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# Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Fund

VFORX

as of 03/31/2024



This graph represents the growth of a hypothetical investment of \$10,000. It assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains, and does not reflect sales loads, redemption fees or the effects of taxes on any capital gains and/or distributions.

### Category: Target-Date 2040

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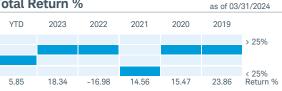
Morningstar Category: Target-date portfolios provide diversified exposure to stocks, bonds, and cash for those investors who have a specific date in mind (in this case, the years 2036-2040) for retirement. These portfolios aim to provide investors with an optimal level of return and risk, based solely on the target date. Management adjusts the allocation among asset classes to more-conservative mixes as the target date approaches, following a preset glide path. A target-date portfolio is part of a series of funds offering multiple retirement dates to investors.

### Performance Returns 1,2

|   | Cumulative | e Returns % | Annualized Returns % |        |        |                    |      |
|---|------------|-------------|----------------------|--------|--------|--------------------|------|
| This section contrasts<br>VFORX to its benchmarks | YTD        | 3 Mo        | 1 Yr                 | 5 Yr   | 10 Yr  | Since<br>Inception | -30% |
|   |            |             |                      |        |        |                    |      |
|   |            |             |                      |        |        |                    | - 0  |
| Vanguard Target Retirement 2040<br>Fund           | +5.85      | +5.85       | +17.94               | +8.96  | +7.95  | +7.46              |      |
| Category Average                                  | +5.87      | +5.87       | +17.73               | +8.85  | +7.63  |                    |      |
| S&P 500 TR USD                                    | +10.56     | +10.56      | +29.88               | +15.05 | +12.96 |                    |      |

### Rank Within Category For Annual Total Return %

Rank within Category compares this fund's total annual return to that of other funds in the same category, and its figures are not adjusted for load, sales charge, or taxes.



### Fund Comparison 1,2

This section compares the fund to its benchmark and alternatives from our Mutual Fund OneSource Select List.

| Fund Name Inception   | Ticker | Exp<br>Ratio | 1 Year | 3 Year | 5 Year | 10 Year | Since<br>Incep. |
|---|--------|--------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|-----------------|
| Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Fund (06/06)                  | VFORX  | 0.08         | 17.94  | 4.69   | 8.96   | 7.95    | 7.46            |
| BlackRock LifePath® Index 2040 Fund Investor A Shares (05/11) | LIKAX  | 0.39         | 17.45  | 4.42   | 8.54   | 7.63    | 7.83            |
| Schwab Target 2040 Index Fund (08/16)                         | SWYGX  | 0.08         | 18.56  | 5.20   | 9.02   | -       | 9.04            |
| Category Average  | -      | 0.70         | 17.73  | 4.49   | 8.85   | 7.63    | -               |
| S&P 500 TR USD  | -      | -            | 29.88  | 11.49  | 15.05  | 12.96   |                 |

1 Numbers are adjusted for possible sales charges, and assume reinvestment of dividends and capital gains over each time period. 2 Index figures do not reflect deductions for fees or expenses

Past performance does not guarantee future performance. Investment value will fluctuate, and shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than original cost. If an expense waiver was in place during the period, the net expense ratio was used to calculate fund performance. Please visit http://www.Schwab.com for more recent month-end performance information.

Investors should consider carefully information contained in the prospectus, including investment objectives, risks, charges, fees and expenses. You can request a prospectus by calling 1-800-435-4000. Please read the prospectus carefully before investing.

| FUND PROFILE<br>as of 03/31/2024 |             |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| Available at Schwab              | Yes         |
| Inception Date                   | 06/07/2006  |
| Status                           | Open        |
| Category                         | Target-Date |
|                                  | 2040        |
| Index Fund                       | No          |
| Fund Company                     | Vanguard    |
| Portfolio Turnover               | 1%          |

# MORNINGSTAR RATING

as of 03/31/2024

| Overall Rating    | *** | Out of 193 Funds              |
|-------------------|-----|-------------------------------|
| 3 Year Rating     | *** | Out of 193 Funds              |
| 5 Year Rating     | *** | Out of 171 Funds              |
| 10 Year Rating    |     | **** *****   Out of 105 Funds |
| * *               | *** | ****                          |
| Historical Return | Low | High                          |
| Historical Risk   | Low | High                          |

The ratings reflect historical risk-adjusted performance and the overall Morningstar Rating™ is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with fund's 3, 5 and 10 year rating metrics.

