

GBC American Growth Fund Inc.

FUND FACTS ~March 29, 2018

This document contains key information you should know about The GBC American Growth Fund Inc. You can find more details in the fund's simplified prospectus. Ask your representative for a copy, contact Pembroke Private Wealth Management Ltd. at 1.800.668.7383 or inquiries@pml.ca, or visit www.pml.ca. **Before you invest in any fund, consider how the fund would work with your other investments and your tolerance for risk.**

QUICK FACTS			
Fund Code	GBC310, USD: GBC314	Fund Manager	Pembroke Private Wealth Management Ltd.
Date fund created	October 1, 1988	Portfolio Manager	Pembroke Management Ltd.
Total value February 28, 2018	\$180,791,974	Distributions	Annually, on December 31 (if applicable)
Management expense ratio (MER)	1.90%*	Minimum investment	\$100,000 (across fund family, \$10,000 if subscribed through registered dealer; \$500 additional)

*As of January 1, 2018, the management fee is no longer charged to the Fund, thus decreasing the MER and fund expenses. This fee is now charged directly to you. See "Other Fees" below.

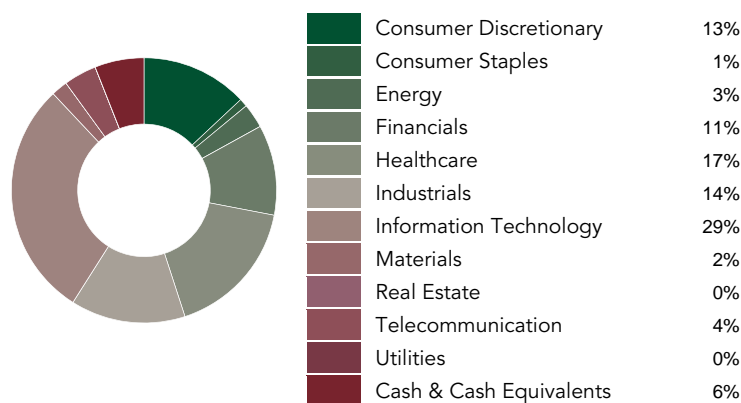
WHAT DOES THE FUND INVEST IN?

The GBC American Growth Fund Inc. pursues long-term growth through capital appreciation by investing primarily in smaller U.S. companies judged to have above-average growth potential or to be undervalued. The investment analysis of this fund follows a bottom-up approach, which emphasizes careful company-specific analysis. The chart below gives you a snapshot of the fund's investments on February 28, 2018. The fund's investments will change.

TOP 10 INVESTMENTS (at February 28, 2018)

	% of Net Asset Value
Carbonite Inc	4.3%
Boff Holding Inc	4.2%
National General Holdings Corp	3.5%
HMS Holdings Corp	3.3%
WNS Holdings Ltd	3.2%
Premier Inc	3.0%
GTT Communications Inc	2.9%
Boingo Wireless Inc	2.8%
Installed Building Products Inc	2.8%
Paycom Software	2.8%
Total percentage of top 10 investments	32.8%
Total number of investments	50

INVESTMENT MIX (at February 28, 2018)



HOW RISKY IS IT?

The value of the fund can go down as well as up. You could lose money.

One way to gauge risk is to look at how much a fund's returns change over time. This is called "volatility."

In general, funds with higher volatility will have returns that change more over time. They typically have a greater chance of losing money and may have a greater chance of higher returns. Funds with lower volatility tend to have returns that change less over time. They typically have lower returns and may have a lower chance of losing money.

RISK RATING

Pembroke Private Wealth has rated the volatility of this fund as **medium**.

This rating is based on how much the fund's returns have changed year to year. It doesn't tell you how volatile the fund will be in the future. The rating can change over time. A fund with a low risk rating can still lose money.



For more information about the risk rating and specific risks that can affect the fund's returns, see the section "What are the risks of investing in the fund" of the fund's simplified prospectus.

NO GUARANTEES

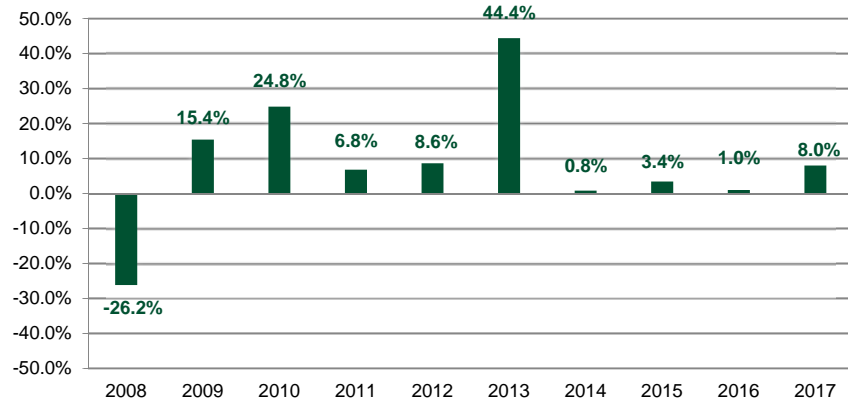
Like most mutual funds, this fund doesn't have any guarantees. You may not get back the amount of money you invest.

