# **BRIDGEWAY ULTRA-SMALL COMPANY**



### Ticker BRUSX

#### Morningstar Category Small Value

**Benchmark Russell Microcap Index** 

Inception 08/05/1994

PERFORM	ANCE	(%)								G
Annual Return	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2 2023
BRUSX	-0.56	-16.12	14.06	3.88	-15.68	9.51	31.31	33.34	-10.7	2 17.94
Russell Microcap® Index	3.65	-5.16	20.37	13.17	-13.08	22.43	20.96	19.34	-21.9	6 9.33
Average Annu Return	ıal	QUARTER	YTD	1١	/EAR	3 YEAR	5 YEAR	10 \	(EAR	SINCE INCEPTION (08/05/1994))
BRUSX		20.97	17.94	17	7.94	11.98	15.09	5	.34	12.72

9.33

0.61

8.56

5.79

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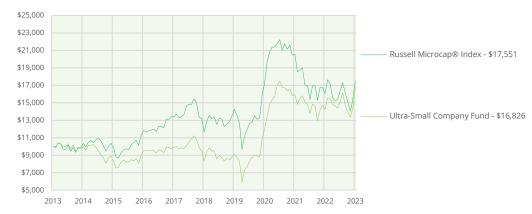
16.06 \*The inception date of the Russell Microcap Index is June 1, 2005.

9.33

#### **GROWTH OF \$10,000**

Russell Microcap®

Index



Stock Portfolio Avg.

10.5

1.0

4.7 0.5

\$216

270

76.7

\$86 0.88

Portfolio Manager Team Managed BACKGROUND: Bridgeway Capital Management<sup>™</sup> is a Houston-based investment management firm founded in 1993. Bridgeway's goal is to be the investment manager of choice by providing competitively priced, expertly designed investment building blocks. Statistically driven and grounded in academic theory, Bridgeway's

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disciplined investment process reflects our passion for logic, data, and evidence. Putting investors' interests first is a hallmark of the firm's unique culture and core business values of integrity, performance, cost efficiency, and service. Committed to community impact, Bridgeway donates at least 50% of its profits to non-profit organizations.

**INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE:** To provide a long-term total return of capital, primarily through capital appreciation.

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CD)	FEES AND EXPENSES	=
5 (%)	Sales Charges	
0	Front-end Load	None
0	Deferred Loads	None
0	Management Fee	0.9%
36	12b-1 Fee	None
64	Gross Expense Ratio	1.2%
	Net Expense Ratio	None

#### **TOP TEN HOLDINGS**

Wtd. Avg. Market Cap (\$mil)

Category

Price/Book

Price/Sales

Beta

Price/Earnings

Price/Cash Flow

Total # of Holdings

Turnover (annual)

Net Assets (\$mil)

**EQUITY PORTFOLIO STATISTICS** 

Company	Market Cap (\$mil)	Net Assets (%)
OptimizeRx Corp.	260	2.1
Ventyx Biosciences Inc.	146	2.0
Douglas Elliman Inc.	262	2.0
Nkarta Inc.	324	1.9
Security National Financial Corp.	180	1.9
Harrow Health Inc.	393	1.8
Semler Scientific Inc.	304	1.8
Porch Group Inc.	305	1.7
Consolidated Water Co.	561	1.6
Friedman Industries Inc.	108	1.5
Total		18.3

Company Size	Stocks (%)	Sales
Large	0	Fron
Medium	0	Defe
Small	0	Man
Micro	36	12b-
Ultra-Small	64	Gros
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**COMPANY SIZE BREAKDOWN** 

## SECTOR WEIGHTINGS

Sector	Net Assets (%)	Russell Microcap® Index (%)
Communication Services	2.7	2.9
Consumer Discretionary	9.8	10.2
Consumer Staples	2.0	1.7
Energy	4.4	5.8
Financials	15.7	21.7
Health Care	31.9	25.3
Industrials	11.2	13.3
Information Technology	9.5	10.6
Materials	3.8	3.7
Real Estate	4.7	3.9
Utilities	2.4	1.0
Cash & Other Assets	1.9	0.0



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Total return figures include the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. Returns do not reflect the taxes that a shareholder who owned this Fund in a taxable account would pay on Fund distributions or on the redemption of Fund shares.

The Fund is subject to very high, above market risk (volatility) and is not an appropriate investment for short-term investors. In addition, market turbulence and reduced liquidity in the markets may negatively affect many issuers, which could adversely affect the Fund. Investments in ultra-small companies generally carry greater risk than is customarily associated with larger companies and even "small companies" for various reasons such as narrower markets (fewer investors), limited financial resources and greater trading difficulty. The Fund's use of futures to equitize cash may increase the volatility of the Fund and, if the transaction is not successful, could result in a loss to the Fund. The use of futures could produce disproportionate gains or losses, more than the principal amount invested. Investments in foreign securities can be more volatile than investments in U.S. securities. Foreign securities can be adversely affected by political, economic and market developments abroad.

The Russell Microcap® Index measures the performance of the microcap segment of the US equity market. Microcap stocks make up less than 2% of the US equity market (by market cap) and consist of the smallest 1,000 securities in the small-cap Russell 2000® Index, plus the next 1,000 smallest eligible securities by market cap. The Russell Microcap Index is constructed to provide a comprehensive and unbiased barometer for the microcap segment trading on national exchanges. The Index is completely reconstituted annually to ensure new and growing equities are reflected and companies continue to reflect appropriate capitalization and value characteristics. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

Holdings and sector weightings are subject to change without notice. Percentages may not total 100 due to rounding. Price-to-earnings ratios, price-to-book ratios, and price-to-cash flow ratios all express the value of a stock's most recent closing price as divided by the underlying company's earnings per share, book value per share, or cash flow per share (respectively), all as computed over the previous 12 months. **Price/Cash Flow ratio** is a measure of the market's expectations of a firm's future financial health. Because this measure deals with cash flow, the effects of depreciation and other non-cash factors are removed. Similar to the price/earnings ratio, this measure provides an indication of relative value. **Beta** is a quantitative measure of the volatility of the fund relative to the Russell Microcap Index over the past three years. A beta above one is more volatile than the overall market, while a beta below one is less volatile.

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