

U.S. FOCUS Growth Profile

Portfolio Management Team



Sonu Chawla, CFA 24 Years of Experience 6 Years at TSCM

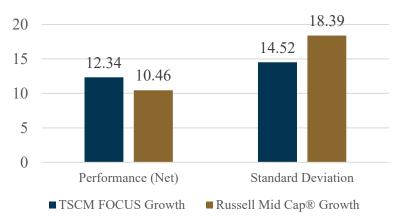


Grant R. Babyak 36 Years of Experience 24 Years at TSCM



Mark E. Grzymski 27 Years of Experience 16 Years at TSCM

Risk-Return Metrics (Since Inception)



Portfolio & Risk Characteristics - Since Inception (As of December 31, 2024) **U.S. FOCUS** Russell Mid Cap® Growth Growth Alpha 6.43% Beta 0.70 1.00 Information Ratio 0.35 Sharpe Ratio 0.72 0.40 Active Share 92% \$44.9B Market Cap (Wtd. Avg) \$38.8B 47.0% 12-Month Turnover (%)

Strategy Facts

Inception Date: 08/31/2005 Strategy Assets: \$99* Million Firm Assets: \$8.3 Billion

Holdings (target): 15 - 20 stocks

Style: Growth
Sub-Style: Quality

Benchmark: Russell Mid Cap® Growth

Vehicles: Separate Account

Model Portfolio

The TimesSquare Investment Approach

- Quality management
 - Alignment of interests with shareholders
 - Experience and integrity
 - Meaningful proportion of net worth tied to company
- Distinct, sustainable competitive advantage
 - Proprietary products and services
 - Demonstrated franchise value
 - High barriers to entry
 - Relatively few competitors
- Strong, consistent growth
 - Both top line and bottom line
 - Strong probability of retaining or widening margins
 - High proportion of recurring revenues
 - Sales to many customers in multiple markets

^{*}Supported by 7 experienced research analysts

^{*} Includes approximately \$55 million in FOCUS Growth assets under advisory (AUA).





Top 10 Holdings
(As of 12/31/24)

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Security	% of Representative Portfolio*	
Verisk Analytics	8.23	
Cheniere Energy	6.97	
Cencora	6.84	
Amphenol	6.64	
CyberArk	6.64	
Veeva Systems	5.82	
Waste Connections	5.60	
O'Reilly Automotive	5.38	
Cintas	4.71	
RenaissanceRe	4.68	
Top 10 Total	61.52	

Sector Allocation (As of 12/31/24)

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Sector	Representative Portfolio* (%)	Russell Mid Cap® Growth (%)	
Communication Services	0.00	4.55	
Consumer Discretionary	6.01	14.77	
Consumer Staples	3.15	2.26	
Energy	7.78	4.05	
Financials	9.57	12.82	
Health Care	14.13	12.53	
Industrials	20.70	17.31	
Information Technology	34.33	27.53	
Materials	4.34	1.13	
Real Estate	0.00	1.26	
Utilities	0.00	1.79	

^{*}The representative portfolio is an account that reflects the current management style for this strategy. Performance is not a consideration in the selection of the representative portfolio. The characteristics of the representative portfolio may differ from those of other managed accounts and from those of a start-up portfolio. The characteristics relate to the portfolio as of a particular point in time and should not be regarded as predictive.

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- Significant experience managing Institutional and Intermediary portfolios supported by a robust infrastructure to seamlessly service our clients.
- **Partnership structure** aligning the economic interests of TimesSquare employees with our clients.

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