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Sit Small Cap Growth Fund

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SIT SMALL CAP GROWTH FUND

Ticker: SSMGX

Cap Size: Small
Investment Style: Growth

Overview

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Information reported as of December 31, 2019

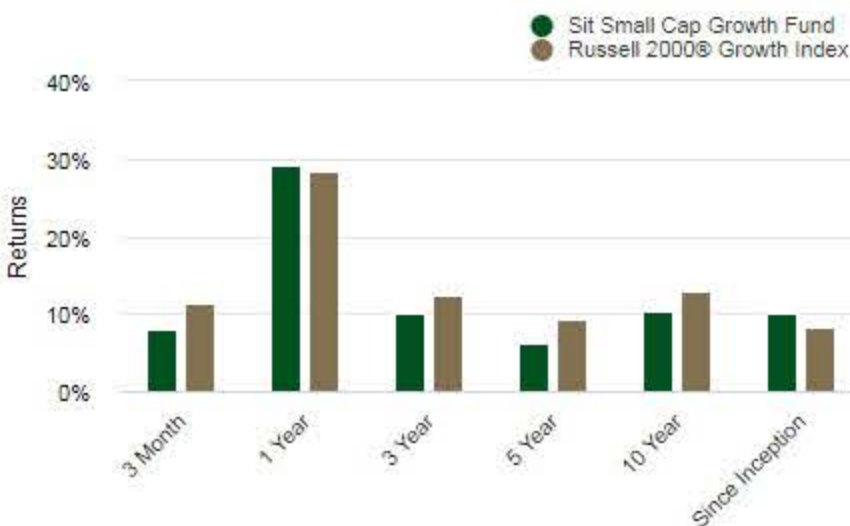
Fund Details

Inception Date: 7/1/94
Fund Assets (Millions): \$100.7

Wtd. Avg. Market Cap (Billions): N/A
Median Market Cap (Billions): \$5.4

Ticker: SSMGX
CUSIP: 82980D-30-1
Minimum Investment Amount: \$5,000
Minimum IRA Investment Amount: \$2,000
Expense Ratio: 1.50%

Average Annual Returns (%)



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Fund Objectives and Strategy

The Sit Small Cap Growth Fund seeks to maximize long-term capital appreciation by investing, under normal market conditions, at least 80% of its net assets in common stocks of companies with capitalizations of up to \$3 billion, or up to the market capitalization of the largest company included in the Russell 2000 Index measured at the end of the previous 12 months. The Adviser invests in domestic growth-oriented small companies it believes exhibit the potential for superior growth. The Adviser believes that a company's earnings growth is the primary determinant of its potential long-term return and evaluates a company's potential for above average long-term earnings and revenue growth.

Risk-Reward Profile



The Sit Small Cap Growth Fund has higher risk and higher reward potentials.

Investment Style

The Fund invests in small cap growth stocks.

Investment Adviser

The Sit Mutual Funds' investment adviser is Sit Investment Associates, Inc.. It is an employee-owned firm founded in 1981 in Minneapolis, Minnesota and currently manages \$13.7 billion (as of 12/31/19). The firm's sole business is investment management.

Portfolio Management



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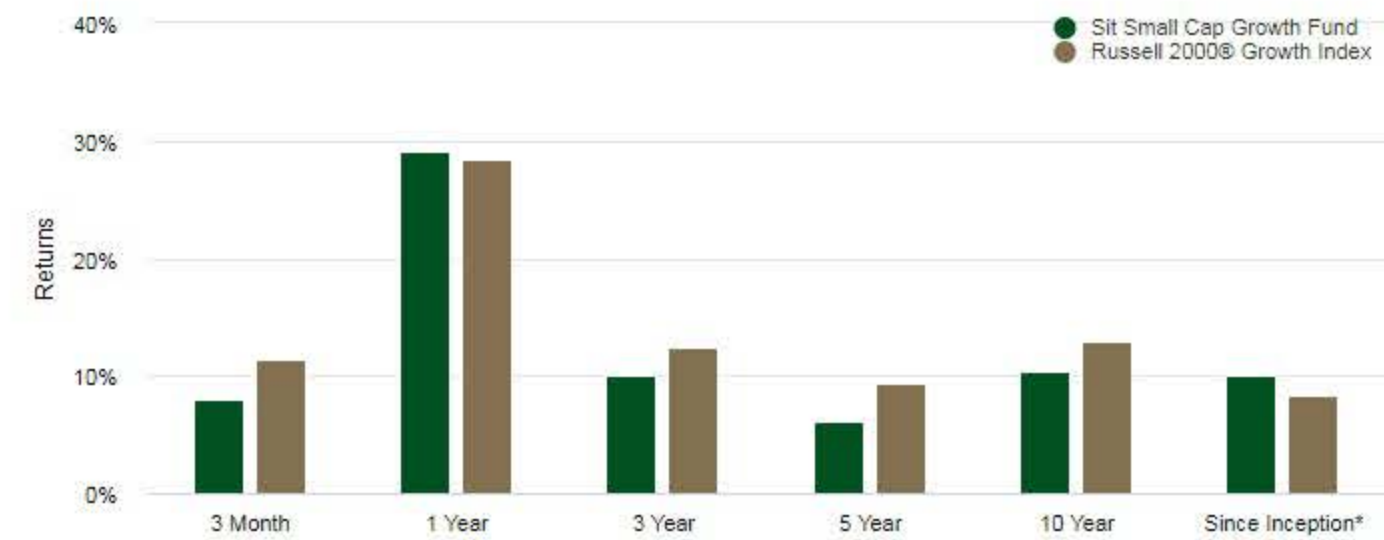
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Average Annual Returns (%)



