

## The Towle Way

A data-driven approach that aims to identify mispriced companies where incremental improvements can have a multiplier effect on investment returns.

**Buy Demand:** We buy revenue on the cheap, leveraging the power of incremental profitability improvement.

**Buy Traction:** We incorporate a proprietary measure of momentum designed to enhance capital efficiency and risk management.

**Buy In:** Outperformance requires thinking differently, embracing volatility, and fully committing to the process.

## Portfolio Characteristics

Weighted Average Market Cap	\$5,690M
Median Price/Earnings <sup>1</sup>	21.29x
Median EV/EBITDA <sup>2</sup>	10.49x
Median Price/Book <sup>3</sup>	1.49x
Median Price/Sales <sup>4</sup>	0.48x
Median Debt/Equity <sup>5</sup>	0.64x
Number of Holdings	41

## Top 10 Holdings\*

Company	Ticker	Weight
Oscar Health, Inc.	oscr	3.62%
TD Synnex Corporation	snx	3.46%
Borgwarner, Inc.	bwa	3.39%
Arrow Electronics, Inc.	arw	3.34%
United Natural Foods, Inc.	unfi	3.32%
Cleveland-Cliffs, Inc.	clf	3.27%
Magna International, Inc.	TSX:MG	2.88%
ArcBest Corp.	arcb	2.79%
Molina Healthcare, Inc.	moh	2.79%
Gold.com	gold	2.78%

\*Holdings are subject to change

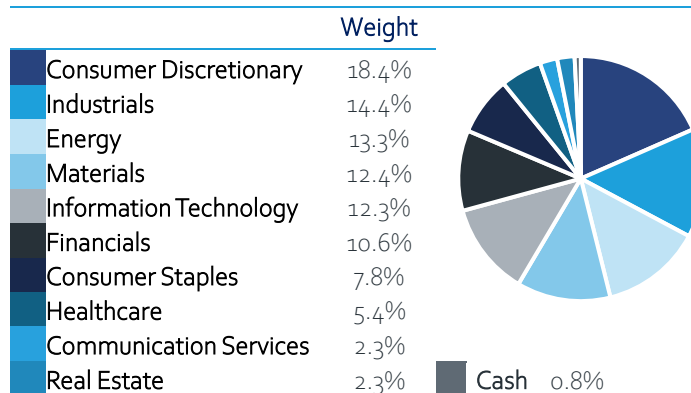
## Fund Description

The Fund follows a disciplined, value-driven investment process rooted in the belief that investor biases create persistent market inefficiencies. By systematically acting on these inefficiencies, the Fund seeks to unlock opportunities for long-term capital appreciation. A core tenet of the Fund's strategy is Towle's independent, contrarian mindset, which actively challenges market consensus. Towle focuses on investments that are out-of-favor due to adverse business developments, industry-specific downturns, short-term earnings misses, unfavorable market sentiment, or other temporary factors. The strategy emphasizes identifying opportunities ahead of anticipated catalysts where even modest improvements in profitability can drive significant earnings expansion and stock price appreciation.

## Key Details

Ticker	TCV
CUSIP	26824D506
Expense Ratio	0.85%
Exchange	NYSE
Inception Date	October 31, 2011
AUM	\$202.08M
As of Date	5/31/2026

## Sector Breakdown



## PERFORMANCE- Period Ending 5/31/2026

	MTD	QTD	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	10-Year	Since Inception
NAV <sup>6</sup>	1.35	13.03	18.93	35.54	13.52	3.54	7.95	9.37
Market Price <sup>7</sup>	1.14	13.00	18.78	35.38	13.48	3.51	7.94	9.36
Russell 2000 Value <sup>8</sup>	2.79	12.72	18.30	44.36	20.22	7.27	10.50	10.58
S&P 500 <sup>9</sup>	5.26	16.31	11.27	29.78	23.61	14.15	15.65	15.04

