

ANNUAL INDEX PERFORMANCE

	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Higher ↑	EAFE Index 7.78%	NASDAQ-100 43.07%	NASDAQ-100 42.78%	S&P 500 33.10%	NASDAQ-100 85.48%	NASDAQ-100 102.10%	S&P MidCap 400 17.44%	Barclays Index* 8.44%	Barclays Index* 10.26%	NASDAQ-100 49.48%	EAFE Index 20.25%	EAFE Index 13.54%	EAFE Index 26.34%	NASDAQ-100 19.24%	Barclays Index* 5.24%
	NASDAQ-100 1.50%	S&P 500 37.12%	S&P 500 22.68%	S&P MidCap 400 32.24%	S&P 500 28.34%	EAFE Index 27.02%	Barclays Index* 11.63%	High Yield 4.48%	High Yield -1.89%	Russell 2000 47.25%	Russell 2000 18.33%	S&P MidCap 400 12.55%	Russell 2000 18.37%	EAFE Index 11.17%	High Yield -26.39%
	S&P 500 1.28%	S&P MidCap 400 30.95%	S&P MidCap 400 19.23%	Russell 2000 22.36%	EAFE Index 19.94%	Russell 2000 21.26%	Russell 2000 -3.02%	Russell 2000 2.49%	S&P MidCap 400 -14.51%	EAFE Index 38.59%	S&P MidCap 400 16.47%	S&P 500 4.91%	S&P 500 15.78%	S&P MidCap 400 7.98%	Russell 2000 -33.79%
	High Yield -1.03%	Russell 2000 28.44%	Russell 2000 16.53%	NASDAQ-100 20.77%	S&P MidCap 400 19.09%	S&P 500 20.89%	High Yield -5.12%	S&P MidCap 400 -0.59%	EAFE Index -15.94%	S&P MidCap 400 35.59%	S&P 500 10.87%	Russell 2000 4.55%	High Yield 11.77%	Barclays Index* 6.97%	S&P MidCap 400 -36.23%
	Russell 2000 -1.81%	High Yield 20.46%	High Yield 11.27%	High Yield 13.27%	Barclays Index* 8.69%	S&P MidCap 400 14.70%	S&P 500 -9.03%	S&P 500 -11.88%	Russell 2000 -20.48%	S&P 500 28.67%	High Yield 10.87%	High Yield 2.74%	S&P MidCap 400 10.31%	S&P 500 5.49%	S&P 500 -37.00%
	Barclays Index* -2.92%	Barclays Index* 18.47%	EAFE Index 6.05%	Barclays Index* 9.65%	High Yield 2.95%	High Yield 2.51%	EAFE Index -14.17%	EAFE Index -21.44%	S&P 500 -22.10%	High Yield 28.15%	NASDAQ-100 10.74%	Barclays Index* 2.43%	NASDAQ-100 7.28%	High Yield 2.19%	NASDAQ-100 -41.57%
Lower ↓	S&P MidCap 400 -3.59%	EAFE Index 11.21%	Barclays Index* 3.63%	EAFE Index 1.78%	Russell 2000 -2.55%	Barclays Index* -0.82%	NASDAQ-100 -36.91%	NASDAQ-100 -32.62%	NASDAQ-100 -37.53%	Barclays Index* 4.10%	Barclays Index* 4.34%	NASDAQ-100 1.90%	Barclays Index* 4.33%	Russell 2000 -1.57%	EAFE Index -43.38%

This chart illustrates volatility in the financial markets by comparing returns of different market indices on an annual basis over time. The best performing indices are at the top of the chart, with the worst performing at the bottom. Each index is represented by its own color. Portfolio diversification among asset classes may help create a less volatile investment portfolio overall. However, past performance is no guarantee of future results. The information on indices is presented for illustrative purposes only and is not intended to imply the potential performance of any fund or investment. The benchmarks calculated may be calculated at different time periods than ones in which you are considering investing. The client should consider this disparity when comparing account performance to the indices. Indices and benchmarks are unmanaged and cannot be invested into directly.



*As of 9/17/2008 Barclays Capital Management acquired portions of Lehman Brothers. Lehman Brothers Aggregate Index was renamed the Barclays Capital Aggregate Index.

Annual Index Performance: Understanding the Chart

Dividing investments across a variety of asset classes can help investors achieve portfolio diversification. Proper diversification can reduce a portfolio's volatility (the degree of fluctuation in the value of a portfolio). A portfolio consisting of stocks and bonds, both domestic and foreign, is an example of a diversified portfolio. Further, a diversified stock portfolio might contain a broad market basket of both value and growth stocks from large, mid and small capitalization companies (capitalization is a determination of a company's value, calculated by multiplying the total number of company stock shares outstanding by the price per share, and is sometimes referred to as "market cap"). By including a broader, more varied selection of securities and asset classes in an investor's portfolio, an investor can diversify their market exposure and potentially reduce portfolio volatility.

S&P 500® INDEX

Widely regarded as the best single gauge of the U.S. equities market, the S&P 500 Index includes a representative sample of 500 leading companies in leading industries of the U.S. economy, and focuses on the large-cap segment of the market. The median capitalization size of companies in the S&P 500 is approximately \$6.17 billion.*

S&P MIDCAP 400® INDEX

The S&P MidCap 400 is the most widely used index for mid-sized companies (mid-caps). Today mid-caps are being recognized as an independent asset class, with risk/reward profiles that differ considerably from both large-caps and small-caps. The median capitalization of the S&P 400 companies is \$1.51 billion.*

RUSSELL 2000® SMALL CAP INDEX

The Russell 2000 Index offers investors access to the small-cap segment of the U.S. equity market. The index is completely reconstituted annually to ensure larger stocks do not distort the performance and characteristics of the true small-cap opportunity set. The median market capitalization of the Russell 2000 Index is \$321 million.*

MSCI EAFE® INTERNATIONAL INDEX

The MSCI EAFE Index is recognized as the pre-eminent benchmark in the U.S. to measure international equity performance. It is comprised of 21 MSCI country indices, and tracks large companies in the developed markets outside of North America: Europe, Australasia and the Far East.

NASDAQ-100® INDEX

The Nasdaq-100 Index includes 100 of the largest domestic and international non-financial securities listed on The Nasdaq Stock Market, based on market capitalization. The index reflects companies across major industry groups including computer hardware and software, telecommunications, retail/ wholesale trade and biotechnology.

BARCLAYS CAPITAL AGGREGATE INDEX

The Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index covers the U.S. dollar-denominated, investment-grade, fixed-rate, taxable bond market, and includes bonds from the Federal Treasury, Government-Related, Corporate, MBS, ABS and CMBS sectors.

MERRILL LYNCH HIGH YIELD MASTER II INDEX

The Merrill Lynch High Yield Master II Index is a commonly accepted measure of the performance of high yield securities. The index includes U.S. dollar-denominated high yield Corporate bonds that span the entire high yield ratings spectrum.

* As of 12/31/08. Source: Russell/Standard and Poor's.

Small- and medium-capitalization companies tend to have more limited liquidity and greater price volatility than large-capitalization companies. Investments in foreign securities involve greater volatility and political, economic and currency risks and differences in accounting methods. Investments in debt securities typically decrease in value when interest rates rise. This risk is usually greater for longer-term debt securities. Investments in lower-rated and non-rated securities present a greater risk of loss to principal and interest than higher-rated securities.



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