

SMALL/MID CAP GROWTH STRATEGY

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INVESTMENT STRATEGY

The Strategy employs rigorous bottom-up, fundamental analysis to identify high quality companies in the early stages of their growth trajectory and which we believe will deliver attractive risk-adjusted returns over the long term. We incorporate our three-basket portfolio construction process to diversify holdings across industry leading basic value stocks, consistent earners and faster growing emerging franchises. Consisting primarily of U.S. businesses, the Strategy may invest in companies of any size but focuses on small- and mid-cap stocks.

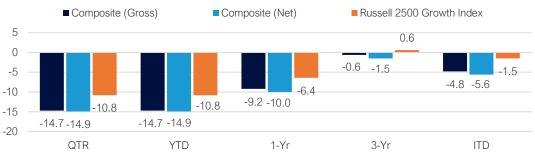
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Supported by the entire Thornburg investment team.

INVESTMENT RESULTS

ANNUALIZED RETURNS (%)



CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (%)	2024	2023	2022	2021
Composite (Gross)	21.33	21.28	-33.27	-3.18
Composite (Net)	20.29	20.23	-33.86	-3.99
Russell 2500 Growth Index	13.90	18.93	-26.21	5.04
Excess Return (Gross)	7.43	2.35	-7.06	-8.22

ITD is Inception to Date. In US\$ terms. Returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations. Periods less than one year are not annualized.

Performance data for the Small/Mid Cap Growth Strategy is from the Small/Mid Cap Growth Composite, inception date of 1 January 2021. The Small/Mid Cap Growth Composite includes discretionary accounts invested in the Small/Mid Cap Growth Strategy. Returns are calculated using a time-weighted and asset-weighted calculation including reinvestment of dividends and income. Periods less than one year are not annualized. Individual account performance will vary. The performance data quoted represents past performance; it does not guarantee future results. Gross of fee returns are net of transaction costs and investment advisory fees. Thornburg Investment Management Inc.'s fee schedule is detailed in Part 2A of its ADV brochure. Performance results of the firm's clients will be reduced by the firm's management fees. For example, an account with a compounded annual total return of 10% would have increased by 159% over ten years. Assuming an annual management fee of 0.75%, this increase would be 142%.

STRATEGY PROFILE

BENCHMARK

Russell 2500 Growth Index

eVESTMENT UNIVERSE

U.S. All Cap Growth Equity

HOLDINGS INFORMATION Typically 50–65 holdings

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Weight at purchase <5%

Initial positions 0.5% to 3.0%

TARGET TURNOVER RANGE

50-100%

MARKET CAPITALIZATION

Under normal conditions, the strategy will invest at least 80% of its net assets in small- and mid-capitalization companies (defined by ranges in Russell 2500 Growth)

CASH EXPOSURE

<10% under normal conditions, typically <5%

INDUSTRY EXPOSURE

Maximum of 25%

COUNTRY EXPOSURE

Primarily U.S.

SECTOR EXPOSURE

Typically +/- 5% of benchmark

AVAILABLE VEHICLES

Separate Account

U.S. Mutual Fund

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

RUSSELL 2500 GROWTH

PORTFOLIO STATISTICS	REP. ACCT.	INDEX		
Active Share	93.9%			
Weighted Average Market Cap.	\$10.0B	\$6.8B		
Median Market Cap	\$7.1B	\$1.3B		
Price to Earnings (Forecast 1-Fiscal Year)	30.2x	19.7x		
Est 3-5 Yr EPS Growth	20.3%	16.3%		
Price-to-Book	5.2x	4.2x		
Price-to-Cash Flow	22.8x	13.4x		
Return on Assets	3.7%	4.0%		

TEN LARGEST HOLDINGS (%)

(AS OF 28 FEBRUARY 25)	REP. ACCT.			
Casella Waste Systems, Inc.	4.7			
CyberArk Software Ltd.	3.9			
SharkNinja, Inc.	3.7			
Monday.com Ltd.	3.2			
Applied Industrial Technologies, Inc.	3.2			
TransUnion	3.1			
Vertiv Holdings Co.	3.0			
Ryan Specialty Holdings, Inc.	3.0			
TechnipFMC plc	2.9			
Shift4 Payments, Inc.	2.8			

TOP TEN INDUSTRY GROUP(%)	REP. ACCT.	RELATI	VE WEIGHT
Software & Services	16.9		4.6
Capital Goods	14.8	-0.1	
Pharma, Biotech & Life Sciences	10.6	-3.7	
Commercial & Pro. Services	8.3		4.3
Health Care Equip. & Services	7.9		0.6
Financial Services	6.5	-0.9	
Semiconductors & Equipment	6.1		3.5
Consumer Durables & Apparel	6.0		3.4
Food, Beverage & Tobacco	4.1		2.7
Consumer Services	3.9	-3.2	

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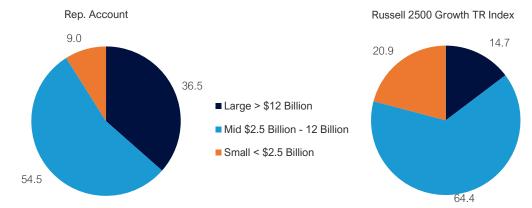
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SECTOR ALLOCATION (%)	REP. ACCT.	RELATIVE WEIGHT		
Information Technology	25.3		6.9	
Industrials	25.2		4.5	
Health Care	18.5	0.4	4.5	
Financials	10.0	-3.1		
Consumer Discretionary	9.9	-0.5		
Consumer Staples	4.1	-4.0		
Energy	3.0		0.8	
Communication Services	2.9	-1.2		
Cash	1.2		1.1	

MARKET CAP BREAKOUT (%)



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THORNBURG SMALL/MID CAP GROWTH COMPOSITE

	COMP RETU	OSITE JRNS	INDEX RETURNS		UALIZED DEVIATION DISPERSION		AS OF 31 DEC		
Period	Gross	Net	Russell 2500 Growth Total Return Index	Composite	Russell 2500 Growth Total Return Index	Internal Equal Wtd.	Number Of Accounts	Composite Assets (MM)	Total Firm Assets (MM)
2023	21.28%	20.23%	18.93%	21.98%	20.95%	N/M	1	275	41,675
2022	-33.27%	-33.86%	-26.21%	N/A	N/A	N/M	1	272	41,463
2021	-3.18%	-3.99%	5.04%	N/A	N/A	N/M	1	587	47,005

N/A - Not available. Thirty-six monthly composite returns are not available due to the composite's inception date.

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