

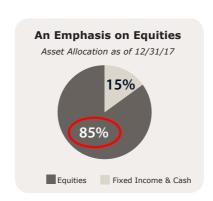
# **Value Line Capital Appreciation Fund\***

\*Formerly Value Line Income and Growth Fund (VALIX/VLIIX)

# A Flexible Fund Focused on the Power of Equities

In an environment of rising rates, many investors seek capital appreciation from their balanced funds through a greater allocation of equities.

Enter the Value Line Capital Appreciation Fund. With an overweight in equities and a stock portfolio comprised primarily of faster growing large cap companies, the Fund has a history of achieving impressive results over time.



The Value Line Capital Appreciation Fund beat 90% of its peers for the 1-, 3-, 5- and 10-year periods ended January 31, 2018, among Morningstar 70-85% Equity Allocation Funds.

#### Value Line Capital Appreciation Fund Performance (as of 1/31/18) **Average Annual Returns** 1 Year 3 Year 5 Year 10 Year **Investor - VALIX** 27.25% 11.04% 11.51% 7.84% Institutional - VLIIX<sup>1</sup> 10.93 11.44 27.60 7.81 60/40 S&P 500/Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond 16.19 9.21 10.29 7.62 Morningstar 70-85% Equity Allocation Cat. Avg. 18.25 8.55 9.38 6.37 Morningstar Category Rank (%) - VALIX 8 1 5 8 349 277 # of Funds in Category 314 200 Morningstar Return High High High VALIX Expense Ratio: 1.16%, VLIIX Gross/Net Expense Ratio\*: 4.82%/0.91%

Morningstar Ratings and Categories based on risk adjusted returns of Investor class shares.

¹Represents the performance of the Institutional Class shares after November 1, 2015 (inception of the share class) and Investor Class for periods prior to that date.

The performance data quoted herein represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. Market volatility can dramatically impact the fund's short term performance. Current performance may be lower or higher than figures shown. The investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed may be worth more or less than their original cost. Past performance data through the most recent month end is available at vlfunds.com or by calling 800.243.2729. You should carefully consider investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses of Value Line Mutual Funds before investing. This and other information can be found in the fund's prospectus and summary prospectus, which can be obtained free of charge from your investment representative, by calling 800.243.2729, or by clicking on the applicable fund at www.vlfunds.com. Please read it carefully before you invest or send money.

## Value Line Capital Appreciation Fund

Overall MORNINGSTAR® Rating



Among 314 70-85% Equity Allocation Funds (as of 1/31/18)

The Overall Morningstar Rating™ is based on risk adjusted returns, derived from a weighted average of the 3-, 5-, and 10-year Morningstar metrics.

#### **Fund Facts**

#### **Symbol**

Investor VALIX Institutional VLIIX

### **Inception Date**

Investor 9/30/52 Institutional 11/1/15 **Total Assets** \$435M

(as of 1/31/18)

For More Information: 800.243.2729 www.vlfunds.com

# The average annual returns shown above are historical and reflect changes in share price, reinvested dividends and are net of expenses. Investment results and the principal value of an investment will vary.

\*EULAV Asset Management (the "Adviser") and EULAV Securities LLC, the Fund's principal underwriter (the "Distributor"), have agreed to waive certain class-specific fees and/or pay certain class-specific expenses incurred by the Institutional Class so that the Institutional Class bears its class-specific fees and expenses at the same percentage of its average daily net assets as the Investor Class's class-specific fees and expenses (excluding 12b-1 fees and any extraordinary expenses incurred in different amounts by the classes) (the "Expense Limitation"). The Adviser and the Distributor may subsequently recover from assets attributable to the Institutional Class the reimbursed expenses and/or waived fees (within 3 years after the fiscal year end in which the waiver/reimbursement occurred) to the extent that the Institutional Class's expense ratio is less than the Expense Limitation or, if lower, the expense limitation in effect when the waiver/reimbursement occurred. The Expense Limitation can be terminated or modified before June 30, 2019 only with the agreement of the Fund's board. The Fund's performance would be lower in the absence of such waivers.

The Morningstar Rating<sup>™</sup> for funds, or "star rating" is calculated for managed products (including mutual funds, variable annuity and variable life subaccounts, exchange-traded funds, closed-end funds, and separate accounts) with at least a three-year history. Exchange-traded funds and open-ended mutual funds are considered a single population for comparative purposes. It is calculated based on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure that accounts for variation in a managed product's monthly excess performance, placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance. The top 10% of products in each product category receive 5 stars, the next 22.5% receive 4 stars, the next 35% receive 3 stars, the next 22.5% receive 2 stars, and the bottom 10% receive 1 star. The Overall Morningstar Rating for a managed product is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its three-, five-, and 10-year (if applicable) Morningstar Rating metrics. The weights are: 100% three-year rating for 36-59 months of total returns, 60% five-year rating/40% three-year rating for 60-119 months of total returns, and 50% 10-year rating/30% five-year rating/20% three-year rating for 120 or more months of total returns. While the 10-year overall star rating formula seems to give the most weight to the 10-year period, the most recent three-year period actually has the greatest impact because it is included in all three rating periods. The Value Line Capital Appreciation Fund received 4 stars for the 3-year period, 5 stars for the 5-year and 10-year periods ended 1/31/18 among 314, 277 and 200 70-85% Equity Allocation funds, respectively.

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