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# **AB SMALL CAP VALUE PORTFOLIO**

### Class A: SCAVX

## **OBJECTIVE**

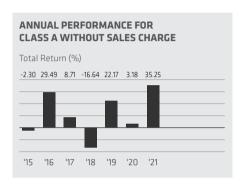
+ Long-term growth of capital

#### **PRIMARY INVESTMENTS**

- + Stocks of small-cap US companies
- May also invest in companies based outside the US

#### **FUND OVERVIEW**

- + Seeks out-of-favor small-cap stocks with attractive long-term earnings prospects
- + Small-cap stocks offer greater opportunity for fundamental stock selection since they're covered by fewer industry analysts
- + Experienced team follows a disciplined process, using global research to uncover compelling value opportunities



#### **AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS: CLASS A PERFORMANCE**

	QTD	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs	5 Yrs	10 Yrs	Since Inception	Expense Ratios as of 2/26/21
Small Cap Value Portfolio (without sales charge)	5.21%	35.25%	35.25%	19.46%	9.09%	-	10.41%	Gross 1.21%
Small Cap Value Portfolio (with max 4.25% sales charge)	0.72	29.46	29.46	17.75	8.15	-	9.74	Net <sup>‡</sup> –
Russell 2000 Value Index	4.36	28.27	28.27	17.99	9.07	-	9.67	
Morningstar Small Value Category	5.86	31.57	31.57	18.37	8.87	-	8.82	

The performance shown above represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance information shown. You may obtain performance information current to the most recent month-end by visiting www.abfunds.com. The investment return and principal value of an investment in the Portfolio will fluctuate, so that your shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Returns for other share classes will vary due to different charges and expenses. Performance assumes reinvestment of distributions and does not account for taxes. If applicable, high double-digit returns are highly unusual and cannot be sustained; such returns are primarily achieved during favorable market conditions.

Sources: FactSet, Morningstar Inc. and AB.

<sup>†</sup>The Fund's Class A share inception date is 12/3/14 and is the date used to calculate since inception annualized performance.

<sup>‡</sup> If applicable, this reflects the Adviser's contractual waiver of a portion of its advisory fee and/or reimbursement of a portion of the Fund's operating expenses. Absent reimbursements or waivers, performance would have been lower.

#### **PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT AND YEARS OF INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE**

- + James W. MacGregor, 28 years
- + Erik Turenchalk, 25 years

Class	Ticker	Inception Date
А	SCAVX	12/3/14
С	SCCVX	12/3/14
Advisor	SCYVX	12/3/14

Portfolio Characteristics & Statistics	
Assets (\$mil)	\$690.67
Beta (Trailing 3-year) <sup>1</sup>	1.06
Standard Deviation (Trailing 3-year) <sup>2</sup>	26.81
Weighted Avg Cap	\$3.5B
Total Number of Holdings	93
Portfolio Turnover Rate (as of 2/26/21) <sup>3</sup>	48%

- 1 Beta measures a fund's volatility relative to its benchmark.
- 2 Standard Deviation is a measure of the dispersion of a portfolio's return from its mean.
- 3 Portfolio Turnover Rate is a measure of how frequently securities are bought and sold.
- 4 Holdings are expressed as a percentage of total investments and may vary over time. They are provided for informational purposes only and should not be deemed as a recommendation to buy or sell the securities mentioned.

Top Ten Equity Holdings <sup>4</sup>				
Company	Sector			
ArcBest Corp.	Industrials	1.94%		
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	Consumer Discretionary	1.93		
Independence Realty Trust	Real Estate	1.82		
Taylor Morrison Home	Consumer Discretionary	1.64		
STAG Industrial, Inc.	Real Estate	1.63		
Herc Holdings, Inc.	Industrials	1.60		
MEDNAX, Inc.	Healthcare	1.60		
Cactus, Inc.	Energy	1.50		
Shyft Group, Inc. (The)	Industrials	1.50		
Physicians Realty Trust	Real Estate	1.49		

Sector Breakdown⁴	
Financials	23.09%
Industrials	20.45
Consumer Discretionary	15.98
Real Estate	9.14
Information Technology	7.24
Materials	6.66
Healthcare	5.29
Energy	3.02
Consumer Staples	2.81
Communication Services	2.57
Utilities	2.30
Other	1.45

Russell 2000 Value Index represents the performance of small-cap value companies within the US.

Investors cannot invest directly in indices or averages, and their performance does not reflect fees and expenses or represent the performance of any AB fund.

### A WORD ABOUT RISK

Market Risk: The market values of the portfolio's holdings rise and fall from day to day, so investments may lose value. Capitalization Size Risk (Small/Mid): Small- and mid-cap stocks are often more volatile than large-cap stocks—smaller companies generally face higher risks due to their limited product lines, markets and financial resources.

Foreign (Non-US) Risk: Non-US securities may be more volatile because of political, regulatory, market and economic uncertainties associated with such securities.

Fluctuations in currency exchange rates may negatively affect the value of the investment or reduce returns. These risks are magnified in emerging or developing markets.

Derivatives Risk: Investing in derivative instruments such as options, futures, forwards or swaps can be riskier than traditional investments, and may be more volatile, especially in a down market.

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