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The DNA of Volatility

Standard Deviation For One Year, as of June 30, 2026

	One-Day	Ten-Day
S&P 500	±1%	±2%
Gold Bullion	±2%	±5%
Oil	±2%	±6%
Bitcoin	±2%	±7%
JETS	±3%	±6%
NYSE Arca Airline Index	±3%	±8%
GROW	±3%	±9%
GOAU	±3%	±9%
HIVE Digital Technologies Ltd.	±6%	±23%



Nasdaq: GROW

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Top Institutional Shareholders

Percentage of Shares Outstanding, as of 06/30/2026

1 **10.85%** **GATOR** 
CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

2 **6.84%**  CAPITAL WEALTH ADVISORS

3 **5.60%**  **Vanguard**[®]



Frank Holmes CEO and CIO owns approximately **21%** of the company and has approximately **99%** of voting control.



Strategy and Tactics

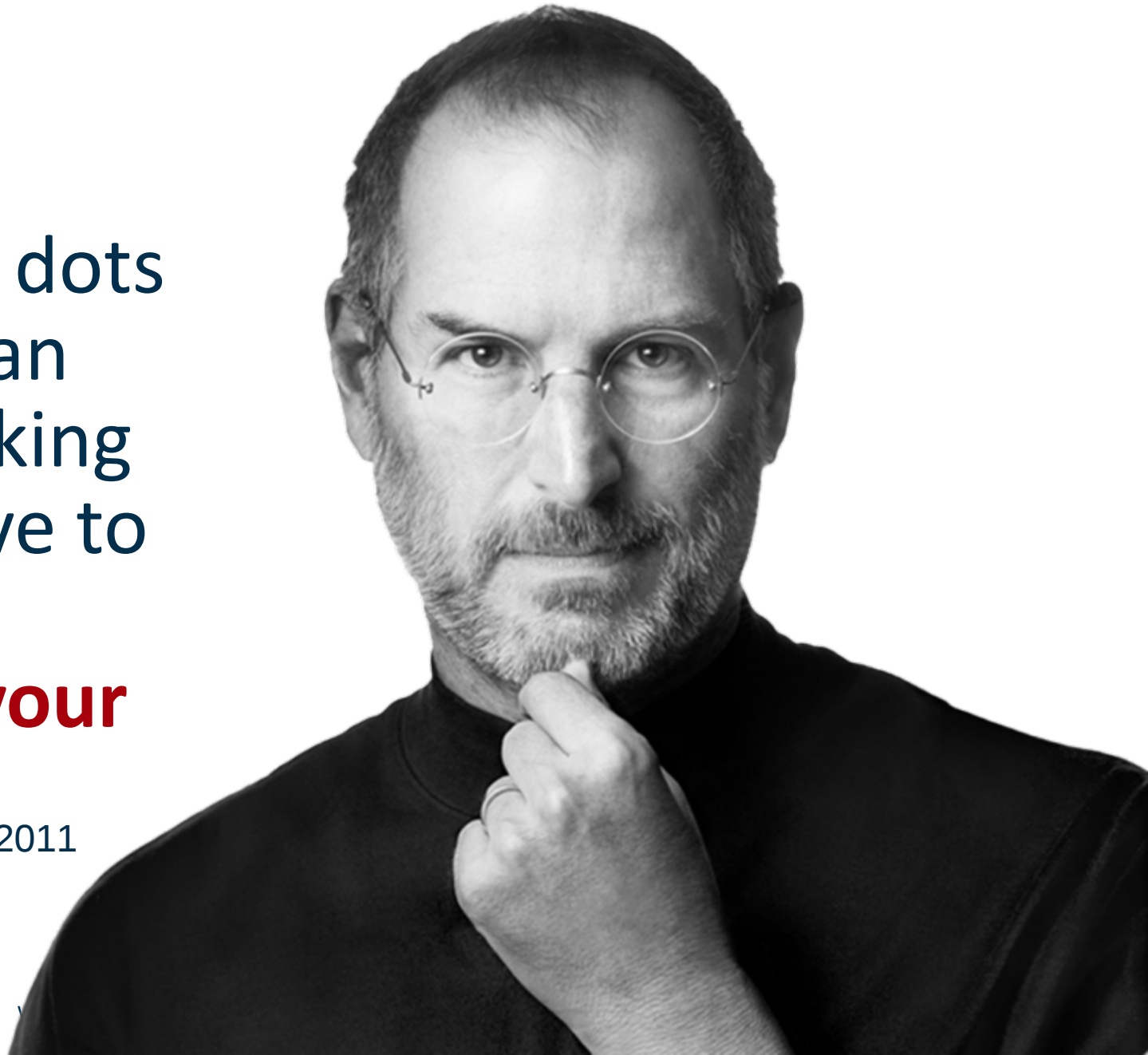
- 1 Create thematic products that are sustainable using a smart beta 2.0 strategy. Requires rigorous back testing for 1,000s of hours.
- 2 Our mission is to make people feel financially happy and secure that their wealth is consistently growing.
- 3 Strategically buy back stock using an algorithm on flat and down days.
- 4 Manage and preserve cash for future growth opportunities and market corrections.
- 5 Grow our subscriber base and followers.
- 6 Increase our exposure to Bitcoin Ecosystem.



Marketing Strategy

“You can't connect the dots looking forward; you can only connect them looking backwards. So, you have to trust that **the dots will somehow connect in your future.**”

– Steve Jobs, 1955-2011



ICI Factbook 2026: Demographics of the Average Mutual Fund Investor

In 2025:

72.7M U.S. households owned mutual funds

52% were headed by someone **35–64**

\$125K median household income

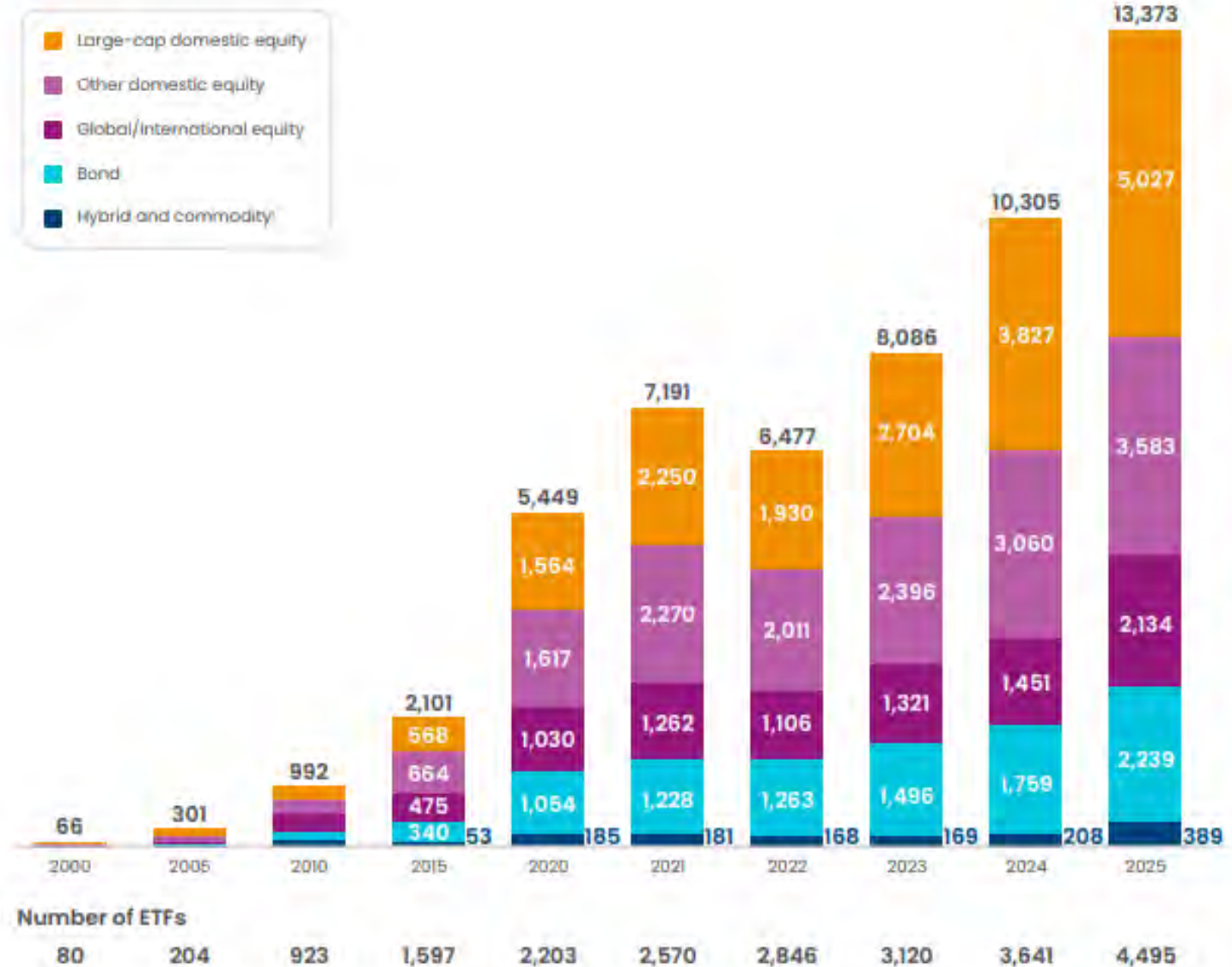
73% held funds in employer-sponsored retirement plans

\$13.7 trillion in long-term mutual fund assets were held in **defined contribution (DC) plans** and **IRAs**, representing **62% of household assets**.

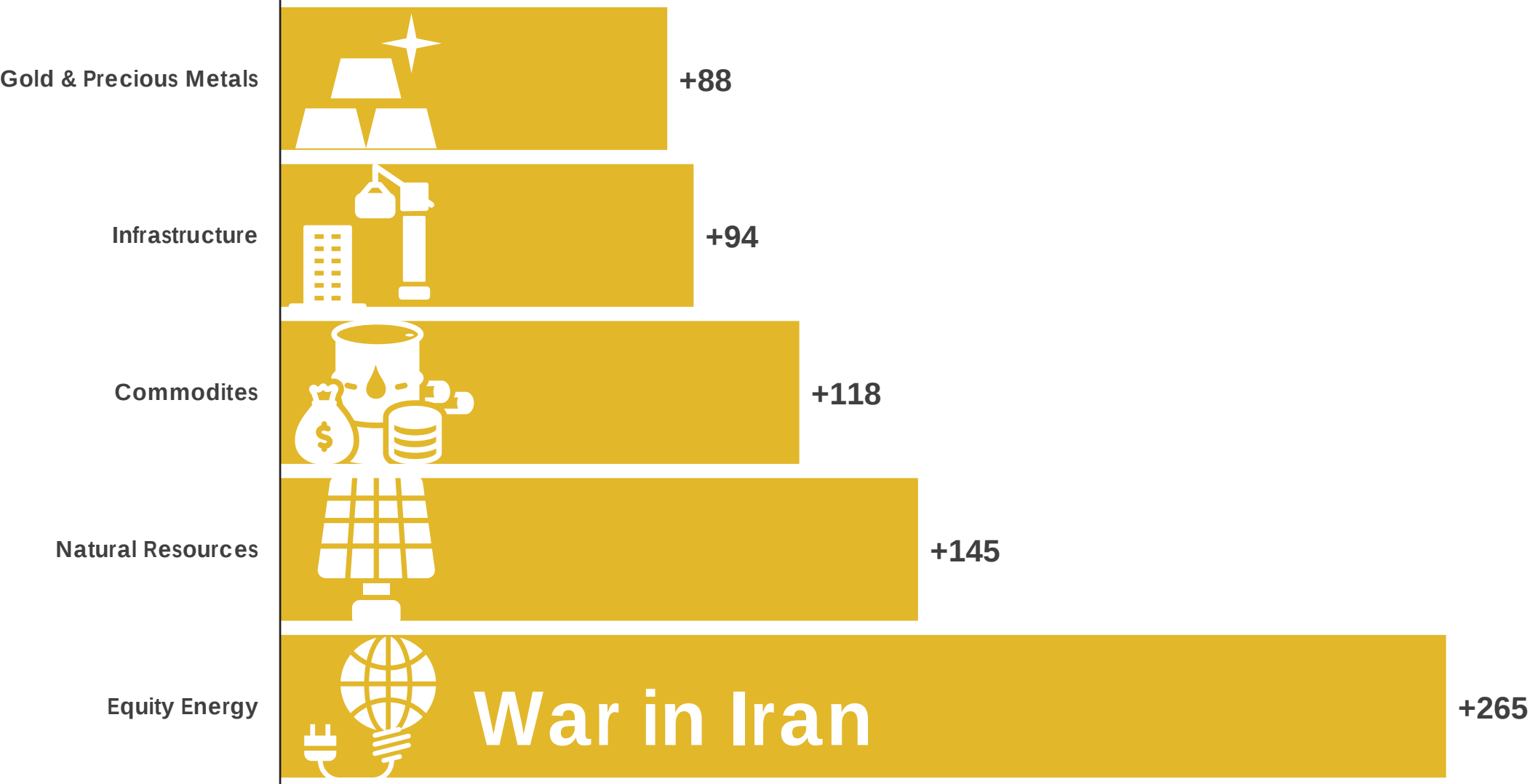


ICI Fact Book 2026: ETFs Surpassed \$13 Trillion In 2025

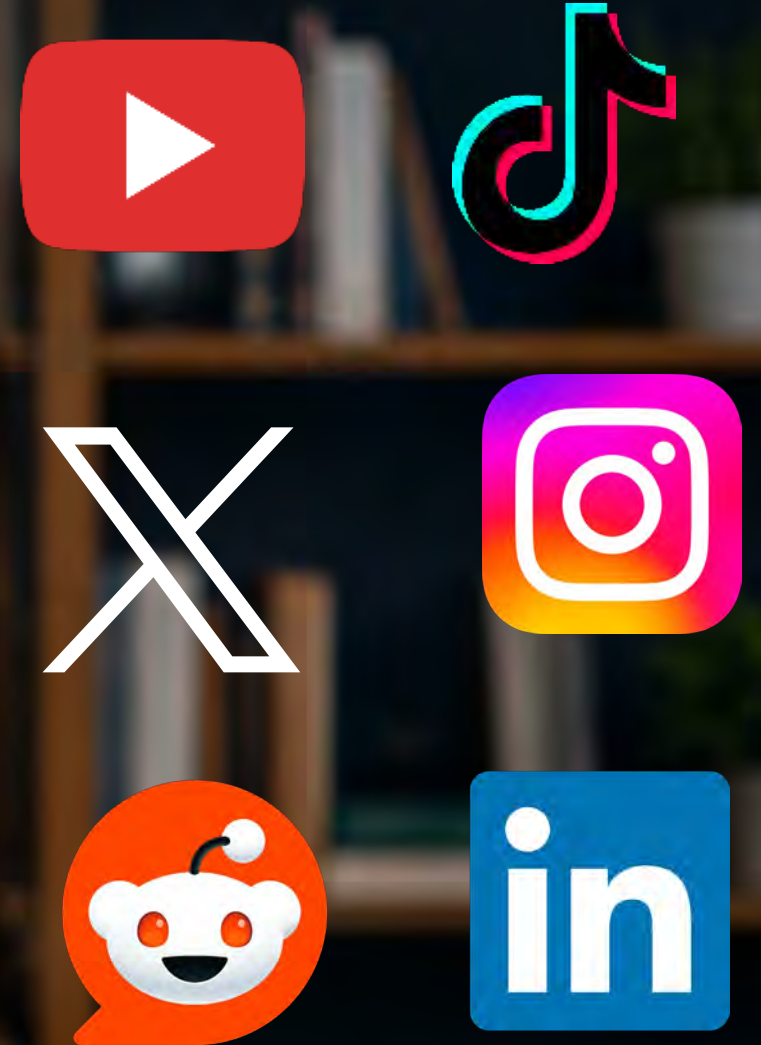
Total Net Assets of ETFs In Billions of
Dollars, Year-End