HOW HAS THE FUND PERFORMED?

This section tells how the shares of the fund performed over the past 10 years. Returns are after expenses that have been deducted. These expenses reduce the fund's returns.

YEAR-BY-YEAR RETURNS

This chart shows how the shares of the fund has performed in each of the past 10 years. The fund dropped in value 1 of the 10 years. The range of returns and change from year to year can help you assess how risky the fund has been in the past. It does not tell you how the fund will perform in the future.



BEST AND WORST 3-MONTH RETURNS

This table shows the best and worst returns for shares of the fund in a 3-month period over the past 10 years. The best and worst 3-month returns could be higher or lower in the future. Consider how much of a loss you could afford to take in a short period of time.

	Return	3 months ending	If you invested \$1,000 at the beginning of the period
Best Return	18.0%	November 30, 2010	Your investment would rise to \$1,180
Worst Return	-25.9%	November 30, 2008	Your investment would drop to \$741

AVERAGE RETURN

A person who invested \$1,000 in the fund 10 years ago now has \$1,772. This works out to an annual compound return of the shares of the fund of 5.89%.

WHO IS THE FUND FOR?

The Fund is for investors who are looking for a long-term investment in a broad range of American companies, and can handle the ups and downs of the stock market.

Do not buy this fund if you need a steady source of income from your investment.

A WORD ABOUT TAX

In general, you will have to pay income tax on any money you make on a fund. How much you pay depends on the tax laws where you live and whether or not you hold the Fund in a registered plan, such as a Registered Retirement Savings Plan or a Tax-Free Savings Account.

Keep in mind that if you hold your fund in a non-registered account, fund distributions are included in your taxable income, whether you get them in cash or have them reinvested.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

The following tables show the fees and expenses you could pay to buy, own and sell shares of the fund. The fees and expenses – including any commissions – can vary among classes of a fund and among funds. Higher commissions can influence representatives to recommend one investment over another. Ask about other funds and investments that may be suitable for you at a lower cost.

1. SALES CHARGES

There are no sales charges on this fund.

2. FUND EXPENSES

You don't pay these expenses directly. They affect you because they reduce the fund's returns. As of December 31, 2017, the fund's expenses were of **2.02%** of its value. This equals **\$20.20** for every \$1,000 invested.

	ANNUAL RATE (as a % of the fund's value)
MANAGEMENT EXPENSE RATIO (MER) This is the total of the fund's management fee and operating expenses.	1.90%*
TRADING EXPENSE RATIO (TER) These are the fund's trading costs.	0.12%
FUND EXPENSES	2.02%*

***As of January 1, 2018, the management fee is no longer charged to the Fund, thus decreasing the MER and fund expenses. This fee is now charged directly to you. See "Other Fees" below. This fee is paid by having the Fund Manager redeeming an amount of each investor's shares corresponding to the fee amount owed to the Fund Manager.**

MORE ABOUT THE TRAILING COMMISSION

There is no trailing commission on this fund.

3. OTHER FEES

You may have to pay other fees when you buy, hold, sell or switch shares of the fund.

FEE	WHAT YOU PAY
Short-term trading fee	Up to 2% of the value of the shares you sell or switch within 60 days of buying the funds. This fee goes to the fund.
*Management fee	As of January 1, 2018, the management fee is paid directly by you to the Fund Manager and is not part of the MER. The management fee is established by the Fund Manager based on your amount of assets under management with the Fund Manager and accounts for a maximum of 1.5%. This fee is paid monthly. Management fee reductions may be applied at the discretion of the Manager.

Assets under management	Under \$1 million	Between \$1 million and \$5 million	Above \$5 million
Management fee	1.5%	1.5%	1.0%

WHAT IF I CHANGE MY MIND?

Under securities law in some provinces and territories, you have the right to:

- Withdraw from an agreement to buy mutual fund shares within two business days after you receive a simplified prospectus, or Fund Facts documents, or
- Cancel your purchase within 48 hours after you receive confirmation of the purchase

In some provinces and territories, you also have the right to cancel a purchase, or in some jurisdictions, claim damages, if the simplified prospectus, annual information form, Fund Facts document or financial statements contain a misrepresentation. You must act within the time limit set by the securities law in your province or territory.

For more information, see the securities law of your province or territory or ask a lawyer.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact Pembroke Private Wealth Management Ltd. or your representative for a copy of the fund's simplified prospectus and other disclosure documents. These documents and the Fund Facts make up the fund's legal documents.

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