The Lazard **US Equity Concentrated Portfolio** seeks long-term capital appreciation and is designed to leverage the best collection of ideas from the firm's US Equity platform. The portfolio management team employs intensive fundamental analysis and accounting validation designed to construct a

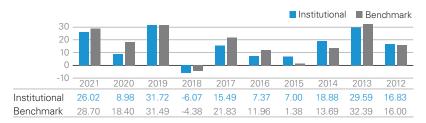
	Institutional	Open	R6	
Ticker	LEVIX	LEVOX	RLUEX	
Inception Date	9/30/05	9/30/05	11/15/16	
Benchmark	S&P 500 Index <sup>2</sup>			
Total Net Assets	\$2.0 billion³			

## Performance Review (%; net of fees. As of December 31, 2021)

high-conviction, all-capitalization portfolio with the aim of outperforming broad-based securities market indices.<sup>1</sup>

			Annualized				
	3 M	1 Y	3 Y	5 Y	10 Y	Since Inception 9/30/2005	Since Inception 11/15/2016
Institutional	8.56	26.02	21.85	14.44	15.04	9.79	
Open	8.46	25.72	21.53	14.13	14.69	9.47	
R6	8.52	26.06	21.85	14.44			14.09
Benchmark	11.03	28.70	26.07	18.47	16.34	10.30	18.64

#### Calendar Year



### Characteristics (As of December 31, 2021)



		Lazard	Benchmark	
Number of Holdings		25	505	
Weighted Average Market Cap (\$B)		222.0	674.9	
Beta (3-year)	Institutional	0.94		
	Open	0.94	- N/A	
Standard Deviation	Institutional	16.98	17 17	
(%; 3-year)	Open	16.97	- 17.17	
Active Share (%)		91.8	N/A	
Turnover Rate (%; 1-year)		25.9	N/A	
Sharpe Ratio		1.23	1.46	
Net Debit/Total Cap		41.9	42.3	

Source: Lazard, FactSet, Standard & Poor's Please see "Important Information" for definitions.

The performance quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. The current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Calendar year returns reflect only full-year performance. An investor may obtain performance data current to the most recent month-end online at www.lazardassetmanagement.com. The investment return and principal value of the Portfolio will fluctuate; an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Returns of certain share classes reflect reimbursement of expenses as described in the prospectus. Had expenses not been reimbursed, returns would have been lower, and the expense ratio would have been higher.

## Holdings<sup>4</sup>

Company	Lazard (%)	Company	Lazard (%)
Medtronic	7.2	Vulcan Materials	3.6
Fiserv	7.2	Lowe's	3.2
Alphabet	7.1	Otis Worldwide	3.0
Sysco	6.8	Visa	2.6
Analog Devices	6.4	Armstrong World Industries	2.5
Public Storage	5.1	Verisk Analytics	2.4
Crown Castle International	5.1	Sotera Health	2.0
Dollar Tree	5.0	Norfolk Southern	1.9
Waste Management	4.9	VeriSign	1.6
Intercontinental Exchange	4.8	LiveRamp Holdings	1.4
Skyworks Solutions	4.7	CDW	1.3
S&P Global	4.3	Electronic Arts	0.6
LKQ	4.2		

Source: Lazard, FactSet, Standard & Poor's



Sector Allocation <sup>4</sup>				
	Lazard (%)	Benchmark		
Information Technology	25.3	29.2		
Industrials	14.8	7.8		
Consumer Discretionary	12.4	12.5		
Real Estate	10.2	2.8		
Health Care	9.2	13.3		
Financials	9.1	10.7		
Communication Services	7.7	10.2		
Consumer Staples	6.8	5.9		
Materials	3.6	2.6		
Energy	0.0	2.7		
Utilities	0.0	2.5		
Cash & Equivalents	1.1	0.0		

Source: Lazard, FactSet, Standard & Poor's

# **Expenses**

#### Minimum Initial Investment Institutional: \$10,000

Open: \$2,500 R6: (see prospectus for details)

## Institutional: 0.76% Open: 1.02%

R6: 0.92%

**Total Expense Ratio** 

Net Expense Ratio\* Institutional: 0.76%

Open: 1.02% R6: 0.76%

## Portfolio Management Team

Christopher H. Blake Managing Director Portfolio Manager/Analyst 25 years of investment experience

Martin Flood Managing Director Portfolio Manager/Analyst 27 years of investment experience

Team membership is current as of 31 December 2020. Personnel data are calculated as of year-end 2020. YTD 2021 experience/tenure is not reflected.