RIAs Are Rotating to Real Assets, Says AdvisorPro



Social Media: The New Classroom for **Financial** Education?



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3.3 Million Subscribers



Humphrey Yang
2 Million Subscribers

YouTube Influencers Provide Education on Thematic Investing Trends

Biggest Names in Airlines



Sam Chui
3.7 Million Subscribers



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2.5 Million Subscribers

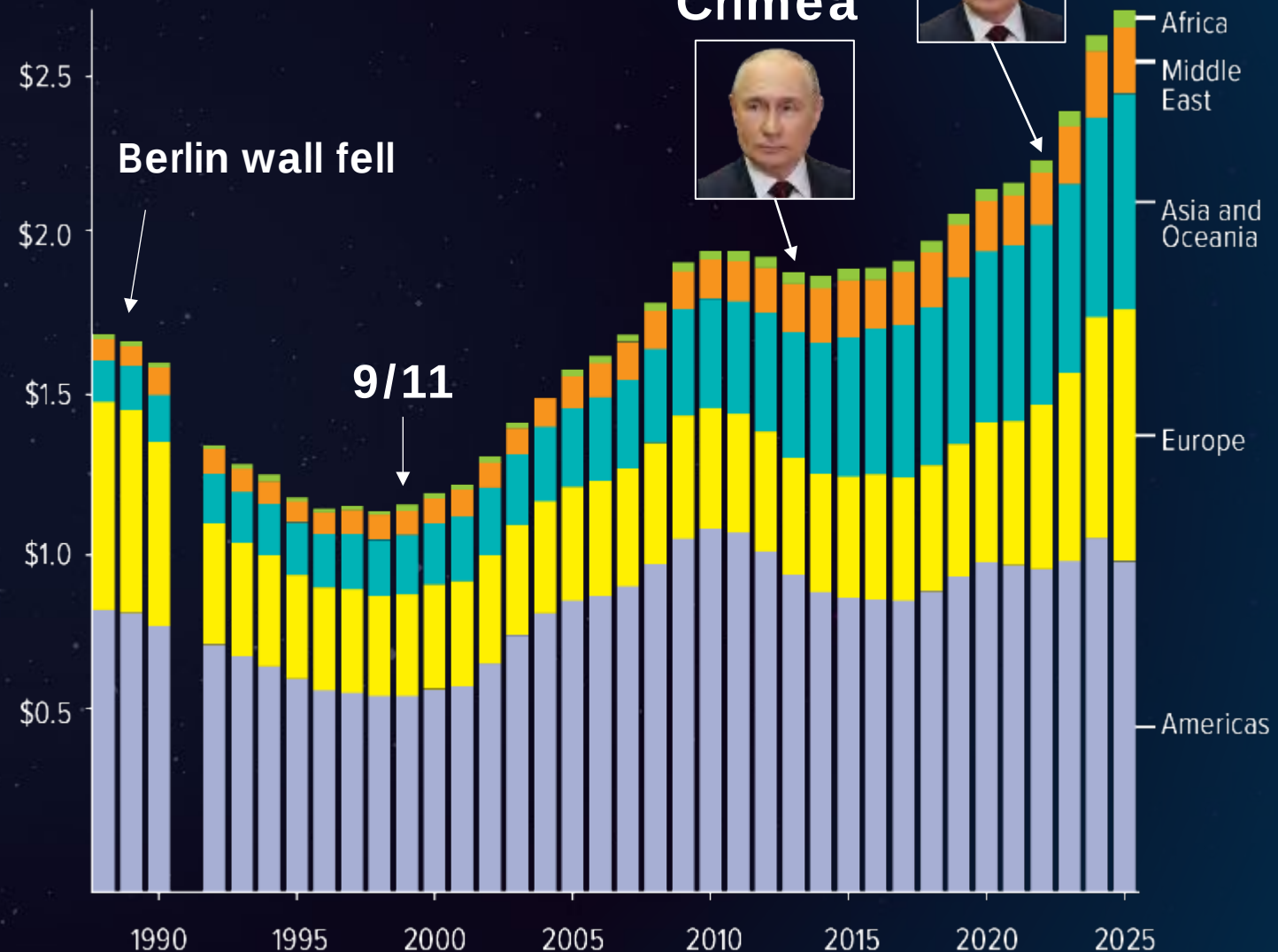


Captain Joe
1.7 Million Subscribers

Defense Spending Is Reaching Unprecedented Levels

World military
expenditure has hit a
new all-time high of
\$2.9 trillion.

Trillions of USD | Data as of April 2026



GROW Dividends

The Company has paid a monthly dividend since

June 2007

Current yield at a share price of **\$3.18** as of 08/17/2026.

2.83%

Monthly dividend payment of **\$0.0075**

Approved through September 2026.

Reviewed by the Board quarterly.



Why We Buy Back Our Stock

The Company *believes its stock is undervalued* and therefore buys back shares of GROW when the price is **flat or down from the previous trading day using an algorithm.**

This is part of the Company's **two-pillar** strategy to enhance shareholder value by paying the dividend as well as the buyback amount per year.



Current Share Repurchase Program

During fiscal year 2026, the Company repurchased a total of **733,848** class A shares using cash of **\$2.0 million**.

Since 12/31/2019 we have **reduced the shares outstanding by approximately 20%**.