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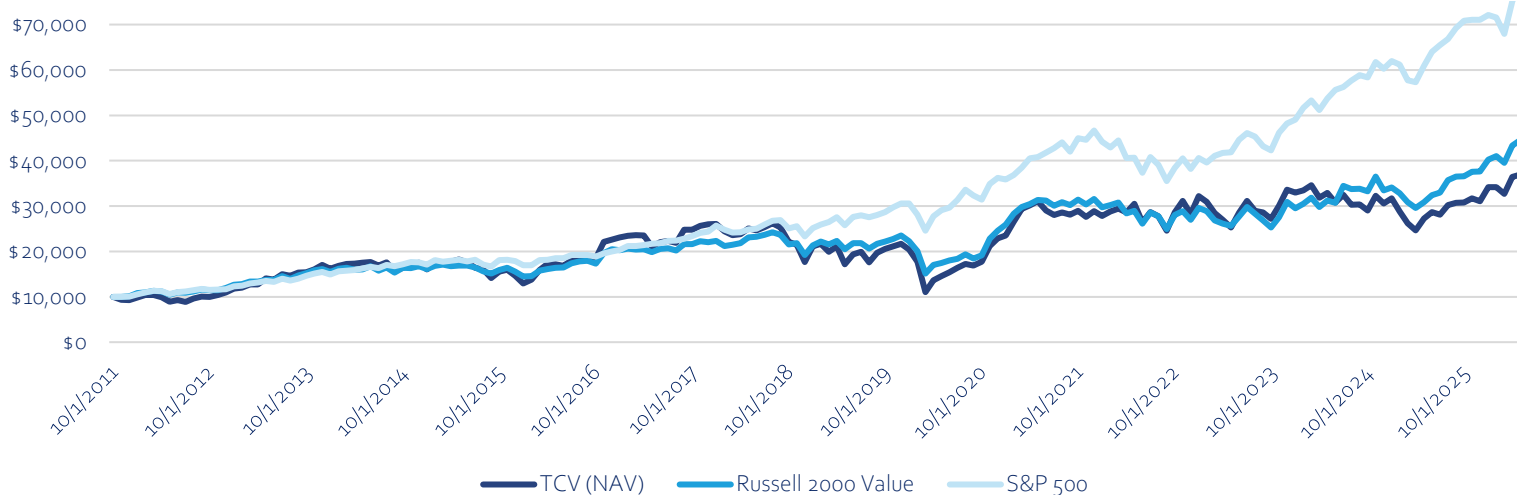
## PERFORMANCE- Period Ending 3/31/2026

	MTD	QTD	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	5-Year	10-Year	Since Inception
NAV <sup>6</sup>	-4.26	5.22	5.22	24.88	4.77	2.18	7.49	8.56
Market Price <sup>7</sup>	-4.36	5.11	5.11	24.75	4.73	2.16	7.48	8.55
Russell 2000 Value <sup>8</sup>	-3.64	4.96	4.96	28.09	13.80	5.79	9.61	9.80
S&P 500 <sup>9</sup>	-4.98	-4.33	-4.33	17.80	18.32	12.06	14.16	14.02

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### Growth of \$10,000 Since October 31, 2011



The Fund acquired all of the assets and assumed the liabilities of the Towle Value Fund, a series of Investment Managers Series Trust (the "Predecessor Fund"), as of immediately after the close of business on March 13, 2026 (the "Reorganization"), and the Fund assumed the financial and performance history of the Predecessor Fund. The Predecessor Fund had the same investment objective and substantially the same strategies as the Fund. Performance results shown in the performance table above for periods prior to March 13, 2026 is that of the Predecessor Fund.

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<sup>1</sup> **Median Price/Earnings:** The midpoint of the price-to-earnings (P/E). The P/E ratio measures a company's share price relative to its earnings per share (EPS). Often called the price or earnings multiple, the P/E ratio helps assess the relative value of a company's stock. It's handy for comparing a company's valuation against its historical performance, against other firms within its industry, or the overall market.

<sup>2</sup> **Median EV/EBITDA:** The midpoint of the ratio of enterprise value to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization (EV/EBITDA). The EV/EBITDA compares the value of a company—debt included—to the company's cash earnings minus non-cash expenses. The EV/EBITDA metric is most handy for comparing

companies within the same sector since industry norms vary widely.

<sup>3</sup> **Median Price/Book:** The midpoint of the price-to-book (P/B). Price-to-book (P/B) ratio is a financial metric that compares a company's market value to its book value, which is the value of all its assets minus its liabilities, helping investors identify undervalued stocks.

<sup>4</sup> **Median Price/Sales:** The midpoint of the Price/Sales ratios over a specified period, where half of the values are above and half are below. It helps indicate typical valuation levels by reducing the impact of outliers.