	Three Month	One Year	Three Year	Five Year	Ten Year	Since Inception*
Sit Small Cap Growth Fund	8.04	29.17	10.10	6.11	10.40	10.00
Russell 2000® Growth Index	11.39	28.48	12.49	9.34	13.01	8.30

*Inception Date of 7/1/94

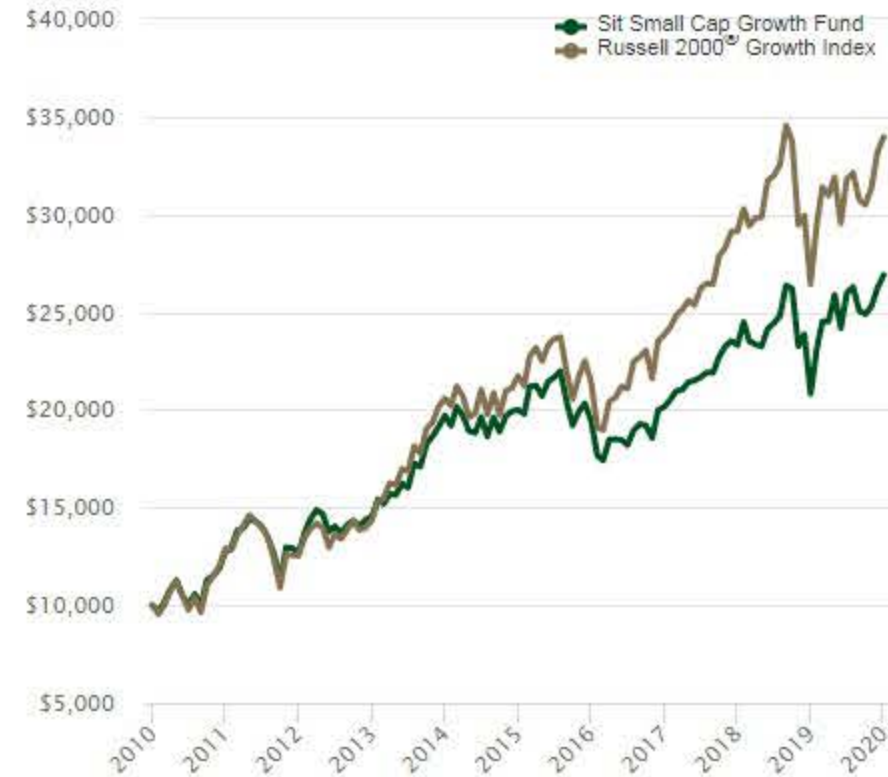
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Returns by Year (%)

	Fund	Index
2010	27.28	29.09
2011	-0.23	-2.91
2012	14.4	14.59
2013	35.66	43.3
2014	1.46	5.60
2015	-2.66	-1.38
2016	3.56	11.32
2017	15.71	22.17
2018	-10.71	-9.31
2019	29.17	28.48

Growth of \$10,000

From December 31, 2009 to December 31, 2019



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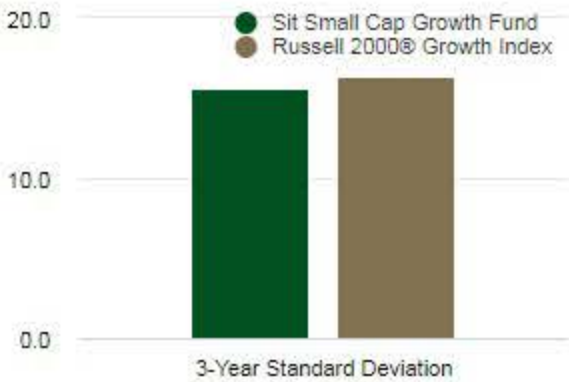
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Return Volatility

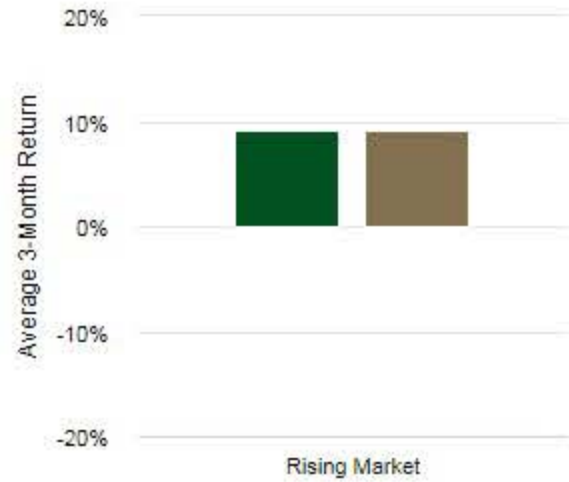


Standard deviation is a measure of risk that indicates the volatility of a portfolio's total returns as measured against its mean performance. In general, the higher the standard deviation, the greater the volatility or risk. For complete performance data see the [Small Cap Growth Fund returns page](#).

