# **Canadian Equity** IA Clarington Canadian Small Cap Fund (Series F)

# Fund Performance (%) – Series F

1-month	3-month	Y-T-D	1-year	3-year	5-year	10-year	Since inception
1.5	4.3	4.3	14.7	10.0	10.4	7.0	9.8

# Calendar Year Returns (%) - Series F

2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
7.6	-5.3	24.2	3.5	-10.9	17.1	2.0	26.2	2.0	11.9

# Value of \$10,000 investment - Series F



## What does the Fund invest in?

The Fund seeks to maximize long-term capital growth by investing primarily in equity securities of small cap Canadian companies.

The Fund may invest up to 30% of its assets in foreign securities.

# **Key Reasons to Invest**

- A complementary approach to conventional portfolios that invests in smaller and medium capitalized companies that the manager believes have sustainable competitive advantages.
- Invests in quality companies with lower valuations that are growing at higher rates than the market that typically pay a dividend.
- Focused portfolio of typically 25-40 of the portfolio manager's best ideas with individual sector weights generally kept under 25% to ensure diversification.

### **Portfolio Manager**

#### QV Investors Inc.

Steven Kim, CFA Start date: June 2022 Derek Nichol, CFA Start date: June 2023

# **Fund Details**

Fund Type:	Trust
Size:	\$841.9 million
Inception Date:	Series F: July 5, 2004
NAV:	Series F: \$95.38

MER*:	Series F: 1.35%
*as at Sept.	30, 2023

#### **Risk Tolerance:**

# Medium Low

High

# **Distribution Frequency:**

Series F: Annual, variable

Distributions (\$/unit)†	F
April 2023	-
May 2023	-
June 2023	-
July 2023	-
August 2023	-
September 2023	-

# Fund Codes (CCM)

Series	Front	Series	Fee-Based
A	520	DF	4993
DA	4992	F	1450
E	8101		

Distributions (\$/unit)†	F
October 2023	-
November 2023	-
December 2023	4.449
January 2024	-
February 2024	-
March 2024	-



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97.7%

1.2%

Asset Mix	
Equity	97.4%
Canadian Equities	93.9%
Income Trusts	2.3%
U.S. Equities	1.2%
Cash and Other	2.6%
Treasury Bills	1.6%
Cash and Other Net Assets	1.0%
Geographic Allocation	

Canada

North America-Other

Top E	Equity	Hol	dings
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Winpak Ltd.	4.5%
AltaGas Ltd.	4.4%
Canadian Western Bank	4.3%
Parkland Corp.	4.1%
Mullen Group Ltd.	3.8%
Stella-Jones Inc.	3.7%
Information Services Corp.	3.7%
Secure Energy Services Inc.	3.6%
E-L Financial Corp. Ltd.	3.5%
iA Financial Inc.	3.5%
Total Allocation	39.1%

#### Equity Sector Allocation<sup>1</sup>

Industrials	17.5%
Financials	17.1%
Materials	14.1%
Energy	13.6%
Consumer Discretionary	10.8%
Health Care	5.6%
Real Estate	5.3%
Utilities	4.4%
Information Technology	3.7%
Consumer Staples	3.3%
Communication Services	1.8%
Total Number of Investments <sup>2</sup>	46
Fixed Income	3
Equity	43
Portfolio Characteristics	
Portfolio Yield	2.8%

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Excludes applicable sector allocations of exchange-traded funds. <sup>2</sup> Excludes Cash and Other Net Assets and applicable investment funds not managed by IA Clarington Investments Inc.

<sup>†</sup>Distributions (\$/share) and Distributions (\$/unit) are paid using a calculation rounded up to 5 decimal places. Please note the distributions presented above are rounded to the nearest 3 decimal places.