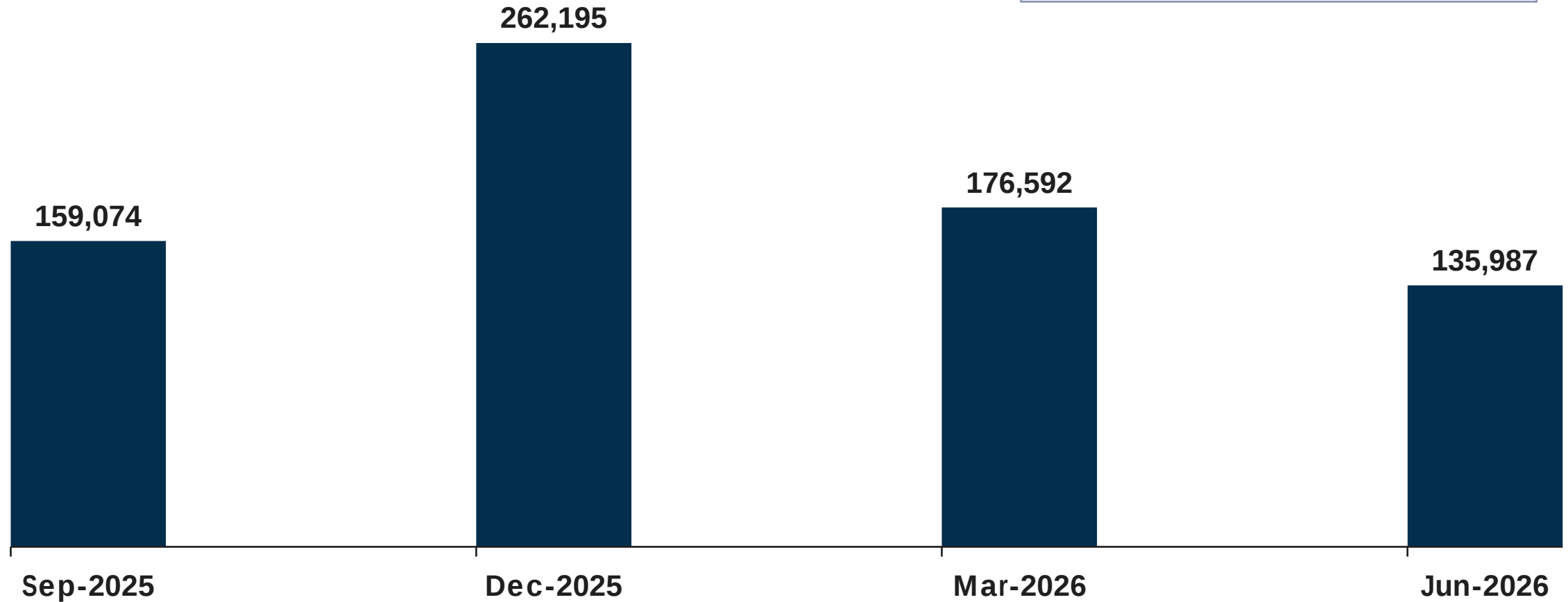
May be suspended or discontinued as deemed necessary.



GROW Buyback Recap

Quarterly Repurchases Through June 2026

*Since 12/31/2019 we have
shrunk the shares outstanding
by approximately 20%.*





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Yield Investing



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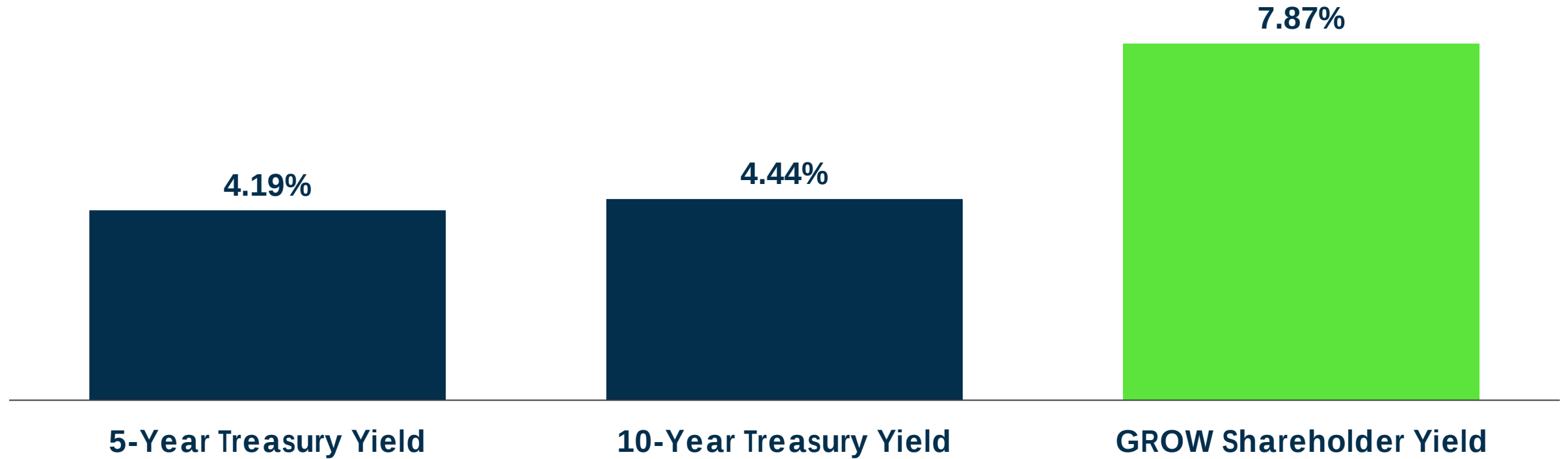
Shareholder Yield =

$$\frac{\text{Dividends} + \text{Buybacks} + \text{Debt Reduction}}{\text{Market Capitalization}}$$



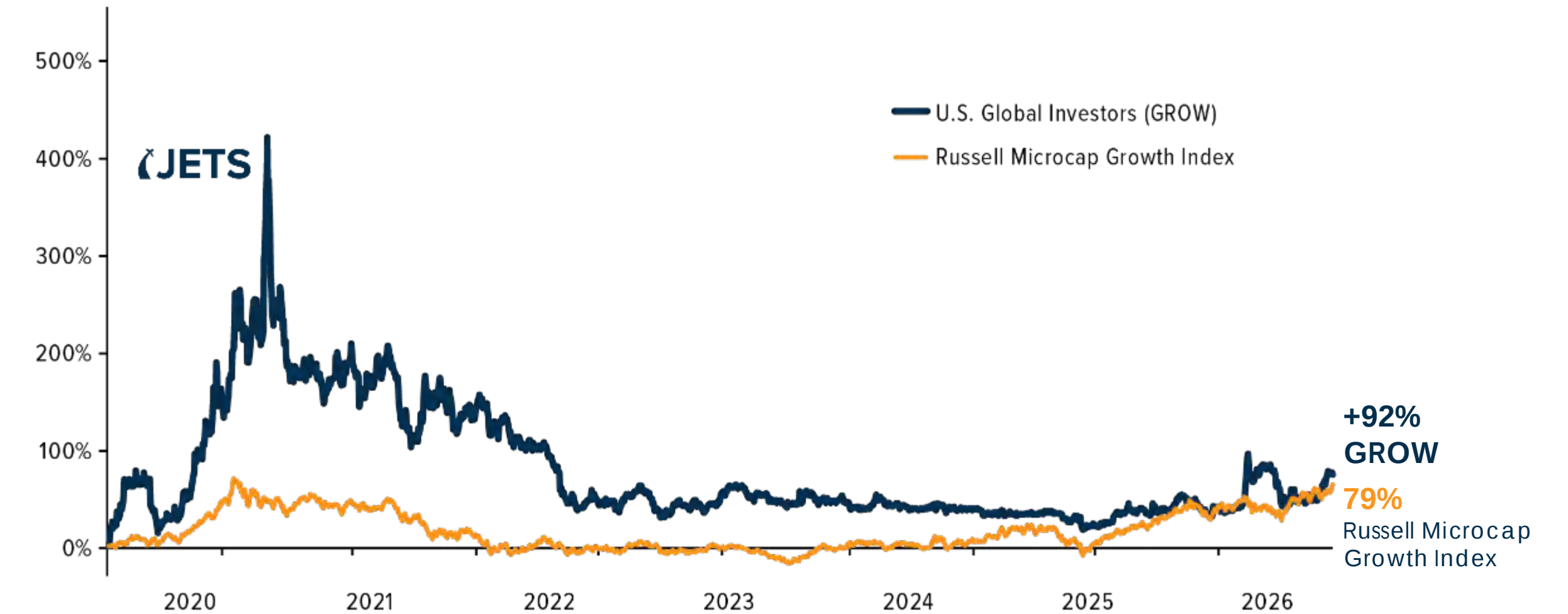
U.S. Global Investors Is Committed To Returning Value To Shareholders When Compared To Treasury Yields

