

# Franklin Growth Allocation Fund

#### Advisor Class: FGTZX Class A: FGTIX Class C: FTGTX Class R: FGTRX Class R6: FTGMX

Target Risk | Factsheet as of March 31, 2025

#### **Investment Overview**

The fund seeks the highest level of long-term total return consistent with an acceptable level of risk. The manager allocates assets among broad asset classes by investing primarily in a distinctly weighted combination of other funds, predominately other Franklin Templeton affiliated mutual funds and exchange-traded funds. Under normal market conditions, the portfolio managers will allocate 80% to equity funds and 20% to fixed-income funds. The fund is designed for investors seeking a higher level of risk with a longer investment horizon.

#### **Average Annual Total Returns (%)**

	Without Sales Charges			With Sales Charges				Inception			
	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	Inception	1-Yr	3-Yr	5-Yr	10-Yr	Inception	Date
Advisor Class	5.59	6.13	12.37	7.62	7.14	5.59	6.13	12.37	7.62	7.14	12/31/1996
Class A	5.27	5.84	12.07	7.35	6.95	-0.54	3.87	10.81	6.74	6.74	12/31/1996
Class C	4.47	5.06	11.23	6.55	6.16	3.47	5.06	11.23	6.55	6.16	12/31/1996
Class R	5.06	5.59	11.80	7.08	6.68	5.06	5.59	11.80	7.08	6.68	12/31/1996
Class R6	5.62	6.21	12.48	7.74	7.33	5.62	6.21	12.48	7.74	7.33	12/31/1996
Benchmark 1	6.42	5.30	11.87	7.32	_	6.42	5.30	11.87	7.32	_	_
Benchmark 2	7.15	6.91	15.18	8.84	_	7.15	6.91	15.18	8.84	_	_
Benchmark 3	3.26	-1.35	-1.03	0.80	_	3.26	-1.35	-1.03	0.80	_	_

#### **Cumulative Total Returns** (% Without Sales Charge)

	3-Mo	YTD	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Advisor Class	-0.89	-0.89	15.42	17.88	-16.99	16.71	14.90	22.22	-6.23	19.77	5.60	-1.41
Class A	-0.99	-0.99	15.14	17.59	-17.16	16.41	14.58	21.90	-6.45	19.45	5.36	-1.66
Class C	-1.19	-1.19	14.35	16.66	-17.82	15.59	13.74	20.95	-7.13	18.56	4.59	-2.41
Class R	-1.06	-1.06	14.90	17.30	-17.40	16.14	14.30	21.56	-6.68	19.17	5.12	-1.93
Class R6	-0.89	-0.89	15.52	18.01	-16.92	16.85	15.06	22.30	-6.07	19.90	5.77	-1.27
Benchmark 1	-0.52	-0.52	13.53	18.86	-17.78	13.62	15.20	22.62	-7.72	20.55	6.95	-2.42
Benchmark 2	-1.32	-1.32	17.49	22.20	-18.36	18.54	16.25	26.60	-9.42	23.97	7.86	-2.36
Benchmark 3	2.63	2.63	-1.34	6.05	-16.01	-4.51	9.02	7.13	-1.36	7.69	2.84	-3.29

Performance data quoted represents past performance, which does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than the figures shown. Principal value and investment returns will fluctuate, and investors' shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than the original cost. Performance would have been lower if fees had not been waived in various periods. Total returns assume the reinvestment of all distributions and the deduction of all fund expenses. Returns with sales charge reflect a deduction of the stated maximum sales charge. An investor cannot invest directly in an index, and unmanaged index returns do not reflect any fees, expenses or sales charges. Returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized. All classes of shares may not be available to all investors or through all distribution channels. For current month-end performance, please visit franklintempleton.com.

<b>Share Class Details</b>			Sales Charges (%)		Expenses (%)	
	CUSIP	Ticker	Max	CDSC	Gross	Net
Advisor Class	35472P877	FGTZX	0.00	_	0.60	0.60
Class A	35472P505	FGTIX	5.50	_	0.85	0.85
Class C	35472P604	FTGTX	0.00	1.00	1.60	1.60
Class R	35472P802	FGTRX	0.00	_	1.10	1.10
Class R6	35472P414	FTGMX	0.00	_	0.54	0.51

Gross expenses are the fund's total annual operating expenses as of the fund's prospectus available at the time of publication. Actual expenses may be higher and may impact portfolio returns. Net expenses reflect contractual fee waivers, expense caps and/or reimbursements, which cannot be terminated prior to 04/30/2025 without Board consent. Additional amounts may be voluntarily waived and/or reimbursed and may be modified or discontinued at any time without notice. There is a 1% CDSC on any Class C shares you sell within 12 months of purchase.

#### Morningstar Rating™

Overall Rating as of March 31, 2025





As of 03/31/2025 the fund's Advisor Class shares received a 4 star and Class A shares received a 3 star overall Morningstar rating™, measuring risk-adjusted returns against 292, 262 and 216 Moderately Aggressive Allocation funds over the 3-, 5- and 10- year periods, respectively. A fund's overall rating is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its 3-, 5- and 10-year (if applicable) rating metrics.

