

**Separately Managed Account** 

## Royce Small-Cap Total Return Portfolios

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## **Gateway to investment specialists**



\$1.5 Trillion

Assets under management<sup>1</sup>

75+ Years of active management experience

150+ Countries with investors

\$445.7

1,600+ Investment professionals

## **Our Investment Capabilities (USD Billion)**

<b>Equity</b>	\$597.3	Fixed Income
Emerging/Frontier		Bank Loans
Global		Corporate Credit
Preferred/Convertibles		Currencies
Sector		Government
Shariah		Multi-Sector
Single Country Equity		Municipals
Thematic		Securitised
US Equity		Sustainable Bonds

Alternatives	\$251.8	Multi-Asset	\$176.4
Alternative Credit		Balanced	

Alternatives \$25

Alternative Credit

Digital Assets

Hedged Strategies

Private Equity

Real Estate

Secondaries

Venture Capital

Balanced
Income
Managed Volatility
Model Portfolios
Target Date
Target Risk
Target Volatility

Our Investment Managers	Asset Classes
Franklin Templeton (1947)	• • •
Alcentra (2002)	
Benefit Street Partners (2008)	
Brandywine Global (1986)	
Clarion Partners (1982)	
ClearBridge Investments (2005)	
Lexington Partners (1994)	
Martin Currie (1881)	
Putnam Investments (1937)	
Royce Investment Partners (1972)	
Western Asset (1971)	

**Complemented by innovations in** Sustainable and Impact investing, ETFs, Custom Indexing, Frontier Risk Alternatives, and others

<sup>1.</sup> AUM is in USD as of 31 March 2025. Total AUM of \$1.5 Trillion includes \$68.9 Billion in cash management that is not represented here.

## **Royce Investment Partners**



Small-cap specialist with unparalleled knowledge and experience, offering distinct investment approaches to meet a variety of investors' goals.



Portfolio managers have significant investments in the strategies they manage



Pioneers of small-cap investing with more than 50 years of investment success



Royce Investment Partners is a Specialist Investment Manager of Franklin Resources, Inc.



US, international, and global investment strategies that pursue approaches with different risk profiles

#### **About Royce Investment Partners**

Founded 1972

30+ years average PM Industry experience

Operate with investment independence, majority-owned subsidiary of Franklin Resources, Inc.

## **Royce Small-Cap Total Return Portfolios**



#### Overview

Royce Small-Cap Total Return Portfolios are a small-cap strategy that primarily invests in U.S. companies that pay regular dividends and/or return capital to shareholders. Favors companies that typically fall into one of three investment themes: Compounder, Quality Value, or Special Situations. The portfolios will not invest in any non-U.S. traded securities but have the option to invest in U.S.-traded American depositary receipts (ADRs).

#### Investment objective

· Long-term capital appreciation and current income

#### **Investment philosophy**

Royce Small-Cap Total Return Portfolios:

- Seek to buy high-quality small-cap businesses that are out of favor for what the portfolio managers think are transitory or cyclical reasons
- Focus on companies with a history of returning capital to investors
- Employ a bottom-up, risk-aware approach
- · Use data, analytics, and technology

#### Key differentiators

- Managed with a consistent investment discipline since 1993.
- Focuses on leading quality companies that pay regular dividends and/or return capital to shareholders.
- Managed by Royce Investment Partners, a small-cap specialist.

#### What are the risks?

All investments involve risks, including possible loss of principal. Small- and mid-cap stocks involve greater risks and volatility than large-cap stocks. To the extent the portfolio invests in a concentration of certain securities, regions or industries, it is subject to increased volatility. Liquidity risk exists when securities or other investments become more difficult to sell, or are unable to be sold, at the price at which they have been valued. International investments are subject to special risks, including currency fluctuations and social, economic and political uncertainties, which could increase volatility. These risks are magnified in emerging markets. The manager may consider environmental, social and governance (ESG) criteria in the research or investment process; however, ESG considerations may not be a determinative factor in security selection. In addition, the manager may not assess every investment for ESG criteria, and not every ESG factor may be identified or evaluated.

# Royce Small-Cap Total Return Portfolios Investment process





#### Idea generation

True bottom-up investment process using comprehensive fundamental analysis, with three investment themes:

- "Compounder" companies possess what it believes are outstanding business models, strong financial characteristics, and above- average growth potential.
- "Quality Value" companies have attractive profit margins, strong free cash flows, high returns on invested capital, and low leverage and they also trade at what Royce believes are attractive valuations.
- "Special Situations" are companies that may have complex business models and/or require a catalyst for growth, such as spinoffs, turnarounds, and/or unrecognized asset values.

