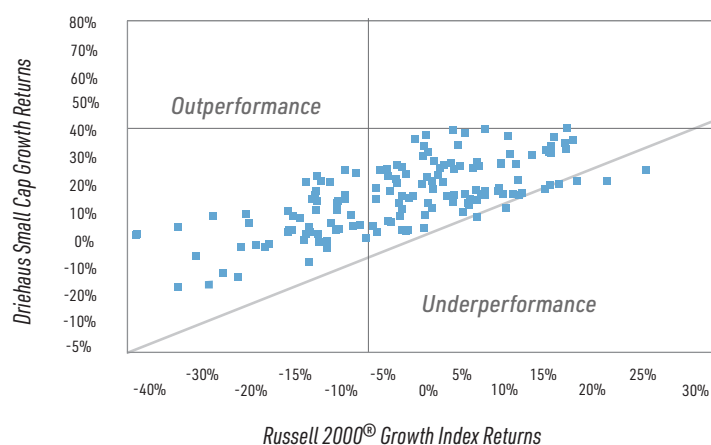


# Driehaus Small Cap Growth Strategy

## % Month-End Performance (as of 9/30/21)

	MTH	QTD	YTD	Annualized				
				1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Inception <sup>2</sup>
Driehaus Small Cap Growth Composite (Gross)	-1.12	0.65	16.08	51.83	27.40	29.75	24.07	19.11
Driehaus Small Cap Growth Composite (Net)	-1.17	0.51	15.57	50.76	26.52	28.77	23.06	18.31
Russell 2000 <sup>®</sup> Growth Index (Benchmark)	-3.83	-5.65	2.82	33.27	11.70	15.34	15.74	9.44

## Rolling Five-Year Returns, Net of Fees<sup>3</sup>



Sources: Driehaus Capital Management LLC, Factset Research Systems, Inc., eVestment Alliance  
Data as of 9/30/21.

The performance data represents the strategy's composite of small cap growth accounts managed by Driehaus Capital Management LLC (DCM). These returns are estimated for the period as the underlying accounts' data is yet to be reconciled to the custodian bank. Net of fee returns reflect the payment of advisory fees and in some instances, other fees and expenses such as administrative and custodian fees while the gross of fee returns do not. Both are net of brokerage commissions charged to the accounts and reflect the reinvestment of income and other earnings. The performance data shown above represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted.

<sup>1</sup>Composite assets include those accounts that meet the composite objectives and eligibility requirements. Please see the notes at the end of this document for additional information. <sup>2</sup>1/1/1980. <sup>3</sup>Returns are calculated from monthly returns and shown for every quarter interval since the index's inception. <sup>4</sup>Portfolio characteristics represent the strategy's composite. <sup>5</sup>Data is calculated monthly. Data as of September 30, 2021.

## Key Features

- Benchmark aware, not benchmark constrained
- Opportunistic investment approach
- High active share

## Facts

Inception Date	1/1/80
Composite Assets Under Management <sup>1</sup>	\$1,995M
Firm Assets Under Management	\$14.2B
Investment Style	Growth Equity
Available Investment Vehicles:	Separately Managed Account Mutual Fund

## Portfolio Characteristics<sup>4</sup>

5-year period	STRATEGY	BENCHMARK
Annualized Alpha	12.52	n/a
Sharpe Ratio	1.25	0.68
Information Ratio	1.93	n/a
Beta	1.03	1.00
Standard Deviation	22.86	20.95
Tracking Error	7.46	n/a
R-squared	0.89	1.00

Market Cap Breakout	STRATEGY	BENCHMARK
< \$2.5 billion	15.1%	32.5%
\$2.5 - \$15 billion	80.5%	67.0%
> \$15 billion	4.4%	0.5%

	STRATEGY	BENCHMARK
Number of Holdings	114	1,226
Weighted Avg. Market Cap (M)	\$6,013	\$3,765
Median Market Cap (M)	\$4,553	\$1,331
Active Share (3-year avg.) <sup>5</sup>	83.05	n/a

## Portfolio Management

**Jeff James**, Lead Portfolio Manager  
31 years of industry experience

**Michael Buck**, Portfolio Manager  
21 years industry experience

**Prakash Vijayan**, Assistant Portfolio Manager  
16 years industry experience

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### Top 5 Holdings<sup>1</sup> (as of 8/31/21)

Company	Sector	% of Strategy
Crocs, Inc.	Consumer Discretionary	2.6
monday.com Ltd.	Information Technology	2.2
Celsius Holdings, Inc.	Consumer Staples	2.2
Natera, Inc.	Health Care	2.0
Springworks Therapeutics, Inc.	Health Care	1.7

### Sector Weights (%)

	Comm. Services	Consumer Discretionary	Consumer Staples	Energy	Financials	Health Care	Industrials	Information Technology	Materials	Real Estate	Utilities	Cash
Strategy	0.9	12.4	4.4	3.1	4.5	23.2	21.3	24.3	3.7	0.6	0.0	1.7
Benchmark	2.7	14.8	3.6	2.1	5.1	28.9	14.1	22.5	2.9	2.8	0.3	0.0
Active Weights	-1.8	-2.4	0.8	1.0	-0.6	-5.7	7.1	1.7	0.7	-2.2	-0.3	1.7

Sources: Driehaus Capital Management LLC, Factset Research Systems, Inc., eVestment Alliance  
Data as of 9/30/21. Benchmark: Russell 2000® Growth Index

<sup>1</sup>Holdings subject to change.

## Notes // Driehaus Small Cap Growth Strategy

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The Small Cap Growth Composite was created in January 1993. An account is considered to be a small cap growth account if it primarily invests in U.S. equity securities of high growth companies within market capitalization ranges of generally followed small cap indices at the time of purchase. However, there is no requirement to be exclusively invested in small cap stocks, and the accounts have invested, to a lesser extent, in stocks with a smaller or larger capitalization from time to time.

### PERFORMANCE RESULTS

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