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ARGUS INTERNATIONAL GROWTH & INCOME STRATEGY

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Argus International Growth & Income seeks current income and long-term capital appreciation through a globally diversified portfolio.

The International Growth & income Strategy may be appropriate for investors who:

- Seek total return through a combination of income-generating and growth-oriented assets
- Have a moderate risk tolerance for market volatility
- Are looking to diversify their portfolios through exposure to international equities.

PORTFOLIO STRATEGY

The Argus International Growth & Income Strategy is a globally diversified portfolio of 25-40 companies selected for their ability to deliver consistent earnings growth and above-market dividend growth regardless of market cycles.

Argus builds the International G&I Portfolio using a top-down, fundamentals-based approach focused on:

- **Global Leaders:** World-class companies with either equities or ADRs listed on U.S. exchanges, offering investors transparency, liquidity and regulatory oversight.
- **Reliable Dividends:** Screening for companies that have the financial strength and growth metrics to sustain dividends even in volatile markets.
- Macro Integration: Factoring in global trends such as interest rates, currency shifts, and regional policies to reduce reliance on the U.S. market and U.S. monetary volatility.
- **Risk Management:** Argus analysts cover the stocks in the strategy. The PMs seek broad geographic and industry diversification to balance exposure among regions, currencies and sectors.

WHAT SETS ARGUS APART

Argus Investors' Counsel, Inc. is a Registered Investment Advisor with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

- A trusted fiduciary since 1960
- Leading independent research company for 90+ years
- Time-tested fundamental approach
- Award-winning research analysts
- Women-owned business

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PORTFOLIO RISKS

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The Argus International Growth & income Model Portfolio is not intended to be a complete investment program.

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