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#### Fundamental research

Team member speaks with the company, reviews financial statements, SEC filings, earnings call transcripts, and company presentations examines industry journals; and conducts research on customers, competitors and culture to produce three documents:

- · Financial model
- Investment memorandum
- · Quality value scorecard



#### Team evaluation and risk analysis

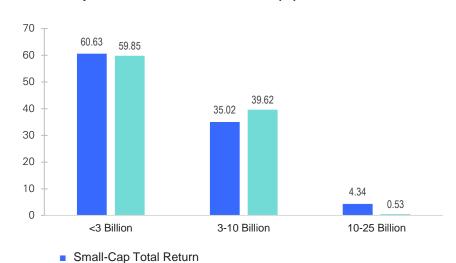
- Each team member brings to the process their own bias, experience, and investment lens.
- By identifying missed or underappreciated risks, the potential impact of behavioral biases is reduced, and the team gains a deeper understanding of the investment opportunity.

# **Equity portfolio characteristics** As of 3/31/2025

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#### Market capitalization breakdown in USD (%)

Russell 2000 Value Index



#### Portfolio characteristics

	Small-Cap Total Return	Russell 2000 Value Index
Number of Issuers	55	1,427
Estimated 3-5 Year EPS Growth	11.33%	11.95%
Price to Earnings (12-Month Forward)	12.87x	12.29x
Price to Book	6.65x	1.48x
Dividend Yield	1.60%	2.36%
Median Market Cap (Millions USD)	\$2,344	\$2,456
Weighted Average Market Capitalization (Millions USD)	\$3,234	\$2,735

Source: FactSet. Portfolio characteristics and market capitalization breakdown are based on a model portfolio, not an actual client account. The model portfolio is a hypothetical portfolio whereby the Portfolio characteristics and market capitalization breakdown are based on simulated trading and account activity of a client account invested in this strategy. The model portfolio assumes no withdrawals, contributions or client-imposed restrictions. Portfolio characteristics and market capitalization breakdown of individual client accounts may differ from those of the model portfolio as a result of account size, client-imposed restrictions, the timing of client investments, market conditions, contributions, withdrawals and other factors. **Please see appendix for term definitions.** 

P/E ratio Year 1 and Long-term EPS growth are provided by I/B/E/S, are inherently limited and should not be used as an indication of future performance.

# **Equity portfolio characteristics** As of 3/31/2025



Sector weightings (%)	Small-Cap Total Return	Russell 2000 Value Index
Financials	37.31	30.66
Industrials	23.34	12.29
Information Technology	12.62	6.03
Consumer Discretionary	9.45	8.74
Materials	6.18	3.93
Communication Services	2.14	3.17
Energy	2.13	6.87
Real Estate	1.07	11.39
Health Care	0.77	8.51
Utilities	0.00	5.88
Consumer Staples	0.00	2.54
Cash & Cash Equivalents	4.99	0.00

Top holdings (%)	Small-Cap Total Return
International General Insurance Holdings Ltd	3.41
Academy Sports & Outdoors Inc	3.31
Assured Guaranty Ltd	3.26
Barrett Business Services Inc	2.95
Advance Auto Parts Inc	2.90
Hackett Group Inc/The	2.84
FTAI Aviation Ltd	2.83
MSC Industrial Direct Co Inc	2.64
Healthcare Services Group Inc	2.40
Air Lease Corp	2.35
Total	28.90

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### **Performance**



#### Annualized rates of return – pure gross and net of fees (%) as of March 31, 2025

	1 Mth	3 Mths	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	7 Yrs	10 Year	15 Yrs	20 Year	25 Yrs
Small-Cap Total Return–Pure Gross of Fees—(USD)	-5.57	-6.10	-6.10	-0.60	5.68	17.17	8.27	8.70	10.24	8.86	10.34
Small-Cap Total Return–Net of Fees—(USD)	-5.81	-6.78	-6.78	-3.55	2.55	13.69	5.06	5.48	6.98	5.64	7.07
Russell 2000 Value Index—(USD)	-6.00	-7.74	-7.74	-3.12	0.05	15.31	5.32	6.07	8.19	6.80	8.47

#### Calendar-year total returns – pure gross and net of fees (%) ending December 31

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Small-Cap Total Return-Pure Gross of Fees—(USD)	10.81	27.80	-13.21	27.31	5.13	24.94	-11.41	15.01	27.36	-6.12
Small-Cap Total Return-Net of Fees-(USD)	7.50	24.02	-15.78	23.55	2.02	21.24	-14.04	11.61	23.59	-8.90
Russell 2000 Value Index—(USD)	8.05	14.65	-14.48	28.27	4.63	22.39	-12.86	7.84	31.74	-7.47