<sup>5</sup> **Median Debt/Equity:** The midpoint of the Debt-to-Equity ratios for a selected group of companies or a historical time period—with half the values above and half below—offering a stable measure of typical leverage without skew from extremes.

<sup>6</sup> **NAV (Net Asset Value):** The value of one share of the fund, calculated by dividing the total value of the fund's assets, minus its liabilities, by the number of outstanding shares.

<sup>7</sup> **Market price** returns are based upon the closing composite market price and do not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times. Returns are average annualized total returns, except those for periods of less than one year, which are cumulative.

<sup>8</sup> **Russell 2000 Value:** A subset of the Russell 2000 Index, tracking the performance of U.S. small-cap value stocks based on price-to-book ratios, earnings, and other value characteristics.

<sup>9</sup> **S&P 500:** A market-capitalization-weighted index representing the performance of 500 of the largest publicly traded U.S. companies across various sectors.

## Important Information

*Investments involve risk. Principal loss is possible.*

*The Fund's investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses must be considered carefully before investing. This and other important information is contained in the prospectus, which may be obtained by following the links [Prospectus](#) and [Summary Prospectus](#) or by calling +1-303-731-2494. Please read the prospectus carefully before investing.*

**Micro-, Small-, and Mid-Capitalization Company Risk** *The Fund may invest in common stocks of any capitalization, although the Sub-Adviser's investment process typically leads the Fund toward investments in smaller companies, including micro-cap, small-cap, and mid-cap companies. Investing in securities of micro-cap, small-cap and mid-cap companies generally involves greater risks than investing in large-capitalization companies. Micro-, small- or mid-cap companies may have limited product lines, markets or financial resources or may depend on the expertise of a few people and may be subject to more abrupt or erratic market movements than securities of larger companies or market indices in general. Many small capitalization companies may be in the early stages of development. Since equity securities of smaller companies may lack sufficient market liquidity and may not be regularly traded, it may be difficult or impossible to sell securities at an advantageous time or a desirable price.*

**New Fund Risk.** *The Fund is a recently organized investment company with no operating history. As a result, prospective investors have no track record or history on which to base their investment decision. There can be no assurance that the Fund will grow to or maintain an economically viable size.*

**Non-Diversification Risk** *The Fund is classified as "non-diversified," which means the Fund may invest a larger percentage of its assets in the securities of a smaller number of issuers than a diversified fund. Investment in securities of a limited number of issuers exposes the Fund to greater volatility and potential losses than if its assets were diversified among the securities of a greater number of issuers.*

**Quantitative Security Selection Risk** *Data for some issuers may be less available and/or less current than data for issuers in other markets. The Sub-Adviser uses quantitative models, and its processes could be adversely affected if erroneous or outdated data is utilized. In addition, securities selected using a quantitative model could perform differently from the financial markets as a whole as a result of the characteristics used in the analysis, the weight placed on each characteristic and changes in the characteristic's historical trends. The factors used in those analyses may not be predictive of a security's value and its effectiveness can change over time. These changes may not be reflected in the quantitative models.*

**Sector Focus Risk** *The Fund may invest a larger portion of its assets in one or more sectors than many other mutual funds, and thus will be more susceptible to negative events affecting those sectors. The prices of securities of issuers in a particular sector may be more susceptible to fluctuations due to changes in economic or business conditions, government regulations or monetary and fiscal policies, market sentiment and expectations, availability of basic resources or supplies, or other events that affect that sector more than securities of issuers in other sectors.*

**Consumer Discretionary Sector Risk** *Companies in the consumer discretionary sector are affected by fluctuations in supply and demand, changes in consumer preferences and changes in discretionary consumer spending as a result of various factors such as political and economic conditions. At times the performance of the Fund's investments may lag the performance of other sectors or the broader market as a whole. Such underperformance may continue for extended periods of time.*

**Value-Oriented Investment Strategies Risk** *Value stocks are those that the Sub-Adviser believes to be undervalued in comparison to their peers due to adverse business developments or other factors. Value investing is subject to the risk that the market will not recognize a security's inherent value for a long time or at all, or that a stock judged to be undervalued may actually be appropriately priced or overvalued. In addition, during some periods (which may be extensive) value stocks generally may be out of favor in the markets. Therefore, the Fund is most suitable for long-term investors who are willing to hold their shares for extended periods of time through market fluctuations and the accompanying changes in share prices.*

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