## Trivalent International Emerging Markets Small-Capitalization Equity Strategy



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| Year Ending | Gross Return | Net Return | Benchmark | 3yr Annualized Standard<br>Deviation (%) Composite | 3yr Annualized Standard<br>Deviation (%) Benchmark | Number of<br>Portfolios | Internal<br>Dispersion | Composite<br>Assets (mm) | Total Firm Assets<br>(mm) |
|-------------|--------------|------------|-----------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 12/31/2024  | 9.76%        | 8.66%      | 4.79%     | 15.66%                                             | 15.15%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$118                    | \$152,502                 |
| 12/31/2023  | 36.03%       | 34.67%     | 23.92%    | 16.25%                                             | 15.62%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$70                     | \$145,153                 |
| 12/31/2022  | -11.85%      | -12.73%    | -18.02%   | 22.33%                                             | 23.96%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$68                     | \$135,073                 |
| 12/31/2021  | 18.61%       | 17.43%     | 18.75%    | 20.13%                                             | 21.89%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$77                     | \$163,030                 |
| 12/31/2020  | 27.27%       | 26.00%     | 19.29%    | 21.80%                                             | 23.45%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$83                     | \$144,348                 |
| 12/31/2019  | 13.73%       | 12.60%     | 11.50%    | 13.61%                                             | 12.91%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$79                     | \$147,934                 |
| 12/31/2018  | -17.17%      | -17.99%    | -18.59%   | 15.09%                                             | 14.35%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$8                      | \$51,500                  |
| 12/31/2017  | 44.86%       | 43.21%     | 34.12%    | 14.55%                                             | 14.56%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$6                      | \$60,297                  |
| 12/31/2016  | 4.51%        | 3.36%      | 4.19%     | 14.52%                                             | 14.98%                                             | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$4                      | \$42,934                  |
| 12/31/2015  | -4.79%       | -5.84%     | -5.83%    | N/A                                                | N/A                                                | ≤5                      | N/M                    | \$4                      | \$30,889                  |

- 1. Victory Capital Management Inc. claims compliance with the Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS<sup>®</sup>) and has prepared and presented this report in compliance with the GIPS standards. Victory Capital Management Inc. has been independently verified for the period from January 1, 2001, through December 31, 2023. The verification report is available upon request. A firm that claims compliance with the GIPS standards must establish policies and procedures for complying with all the applicable requirements of the GIPS standards. Verification provides assurance on whether the firm's policies and procedures related to composite and pooled fund maintenance, as well as the calculation, presentation, and distribution of performance, have been designed in compliance with the GIPS standards and have been implemented on a firm-wide basis. The Trivalent International Emerging Markets Small-Capitalization Equity Composite has had a performance examination for the periods January 1, 2018, through December 31, 2023. The verification and performance examination reports are available upon request.
- Victory Capital Management Inc. (VCM) is a diversified global investment adviser registered under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 and comprises multiple investment franchises: Integrity Asset Management, Munder Capital Management, New Energy Capital Partners, NewBridge Asset Management, Pioneer Investments, RS Investments, Sophus Capital, Sycamore Capital, THB Asset Management, Trivalent Investments, Victory Income Investors, and the Victory Capital Solutions Platform. RS Investments and Sophus Capital became a part of the VCM GIPS firm effective January 1, 2017; Victory Income Investors, effective July 1, 2019; THB Asset Management, effective March 1, 2021; New Energy Capital effective November 1, 2021; and Amundi Asset Management US, Inc. (renamed to "Pioneer Investments"), effective April 1, 2025.
- 3. The Trivalent International Emerging Markets Small-Capitalization Equity Composite includes all fee paying, non-wrap discretionary portfolios of \$100,000 or more that are managed according to the Trivalent International Emerging Markets Small-Capitalization Equity strategy. The strategy focuses on foreign companies that are characterized by improving business momentum and attractive valuations. Prior to October 2012, the minimum size for inclusion in the composite was \$1 million. The composite creation date is August 2013, and the composite inception date is July 2013.
- 4. The benchmark of the composite is the MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index (Net). Prior to 10/1/2017, the benchmark is the S&P® Emerging Plus Small Cap Index (Net). The MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap Index (Net) includes small cap representation across 24 Emerging Markets countries. With 1,836 constituents, the index covers approximately 14% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in each country. The small cap segment tends to capture more local economic and sector characteristics relative to larger Emerging Markets capitalization segments. The S&P® Emerging Plus Small Cap Index (Net) consists of the bottom 15% (based on market capitalization) of companies from each country represented in the S&P® Emerging BMI plus Korea. The S&P® Emerging BMI includes companies domiciled in 20 emerging markets countries with float-adjusted market capitalizations of at least US\$100 million and annual trading liquidity of at least US\$50 million. The benchmark returns are provided to represent the investment environment existing during the time periods shown and are not covered by the report of independent verifiers. For comparison purposes, the index is fully invested, which includes the reinvestment of income. The returns have been taken from a published source and do not include any transaction fees, management fees, or other costs.
- 5. The internal dispersion of annual returns is measured by the standard deviation of asset-weighted gross returns of accounts included in the composite for the full year. If less than six portfolios are included in the composite for the full year, no dispersion measure is presented, as it is not considered meaningful (N/M). The three-year annualized ex-post standard deviation measures the variability of the composite's gross returns, and the benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period. It is not required to be presented for annual when a full three years of composite performance is not yet available.

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6. Composite and benchmark returns are presented net of non-reclaimable withholding taxes. Gross-of-fees returns are presented before management and custodial fees but after all trading expenses. Net-of-fees returns are calculated by deducting 1/12 of the highest tier of the standard fee schedule in effect for the period noted (the model fee). The composite model fee for each period is either the highest tier of the current fee schedule or a higher value, whichever is required to ensure the model composite net-of-fee return is lower than or equal to the composite net-of-fee return calculated using actual fees. Actual fees may vary depending on, among other things, the applicable fee schedule and portfolio size. Prior to November 2014, net returns for this composite were calculated using actual management fees. The composite includes a limited distribution pooled fund (Victory Trivalent Emerging Markets Small Cap Collective Fund). The highest management fee schedule and expense ratio for the pooled fund is 0.75%. The complete fee schedule for this product is:

| Market Value       | Annual Fee                         |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|
| First \$25,000,000 | 1.00% (Min. Annual Fee: \$250,000) |
| Next \$25,000,000  | 0.95%                              |
| Next \$50,000,000  | 0.90%                              |
| Thereafter         | Negotiable                         |

- 7. Valuations and returns are stated in U.S. dollars. Past performance should not be considered indicative of future performance. Composite returns reflect the reinvestment of dividends and other earnings. A list of broad distribution pooled funds, composite and limited distribution pooled fund descriptions and policies of valuing investments, calculating performance, and preparing GIPS Reports are available upon request. Registration with the SEC does not imply a certain level of skill or training.
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