Periods less than one year are not annualized. Performance results are for the composite which includes all actual, fully discretionary accounts with substantially similar investment policies and objectives managed to the composite's investment strategy. Composite returns are stated in U.S. dollars and assume reinvestment of any dividends, interest income, capital gains, or other earnings. The composite may include account(s) that are gross of fees and pure gross of fees. "Pure" gross-of-fee returns do not reflect the deduction of any expenses, including transaction costs. A traditional (or "true") gross-of-fee return reflects performance after the reduction of transaction costs but before the reduction of the investment advisory fee. The gross-of-fee return may include a blend of "true" gross-of-fee returns for non-wrap accounts and "pure" gross-of-fee returns for wrap accounts. Net-of-fee returns are reduced by a model "wrap fee" (3.0% is the maximum anticipated wrap fee for equity and balanced portfolios) which includes trading expenses as well as investment management, administrative and custodial fees. The model wrap fee used represents the highest anticipated wrap fee applicable to the strategy.

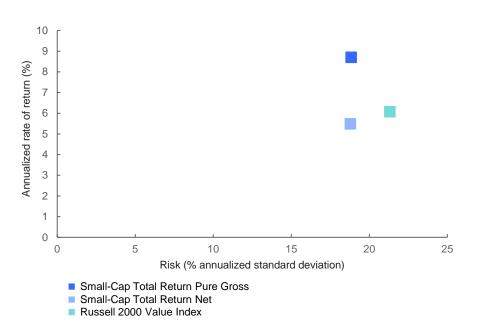
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## Risk/return profile



Pure gross and net of fees (based on 10-year period ending March 31, 2025)



#### Modern portfolio statistics as of March 31, 2025

	Small-Cap Total Return Pure Gross	Small-Cap Total Return Net	Russell 2000 Value Index
Annualized Return (%)	8.70	5.48	6.07
Annualized Standard Deviation (%)	18.84	18.79	21.31
Sharpe Ratio	0.44	0.28	0.30
Beta	0.86	0.86	N/A
Alpha (%)	2.88	-0.17	N/A
R-Squared	0.95	0.95	N/A

Alpha, Beta, Sharpe Ratio, and R-Squared are shown versus the Index. Investors cannot invest directly in an index and unmanaged index returns do not reflect any fees, expenses or sales charges. Periods less than one year are not annualized. Performance results are for the composite which includes all actual, fully discretionary accounts with substantially similar investment policies and objectives managed to the composite's investment strategy. Composite returns are stated in U.S. dollars and assume reinvestment of any dividends, interest income, capital gains, or other earnings. The composite may include account(s) that are gross of fees and pure gross of fees. "Pure" gross-of-fee returns do not reflect the deduction of any expenses, including transaction costs. A traditional (or "true") gross-of-fee return reflects performance after the reduction of transaction costs but before the reduction of the investment advisory fee. The gross-of-fee return may include a blend of "true" gross-of-fee returns for non-wrap accounts and "pure" gross-of-fee returns for wrap accounts. Net-of-fee returns are reduced by a model "wrap fee" (3.0% is the maximum anticipated wrap fee for equity and balanced portfolios) which includes trading expenses as well as investment management, administrative and custodial fees. The model wrap fee used represents the highest anticipated wrap fee applicable to the strategy. Actual fees and account minimums may vary.

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## **Up down market capture ratios (%)**



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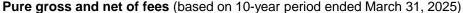


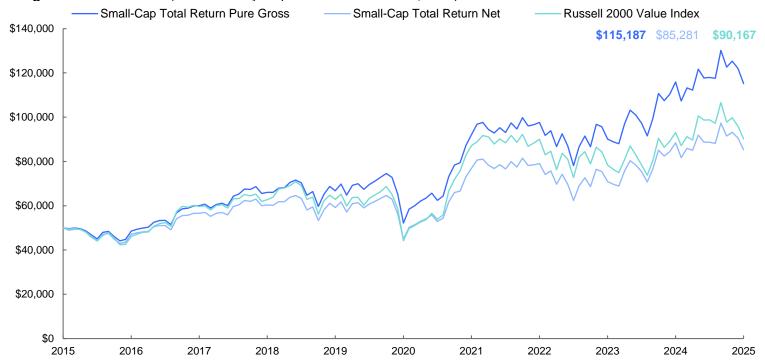
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## Growth of \$50,000







For illustrative purposes only. Assumes no withdrawals or contributions. These statistics are based on gross and net-of-fees monthly composite returns, were calculated assuming reinvestment of dividends and income, and take into account both realized and unrealized capital gains and losses.