#### Notes

- Such as the S&P 500 Index, Russell 1000 Index, or Russell
- As of May 31, 2012, the Portfolio changed its name from Lazard US Equity Value Portfolio and adopted the Portfolio's current investment strategy, which compares its performance to the S&P 500 Index. Prior to May 31, 2012, the Portfolio was a "diversified" fund, as such term is defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. As such, the Portfolio compares its past performance to a linked index composed of the Russell 1000 Value Index through May 30, 2012 and the S&P 500 Index from May 31, 2012 to the present.
- As of December 31, 2021
- As of December 31, 2021. Allocations and security selections are subject to change. The information provided in this list should not be considered a recommendation or solicitation to purchase or sell any particular security. It should not be assumed that any investment in these securities was, or will prove to be, profitable, or that the investment decisions we make in the future will be profitable or equal to the investment performance of securities referenced herein.

#### Important Information

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Information and opinions presented have been obtained or derived from sources believed by Lazard to be reliable.

The S&P 500 Index is a market capitalization-weighted index of 500 companies in leading industries of the US economy. The index is unmanaged and has no fees. One cannot invest directly in an index

Understanding Investment Risk: Equity securities will fluctuate in price; the value of your investment will thus fluctuate, and this may result in a loss

The Portfolio invests in stocks believed by Lazard to be undervalued, but that may not realize their perceived value for extended periods of time or may never realize their perceived value. The stocks in which the Portfolio invests may respond differently to market and other developments than other types of stocks.

Market Risk. A Portfolio may incur losses due to declines in one or more markets in which it invests. These declines may be the result of, among other things, political, regulatory, market, economic or social developments affecting the relevant market(s). In addition, turbulence in financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and/or fixed income markets may negatively affect many issuers, which could adversely affect the Portfolio.

Global economies and financial markets are increasingly interconnected, and conditions and events in one country, region or financial market may adversely impact issuers in a different country, region or financial market. These risks may be magnified if certain events or developments adversely interrupt the global supply chain; in these and other circumstances, such risks might affect companies worldwide. As a result, local, regional or global events such as war, acts of terrorism, the spread of infectious illness or other public health issue, recessions or other events could have a significant negative impact on global economic and market conditions. The current novel coronavirus (COVID-19) global pandemic and the aggressive responses taken by many governments, including closing borders, restricting international and domestic travel, and the imposition of prolonged quarantines or similar restrictions, as well as the forced or voluntary closure of, or operational changes to, many retail and other businesses, has had negative

impacts, and in many cases severe negative impacts, on markets worldwide. It is not known how long such impacts, or any future impacts of other significant events described above, will or would last, but there could be a prolonged period of global economic slowdown, which may be expected to impact the Portfolio and its investments.

**Definitions: Forward-looking figures** represent next twelve months' expected returns. Expected returns do not represent a promise or guarantee of future results and are subject to change. P/E calculates the price of a stock divided by its earnings per share. Free cash flow yield is calculated by dividing the free cash flows of the company by its price per share. Beta is a relative measure of the sensitivity of a fund's return to changes in the benchmark's return. The beta of the fund versus its benchmark is the amount (and direction) the fund has historically moved when the benchmark moved by one unit. Standard deviation measures the dispersion or "spread" of individual observations around their mean. Standard deviation of returns measure a fund's historical volatility, where a higher number is evidence of greater volatility (i.e., higher risk). Active share is a measure of the percentage of stock holdings in the portfolio that differs from the index. Sharpe ratio measures a fund's return in excess of the risk-free rate for a given period and divides this by the standard deviation of those returns. The Sharpe ratio is a measure of how effectively a fund utilizes risk. This means that the higher a fund's Sharpe ratio the better the fund's historical risk-adjusted performance.

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<sup>\*</sup> The net expenses reflect a contractual agreement by the Investment Manager to bear expenses of the R6 Shares, through April 30, 2022, to the extent the Total Annual Portfolio Operating Expenses of the R6 Shares of the Portfolio exceed the Total Annual Portfolio Operating Expenses of the Portfolio's Institutional Shares.