

## Delaware International Small Cap Fund

Institutional Class: DGGIX Class A: DGGAX Class C: DGGCX Class R: DGGRX

Class R6: DGRRX

September 30, 2021



➤ Active approach seeking to capture underappreciated growth driven by positive fundamental change

➤ Collaborative team with long history of successfully navigating an inefficient market

➤ Nimble investment process allowing for swift decision making amid volatile markets

## Top 10 countries

List may exclude cash, cash equivalents, and exchange-traded funds (ETFs) that are used for cash management purposes.

Benchmark: MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index

	Fund	Index
United Kingdom	19.6%	11.8%
Japan	18.0%	19.9%
Canada	11.8%	6.5%
Germany	8.3%	3.6%
South Korea	6.4%	4.3%
Brazil	4.4%	1.5%
India	4.0%	5.0%
Australia	3.8%	6.2%
Sweden	3.3%	5.1%
Italy	2.7%	2.0%

## Top 10 sectors

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Benchmark: MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index

	Fund	Index
Industrials	28.6%	21.2%
Consumer discretionary	15.2%	12.2%
Information technology	12.9%	11.9%
Communication services	8.9%	4.2%
Real estate	7.7%	10.3%
Healthcare	7.2%	7.4%
Materials	6.9%	10.6%
Financials	3.7%	10.6%
Consumer staples	3.2%	5.6%
Energy	2.9%	2.7%

Source: FactSet

## Average annual total returns (%) as of September 30, 2021

	3Q21 <sup>1</sup>	YTD <sup>1</sup>	1 year	3 year	5 year	10 year	Lifetime	Inception date
Institutional Class	-0.59	5.72	21.22	7.86	10.93	11.07	13.27	12/29/08
Class A (at NAV)	-0.62	5.47	20.93	7.58	10.65	10.80	13.03	12/29/08
Class A (at Offer) <sup>2</sup>	-6.31	-0.62	13.93	5.49	9.35	10.14	12.50	
Class R	-0.77	5.22	20.58	7.30	10.36	10.50	8.71	12/29/10
Class R6	-0.49	5.80	21.40	7.99	—	—	10.10	6/30/17
MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index (net)	0.00	12.23	33.06	10.33	10.28	9.44	—	
MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index (gross)	0.09	12.57	33.54	10.76	10.69	9.84	—	
Morningstar Foreign Small/Mid Growth Category	0.45	8.23	26.45	13.81	13.48	12.07	—	

## Calendar year total returns (%)

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Fund (Institutional Class)	-2.20	17.90	23.67	2.21	-0.45	-0.78	47.14	-23.43	22.94	23.65
Fund (Class A at NAV)	-2.34	17.57	23.33	1.99	-0.66	-1.01	46.76	-23.74	22.68	23.48
MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index (net)	-18.50	18.52	19.73	-4.03	2.60	3.91	31.65	-18.20	22.42	14.24
MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index (gross)	-18.21	18.96	20.13	-3.69	2.95	4.29	32.12	-17.89	22.93	14.67
Morningstar Foreign Small/Mid Growth Category	-14.72	22.20	26.61	-5.40	7.05	-2.98	36.19	-18.34	27.78	28.40

<sup>1</sup> Returns for less than one year are not annualized.<sup>2</sup> Includes maximum 5.75% front-end sales charge.

The performance quoted represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted.

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or all periods shown. Performance would have been lower without such waivers and reimbursements.

Performance at NAV assumes that no front-end sales charge applied or the investment was not redeemed. Performance at offer assumes that a front-end sales charge applied to the extent applicable.

Prior to December 29, 2010, the Fund had not engaged in a broad distribution of its shares and had been subject to limited redemption requests. The returns reflect expense limitations that were in effect during certain periods and that may have been lower than the Fund's current expenses. The returns may have been lower without these limitations.

## Portfolio characteristics

Total assets	\$116.9 million
Number of holdings	92
Market cap (median) <sup>3</sup>	\$2.1 billion
Market cap (weighted average) <sup>3</sup>	\$2.8 billion
Portfolio turnover (last fiscal year)	66%
P/E ratio (weighted average next 12 months) <sup>3,4</sup>	19.13x
Beta, 3 years (relative to MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index) <sup>5</sup>	0.95
Annualized standard deviation, 3 years <sup>6</sup>	20.83
Active share (relative to MSCI ACWI ex USA Small Cap Index) <sup>7</sup>	95.4%

## Expense ratio

	Gross	Net
Institutional Class	1.29%	1.12%
Class A	1.54%	1.37%
Class C	2.29%	2.12%
Class R	1.79%	1.62%
Class R6	1.17%	1.00%

Net expense ratio reflects contractual waivers of certain fees and/or expense reimbursements from March 30, 2021 through March 31, 2022. Please see the fee table in the Fund's prospectus for more information.

<sup>3</sup> Source: FactSet <sup>4</sup> P/E ratio is a valuation ratio of a company's current share price compared to its earnings per share. In this case, P/E is calculated using consensus forecasted earnings per share for the next 12 months. <sup>5</sup> Beta measures the security's volatility in relation to its benchmark index. <sup>6</sup> Annualized standard deviation measures historical volatility of returns. <sup>7</sup> Active share refers to the percentage of a fund's portfolio that differs from its benchmark, and is measured on a scale from 0% to 100%. The higher the active share measurement, the lower the portfolio overlap with its benchmark.

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## Growth of \$10,000 (Institutional Class shares) \$28,583 (current value)



**Past performance is not a guarantee of future results.** The “Growth of a \$10,000 investment” graph assumes \$10,000 invested in Institutional Class shares of the Fund on September 30, 2011. Performance assumes reinvestment of all distributions and does not account for taxes. Expense limitations were in effect for some or all of the periods shown. Performance would have been lower had expense limitations not been in effect.

## Top 10 holdings

List may exclude cash and cash equivalent.

Future PLC	3.10%
ATS Automation Tooling Systems Inc.	2.18%
Electrocomponents PLC	2.11%
Granite Real Estate Investment Trust	1.98%
Inmode Ltd.	1.92%
S4 Capital Plc	1.81%
OCI Co. Ltd.	1.79%
Grafton Group PLC	1.73%
Enerplus Corp.	1.72%
Aritzia Inc.	1.65%
<b>Total for top 10 holdings</b>	<b>19.99%</b>

Holdings based by issuer.

## Portfolio managers (years in industry)

Joseph Devine (27)

Stephan Maikkula, CFA, CMT (24)

Gabriel Wallach (29)

## Portfolio composition<sup>8</sup>

International equities & depositary receipts	98.6%
Cash, cash equivalents and other assets	1.4%

**8** Total may not equal 100% due to rounding.

Significant Fund Event Effective Nov. 30, 2016, the investment strategies for Delaware Focus Global Growth Fund changed and the Fund was repositioned as an international small-cap fund. In connection with the repositioning, the Fund's name changed to Delaware International Small Cap Fund. In addition the Global Ex-US Equity team of Delaware Management Company, a series of Macquarie Investment Management Business Trust, replaced the Fund's sub-advisor, Jackson Square Partners, LLC. These changes may result in higher portfolio turnover in the near future. For more complete information, please request a prospectus by calling 800 523-1918 or visiting [delawarefunds.com/literature](http://delawarefunds.com/literature).

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