# QUARTERLY AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURN

as of 03/31/2024

| 1 Year          | 17.94% |
|-----------------|--------|
| 5 Years         | 8.96%  |
| 10 Years        | 7.95%  |
| Since Inception | 7.46%  |

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### **EXPENSES**

| Gross Expense Ratio (before waivers) | 0.08%    |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Net Expense Ratio (after waivers)    | 0.08%    |
| Category Average Expense Ratio       | 0.69833% |
| 12b-1 Fees                           | None     |
| Max Front Load                       | None     |
| Max Back Load                        | None     |
| Redemption Fee                       | 0%       |

A net expense ratio lower than the gross expense ratio may reflect a cap on or contractual waiver of fund expense. Please read the fund prospectus for details on limits or expiration dates for any such waivers.



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21.22%

VFORX

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### **Top Ten Holdings**

Top 10 holdings are 99.12537% of the total portfolio assets. The category average percent of Portfolio in top 10 holdings is 21.22%

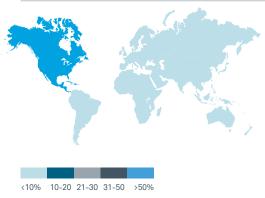
| Symbol | Company Name                | Industry | Percent of Assets |
|--------|-----------------------------|----------|-------------------|
| VSMPX  | Vanguard Total Stock Mkt Id |          | 47.05184%         |
| VGTSX  | Vanguard Total Intl Stock I |          | 29.88612%         |
| VTBIX  | Vanguard Total Bond Market  |          | 15.49229%         |
| VTILX  | Vanguard Total Intl Bd II I |          | 6.69512%          |

Fund holdings subject to change and not a recommendation to transact in any security.

Top 10 Holdings in VFORX 99.12537%

Category Average

### **Regional Exposure**



### **Regional Breakdown**

| North America                    | 64.38% |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Europe Developed                 | 7.66%  |
| Japan                            | 6.38%  |
| Asia Emerging                    | 5.42%  |
| Europe Developed (excluding UK)  | 4.29%  |
| Asia Developed (excluding Japan) | 4.03%  |
| United Kingdom                   | 3.35%  |
| Australasia                      | 1.93%  |
| Africa/Middle East               | 1.28%  |
| Latin America                    | 1%     |
| Europe Emerging                  | 0.28%  |

### **Top 5 Countries**

| United States  | 62.63% |
|----------------|--------|
| Japan          | 5.93%  |
| United Kingdom | 3.29%  |
| France         | 2.74%  |
| Canada         | 2.69%  |
|                |        |

## Information Technology

| Financials             | 16.03% |
|------------------------|--------|
| Industrials            | 12.04% |
| Consumer Discretionary | 11.21% |
| Health Care            | 11.13% |
| Communication Services | 6.9%   |
| Consumer Staples       | 6.21%  |
| Materials              | 4.5%   |
| Energy                 | 4.36%  |
| Real Estate            | 2.81%  |
| Utilities              | 2.47%  |
|                        |        |

### ASSET BREAKDOWN

SECTOR WEIGHTINGS

as of 03/31/2024

as of 03/31/2024

|  | % Long | % Short | % Net |
|--|--------|---------|-------|
| Domestic Stock                                   | 46.92  | 0.0     | 46.92 |
| Non-US* Stock                                    | 29.1   | 0.0     | 29.1  |
| Domestic Bond                                    | 14.35  | 0.0     | 14.35 |
| Non-US* Bond                                     | 7.51   | 0.0     | 7.51  |
| Convertible                                      | 0.01   | 0.0     | 0.01  |
| Cash Investments                                 | 6.7    | 4.64    | 2.06  |
| Other  | 0.04   | 0.0     | 0.04  |
| *Non-US assets include assets without a specific |        |         |       |

country classification

### MARKET CAPITALIZATION

as of 03/31/2024

| Giant Cap  | 42.4%  |
|------------|--------|
| Large Cap  | 31.64% |
| Medium Cap | 19.05% |
| Small Cap  | 5.43%  |
| Micro Cap  | 1.48%  |

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22.36%

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