

# LIONGUARD CANADIAN SMALL CAP FUND

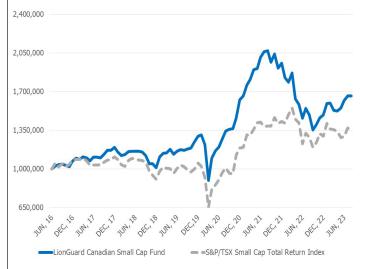
# **FUND DESCRIPTION**

The fund has the objective to achieve long-term growth of capital through disciplined investing in Canadian small capitalization equities. The fund is managed using fundamental bottom-up stock selection approach with strong emphasis on high quality companies with proven business models and solid management teams in place.

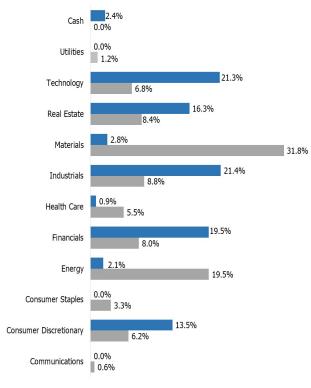
# **FUND DETAILS**

Туре	Canadian Small Capitalization Equities
Investment Approach	Fundamental Bottom-Up Stock Picking
Benchmark	S&P/TSX Small Cap Total Return Index
Research	In-House Research Reports & Financial Models
Investor Profile	Accredited Investors

# **GROWTH OF CAPITAL SINCE INCEPTION**



# **SECTOR ALLOCATION**



LionGuard Canadian Small Cap Fund

■ S&P/TSX Small Cap Total Return Index

# **FUND PERFORMANCE GROSS OF FEES**

YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	ост	NOV	DEC	YTD
2023	7.03%	0.18%	-4.17%	-0.41%	1.89%	4.38%	2.57%	-0.09%					11.53%
2022	-6.64%	-2.31%	4.58%	-12.55%	-2.97%	-8.00%	6.12%	-3.66%	-9.23%	3.62%	4.30%	1.84%	-23.96%
2021	2.07%	5.87%	2.94%	4.86%	0.71%	5.29%	2.48%	0.46%	-5.07%	3.80%	-6.22%	2.31%	20.39%
2020	0.92%	-6.79%	-26.54%	22.53%	5.90%	3.11%	6.53%	5.21%	1.12%	0.52%	6.91%	11.42%	25.46%
2019	9.88%	2.99%	0.02%	3.03%	-3.90%	2.45%	1.35%	-0.72%	1.26%	0.59%	4.69%	4.13%	28.28%
2018	-3.48%	-2.85%	0.71%	2.38%	0.39%	-0.08%	-0.15%	-0.28%	-2.94%	-6.57%	-0.15%	-3.40%	-15.54%
2017	2.46%	-1.28%	2.28%	-0.81%	-2.51%	3.28%	-0.07%	-0.65%	2.98%	3.18%	0.03%	2.35%	11.60%
2016							2.66%	1.29%	0.36%	-1.02%	-1.07%	4.99%	7.30%

# **COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE**

# **FUND CHARACTERISTICS**

GROSS RETURNS	LionGuard Canadian Small Cap Fund	S&P/TSX Small Cap Total Return Index	Value Added		LionGuard Canadian Small Cap Fund
1 month	-0.09%	-1.31%	1.22%	Number of Holdings	41
3 months	6.96%	5.31%	1.65%	Average Market Cap	\$2.8B
YTD	11.53%	4.36%	7.18%	Dividend Yield	0.9%
1-year	11.42%	5.11%	6.31%	Active Share	86.9%
3-year (Annualized)	7.33%	10.29%	-2.97%	P/E (NTM)	15.1x
5-year (Annualized)	7.52%	4.69%	2.84%	P/B	3.68x
S.I. (Annualized)	7.34%	4.32%	3.02%	ROE (Median)	9.6%



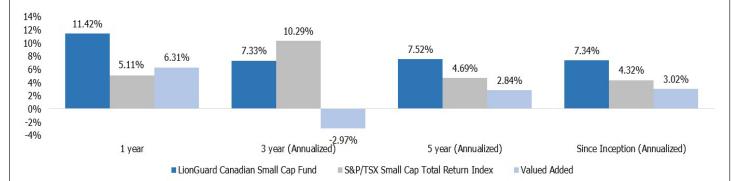
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### LATEST COMMENTARY

The current market environment presents both numerous challenges and great opportunities. Fundamental investors need to adjust their forecasts to account for higher interest rates, supply chain disruptions, inflationary pressure on labor and raw materials fronts, etc. Markets have recently endured indiscriminate selling where even the highest-quality businesses can't resist the tide.

As long-term investors, we know that these periods are normal occurrences in a market cycle. Time and time again we've seized such opportunities to buy pieces of great businesses at highly discounted prices in order to compound our investors capital.

## ANNUALIZED COMPARATIVE PERFORMANCE



# **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

#### Available upon request

# **INVESTMENT STRATEGY**

- 1. Fundamental Research & Analysis
- 2. Calculation of Intrinsic Value
- 3. Risk Management Analysis
- 4. Portfolio Construction Considerations
- 5. Monitor, Re-Balance & Exit

#### **RISK MANAGEMENT**

- 1. Focus on Capital Preservation
- 2. Minimize Risk of Changes in Fundamental Characteristics
- 3. Manage Single Risk Factor Exposures
- 4. Manage Single Name Exposures
- 5. Ongoing Monitor & Analysis

# ABOUT LIONGUARD CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

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