's operating expenses in order to limit the total annual operating expenses. Total returns would be lower had such fees and expenses not been waived and/or reimbursed. This agreement will terminate on August 31, 2026, unless the Board of Trustees approves an earlier termination. Returns are presented net of management fees and include the reinvestment of all income.



#### **Share Class Details**

	Institutional	Investor
Ticker	PGIIX	PGIRX
CUSIP	360875645	360875637
Inception Date	12-30-2014	07-06-2015
Min Investment	\$100,000	\$3,000
Expense Ratio Net	1.01%	1.26%
Expense Ratio Gross	1.01%	1.26%

Polen Capital Management has contractually agreed to reduce its investment advisory fee and/or reimburse certain expenses of the Fund to the extent necessary to ensure that the Fund's total operating expenses (excluding taxes, fees and expenses attributable to a distribution or service plan adopted by FundVantage Trust (the "Trust"), interest, extraordinary items, "Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses" and brokerage commissions) do not exceed 1.10% (on an annual basis) with respect to the Fund's average daily net assets (the "Expense Limitation"). The Expense Limitation will remain in place until August 31, 2026, unless the Board of Trustees of the Trust approves of its earlier termination.

# Portfolio Characteristics<sup>+</sup>

Weighted Average Market Cap	\$882.1B
Polen Long Term EPS Growth Estimate	17.7%
Net Debt/EBITDA	-0.1x
P/E Forward (12m)	28.8x
Return on Invested Capital ex Cash	30.1%
Active Share	80.0%
Annual Turnover*	36.2%

## Top Ten Holdings (% of Portfolio)

Microsoft	6.59
Amazon.com	6.20
Oracle	6.07
Shopify	5.82
Mastercard	4.64
Aon	4.54
Visa	4.45
Paycom Software	4.20
MSCI	3.67
Alphabet	3.62
Total	49.79

#### Portfolio Statistics\*

	Global Growth	MSCI ACWI
Alpha	1.09	-
Beta	0.97	1.00
Sharpe Ratio	0.57	0.55
Upside Capture Ratio	103.54	100.00
Downside Capture Ratio	99.86	100.00
Information Ratio	0.13	-
Standard Deviation	15.47%	14.54%

#### GICS Sector Exposure (% of Portfolio)

Information Technology	37.29
Financials	22.38
Health Care	14.10
Consumer Discretionary	10.23
Industrials	6.31
Communication Services	3.62
Real Estate	2.74
Consumer Staples	1.10
Cash	2.24

# Regional Allocation (% of Portfolio)

North America	75.28
Europe	17.98
Asia Ex Japan	2.27
Cash	2.24
Latin America	2.23

All data as of 9-30-2025 unless otherwise noted. \*Since inception. \*In an effort to avoid distorting aggregate portfolio characteristics, the weighted average portfolio calculations exclude an individual financial ratio that has a negative denominator or an outlier value (e.g., greater than 100x or 100%, less than 0%) which we view as not representative of the ongoing underlying economics of the business, likely due to transitory issues or GAAP (Generally Accepted Accounting Principles) accounting limitations. GAAP is the accounting standard adopted by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Additional information is available upon request.



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Asset figures include discretionary as well as nondiscretionary assets.

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Active Share: Active share is a measure of the percentage of stock holdings in a manager's portfolio that differ from the benchmark index. Weighted Average Market Cap: a measure used to determine the average market capitalization of the companies in a portfolio or index—weighted by the proportion of each holding within that portfolio or index. Polen Long Term EPS Growth Estimate: a Polen Capital estimate of projected long-term earnings growth rates (Earnings Growth is not a measure of future performance). Net Debt/EBITDA: A measurement of financial leverage, calculated as a company's interest-bearing liabilities minus cash or cash equivalents, divided by its EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization). The ratio can be interpreted as the number of years it would take a given company to pay off its interest-bearing debt using EBITDA as a measure of operating earnings. P/E Forward: denotes the weighted harmonic average of all the P/E's of the securities in the fund's portfolio. **Return on Invested** Capital ex Cash: assesses an investee company's efficiency at allocating the capital and is measured by operating profit after taxes divided by investment capital excluding cash. Annual Turnover: percentage of the portfolio's holdings that have been replaced in a given year. Alpha: is the excess return of an investment relative to the return of the benchmark. **Beta**: the measure of systemic risk of a portfolio in comparison to the market as a whole. Sharpe Ratio: a ratio of the return on an investment relative to its risk. **Information Ratio**: a measurement of portfolio returns relative to a given benchmark. Upside Capture: is a statistical measure of overall performance relative to a benchmark during rising markets. Downside **Capture**: is a statistical measure of overall performance relative to a benchmark during declining markets. Standard Deviation: measurement of the dispersion or volatility of investment returns relative to its mean or average.

**ESG Risk:** The Adviser integrates material environmental, social, and governance (ESG) factors into research analysis as part of a comprehensive evaluation of a company's long-term financial sustainability. The risk that the investment techniques and risk analyses applied by the investment adviser, including but not limited to the Adviser's integration of ESG factors into its research analysis, will not produce the desired results and that legislative, regulatory, or tax developments

may affect the investment techniques available to the investment adviser and the individual portfolio manager in connection with managing the Fund. There is no guarantee that the investment objective of the Fund will be achieved.

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Investors should consider the investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of the Polen Global Growth Fund carefully before investing. A prospectus with this and other information about the Fund may be obtained by calling 1-888-678-6024 or visiting the Materials tab. It should be read carefully before investing.

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