Yields as of June 30, 2026



GROW Outperforms Russell Microcap Growth Index Over Six Years

June 2020 – June 2026



U.S. Global Investors vs. The Competition

As of Quarter End June 30, 2026



ETF Business	Price / Book	Return on Assets	Pre-Tax Margin	Dividend Yield	Shareholder Yield	Price Per EBITDA
100% ETFs	6.13	5.96%	32.46%	0.71%	-10.71%	15.72
60% of Operating Revenue	0.86	6.36%	37.89%	2.88%	7.87%	9.8
40% of Assets in QQQ ETF	1.16	-0.23%	24.95%	3.28%	13.24%	10.39

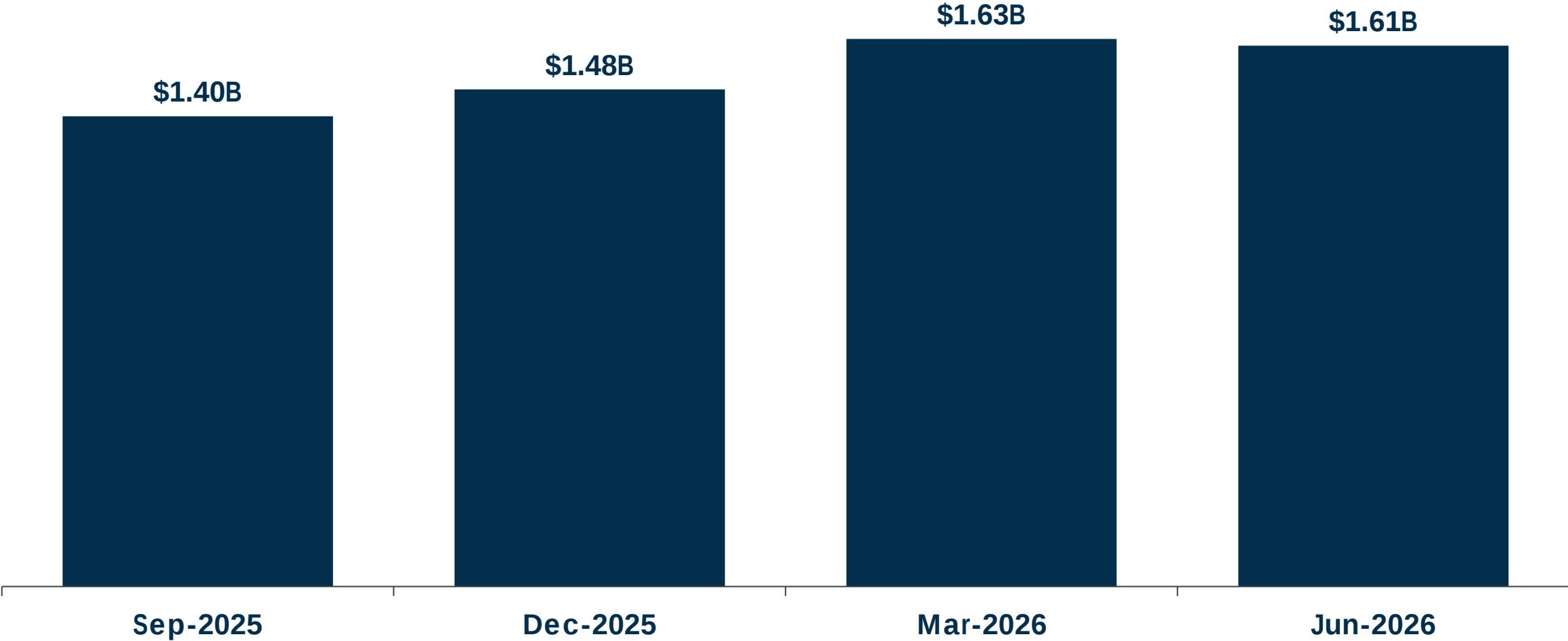
Two Platforms.

Two Investor Audiences.

	Charles Schwab 	Robinhood 
Client/platform assets	\$11.90T	~\$377B
Accounts/customers	38.5M active brokerage accounts	27.7M funded customers
Approx. assets per account/customer	~\$309,000	~\$13,600
Profile	RIA/Asset allocators	Day Traders

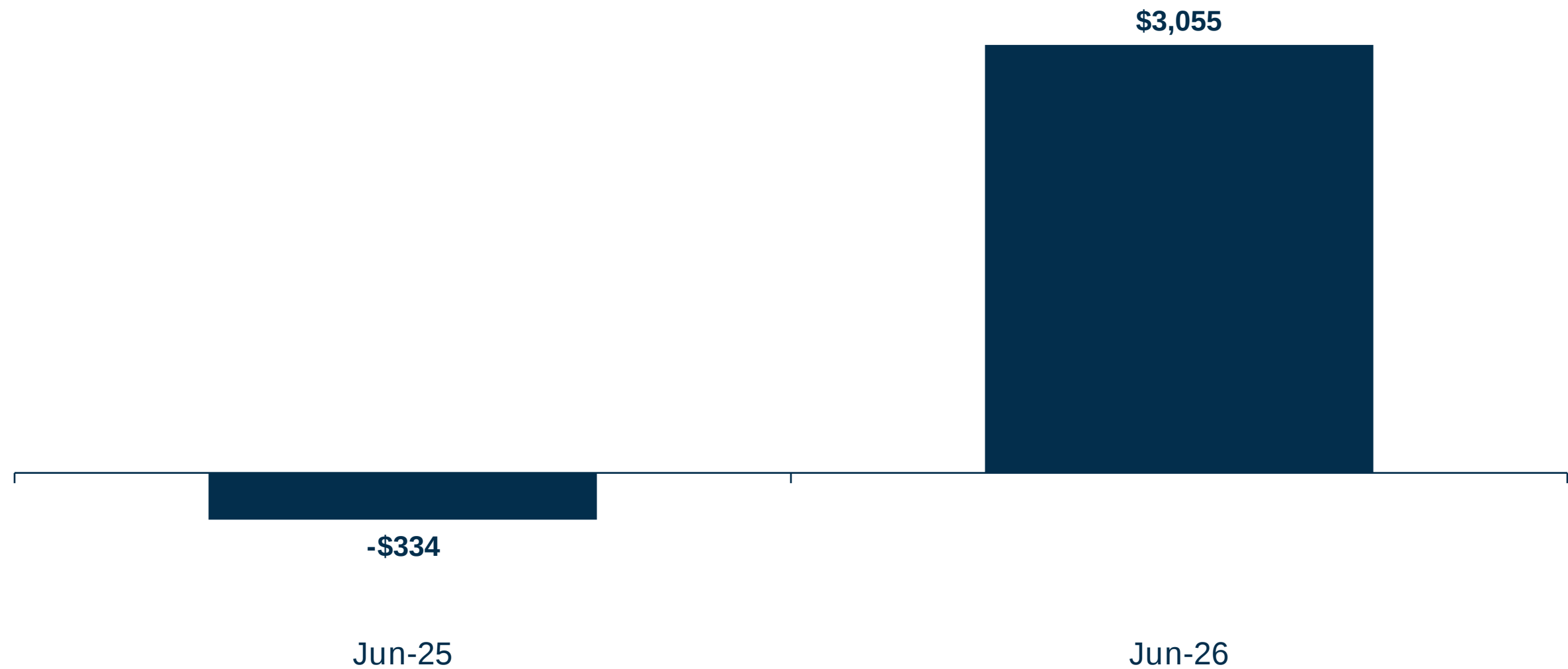
Average Assets Under Management, in Billions of USD