Up and Down Markets Performance

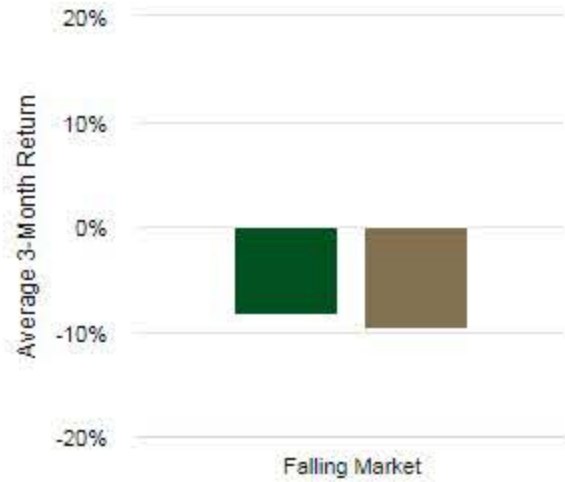
Up Market Performance

Average 3-Month Returns of 67 Up Quarters



Down Market Performance

Average 3-Month Returns of 35 Down Quarters



- Sit Small Cap Growth Fund
- Russell 2000® Growth Index

Positive primary Index quarterly performance indicates an "up market"; negative primary Index quarterly performance determines a "down market", regardless of Fund performance. The graph displays the average quarterly returns for the Fund and Index in both up and down markets since the Fund's inception, July 1, 1994. For complete performance data see the [Small Cap Growth Fund returns page](#).

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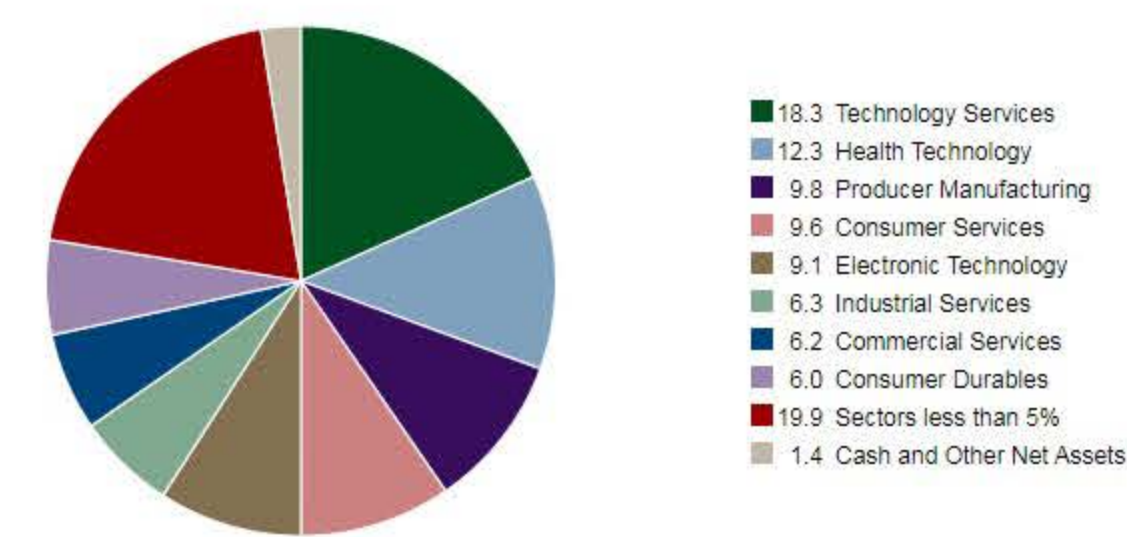
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Sector Allocation (%)

Click on chart segments for detailed information.



Top 10 Holdings

Company	% of Net Assets
Euronet Worldwide, Inc.	2.6
Waste Connections, Inc.	2.1
Globant SA	2.0
Paycom Software, Inc.	2.0
Booz Allen Hamilton Holding Corp.	1.9
YETI Holdings, Inc.	1.9
Monolithic Power Systems, Inc.	1.8
Nexstar Media Group, Inc.	1.8
Scotts Miracle-Gro Co.	1.8
ASGN, Inc.	1.8
Numbers of Holdings: 85	Top 10: 19.5

Portfolio Holdings



Complete List of Holdings for the Small Cap Growth Fund as of December 31, 2019.

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Campaign promises often come with hefty price tags.

Protect your investment income.



SIT TAX-FREE INCOME FUND

Ticker: **SNTIX**

Overview

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Holdings

Information reported as of December 31, 2019

Fund Details

Inception Date: 9/29/88
Fund Assets (Millions): \$324.5

Average Maturity: 18.1 Years
Duration to Est. Avg. Life: 5.1 Years

Ticker: SNTIX
CUSIP: 829799-10-5
Minimum Investment Amount: \$5,000
Minimum IRA Investment Amount: \$2,000
Expense Ratio: 0.80%
Inception Date: 12/31/93
Fund Assets (Millions): \$38.3

