

# Eaton Vance Small-Cap Fund

A diversified portfolio of small-cap stocks that seeks long-term capital appreciation.

The Fund: The Fund's bottom-up stock-picking approach aims to identify companies that the manager expects to achieve growth that exceeds the average of all publicly traded companies in the United States over the long

The Approach: We believe small-cap markets are becoming increasingly inefficient, so we seek to exploit this inefficiency with intensive fundamental research by searching for companies with experienced and proven management teams whose interests are aligned with investors.

The Features: Led by two portfolio managers with more than 35 years of collective investing experience and supported by a focused team of small-cap analysts. The team holds approximately 1,000 company meetings per year to construct a high conviction diversified portfolio of quality small cap companies.

# Growth of \$10,000 (10-year period ended December 31, 2022) 30.000 20,000 10.000 Λ Dec-12 Apr-16 Aug-19 Dec-22 Class A Shares

#### Investment Performance (% net of fees) in USD

	Cumulative (%)				Annualised (% p.a.)					
	4	Q22	Υ	TD	1 YF	2	3 YR	5 Y	R 1	0 YR
Class A Shares		9.74	-15	5.53	-15.53	}	4.88	6.7	'4	9.99
Class I Shares	!	9.83	-15	5.31	-15.3	1	5.15	7.0	01	10.27
A Shares with Max. 5.25% Sales Charge		4.01	-19	.95	-19.95	- )	3.02	5.6	0	9.40
Russell 2000 Index		6.23	-20	.44	-20.44	H	3.10	4.	12	9.01
Calendar Year Returns (%)	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Class A Shares	-15.53	21.18	12.73	27.54	-5.81	14.91	19.32	-2.78	3.77	35.25
Class I Shares	-15.31	21.46	13.05	27.81	-5.57	15.17	19.70	-2.57	3.99	35.63
Russell 2000 Index	-20.44	14.82	19.96	25.52	-11.01	14.65	21.31	-4.41	4.89	38.82

Performance data quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results, and current performance may be lower or higher than the figures shown. For the Fund's performance as of the most recent month-end, please refer to eatonvance.com. Investment returns and principal value will fluctuate and fund shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost.

Performance and fund information is as of December 31, 2022, unless otherwise noted. Returns are net of fees and assume the reinvestment of all dividends and income. Returns for less than one year are cumulative (not annualized). Performance of other share classes will vary.

Growth of Investment illustration is based on an initial investment made since fund inception, assumes reinvestment of dividends and capital gains and application of fees, but does not include sales charges. Performance would have been lower if sales charges had been included. Results are hypothetical.

Where the net expense ratio is lower than the gross expense ratio, certain fees have been waived and/or expenses reimbursed. These waivers and/or reimbursements will continue for at least one year from the date of the applicable fund's current prospectus (unless otherwise noted in the applicable prospectus) or until such time as the fund's Board of Directors/Trustees acts to discontinue all or a portion of such waivers and/or reimbursements. Absent such waivers and/or reimbursements, returns would have been lower. Expenses are based on the fund's current prospectus. The minimum investment is \$1,000 for A Shares and \$1,000,000 for I Shares.

Investment Team	JOINED FIRM	INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE
J. Griffith Noble, CFA	2012	27 Years
Michael D. McLean, CFA	2001	22 Years

Team members may be subject to change at any time without

## Morningstar Overall Rating





Out of 576 Funds. Based on Risk Adjusted Return. Class A and Class I Ratings: 3-year: 4 and 4 stars, respectively; 5-year: 4 and 4 stars, respectively; 10-year: 4 and 4 stars, respectively. The total number of funds in the Small Growth category for the 3, 5 and 10 year periods are 576, 530 and 399, respectively.

#### **Fund Facts**

Class A inception	01/02/1997
Class I inception	09/02/2008
Performance inception	01/02/1997
Investment objective	Long-term capital appreciation
Benchmark	Russell 2000 Index
Distribution frequency	Annually
Total net assets	\$ 127.80 million
Class A expense ratio	Gross 1.38 %
	Net 1.21 %
Class I expense ratio	Gross 1.13 %
	Net 0.96 %

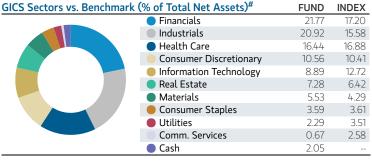
## Symbols & CUSIPs

Class A	ETEGX	277905790
Class C	ECSMX	277905741
Class I	EISGX	277905444
Class R	ERSGX	277905410

Statistics (3 Year Annualised)	CLASS A	CLASS I
Alpha (%)	2.03	2.30
Beta (vs. benchmark)	0.78	0.78
R squared	0.90	0.90
Standard deviation (%)	21.74	21.80
Sharpe ratio	0.19	0.20

Characteristics	FUND
Average Market Cap (\$B)	4.8
Number of Holdings	68

Top TO Holdings (% of Total Net Assets)	FUND
Chemed Corp	2.79
CBIZ Inc	2.71
Valvoline Inc	2.63
AAON Inc	2.40
Addus HomeCare Corp	2.37
RLI Corp	2.34
ONE Gas Inc	2.29
Dorman Products Inc	2.24
Essential Properties Realty Trust Inc	2.23
Commerce Bancshares Inc/MO	2.16



#May not sum to 100% due to rounding.

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**DEFINITIONS:** Alpha measures risk-adjusted performance, showing excess return delivered at the same risk level as the benchmark. The **Average market capitalization** of the companies that have issued the common stocks owned by a Fund. Market Cap is determined by multiplying the price of a share of a company's common stock by the number of shares outstanding. **Beta** is a measure of the relative volatility of a security or portfolio to the market's upward or downward movements. **Number of holdings** provided are a typical range, not a maximum number. The portfolio may exceed this from time to time due to market conditions and outstanding trades. **R squared** measures how well an investment's returns correlate to an index. An R squared of 1.00 means the portfolio performance is 100% correlated to the index's, whereas a low r-squared means that the portfolio performance is less correlated to the index's. **Sharpe ratio** is a risk-adjusted measure calculated as the ratio of excess return to standard deviation. **Standard deviation** measures how widely individual performance returns, within a performance series, are dispersed from the average or mean value.

**INDEX INFORMATION:** The **Russell 2000® Index** is an index that measures the performance of the 2,000 smallest companies in the Russell 3000 Index. Unless otherwise stated, index returns do not reflect the effect of any applicable sales charges, commissions, expenses, taxes or leverage, as applicable. It is not possible to invest directly in an index. Historical performance of the index illustrates market trends and does not represent the past or future performance of the fund.

RISK CONSIDERATIONS: The value of investments held by the Fund may increase or decrease in response to economic, and financial events (whether real, expected or perceived) in the U.S. and global markets. The value of equity securities is sensitive to stock market volatility. Smaller companies are generally subject to greater price fluctuations, limited liquidity, higher transaction costs and higher investment risk than larger, more established companies. Investments in foreign instruments or currencies can involve greater risk and volatility than U.S. investments because of adverse market, economic, political, regulatory, geopolitical, currency exchange rates or other conditions. The Fund is exposed to liquidity risk when trading volume, lack of a market maker or trading partner, large position size, market conditions, or legal restrictions impair its ability to sell particular investments or to sell them at advantageous market prices. The impact of the coronavirus on global markets could last for an extended period and could adversely affect the Fund's performance. No fund is a complete investment program and you may lose money investing in a fund. The Fund may engage in other investment practices that may involve additional risks and you should review the Fund prospectus for a complete description.

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