# **QV Canadian Small Cap Fund**

**FUND PROFILE AS OF MARCH 31, 2025** 

A diversified portfolio of Canadian small and mid cap companies. Centered on principles of quality and value, the Fund is constructed to exhibit measurably better value, growth, dividend, and credit characteristics than the average Canadian small cap company while maintaining broad industry diversification.

**Objective -** consistent growth with below-average risk

# **QV Canadian Small Cap Fund Composition**

#### **ASSET MIX**

■ Canadian Equity 97.2%

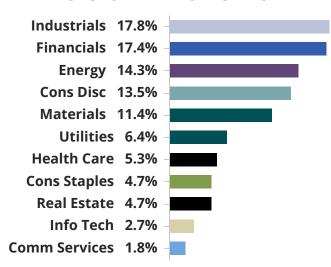
Cash & Equivalents 2.8%



#### **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

| ALTAGAS LTD                 | 5.4%  |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| PARKLAND CORP               | 4.8%  |
| IA FINANCIAL CORP INC       | 4.6%  |
| LASSONDE INDS INC-CLASS A   | 4.5%  |
| DEFINITY FINANCIAL CORP     | 4.3%  |
| SECURE WASTE INFRASTRUCTURE | 4.3%  |
| PET VALU HOLDINGS LTD       | 4.3%  |
| MULLEN GROUP LTD            | 3.9%  |
| WINPAK LTD                  | 3.9%  |
| E-L FINANCIAL CORP LTD      | 3.7%  |
| Total                       | 43.7% |

#### SECTOR DIVERSIFICATION



# **EQUITY CHARACTERISTICS**

| Number of Holdings        | 38    |
|---------------------------|-------|
| 3yr Average Turnover      | 17.6% |
| Weighted Market Cap (\$B) | \$4.2 |
| Price / Book Ratio        | 1.3x  |
| Price / Earnings Ratio    | 12.6x |
| Dividend Yield            | 3.0%  |
| Return On Equity (CYM)    | 11.9% |

#### ANNUAL GROSS PERFORMANCE

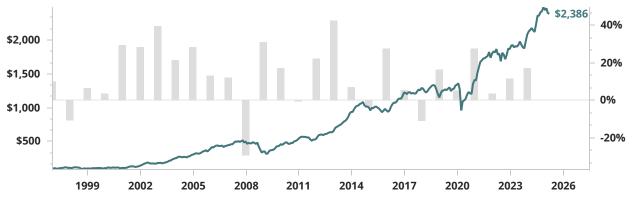
|                               | YTD   | 2024  | 2023  | 2022  | 2021  | 2020  | 2019  | 2018   | 2017 | 2016  | 2015   |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|------|-------|--------|
| QV Canadian Small Cap<br>Fund | -2.3% | 17.3% | 11.6% | 3.7%  | 27.7% | 5.3%  | 16.5% | -11.0% | 5.5% | 27.6% | -4.2%  |
| S&P/TSX Small Cap TR<br>Index | 0.9%  | 18.8% | 4.8%  | -9.3% | 20.3% | 12.9% | 15.8% | -18.2% | 2.8% | 38.5% | -13.3% |

#### ANNUALIZED GROSS PERFORMANCE

|                             | 3 MOS | 1 YR  | 3 YR | 5 YR  | 10 YR | 15 YR | 20 YR | 25 YR |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| QV Canadian Small Cap Fund  | -2.3% | 9.6%  | 8.5% | 20.0% | 9.2%  | 11.2% | 10.5% | 13.1% |
| S&P/TSX Small Cap TR Index* | 0.9%  | 11.1% | 1.7% | 20.1% | 6.1%  | 4.7%  | 4.2%  | -     |

<sup>\*</sup>Index inception date: September 2001

## **GROWTH OF \$100 SINCE INCEPTION | ANNUAL FUND RETURNS**



Returns stated in Canadian dollars, gross of fees.

#### **PORTFOLIO MANAGER**

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### **ABOUT QV**

QV Investors is an independent asset and wealth management firm focused on principles of quality and value. We provide active investment management for Canadian institutions and high-net-worth individuals.

As whole owners of the business, our team is fully invested in growing clients' capital while minimizing the risk of loss.

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