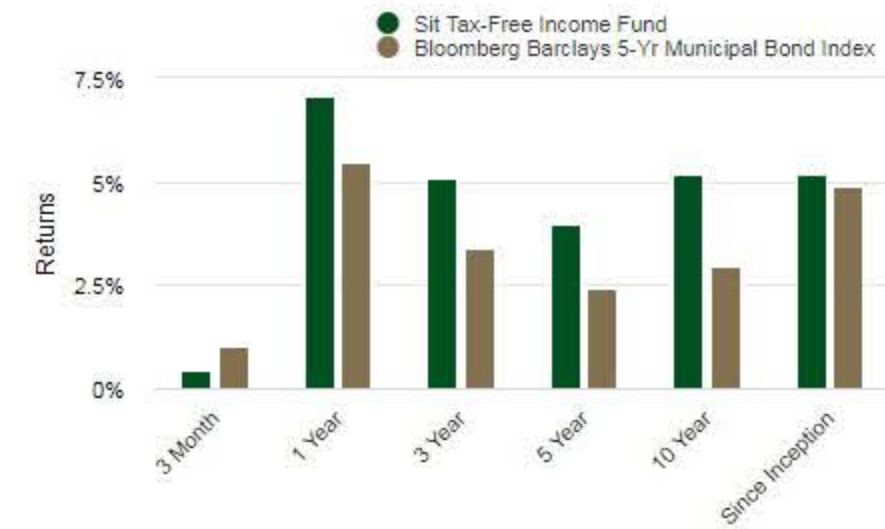
Ticker: SIBAX
CUSIP: 82980D-20-2
Minimum Investment Amount: \$5,000
Minimum IRA Investment Amount: \$2,000
Expense Ratio: 1.00%

Tax-Equivalent Yields

Income earned from investments in the Sit Tax-Free Income Fund is exempt from Federal taxes.

30-Day SEC Yield	Tax-Equivalent 30-Day Yields	
	38.8% Tax Rate	40.8% Tax Rate
1.93	3.15	3.26

Average Annual Returns



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Fund Objectives and Strategy

The Sit Tax-Free Income Fund objective is high current income that is exempt from federal income tax consistent with preservation of capital. The Fund seeks to achieve its objective by investing primarily in municipal securities that generate interest income that is exempt from both federal regular income tax and federal alternative minimum tax. In selecting securities for the Fund, the Adviser seeks securities providing high tax-exempt income. The Adviser attempts to maintain an average effective duration for the portfolio of approximately 3 to 8 years.

Risk-Reward Profile



The Sit Tax-Free Income Fund has lower risk and lower reward potentials.

Investment Style

The Fund invests in investment-grade, intermediate duration municipal bonds.

Investment Adviser

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Portfolio Management



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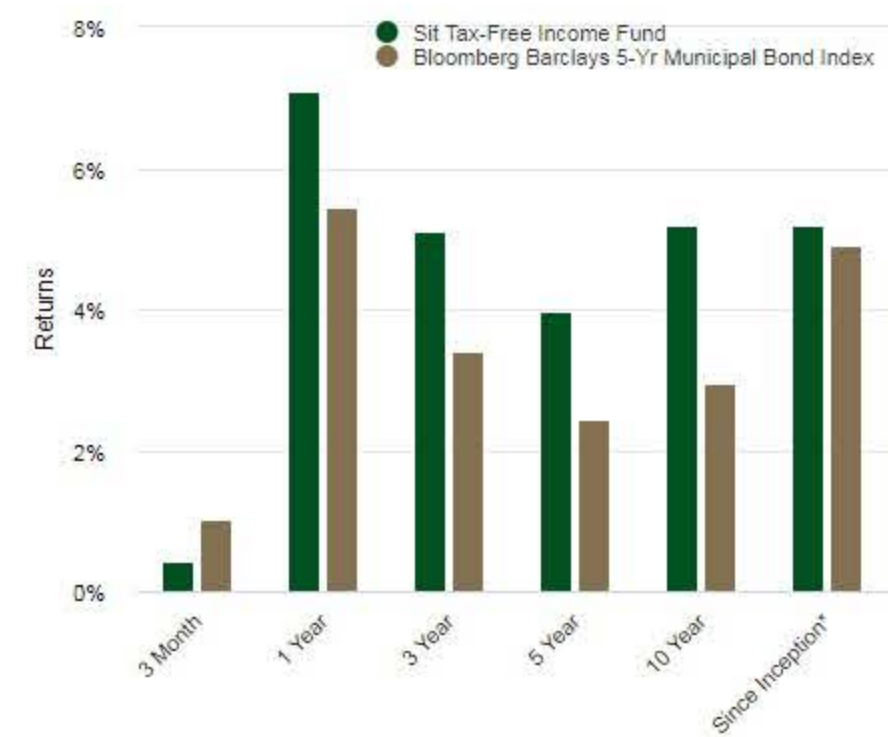
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Tax-Equivalent Yields

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Tax-Equivalent Yields represent the yield that must be earned on a fully taxable investment in order to equal the yield of the Fund on an after-tax basis at a specified tax rate. The effective federal rate includes the federal 3.8% net investment income tax for the top two tax brackets.

