## LSV Conservative Value Equity Fund

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### Investor Class Shares - LVAVX Annual Shareholder Report: October 31, 2024

This annual shareholder report contains important information about Investor Class Shares of the LSV Conservative Value Equity Fund (the "Fund") for the period from November 1, 2023 to October 31, 2024. You can find additional information about the Fund at https://www.lsvasset.com/conservative-value-equity-fund/. You can also request this information by contacting us at 888-386-3578.

### What were the Fund costs for the last year?

(based on a hypothetical \$10,000 investment)

Fund Name	Costs of a \$10,000 investment	Costs paid as a percentage of a \$10,000 investment
LSV Conservative Value Equity Fund, Investor Class Shares	\$70	0.60%

### How did the Fund perform in the last year?

The broad U.S. equity market as measured by the S&P 500 Index was up 38.02% for the twelve months ended October 31, 2024. The market's strong performance came despite various challenges, including concerns about inflation, geopolitical tensions, and uncertainties surrounding the US presidential election. The resilience of the US economy and corporate earnings growth were key factors supporting the positive returns. While the market rewarded the mega-cap growth stocks in the period, smaller stocks and value-oriented stocks once again lagged behind. Small cap stocks underperformed large caps over the period as the Russell 1000 Index (USD) was up 38.07% while the Russell 2000 Index (USD) was up 34.07%. From a style perspective, value stocks (as measured by the Russell Indices) underperformed growth—the Russell 1000 Value Index (USD) was up 30.98% while the Russell 1000 Growth Index (USD) was up 43.77%. The LSV Conservative Value Equity Fund Investor Class shares was up 32.58% for the period. From a sector perspective, Financial, Industrial, Utility and Real Estate stocks outperformed while the Energy, Health Care and Consumer Staple sectors lagged.

The Fund's deeper value bias added value over the period as cheaper stocks on an earnings and cash flow basis performed well on a relative and absolute basis. Performance attribution further indicates that stock selection contributed positively to portfolio relative returns while sector allocation detracted slightly from relative returns over the year. Stock selection relative gains were primarily the result of the outperformance of deep value names within Financials, Utilities, and Consumer Discretionary. Within Financials, holdings in Regional Banks and Diversified Banks added to returns. Within Utilities, holdings in Independent Producers & Energy Traders added to returns. Within Consumer Discretionary, holdings in Homebuilding and Automobile Manufacturers furthered returns. From a sector perspective, relative losses were more modest and largely the result of our overweight to Energy and Health Care stocks combined with an underweight to the Industrials sector. Top contributors included our overweight positions in Vistra Corp, Sprouts Farmers Market, Allison Transmission, General Motors, Dell Technologies, Bank of New York Mellon, Goldman Sachs, Meta, Pulte Group, and NRG Energy. The main individual detractors included our underweight position in General Electric, Philip Morris, Texas Instruments, GE Vernova, and Oracle. Overweight positions in Merck, APA Corp, Archer-Daniels-Midland Co, CVS Health, and Cigna Group also detracted.

The Fund continues to trade at a significant discount to the overall market as well as to the value benchmark. The Fund is trading at 12.8x forward earnings compared to 18.0x for the Russell 1000 Value Index Index, 2.1x book value compared to 2.7x for the Russell 1000 Value (USD) and 8.6x cash flow compared to 13.3x for the Russell 1000 Value Index (USD). Sector weightings are a result of our bottom-up stock selection process, subject to constraints at the sector and industry levels. The Fund is currently overweight the Communication Services, Financials, and Consumer Discretionary while underweight Real Estate, Industrials, and Utilities.

### How did the Fund perform during the last 10 years?

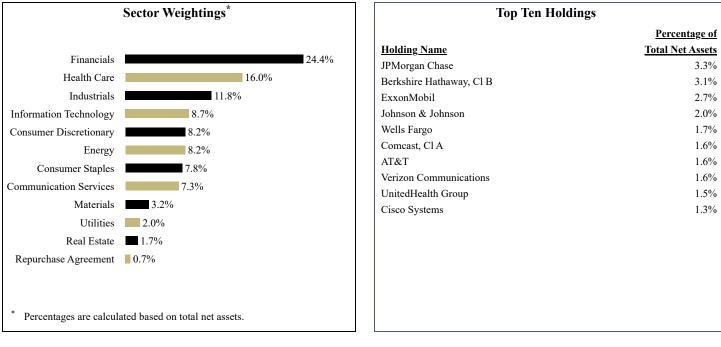
#### **Total Return Based on \$10,000 Investment** LSV Conservative Value Equity Fund, Investor Class Shares - \$22,578 ---- Russell 1000 Index (USD) - \$33,206 \$40,000 \$35,000 \$30,000 \$25,000 \$20,000 \$15,000 \$10,000 \$5,000 Oct/19 Oct/15 Oct/16 Oct/17 Oct/18 Oct/20 Oct/21 Oct/22 Dct/23 Dct/24 Oct/

# Average Annual Total Returns as of October 31, 2024Fund/Index Name1 Year5 YearsLSV Conservative Value Equity Fund, Investor Class Shares32.58%10.38%8.48%Russell 1000 Index (USD)38.07%15.00%12.75%

The line graph represents historical performance of a hypothetical investment of \$10,000 in the Fund during the last 10 years. Returns shown are total returns, which assume the reinvestment of dividends and capital gains. The table and graph presented above do not reflect the deduction of taxes a shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or the redemption of Fund shares. **Past performance is not indicative of future performance.** Call 888-386-3578 or visit https://www.lsvasset.com/conservative-value-equity-fund/for current month-end performance.

Key Fund Statistics as of October 31, 2024					
<u>Total Net Assets (000's)</u>	Number of Holdings	<u>Total Advisory Fees Paid (000's)</u>	Portfolio Turnover Rate		
\$135,628	204	\$248	9%		

What did the Fund invest in?



### **Material Fund Changes**

There were no material changes during the reporting period.

### **Changes in and Disagreements with Accountants**

There were no changes in or disagreements with accountants during the reporting period.

### **Additional Information**

For additional information about the Fund, including its prospectus, financial information, holdings, and proxy voting information, call or visit:

• 888-386-3578

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### Householding

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