

## The Approach

A quantitively-driven strategy emphasizing high quality small-cap stocks. Stocks are first screened to remove those that score poorly on financial and growth measures. Those stocks that pass the screen are then ranked on a stand-alone basis in relation to two factors: beta\* and value. The stocks that rank the highest for each factor are combined into one portfolio. Stocks that rank high in both factors are over-weighted.

#### The Features

A diversified portfolio of between 85 and 95 stocks that seeks to deliver superior risk-adjusted returns over the index. The investment objective of the fund is capital appreciation. Our research, as well as a large body of academic research, has found that low beta and value factors are associated with long-term stock outperformance.

# Annual Return- Dec 1994- Sept 2023



### **Key Facts**

Benchmark

 Strategy Assets
 \$15 Million

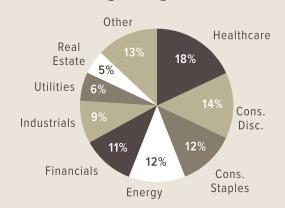
 Holdings
 86

 \*Beta (Ex-Ante)
 0.84

 Active Share
 86%

 Min Portfolio Size
 \$100,000

### Sector Weightings



S&P 600 (Total Return)

\*Beta; Active Share from Bloomberg PORT

\*Beta = (Ex-Ante\_ is a forward-looking measure of the market risk of the portfolio relative to its benchmark. The beta of the benchmark is equal to 1.

Source: Addepar as of Sept 2023; Bloomberg as of Sept 2023

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