

Convergence Small Cap Opportunities



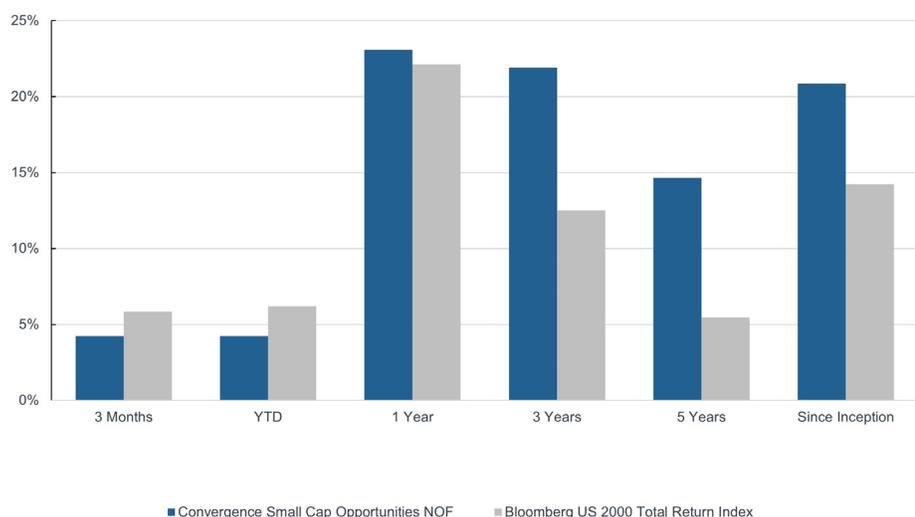
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Small Cap Opportunities Strategy

The Convergence Small Cap Opportunities strategy employs a dynamic fundamental process and seeks to benefit from fundamentally sound companies outperforming the broad small and mid cap universe. The Strategy's approach underpins the idea that small- and mid-capitalization equities grow into large capitalization equities. The proprietary ranking system emphasizes growth in many forms including forecasted and historical growth of sales, cash flows and profits. The strategy's primary objective is capital appreciation.

Performance (Net of Fees) June 2020 - February 2026

	3 Months	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Annualized Since Inception 06/01/2020
Convergence Small Cap Opportunities	4.24%	4.24%	23.10%	21.91%	14.65%	20.87%
Morningstar Small Blend	7.04%	7.04%	17.76%	11.19%	6.60%	13.77%
Bloomberg US 2000	5.85%	6.21%	22.12%	12.52%	5.45%	14.24%



About Convergence

Convergence Investment Partners is an active equity manager dedicated to managing U.S. equity strategies. Our team's experience spans decades of investing based on fundamental stock picking combined with advanced technology. This has allowed us to develop systematic stock selection strategies that we believe helps garner powerful results. Our firm's name, Convergence, communicates our philosophy of a fundamental stock picking process that incorporates the intersection of sound investment theory executed in a disciplined environment utilizing advanced technology.

Ten Largest Holdings

Everus Construction Group	1.95
Manitowoc Co Inc	1.92
Babcock & Wilcox Enterprise	1.76
Energys	1.49
Ciena Corp	1.25
Septerna Inc	1.23
Ironwood Pharmaceutical	1.17
Costamare Inc	1.14
Sandisk Corp	1.14
Aercap Holdings NV	1.07

Investment Characteristics

Characteristic	Convergence Small Cap Opportunities	Bloomberg US 2000
Price/Earnings Ratio	33.40	81.00
Price to Book	2.08	1.96
Realized Beta*	0.96	1.00
Return on Assets	-0.9%	-1.9%
EPS Growth*	5.6%	10.4%
Capitalization(millions)	\$6,636	\$4,083
Number of Holdings	151	1925

*5 year trailing. Earnings Growth is not a measure of future performance.

Portfolio Statistics (02/28/2026)

Sector Weight %	Convergence Small Cap Opportunities	Bloomberg US 2000
Comm Services	5.0	2.6
Consumer Disc	13.8	9.6
Consumer Staples	3.0	2.2
Energy	2.1	5.3
Financials	9.0	17.2
Health Care	15.2	18.9
Industrials	20.9	16.0
Information Tech	20.3	13.6
Materials	4.9	5.6
Real Estate	3.5	6.6
Utilities	2.2	2.3
Total	100.0	100.0

Past performance is not indicative of future results.

Appendix

Convergence Small Cap Opportunities Composite (as of 12/31/2025)									
	Gross of Fees Return	Net of Fees Return	Benchmark Return Bloomberg 2000	Composite Dispersion (Full Period)	Number of Separate Accounts (End of Period)	Total Composite Assets (End of Period)	Total Firm Assets (End of Period)	3 Year Annualized Standard Deviation	
								Composite	Bloomberg 2000
2020 (6/1/2020 - 12/31/2020)	30.34%	29.99%	46.73%	N/A*	1	\$146,391	\$223,805,605	N/A	N/A
2021	38.05%	37.40%	18.58%	N/A*	1	\$100,697	\$219,550,002	N/A	N/A
2022	-13.17%	-13.61%	-20.08%	N/A*	1	\$86,840	\$190,730,732	N/A	N/A
2023	22.89%	22.27%	17.09%	N/A*	2	\$375,888	\$215,517,580	21.18	21.91
2024	29.46%	28.83%	11.95%	0.30	4	\$730,783	\$438,881,341	22.97	23.99
2025	17.93%	17.36%	11.06%	0.39	8	\$1,288,773	\$477,857,870	19.92	20.20

*N/A is shown because there were five or fewer portfolios in the composite for the full year.

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The Convergence Small Cap Opportunities Composite

The Convergence Small Cap Opportunities strategy employs a dynamic fundamental process and seeks to benefit from fundamentally sound companies outperforming the broad Small Cap universe. The inception and creation date of the composite is May 31, 2020. The idea that Small- and Mid-Cap's aim to grow into Large caps underpins the strategy's approach. The proprietary ranking system emphasizes growth in many forms including forecasted and historical growth of sales, cash flows and profits. The strategy's primary objective is capital appreciation. The portfolio returns have been compared to the Bloomberg US 2000 Index as a benchmark. The Bloomberg US 2000 Total Return Index is a float market-cap-weighted benchmark of the lower 2,000 stocks in capitalization of the Bloomberg US 3000 Index (B3000). Morningstar Small Blend category is shown as a secondary benchmark. The Morningstar Small Blend category consists of small-blend portfolios which favor U.S. firms at the smaller end of the market-capitalization range. Some aim to own an array of value and growth stocks while others employ a discipline that leads to

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