# Hotchkis SMALL CAP VALUE FUND

**FUND FACT SHEET** 

**SEPTEMBER 30, 2025** 

#### DESCRIPTION

The Small Cap Value Fund is a concentrated portfolio that targets undervalued small cap stocks that are out of favor and often underfollowed by Wall Street research. The Fund leverages the seasoned judgment of our experienced research team. Seeking smaller companies with strong balance sheets and attractive assets, the Fund strives to outperform the Russell 2000 Value Index over a full market cycle.

#### **ABOUT US**

Since 1980, Hotchkis & Wiley has focused on discovering undervalued securities through extensive internal research. We manage \$36 billion in value equity and high yield assets for institutional and mutual fund investors. The firm is independently owned with a majority interest held by employees.

## PERFORMANCE (%) as of September 30, 2025

	QTR	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since 9/20/85
Small Cap Value Fund – I Shares	6.95	3.03	2.58	13.46	19.96	9.32	11.00
Russell 2000 Value Index	12.60	9.04	7.88	13.56	14.59	9.23	n/a

The performance shown represents past performance. Past performance is no quarantee of future results and current performance may be higher or lower than the performance shown. Investment results and principal value will fluctuate so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. To obtain performance data current to the most recent month-end, access our website at www.hwcm.com.

The Fund's total annual operating gross expense ratio as of the most current prospectus is 1.06% for I Shares; 0.99% net expense ratio. The Advisor has contractually agreed to waive advisory fees and/or reimburse expenses through August 29, 2026. Expense ratio shown is gross of any fee waivers or expense reimbursements. I Shares sold to a limited group of investors. Periods over one year are average annual total return. Average annual total returns include reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Expense limitations may have increased the Fund's total return.

# TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)1



F5 Inc.	8.7
Stagwell Inc.	4.7
NOV Inc.	4.3
Avnet Inc.	3.8
U-Haul Holding Co.	3.7
Olin Corp.	3.5
Working Inc	2.2

Portfolio

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7.	Workiva Inc.	3.3
8.	First Hawaiian Inc.	3.2
9.	SLM Corp.	2.9
10.	Popular Inc.	2.8

#### PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

	Portfolio	Russell 2000 Value
Price/Normal Earnings <sup>2</sup>	7.3x	12.1x
Forward Price/Earnings (FY2)	11.3x	12.2x
Price/Book	1.4x	1.3x
Weighted Avg Mkt Cap (\$B)	\$6.4	\$3.3
Number of Securities	63	1,431
Turnover (5 Yr Avg)	39%	
Active Share (5 Yr Avg)	96	

## SECTOR ALLOCATION (%)1

	Portfolio	Compared to Russell 2000 Value
Information Technology	17.2	9.0
Energy	12.2	5.3
Industrials	15.7	2.6
Communication Services	5.5	2.4
Materials	6.3	1.3
Consumer Discretionary	9.7	-0.6
Consumer Staples	0.0	-1.7
Utilities	4.5	-1.7
Health Care	5.1	-4.2
Financials	20.1	-6.2
Real Estate	2.8	-7.2

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1% of total portfolio includes total investments, cash and cash equivalents, and accrued investment income on a trade date basis. 
2Proprietary or third-party estimates subject to change and cannot be guaranteed.

You should consider the Fund's investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses carefully before you invest. This and other important information is contained in the Fund's summary prospectus and prospectus, which can be obtained by calling 1-800-796-5606 or visiting our website at www.hwcm.com. Read carefully before you invest.

Investing in smaller and/or newer companies involves greater risks than those associated with investing in larger companies. Please read the fund prospectus for a full list of fund risks.

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The Russell 2000® Value Index measures the performance of those Russell 2000® companies with lower price-to-book ratios and lower forecasted growth values. The index does not reflect the payment of transaction costs, fees and expenses associated with an investment in the Fund. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

Data source: H&W, Russell, Bloomberg. Holdings are subject to change and are not buy/sell recommendations. Price/Normal Earnings is the current market price per share divided by normalized earnings per share. Forward Price/Earnings (FY2) is the projected P/E ratios of the companies invested in the portfolio, which ratios represent current market price per share divided by a company's estimated future earnings-per-share. Projected earnings are consensus analyst forecasts; actual P/E ratios may differ from projected P/E ratios. Price/Book is the price of a stock divided by its book value. Market Capitalization of a company is calculated by multiplying the number of outstanding shares by the current market price of a share. Turnover is an annualized rate found by dividing the lesser of purchases and sales by the average of portfolio assets. Active Share is the extent to which the portfolio differs from the designated Index.