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## Investment management team



Miles Lewis, CFA
Lead Portfolio Manager

• Industry since 2004

Joseph Hints, CFA Assistant Portfolio Manager

• Industry since 2016

Chuck Royce Chairman, Portfolio Manager

• Industry since 1963

# ROYCE Investment Partners

#### Royce Small-Cap Quality Value SMA Composite GIPS Composite Report

Year End	Total Firm Assets (USD) (billions)	Composite Assets (USD) (millions)	Number of portfolios	Composite Returns Pure Gross*	Composite Returns Net	Benchmark Returns	Composite Dispersion <sup>1</sup>	Composite 3-Yr Std Dev	Benchmark 3-Yr Std Dev
2023	12.35	0.13	≤5	27.80%	24.02%	14.65%	N/A¹	20.33%	21.75%
2022	11.28	0.10	≤5	-13.20%	-15.77%	-14.48%	N/A¹	23.55%	27.27%
2021	16.05	1,522.98	≤5	27.31%	23.56%	28.27%	N/A¹	21.53%	25.00%
2020	14.55	1,387.94	≤5	5.13%	2.03%	4.63%	N/A¹	22.03%	26.12%
2019	13.72	1,603.64	≤5	24.94%	21.25%	22.39%	N/A¹	13.82%	15.68%
2018	12.77	1,612.54	≤5	-11.41%	-14.03%	-12.86%	N/A¹	13.32%	15.76%
2017	17.40	2,480.30	≤5	15.01%	11.62%	7.84%	N/A¹	12.22%	13.97%
2016	17.65	2,840.54	≤5	27.36%	23.60%	31.74%	N/A¹	13.05%	15.50%
2015	18.51	2,856.04	≤5	-6.12%	-8.89%	-7.47%	N/A¹	11.97%	13.46%
2014	31.87	4,658.76	≤5	2.49%	-0.54%	4.22%	N/A¹	10.70%	12.79%
2013	39.70	5,694.88	≤5	34.27%	30.31%	34.52%	N/A¹	13.21%	15.82%
2012	35.29	4,432.67	≤5	15.69%	12.27%	18.05%	N/A¹	15.47%	19.89%
2011	35.29	4,452.79	≤5	-0.57%	-3.50%	-5.50%	N/A¹	19.96%	26.05%
2010	39.46	4,795.97	≤5	24.88%	21.20%	24.50%	N/A¹	22.87%	28.37%
2009	30.60	4,021.23	≤5	27.71%	23.94%	20.58%	N/A¹	N/A²	N/A²
2008	20.28	3,360.34	≤5	-30.40%	-32.45%	-28.92%	N/A¹	N/A²	N/A²

NA1 - Composite dispersion is not presented for periods with five or fewer portfolios in the composite for the entire year.

NA<sup>2</sup> - The three-year annualized standard deviation is not presented for periods before 36 consecutive months of data is available.

Royce Small-Cap Quality Value SMA Composite: The Royce Small-Cap Quality Value SMA Composite contains portfolios that invest at least 65% of their net assets in dividend-paying equity securities. In addition, at least 65% of the strategy's net assets will be invested in equity securities issued by small-cap companies at the time of investment. Small-cap companies are those that have a market capitalization not greater than that of the largest company in the Russell 2000® Index at the time of its most recent reconstitution. Although the strategy normally focuses on securities of U.S. companies, it may invest up to 25% of its net assets (measured at the time of investment) in securities of companies headquartered in foreign countries. The strategy may invest in other investment companies that invest in equity securities. The strategy may sell securities to, among other things, secure gains, limit losses, redeploy assets into what Royce deems to be more promising opportunities, and/or manage cash levels in the strategy's portfolio. As of July 1, 2022, the strategy is defined to only include wrap portfolios. The Royce Small-Cap Quality Value SMA composite is compared against the Russell 2000 Value Index. The Royce Small-Cap Quality Value SMA composite was created in July 2022 and incepted on December 31, 1993.

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Royce claims compliance with the Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS®) and has prepared and presented this report in compliance with the GIPS standards. Royce has been independently verified for the periods January 1, 2008, through December 31, 2023. The verification report is available upon request.

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Results are based on fully discretionary accounts under management, including those accounts no longer with the firm. Composite and benchmark performance is presented net of foreign withholding taxes on dividends, interest income, and capital gains. The wrap fee includes transaction costs, investment management, custodial, and other administrative fees. Past performance is not indicative of future results. Returns include the reinvestment of all income.