12-Month Period Ended June 30, 2026



Net Income Climbs, Year-Over-Year

In Thousands USD



**“A well-diversified
portfolio should
have 5-15% in gold
and Bitcoin”**

– Ray Dalio, Bridgewater Associates, 2025

**Total AUM
\$136.5B**



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TOTAL GLOBAL DEBT

Trillions of USD

\$350
TRILLION*

M.M.T.
MODERN MONETARY THEORY



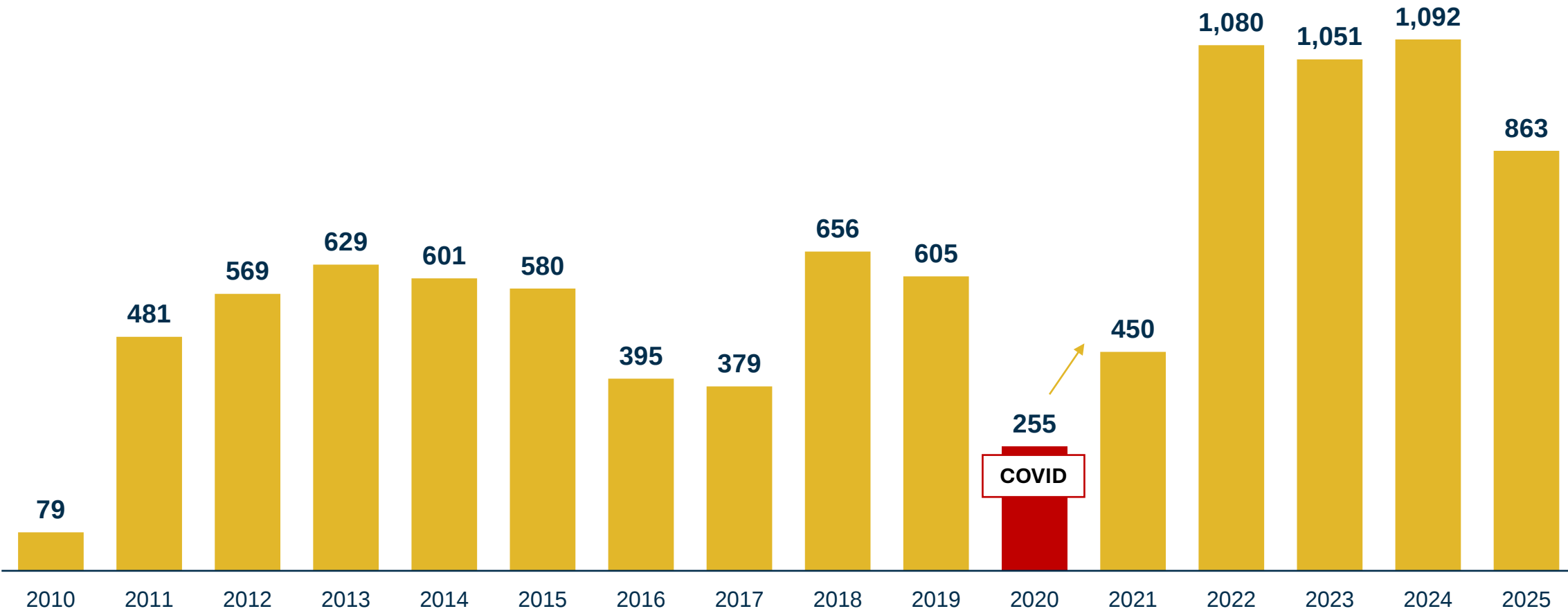
RIISING DEBT. REAL CONSEQUENCES. THE FUTURE WON'T WAIT.

*Estimated total global debt

Source: IIF Global Debt Monitor, @KobeissiLetter, U.S. Global Investors

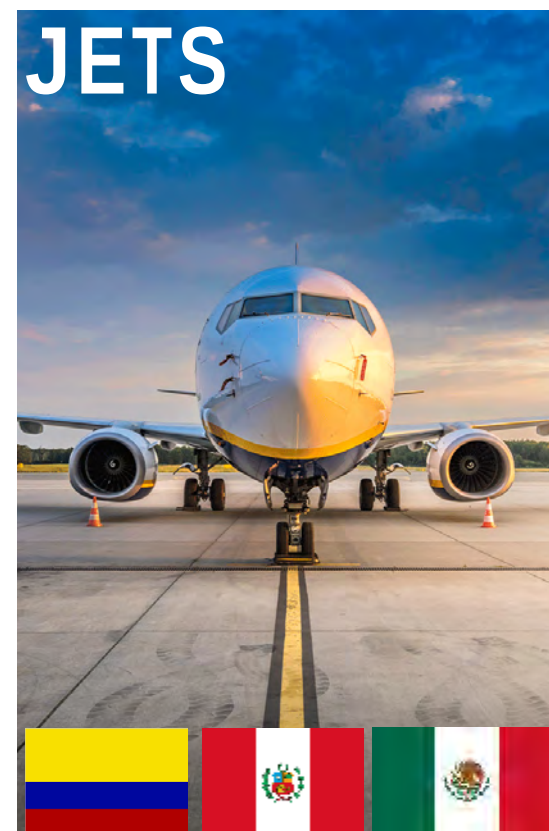
Central Banks Have Been Net Purchasers of Gold Since 2010

Metric Tons | 2015 – 2025



Building a Smarter Thematic ETF Platform

– Multiple Listings



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Gains Seen Across Thematic Fund Lineup



