

U.S. Small-Cap Blend Fund

October 2017: Fund Factsheet

Performance (% net of fees)

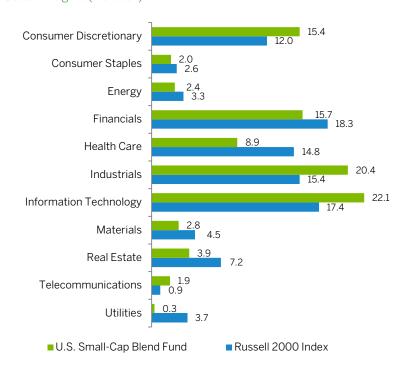
As of 31 October 2017

| ANNUALISED RETURNS: | 1 MO | 3 МО | YTD | 1 YR | 3 YR | ITD |
|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| U.S. Small-Cap Blend Fund B USD | 1.9 | 5.0 | 13.3 | 23.2 | 10.5 | 11.2 |
| Russell 2000 USD | 0.9 | 5.8 | 11.9 | 27.9 | 10.1 | 11.2 |

| ROLLING 12 MONTH RETURNS: | 10.16 | 10.15 | 10.14 | 10.13 |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | 10.17 | 10.16 | 10.15 | 10.14 |
| U.S. Small-Cap Blend Fund B USD | 23.2 | 4.9 | 4.3 | 5.8 |
| Russell 2000 USD | 27.8 | 4.1 | 0.3 | 8.1 |

Source: Brown Brothers Harriman and Morningstar. Performance over 1 year is annualised.

Sector Weights (inc. cash)



Characteristics

| | U.S. SMALL-CAP BLEND | RUSSELL 2000 |
|------------------|----------------------|--------------|
| FY2 P/E Ratio | 21.0x | 18.4x |
| P/E-Growth Ratio | 1.6x | 1.5x |
| Gross Yield* | 1.04% | 1.26% |
| Cash | 4.3% | - |
| Market Cap | | |
| Weighted Average | \$4.4 bn | \$2.2 bn |
| <\$1 billion | 14.9% | 20.1% |
| \$1-2 billion | 19.1% | 27.9% |
| \$2-5 billion | 33.2% | 49.3% |
| >\$5 billion | 28.5% | 2.7% |

 $[\]mbox{\ensuremath{^{+}}}$ Dividend yield for each share class is lower. Dividend rates are available upon request.

Fund Facts

The Fund aims to achieve capital appreciation through a combination of the Brown Advisory U.S. Small-Cap Growth and Small-Cap Value strategies. The allocation is currently 50%-50%. This is not a fund of funds. The Fund is diversified and style-agnostic making it more reflective of the broad U.S. small-cap universe.

| Co-Managers | Christopher Berrier David Schuster |
|---------------|---------------------------------------|
| Structure | UCITS (Ireland) |
| Base Currency | USD |
| Launch Date | 8 July 2013 |
| Fund Size | USD 228 million |
| Holdings | 129 |
| Dealing | Daily |

Top 10 Equity Holdings

| SECURITY | |
|--|------|
| Waste Connections, Inc. | 2.5 |
| Albany International Corp. Class A | 2.4 |
| Broadridge Financial Solutions, Inc. | 2.2 |
| EchoStar Corporation Class A | 1.9 |
| BroadSoft, Inc. | 1.8 |
| Core-Mark Holding Company, Inc. | 1.7 |
| MAXIMUS, Inc. | 1.6 |
| Forest City Realty Trust Inc. Class A | 1.6 |
| Bright Horizons Family Solutions, Inc. | 1.6 |
| Liberty Interactive Corporation Ventures Series A | 1.6 |
| Total | 18.9 |

Performance Contributors

Source: Factset

| TOP 5 CONTRIBUTORS | % |
|---|---------------|
| Kadant Inc. | +15.3 |
| Blackbaud, Inc. | +15.4 |
| BroadSoft, Inc. | +9.0 |
| Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc. | +13.7 |
| Cogent Communications Holdings Inc. | +10.2 |
| BOTTOM 5 CONTRIBUTORS | |
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| Liberty TripAdvisor Holdings Inc. Class A | -12.6 |
| MACOM Technology Solutions Holdings, Inc. | -12.6 -8.4 |
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otal return (%) of equity security is the sum of the return from price move



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| Share Classes (Inception Date) | 1 Mo | 3 Mo | YTD | 1 Yr | 3 Yr | ITD | NAV |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| U.S. Small-Cap Blend A USD (22-Jan-2014) | 1.9 | 4.9 | 12.9 | 22.7 | 9.9 | 7.4 | 13.09 |
| U.S. Small-Cap Blend B USD Acc. (08-July-2013) | 1.9 | 5.0 | 13.3 | 23.2 | 10.5 | 11.2 | 15.82 |
| U.S. Small-Cap Blend C USD (06-Nov-2013) | 1.9 | 5.1 | 13.8 | 23.8 | 11.0 | 9.8 | 14.53 |
| U.S. Small-Cap Blend A EUR Hedged (06-Aug-2014) | 1.7 | 4.4 | 11.2 | 20.5 | 9.0 | 10.1 | 13.64 |
| Russell 2000 USD (08-July-2013) | 0.9 | 5.8 | 11.9 | 27.9 | 10.1 | 11.2 | - |

Fund Facts

| Administrator | Brown Brothers Harriman (Ireland) |
|---|--|
| Administrator contact | Tel: +353 1603 6490 |
| Settlement | T+3 |
| Minimum Investment (in relevant currency) | A: 5,000 B: 10,000,000 |
| Registered for sale | AUT, CHE, DEU, DNK ¹ , ESP, FIN, FRA, GBR, IRL, ITA, NOR, SGP ² , SWE |
| Eligibility (UK) | ISA and SIPP |

Share Classes

| | ISIN | TICKER | AMC |
|-----------------------|--------------|---------|-------|
| Dollar A Class | IE00BG5H9W25 | BAUSCAA | 1.50% |
| Dollar B Class (Acc.) | IE00BBMT2Q16 | BAUSCBU | 1.00% |
| Dollar C Class* | IE00BBMT2P09 | BAUSCAU | seed |
| Hedged Euro A Class | IE00BBMT2T47 | BAUSCAE | 1.50% |

^{*}Dollar C Share Class is closed to new investors. Additional share classes may be

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- Independent since 1998, employee-owned
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The benchmark is the Russell 2000® Index. The Russell 2000® Index measures the performance of the small-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. It is a subset of the Russell 3000® Index representing approximately 10% of the total market capitalization of that index. It includes approximately 2000 of the smallest securities based on a combination of their market cap and current index membership. The Russell 2000® Index is constructed to provide a comprehensive and unbiased small-cap barometer and is completely reconstituted annually to ensure that larger stocks do not distort the performance and characteristics of the true small-cap opportunity set. The Russell 2000® Index is a trademark/service mark of the Frank Russell Company. An investor cannot invest directly into an index.

 $^{^{1}}$ Only certain share classes registered in Denmark, please contact us for more information.

² Singapore - restricted scheme, please contact us for more information.

³ As of 30 September 2017, Brown Advisory had more than USD 57 billion in client assets.