Average Annual Returns (%)



	Annualized Returns					
	Three Month	One Year	Three Year	Five Year	Ten Year	Since Inception*
Sit Tax-Free income Fund	0.43	7.08	5.10	3.96	5.19	5.20
Bloomberg Barclays 5-Yr Municipal Bond Index	1.03	5.45	3.41	2.44	2.94	4.91

*Inception Date of 9/29/88

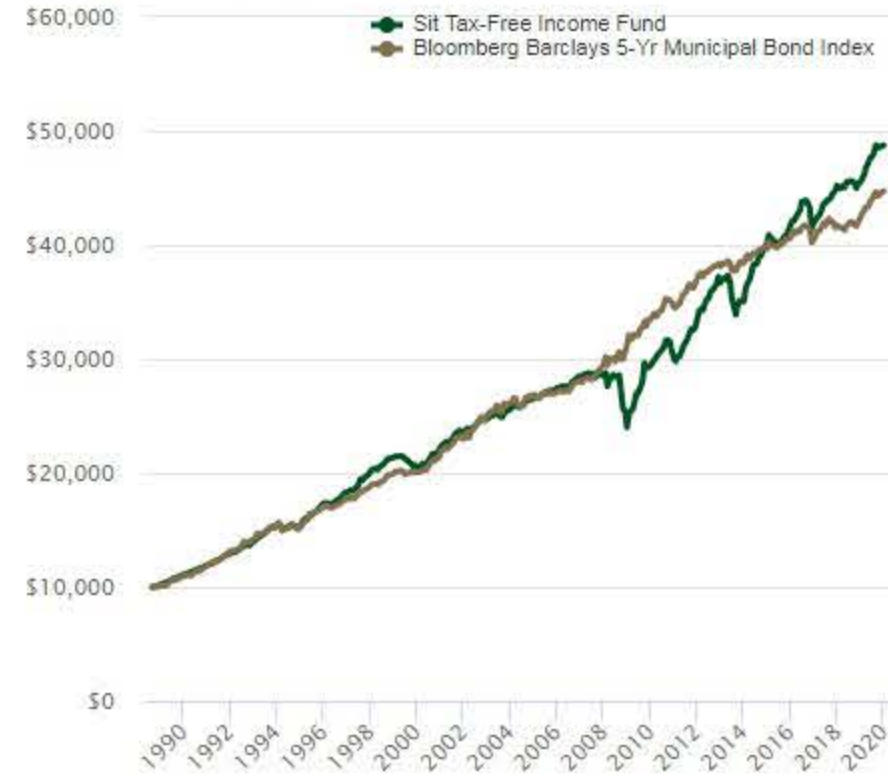
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Returns by Year (%)

	Fund	Index
2010	2.49	3.40
2011	10.73	6.93
2012	9.93	2.97
2013	-4.46	0.81
2014	14.60	3.19
2015	3.91	2.43
2016	0.64	-0.39
2017	7.68	3.14
2018	0.70	1.69
2019	7.08	5.45

Growth of \$10,000

From September 29, 1988 to December 31, 2019



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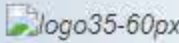
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Quality: Mid
Duration: Intermediate

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Return Volatility

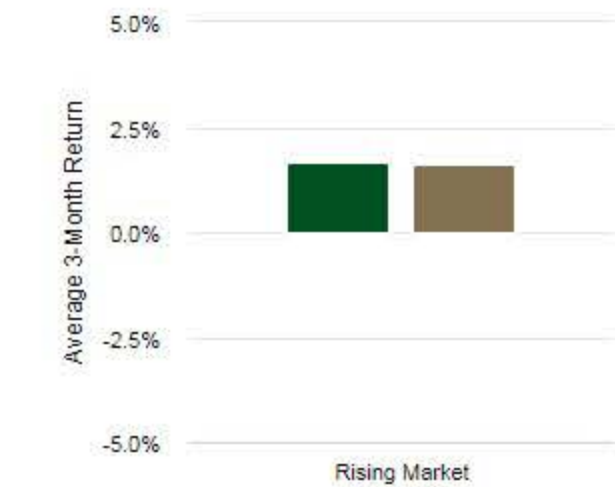


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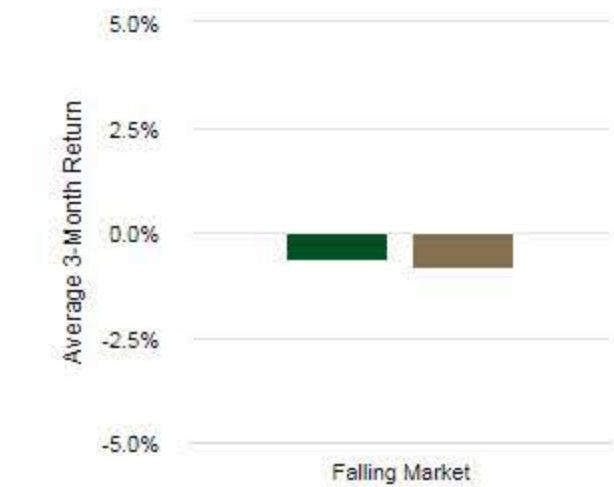
Up Market Performance

Average 3-Month Returns of 105 Up Quarters



Down Market Performance

Average 3-Month Returns of 20 Down Quarters



- Sit Tax-Free Income Fund
- Bloomberg Barclays 5-Yr Municipal Bond Index

Positive primary Index quarterly performance indicates an "up market"; negative primary Index quarterly performance determines a "down market", regardless of Fund performance. The graph displays the average quarterly returns for the Fund and Index in both up and down markets since the Fund's inception, September 29, 1988. For complete performance data see the [Tax-Free Income Fund returns page](#).