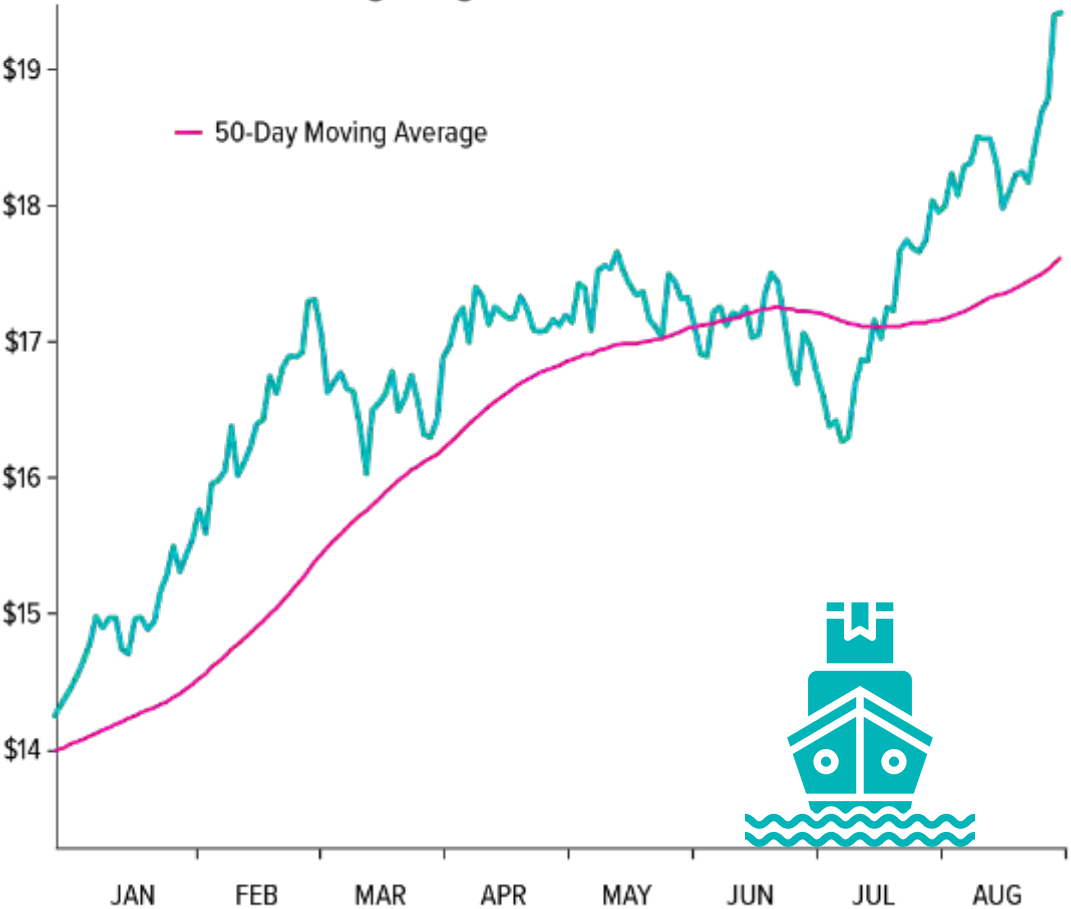
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Momentum Across Thematic Portfolio Lineup

SEA ETF Climbs Year-to-Date

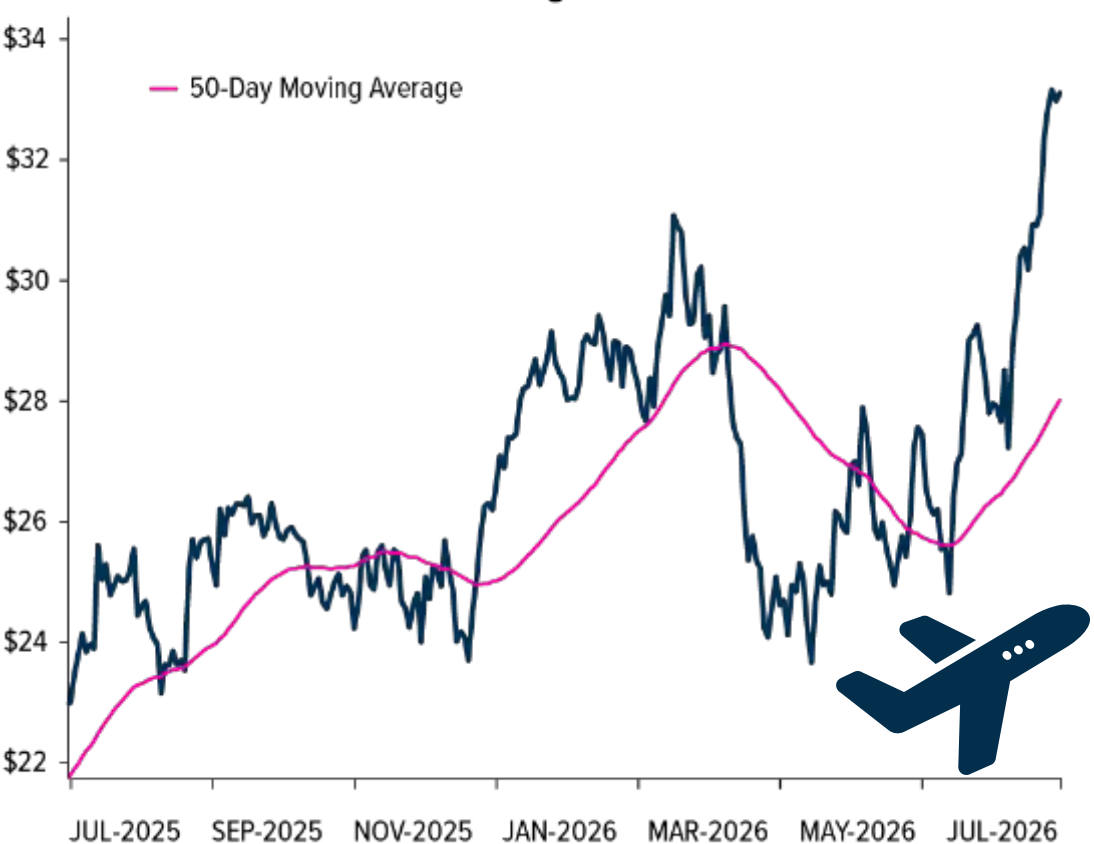
ETF Price In USD, Through August 18, 2026



Source: Bloomberg, U.S. Global Investors

JETS ETF Trading Above the 50-Day Moving Average

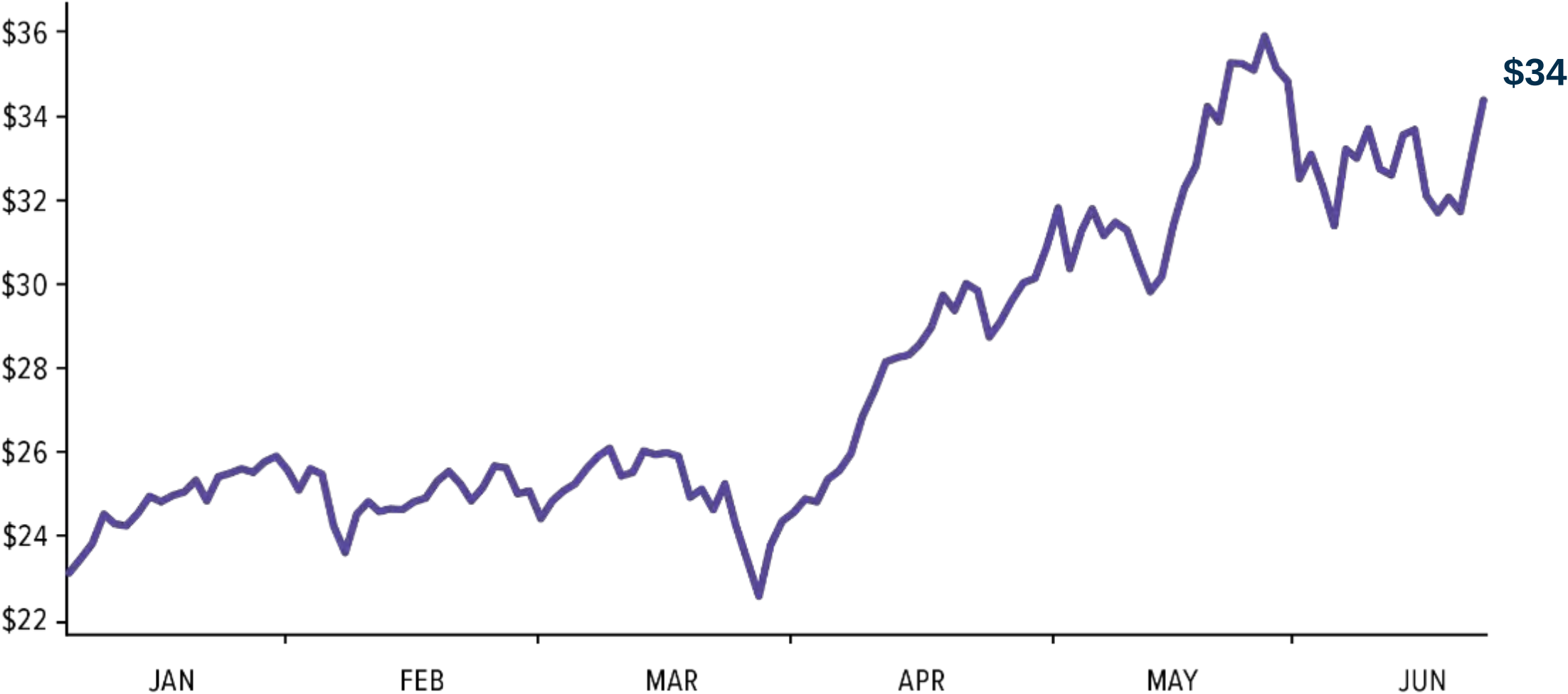
NAV Price | 12-Month Period Through June 30, 2026



