

Alma Hotchkis & Wiley US Large Cap Value Equity Fund



A sub-fund of Alma Capital Investment Funds SICAV

As of 30 October 2020

Fund description

- · Investment objective: seek current income and long-term capital growth by investing in a concentrated portfolio of large US companies
- · Investment process: analyse long term company fundamentals through in-house bottom-up research aiming to identify undervalued stocks
- The fund typically holds 40 to 60 securities and generally invests in companies with a market capitalization above \$3 billion
- Benchmark: Russell 1000 Value Index
- Investment strategy mirrors the Large Cap Fundamental Value strategy managed by the Investment manager since 1980

Investment manager: Hotchkis & Wiley Capital Management, LLC

- · Hotchkis & Wiley is a SEC-regulated, Los Angeles-based investment adviser founded in 1980, specialised in value equity and high yield bond strategies
- Employee owned firm: 90% of the investment team and 67% of all employees own equity
- Investment team has over 23 years average investment experience and 15 years average tenure at Hotchkis & Wiley
- · George Davis, the CEO of Hotchkis & Wiley and senior portfolio manager of the fund, has over 30 years of investment experience.
- · Hotchkis & Wiley manages \$25 billion

Cumulative performance (%)								
	1 M	3 M	6 M	YTD	1Y	3Y	ITD	ITD (annualized)
I USD C shares	1.65	0.61	7.78	-22.40	-17.47	-12.60	16.51	2.48
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Russell 1000 Value Index (TR)	-1.31	0.24	7.06	-12.74	-7.57	5.92	39.35	5.46

Fund launched on 6 August 2014

Portfolio characteristics

Main indicators	Fund	Index
No. of securities	57	848
Weighted Average Market Cap (\$ bn)	99.9	114.3
Median Market Cap (\$ bn)	30.6	9.6
Projected P/E Ratio FY2 (x)	10.8	15.2
Price / Normal Earnings (x)	6.3	13.8
Price / Book (x)	1.1	1.9
Price / Sales (x)	0.9	1.6
Projected EPS Growth (%)	6.3	5.9
Active share (%)	78.8	-
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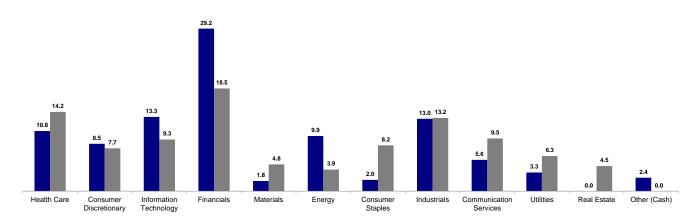
Performance (Indexed - Base 100)



Sector breakdown (% NAV)

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■Russell 1000 Value Index





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Top 10 positions details		
Security name	Sector	% NAV
GENERAL ELECTRIC CO	Industrials	5.47
AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP	Financials	5.42
CITIGROUP INC	Financials	4.21
WELLS FARGO & CO	Financials	3.90
GENERAL MOTORS CO	Consumer Discretionary	3.75
ANTHEM INC	Health Care	3.09
ORACLE CORP	Information Technology	2.93
MAGNA INTERNATIONAL INC	Consumer Discretionary	2.70
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC	Financials	2.60
CUMMINS INC	Industrials	2.56
		TOTAL: 36.62

Investment manager's commentary

Market

The S&P 500 Index declined -2.7% in October. A rise in COVID cases and the contentious US election appeared to fuel investor apprehension, overshadowing solid corporate earnings. Economic data played a muted role in market performance as most noteworthy reports were near consensus estimates. Overall housing and consumer spending data were slightly better than consensus expectations, while employment and manufacturing data were mixed. The 10-year treasury yield increased from 0.69% to 0.88% in the month. We generally view a rise in rates as better (or less bad) for value than for growth. The Russell 1000 Value Index declined -1.3% compared to -3.4% for the Russell 1000 Growth Index in the month. Utilities were positive, and financials held up better than the overall market—both comprise much larger portions of the value index than the growth index.

Fund:

The portfolio outperformed the Russell 1000 Value Index in October. Positive stock selection in industrials, consumer discretionary, financials, and technology drove the outperformance in the month. The underweight exposure to utilities and overweight exposure to energy detracted from performance modestly. The largest positive contributors to relative performance in the month were General Electric, AIG, General Motors, Magna International, and Harley-Davidson; the largest detractors were Wells Fargo. GlaxoSmithKline. Hess. Oracle, and Hewlett Packard Enterprise.

Fund facts

Fund total net assets: \$32.7 M Dealing:

Fund domicile: Each day with a 1-day notice

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Cut-off time: 5 pm CET

Fund type: UCITS SICAV Identifiers:

Institutional USD Capitalisation share class

Base currency: USD Isin: LU0963547111 Ticker: ALDCPBI LX Launch: 6 August 2014

Management fee: 0.75% p.a. Retail USD Capitalisation Ticker: ALDCBRU LX Launch: 21 November 2017 Isin: LU0963547970

Depositary, Administrator, Transfer Agent:

BNP Paribas Securities Services (LU)

Management company: Alma Capital Investment Management (LU)

Investment manager: Hotchkis & Wiley Capital Management, LLC (US)

Fund managers:

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