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Ticker: **SNTIX**

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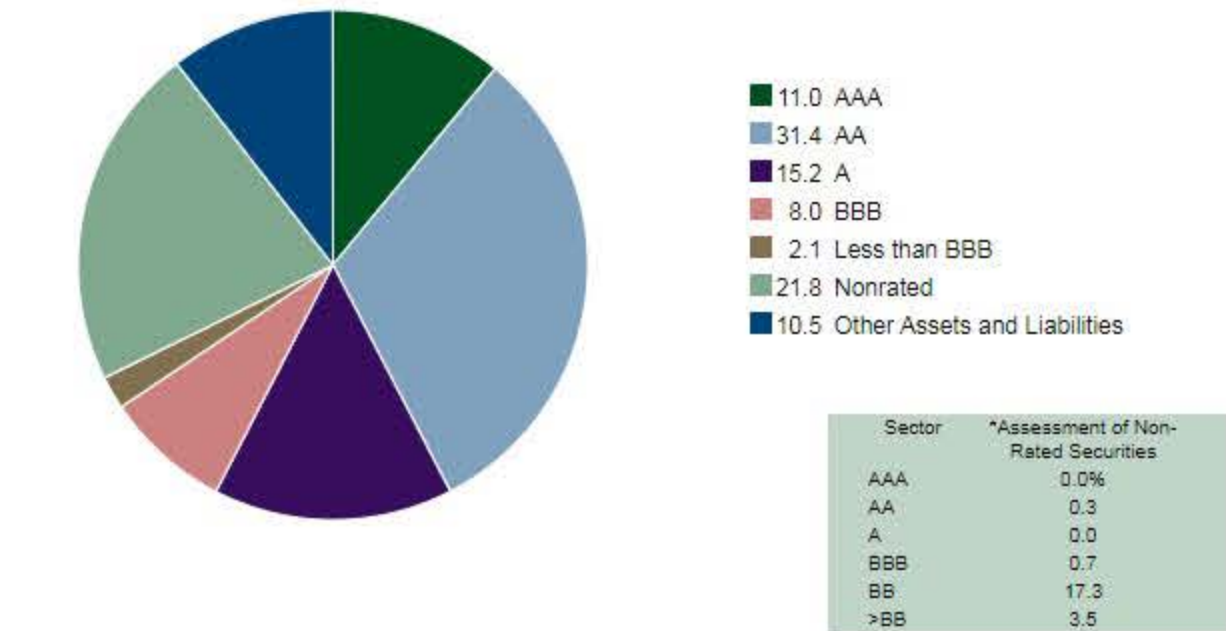
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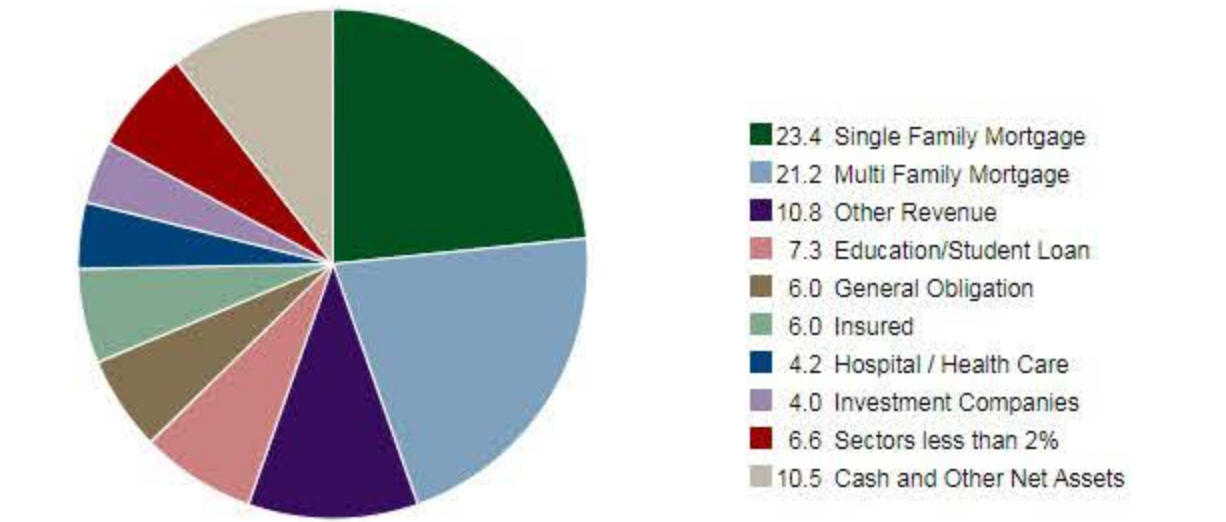


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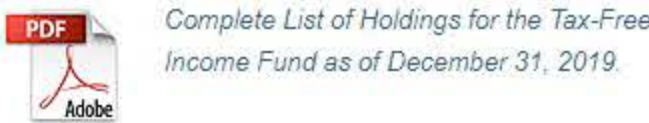
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Sector Allocation (%)



Portfolio Holdings



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SIT U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FUND

