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# Calvert Small-Cap Fund (R6)

The Fund seeks to provide long-term capital appreciation through investment primarily in small-cap common stocks of

R6 🗸 Share Class CALRX Symbol

**\$34.60 \$**0.17 NAV as of May 7, 2024

U.S. companies.

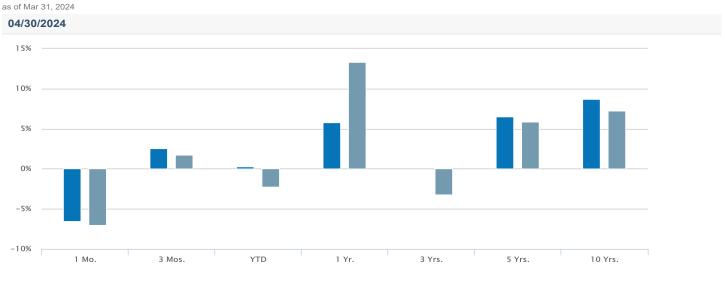


**Commentary/Attribution** Mar 31, 2024

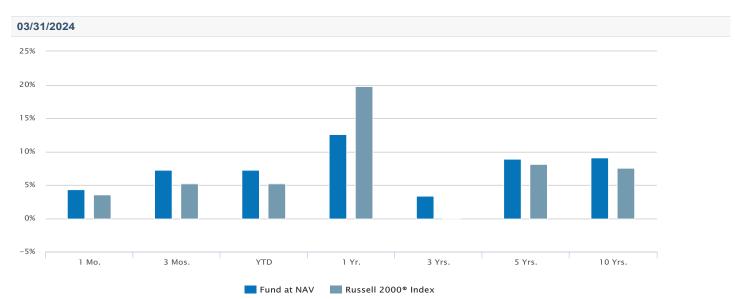
#### Overview

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# Historical Returns (%)







04/30/2024							
Fund at NAV	-6.51	2.57	0.27	5.76	0.05	6.52	8.65
Russell 2000® Index <sup>1</sup>	-7.04	1.73	-2.22	13.32	-3.17	5.82	7.21
03/31/2024							

Fund at NAV	4.28	7.25	7.25	12.56	3.34	8.93	9.06
Russell 2000® Index <sup>1</sup>	3.58	5.18	5.18	19.71	-0.10	8.10	7.57

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#### Fund Facts as of Mar 31, 2024

as of Mar 01, 2024	
Class R6 Inception	02/01/2019
Performance Inception	10/01/2004
Investment Objective	Long-term capital appreciation
Total Net Assets	\$3.2B
Minimum Investment	\$500000
Expense Ratio <sup>2</sup>	0.86%
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# Top 10 Holdings (%)<sup>3,4</sup>

as of Mar 51, 2024	
Core & Main Inc	4.08
CBIZ Inc	3.21
Chemed Corp	3.11
Essential Properties Realty Trust Inc	3.06
AptarGroup Inc	2.92
Dorman Products Inc	2.86
US Physical Therapy Inc	2.79
Aramark	2.42
Selective Insurance Group Inc	2.38
AZEK Co Inc	2.38
Total	29.22

# Morningstar Rating™

as of Apr 30, 2024

Time Period	Rating	Funds in Small Blend Category
Overall	****	583
3 Years	***	583
5 Years	****	551
10 Years	****	390

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#### Portfolio Management

Michael D. McLean, CFA

#### Griff Noble, CFA

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## **RISK CONSIDERATIONS**

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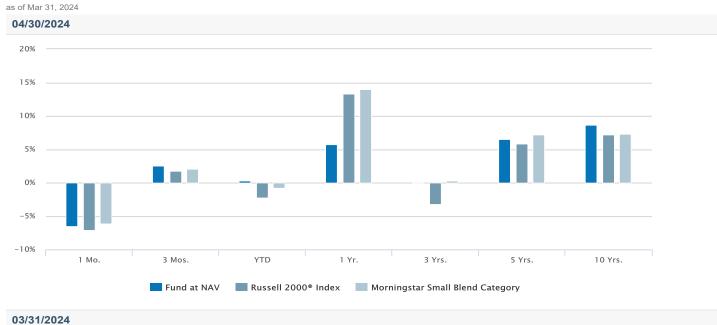
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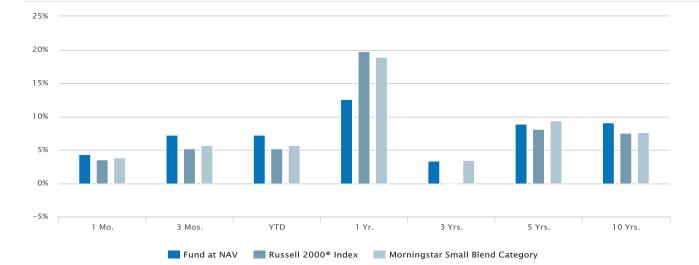
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- 2. Source: Fund prospectus.
- 3. Top 10 Holdings excludes cash and equivalents.
- 4. Percent of total net assets.

