# LPL FINANCIAL AT-A-GLANCE

LPL Supports Your Financial Advisor Who Serves You

## LPL FINANCIAL **FOUNDED IN**

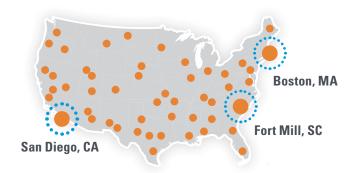
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1989

1973 Private Ledger

(through the merger of Linsco and Private Ledger, founded in 1968 and 1973, respectively)

## LPL FINANCIAL LOCATIONS ACROSS AMERICA



### **EMPLOYEES**



3,254

# **INDEPENDENT ADVISORS**



14,185

#### **ASSETS**



\$502B\*

## **BROKER/DEALER**



Largest Independent Broker-Dealer (based on total revenue) and the 5th Largest (by number of advisors)

# LPL RESEARCH



Number of Employees

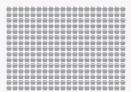


Average Years of **Industry Experience** 



~40

Number of Advanced **Degrees and Certifications** 



Number of Portfolios Managed\*



950+

Number of Approved or Recommended Managers\*



#### NO. 1 IN NET CUSTOMER LOYALTY

LPL Financial and its advisors have been ranked No. 1 in net customer loyalty among 24 leading financial distributor firms in a 2015 Cogent Reports<sup>™</sup> study, led by Investor Brandscape® and released by Market Strategies International. The study explores 10 categories of investor loyalty, and

LPL scored among the top five in seven of the 10 areas, including three No. 1 rankings, in:

- Quality of investment advice,
- Financial stability,
- Satisfaction of fees and expenses.



As the nation's largest independent broker/dealer (1), an RIA custodian, and the leading provider of third-party brokerage services to banks and credit unions (2), LPL backs the wisdom and experience of independent advisors with a catalogue of services and resources, including:

- Objective market research
- Compliance oversight
- Innovative technology
- Ongoing practice consulting and training