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<sup>\*</sup>Pure gross of fee returns do not reflect the deduction of any expenses, including transaction costs, and are presented as supplemental to the net of fee returns.

## GIPS Report (cont'd)



#### Royce Small-Cap Quality Value SMA Composite GIPS Composite Report

The currency used to express performance is USD. For non-wrap portfolios, gross-of-fee returns are reduced by trading costs. For wrap portfolios, gross-of-fee returns are not reduced by trading costs. Net-of-fee returns are calculated using a model fee of 3%. Net-of-fee composite returns are calculated by reducing each monthly composite pure gross rate of return by the highest wrap fee charged (3.00%) annually, prorated to a monthly ratio. 100% composite assets are represented by wrap fee portfolios for each period end 2022 forward. Prior to 2022, the composite did not contain wrap portfolios. Composite dispersion is measured by the asset-weighted standard deviation of annual net returns of those portfolios included in the composite for the full year. The 3-year annualized standard deviation measures the variability of the composite net returns and benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period. Policies for valuing investments, calculating performance, and preparing GIPS Reports are available upon request.

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### **Definitions**



#### **Index Definitions**

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The **Russell 2500 Growth Index** measures the performance of those companies in the small/mid-cap Russell 2500 Index chosen for their growth orientation. Source: FTSE.

The **Russell 2500 Index** measures the performance of the small to midcap segment of the U.S. equity universe, commonly referred to as "SMID" cap.

The **Russell 2500 Value Index** measures the performance of U.S. companies in the small/mid-cap Russell 2500 Index chosen for their value orientation. Source: FTSF

The **Russell 3000 Growth Index** measures the performance of those Russell 3000 Index companies with higher price-to-book ratios and higher forecasted growth values. Source: FTSE.

The **Russell 3000 Index** measures the performance of the 3,000 largest U.S. companies based on total market capitalization. Source: FTSE.

The **Russell 3000 Value Index** measures the performance of the broad value segment of U.S. equity value universe. Source: FTSE.

The **Russell Microcap Index** measures the performance of the microcap segment of the U.S. equity market. Source: FTSE.

The **Russell Mid Cap Index** measures the performance of the mid-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. Source: FTSE.

The **Russell Midcap Growth Index** measures the performance of the mid-cap growth segment of the U.S. equity universe. Source: FTSE.

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## **Definitions**



#### Term definitions

**Market Capitalization** measures the number of outstanding common shares of a given corporation multiplied by the latest price per share.

Weighted Median Market Capitalization represents the value at which half the portfolio's market capitalization weight falls above, and half falls below.

Weighted Average Market Capitalization represents the average value of the companies held in the portfolio. When that figure is weighted, the impact of each company's capitalization on the overall average is proportional to the total market value of its shares.

**Dividend Yield** is determined by dividing a stock's annual dividends per share by the current market price per share. Dividend yield is a financial ratio that shows how much a company pays out in dividends.

**P/E (Year 1)** is the previous day's closing price of the stock divided by the consensus earnings per share (EPS) of fiscal year 1 (FY1) provided by I/B/E/S. Forecasts are inherently limited and should not be relied upon as indicators of future performance.

The **Price-to-Book** ratio (P/B) is a stock's price divided by the stock's per share book value.

**Earnings Per Share** (EPS) is the portion of a company's profit allocated to each outstanding share of a common stock.

The **Sharpe Ratio** is a risk-adjusted measure, calculated using standard deviation and excess return to determine reward per unit of risk. The higher the Sharpe Ratio, the better the portfolio's historical adjusted performance.

**Alpha** is a measure of the difference between actual returns and expected performance, given the level of risk as measured by Beta, where **Beta** measures sensitivity to benchmark movements.

**R-Squared** measures the strength of the linear relationship between the portfolio and its benchmark. R-squared at 1.0 implies perfect linear relationship and zero implies no relationship exists.

**Standard Deviation** is based on quarterly data. Standard deviation is a measure of the variability of returns; the higher the standard deviation, the greater the range of performance (i.e., volatility).

The **Capture Ratios** measure a manager's composite performance relative to the benchmark, considering only those quarters that are either positive (Up) or negative (Down) for the benchmark.

An **Up Market Capture Ratio** greater than 1.0 indicates a manager who has outperformed the benchmark in the benchmark's positive quarters.

A **Down Market Capture Ratio** of less than 1.0 indicates a manager who has outperformed the relative benchmark in the benchmark's negative quarters.

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