#### Performance

#### Historical Returns (%)





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# Calendar Year Returns (%)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Fund at NAV	7.64	-0.64	—	—	—	26.37	15.02	20.04	-15.83	11.81
Russell 2000® Index <sup>1</sup>	4.89	-4.41	21.31	14.65	-11.01	25.52	19.96	14.82	-20.44	16.93

## **Fund Facts**

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Distribution Frequency	Annually

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as of Apr 30, 2024

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# **NAV History**

Date	NAV	NAV Change
May 07, 2024	\$34.60	\$0.17
May 06, 2024	\$34.43	\$0.40
May 03, 2024	\$34.03	\$0.08
May 02, 2024	\$33.95	\$0.30
May 01, 2024	\$33.65	\$0.17
Apr 30, 2024	\$33.48	-\$0.42
Apr 29, 2024	\$33.90	\$0.21
Apr 26, 2024	\$33.69	\$0.06
Apr 25, 2024	\$33.63	-\$0.45
Apr 24, 2024	\$34.08	\$0.03

# Distribution History<sup>6</sup>

Ex-Date	Distribution	Reinvest NAV
Dec 14, 2023	\$0.13000	\$32.96
Dec 15, 2022	\$0.09140	\$30.03
Dec 07, 2021	\$0.06130	\$35.39

No records in this table indicates that there has not been a distribution greater than .0001 within the past 3 years. Fund prospectus

# Capital Gain History<sup>6</sup>

Ex-Date	Short-Term	Long-Term	Reinvest NAV
Dec 15, 2022		\$0.39230	\$30.03
Dec 07, 2021	\$1.19310	\$1.25900	\$35.39
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Fund prospectus

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5. The Morningstar Small Blend Category includes funds that invest primarily in U.S. small-cap companies where neither strong growth nor value characteristics predominate.

6. A portion of the Fund's returns may be comprised of return of capital or short term capital gains. The Fund will determine the tax characteristics of all Fund distributions after the end of the calendar year and will provide shareholders such information at that time. Please consult your tax advisor for further information.

#### Portfolio

### Asset Mix $(\%)^4$



#### **Portfolio Statistics**

as of Mar 31, 2024

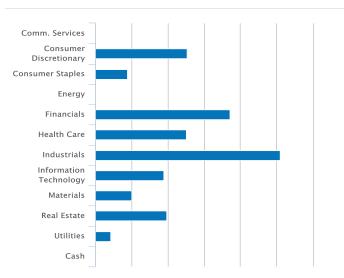
Number of Holdings

70

## GICS Sector Breakdown (%)<sup>4</sup>

as of Mar 31, 2024 03/31/2024

Foreign Common Stocks	0.64
Cash	0.02
Total	100.00



_	2.13
12.61	10.83
4.39	3.31
—	7.33
18.58	15.89
12.54	15.32
25.48	17.61
9.44	14.95
4.99	4.53
9.82	5.60
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### Assets by Country (%)<sup>4</sup> as of Mar 31, 2024

as of Mar 31, 2024	
United States	99.34
Japan	0.64
Cash & Other Assets	0.02
Total	100.00

# Fund Holdings (%)<sup>4,7</sup>

as of Mar 31, 2024

Holding	% of Net Assets
Core & Main Inc	4.08%
CBIZ Inc	3.21%
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4. Percent of total net assets.

7. The following list reflects unaudited securities holdings (excluding derivatives positions). Holdings information may differ if presented as of trade date. Due to rounding, holdings of less than 0.005% may show as 0.00%. Portfolio information subject to change due to active management.

Management



Michael D. McLean, CFA Managing Director, Co-Head of US Small/Mid Cap Joined Calvert Research and Management 2016

#### Biography

Mike is a managing director of Morgan Stanley. He is Co-Head of the Eaton Vance U.S. Small/Midcap team and a portfolio manager. He is responsible for buy and sell decisions, portfolio construction and risk management for U.S. small- and midcap equity portfolios as well as coverage of the consumer discretionary and consumer staples sectors. He is also a vice president and portfolio manager for Calvert Research and Management. He began his career in the investment management industry with Eaton Vance in 2001. Morgan Stanley acquired Eaton Vance in March 2021.

Mike earned a B.S. from Providence College. He is a CFA charterholder and holds both the CFA Institute Certificate in ESG Investing and the Fundamentals of Sustainability Accounting FSA Credential.

#### Education

• B.S. Providence College

Experience

• Managed Fund since 2016



Griff Noble, CFA Managing Director, Co-Head of US Small/Mid Cap Joined Calvert Research and Management 2016

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Griff began his career in the investment management industry in 1996. Before joining Eaton Vance, he was an equity analyst with BlackRock, Inc. He was previously affiliated with Byram Capital Management, Emerson Investment Management, Deutsche Asset Management and Putnam Investments.

Griff earned a B.S. from the University of Vermont and an MBA from Babson College. He is a member of CFA Society Boston and is a CFA charterholder.

#### Education

- B.S. University of Vermont
- M.B.A. Babson College

#### Experience

Managed Fund since 2016

#### Literature



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