Tickers: SNGVX, SNGYX

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Fund Details

Inception Dates

S Class	6/2/87
Y Class	1/1/20

Fund Assets

S Class	\$399.5M
Y Class	\$0.0M

Average Maturity:	18 Years
Effective Duration:	2.4 Years

Tickers

S Class	SNGVX
Y Class	SNGYX

CUSIP Numbers

S Class	829800-10-1
Y Class	829808-10-7

Minimum Investment Amounts

S Class	\$5,000
Y Class	\$1,000,000

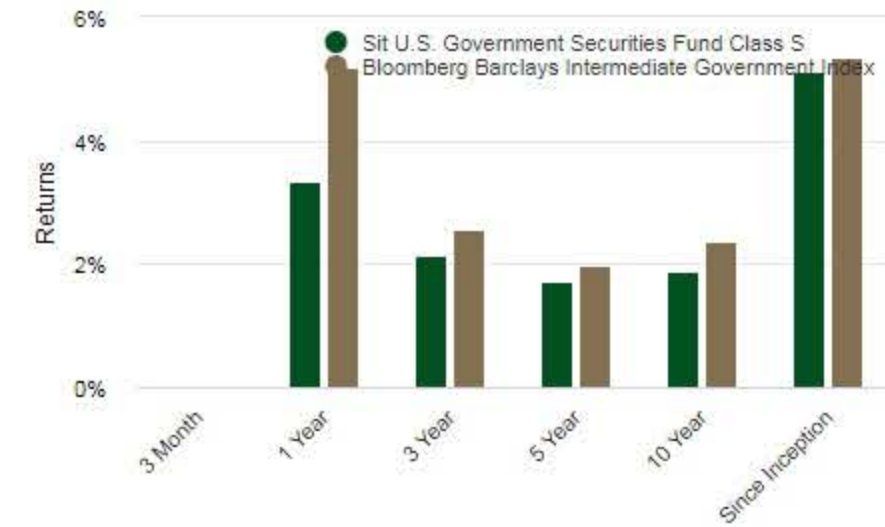
Minimum IRA Investment Amount

S Class	\$2,000
Y Class	\$1,000,000

Expense Ratios

S Class	0.80%
Y Class	0.55%

Average Annual Returns



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Fund Objectives and Strategy

The Sit U.S. Government Securities Fund objective is high current income and safety of principal. The Fund seeks to achieve its objective by investing exclusively in U.S. government securities, which are securities issued, guaranteed or insured by the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities. In selecting securities for the Fund, the Adviser seeks securities providing high current income relative to yields currently available in the market. In making purchase and sales decisions for the Fund, the Adviser considers their economic outlook and interest rate forecast, as well as their evaluation of a security's prepayment risk, yield, maturity, and liquidity.

Risk-Reward Profile



The Sit U.S. Government Securities Fund has lower risk and lower reward potentials.

Investment Style

The Fund invests in high-quality, short-duration government bonds.

Investment Adviser

The Sit Mutual Funds' investment adviser is Sit Investment Associates, Inc. It is an employee-owned firm founded in 1981 in Minneapolis, Minnesota and currently manages \$13.7 billion (as of 12/31/19). The firm's sole business is investment management.

Portfolio Management



Bryce A. Doty

Mark H. Book

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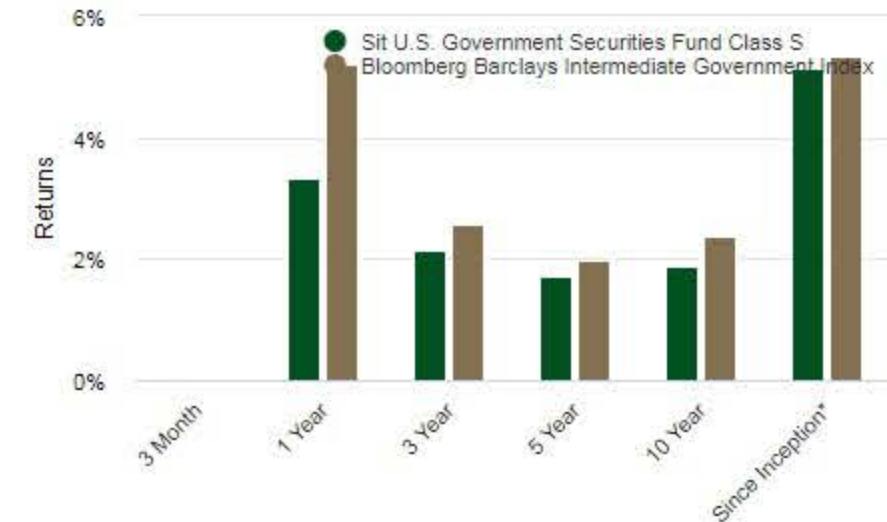
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Yields (%)

S Class 30-Day SEC Yield 2.82%

The SEC yield reflects the rate at which the Fund is earning income on its current portfolio of securities.