Past performance does not guarantee future results. Source: Bloomberg, U.S. Global Investors

Momentum Across Thematic Portfolio Lineup

WAR ETF NAV Price | Year-to-Date through June 30, 2026



Income Statement - Financial Analysis

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CFO



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Fiscal Year 2026

Financial Highlights

- 1 Average assets under management of **\$1.53 billion** for the 12-month period.
- 2 Operating revenues of **\$10.3 million**
- 3 Net Income of **\$3.1 million**



Operational Earnings
(Cash Flow)

Investment Earnings
Realized (Cash Flow)
Unrealized

+

Earnings

Consolidated Statements of Operations

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

	Year Ended June 30,	
	2026	2025
Operating Revenues		
Advisory fees	\$ 10,032	\$ 8,325
Administrative services fees	219	127
Total Operating Revenues	10,251	8,452
Operating Expenses		
Employee compensation and benefits	4,958	4,931
General and administrative	5,341	5,795
Advertising	507	650
Depreciation	42	61
Interest	6	1
Total Operating Expenses	10,854	11,438

Consolidated Statements of Operations

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

	Year Ended June 30,	
	2026	2025
Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (603)	\$ (2,986)
Other Income (Loss)		
Net investment income (loss)	4,148	2,393
Other Income (loss)	339	331
Total Other Income (Loss)	4,487	2,724
Income (Loss) Before Income Taxes	3,884	(262)
Provision for Income Taxes		
Tax expense (benefit)	829	72
Net Income (Loss)	\$ 3,055	\$ (334)
Earnings (Loss) Per Share		
Basic Net Income (Loss) per share	\$ 0.24	\$ (0.03)
Diluted Net Income (Loss) per share	\$ 0.24	\$ (0.03)
Basic weighted average number of common shares outstanding	12,674,691	13,343,506
Diluted weighted average number of common shares outstanding	12,686,445	13,344,627

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	June 30, 2026	June 30, 2025
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 24,330	\$ 24,552
Restricted cash	1,000	1,000
Investments in trading securities at fair value, current	8,871	9,692
Investments in held-to-maturity debt securities at amortized cost, current	1,000	-
Less: Allowance for credit losses	(28)	-
Investments in held-to-maturity debt securities, net of allowance for credit losses, current	972	-
Accounts and other receivables (net of allowance for credit losses of \$0, and \$0, respectively)	1,328	1,036
Receivable for investment principal repayments (net of allowance for credit losses of \$0, and \$0, respectively)	-	750
Tax receivable	549	1,540
Prepaid expenses	528	549
Total Current Assets	37,578	39,119
Net Property and Equipment	1,117	1,101

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	June 30, 2026	June 30, 2025
Other Assets		
Deferred tax asset	\$ 1,461	\$ 1,268
Investments in trading securities at fair value, non-current	2,873	2,496
Investments in available-for-sale debt securities at fair value (amortized cost: \$0, and \$3,993, respectively) (net of allowance for credit losses of \$0, and \$0, respectively)	-	1,576
Investments in held-to-maturity debt securities at amortized cost, non-current	-	1,000
Less: Allowance for credit losses	-	(52)
Investments in held-to-maturity debt securities, net of allowance for credit losses, non-current	-	948
Other Investments	4,682	1,349
Financing lease, right of use assets	65	8
Other assets, non-current	258	199
Total Other Assets	9,339	7,844
Total Assets	\$ 48,034	\$ 48,064

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	June 30, 2026	June 30, 2025
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 4	\$ 10
Accrued compensation and related costs	447	469
Dividends payable	279	296
Financing lease liability, short-term	28	8
Other accrued expenses	1,149	1,091
Total Current Liabilities	1,907	1,874
Long-Term Liabilities		
Deferred tax liability	13	17
Reserve for uncertain tax positions	855	891
Notes payable	75	75
Financing lease liability, long-term	45	-
Total Long-Term Liabilities	988	983
Total Liabilities	2,895	2,857
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 17)		

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	June 30, 2026	June 30, 2025
Shareholders' Equity		
Common stock (class A) - \$0.025 par value; nonvoting; 28,000,000 shares authorized; 13,866,999 shares issued at June 30, 2026, and June 30, 2025; 10,275,982 and 10,982,687 shares outstanding at June 30, 2026, and June 30, 2025, respectively	\$ 347	\$ 347
Common stock (class B) - \$0.025 par value; nonvoting; 4,500,000 shares authorized; no shares issued	-	-
Convertible common stock (class C) - \$0.025 par value; voting; 3,500,000 shares authorized; 2,068,549 shares issued and outstanding at June 30, 2026, and June 30, 2025	52	52
Additional paid-in-capital	16,564	16,556
Treasury stock, class A shares at cost; 3,591,017 and 2,884,312 shares at June 30, 2026, and June 30, 2025, respectively	(9,689)	(7,781)
Accumulated comprehensive income, net of tax	-	98
Retained earnings	37,865	35,935
Total Shareholders' Equity	45,139	45,207
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 48,034	\$ 48,064

Marketing Highlights

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Director Of Marketing



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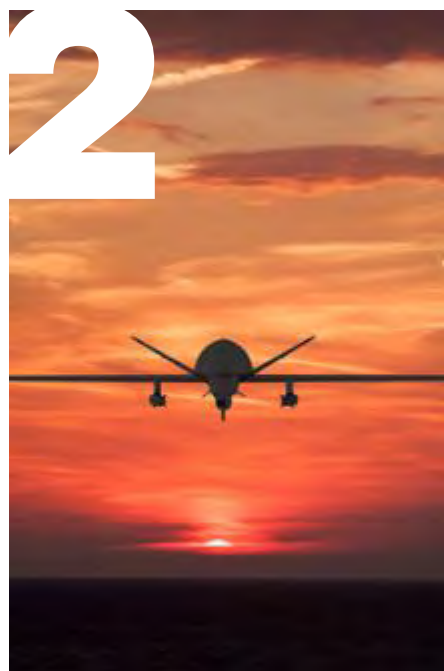


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