#### Growth of \$10,000

Advisor Class Shares—Inception through March 31, 2025 Excluding Effects of Sales Charges



## **Fund Overview**

Dividend Frequency, if any	Quarterly
Morningstar Category	Moderately Aggressive Allocation
Lipper Classification	Mixed-Asset Trgt Alloc Growth Funds
Turnover (fiscal yr)	33%

#### Benchmark(s)

- 1-Linked Franklin Growth Allocation Fund Benchmark-NR
- 2-MSCI All Country World Index-NR
- 3-Bloomberg Multiverse Index

Fund Characteristics	Fund
Total Net Assets	\$1.33 Billion
Number of Issuers	20

# Risk Statistics (3-Year—Advisor Class vs. Linked Franklin Growth Allocation Fund Benchmark-NR)

	Fund	Benchmark 1
Beta	0.96	_
R-Squared	0.98	_
Sharpe Ratio	0.13	0.07
Standard Deviation (%)	13.95	14.36
Alpha (%)	0.81	_

## **Asset Allocation (% of Total)**

	Fund
U.S. Equity	61.43
Global ex-U.S. Equity	21.32
U.S. Fixed Income	12.52
Global ex-U.S. Fixed Income	2.72
Alternatives	1.01
Cash & Cash Equivalents	1.00

#### **Top Securities (% of Total)**

	Funa
Franklin U.S. Core Equity (IU) Fund	23.46
Franklin Growth Fund, Class R6	13.69
Franklin LibertyQ Global Equity ETF	10.27
Franklin International Core Equity (IU) Fund	9.06
Putnam Large Cap Value Fund	8.39
Franklin U.S. Large Cap Multifactor Index ETF	7.23
Franklin U.S. Core Bond ETF	6.42
Franklin U.S. Treasury Bond ETF	3.23
Franklin Liberty Investment Grade Corporate ETF	3.08
Franklin Emerging Market Core Equity (IU) Fund	2.95

#### **Portfolio Management**

	Years with Firm	Years of Experience
Thomas Nelson, CFA	17	33
Berkeley Belknap	6	31
Laura Green, CFA	17	17

as of March 31, 2025

#### What should I know before investing?

All investments involve risks, including possible loss of principal. Investments in underlying funds are subject to the same risks as, and indirectly bear the fees and expenses of, the underlying funds. Equity securities are subject to price fluctuation and possible loss of principal. Fixed income securities involve interest rate, credit, inflation and reinvestment risks, and possible loss of principal. As interest rates rise, the value of fixed income securities falls. Low-rated, high-yield bonds are subject to greater price volatility, illiquidity and possibility of default. The investment style may become out of favor, which may have a negative impact on performance. International investments are subject to special risks, including currency fluctuations and social, economic and political uncertainties, which could increase volatility. These risks are magnified in emerging markets. These and other risks are discussed in the fund's prospectus.

#### Glossary

**Beta**: A measure of the fund's volatility relative to the market, as represented by the stated Index. A beta greater than 1.00 indicates volatility greater than the market. **R-squared** measures the strength of the linear relationship between the fund and its benchmark. **R-squared** at 1 implies perfect linear relationship and zero implies no relationship exists. **Sharpe Ratio** refers to a risk-adjusted measure calculated using standard deviation and excess returns to determine reward per unit of risk. The higher the ratio, the greater the risk-adjusted performance. **Standard Deviation**: Measure of the degree to which a fund's return varies from the average of its previous returns. The larger the standard deviation, the greater the likelihood (and risk) that a fund's performance will fluctuate from the average return. **Alpha** is the annualized percentage difference between a portfolio's actual returns and its expected performance given its level of market risk, as measured by beta. **Turnover** is a measure of the fund's trading activity which represents the portion of the fund's holdings that has changed over a twelve-month period through the fiscal year end. There is no assurance that the fund will maintain its current level of turnover.

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a Morningstar Rating <sup>™</sup> based on how a fund ranks on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure against other funds in the same category. This measure takes into account variations in a fund's monthly performance, and does not take into account the effects of sales charges and loads, placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance. The top 10% of funds in each 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 weights are: 100% 3-year rating for 36-59 months of total returns, 60% 5-year rating/40% 3-year rating for 60-119 months of total returns, and 50% 10-year rating/30% 5-year rating/20% 3-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 3-year period actually has the greatest impact because it is included in all three rating periods. The fund's Advisor Class shares received a Morningstar Rating of 4, 3 and 4 and fund's Class A shares received a Morningstar Rating of 4, 3 and 3 star(s) for the 3-, 5- and 10-year periods, respectively. Franklin Templeton provides this fund's Morningstar Rating<sup>™</sup> for Advisor Class and Class A shares only. Other share classes may have different Morningstar ratings.

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