Average Annual Returns (%)



	Annualized Returns					
	Three Month	One Year	Three Year	Five Year	Ten Year	Since Inception*
Sit U.S. Government Securities Fund Class S	0.00	3.34	2.14	1.71	1.89	5.14
Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate Government Index	0.01	5.20	2.57	1.99	2.38	5.34
Sit U.S. Government Securities Fund Class Y	--	--	--	--	--	--
Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate Government Index	--	--	--	--	--	--

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Returns by Year (%)

	Fund (Class S)	Index
2010	4.91	4.98
2011	2.72	6.08
2012	2.67	1.73
2013	-2.08	-1.25
2014	2.22	2.52
2015	1.42	1.18
2016	0.69	1.05
2017	1.33	1.14
2018	1.77	1.43
2019	3.34	5.20

Growth of \$10,000

From June 2, 1987 to December 31, 2019



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Return Volatility

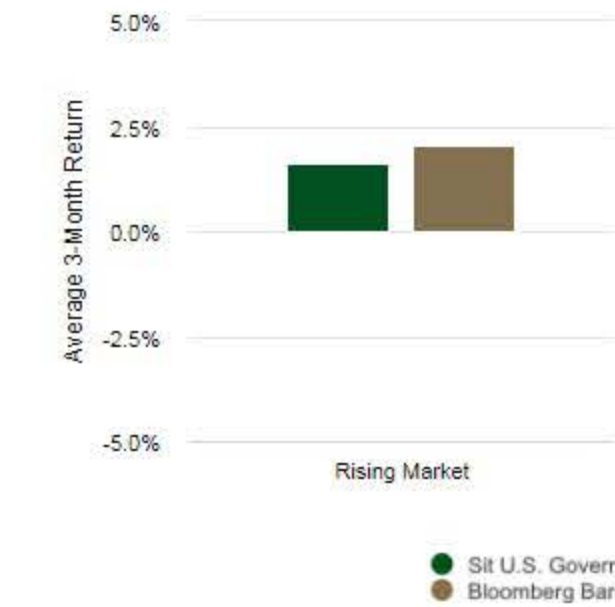


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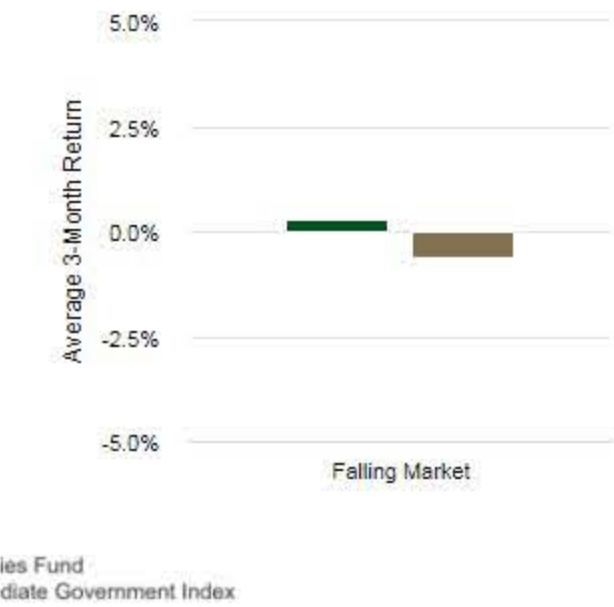
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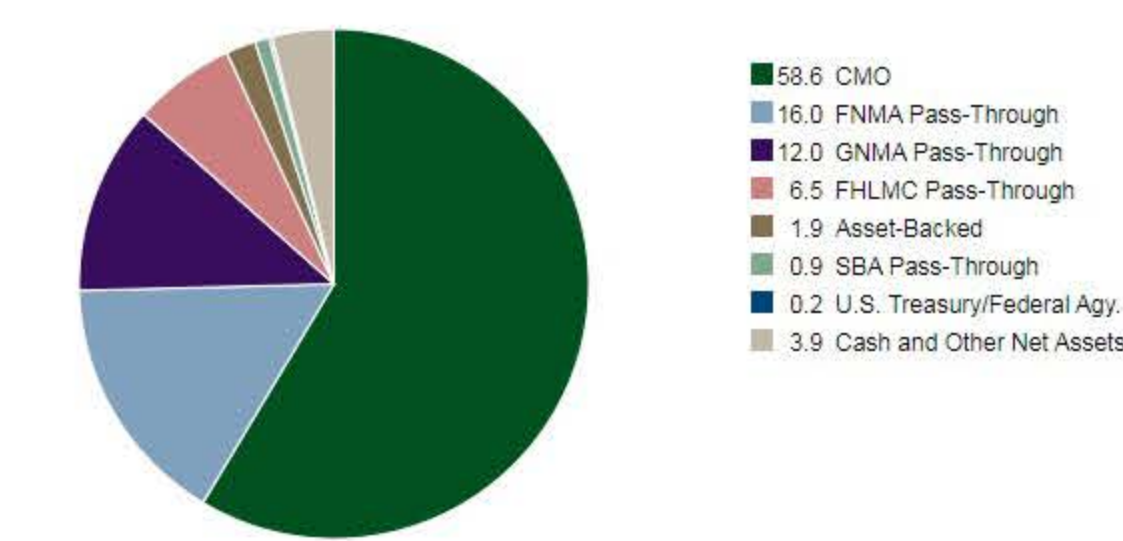
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Duration (%)

0-1 Year	3.9
1-5 Years	95.9
5-10 Years	0.2
10-20 Years	0.0
20+ Years	0.0

Sector Allocation (%)

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