

# **STRATEGY FACTS**

Inception Date	January 1, 2019
AUM (\$M)	4.2
Investment Universe	2000 largest global companies
# of Positions	Generally 50-95
Available Vehicles	Separate Account

# **ABOUT US**

Pzena Investment Management is a global deep value equity manager that uses a proprietary research process to buy companies we believe are priced significantly below their long-term earnings potential. A diverse team from a range of industry backgrounds, Pzena is dedicated to meeting client needs as thought leaders on value investing.

## **PORTFOLIO MANAGERS**



Caroline Cai With Pzena since 2004 In Industry since 1998



Ben Silver With Pzena since 2001 In Industry since 1988



John Goetz With Pzena since 1996 In Industry since 1979

### **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

	Strategy	Index
Price to Normal Earnings <sup>^</sup>	8.5x	14.5x*
Price / Earnings (1-Year Forecast)	11.0x	19.4x
Price / Book	1.3x	3.4x
Dividend Yield	3.3	1.8
Median Market Cap (\$B)	32.1	19.2
Weighted Average Market Cap (\$B)	75.1	535.2
Active Share	95.7%	-
Number of Stocks (model portfolio)	59	1,465

Source: MSCI World Index, Pzena Analysis

- ^Pzena's estimate of normal earnings.
- \*Global Universe Median

# **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

DAIMLER TRUCK HOLDING AG SPON ADR	3.0%
HON HAI PRECISION INDUSTRY CO.	3.0%
BASF SE SPON ADR	2.7%
COGNIZANT TECH SOLUTIONS	2.6%
NOKIA OYJ SPON ADR	2.6%
EDISON INTERNATIONAL	2.5%
SHELL PLC SPON ADR	2.5%
MICHELIN UNSPN ADR	2.5%
DOW INC.	2.5%
SANOFI SPON ADR	2.4%
Total	26.3%

Index

7%

11%

7%

4%

15%

12%

11%

24%

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Numbers may not add due to rounding

Strategy

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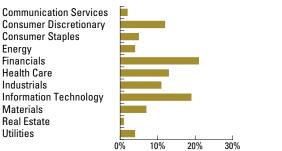
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# SECTOR WEIGHTS



0% 10% 20% 30%

Sector weights adjusted for cash - may appear higher than actual. Numbers may not add to 100% due to rounding.

Index is the MSCI World.

#### REGION CONCENTRATION Strategy Index North America 48% 74% Europe ex-U.K. 28% 13% **Emerging Markets** 11% 0% **United Kingdom** 9% 4% Japan 3% 6% Dev. Asia ex-Japan 1% 1% Australia/New Zealand 0% 2% 0% 10% 20% 30% 40% 50%

Region concentration adjusted for cash - may appear higher than actual. Numbers may not add to 100% due to rounding. Index is the MSCI World.

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PERFORMANCE SUMMARY (USD)	10	YTD	One Year	Three Year	Five Year	Since Inception
Pzena Global Value ADR Composite - Gross	5.5%	5.5%	17.5%	7.3%	10.6%	11.9%
Pzena Global Value ADR Composite - Net	5.4%	5.4%	16.9%	6.7%	10.0%	11.3%
MSCI World Index	8.9%	8.9%	25.1%	8.6%	12.1%	14.0%
MSCI World Value Index	7.5%	7.5%	18.8%	7.6%	8.3%	9.9%

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CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS (USD)	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Pzena Global Value ADR Composite - Gross	22.6%	4.4%	19.5%	-7.2%	20.8%
Pzena Global Value ADR Composite - Net	21.9%	3.8%	18.9%	-7.7%	20.2%
MSCI World Index	27.7%	15.9%	21.8%	-18.1%	23.8%
MSCI World Value Index	21.7%	-1.2%	21.9%	-6.5%	11.5%

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# PZENA GLOBAL VALUE ADR



# **PORTFOLIO COMMENTARY AS OF MARCH 31, 2024**

Global developed markets led by the US rallied in the quarter, driven by moderating inflation, prompting expectations of central bank rate cuts. Europe benefited from similar tailwinds, while Japan rallied on strong earnings growth, helped by a weakerYen. Growth stocks most exposed to Al maintained leadership, resulting in our underperformance.

Communication services and consumer staples were the top-detracting sectors. The largest individual detractor was voice/internet/cable provider Charter Communications on continued subscription share loss to fixed wireless competitors. The stock was also impacted by uncertainty around funding for the Affordable Connectivity Program, as well as an announced increase in capital expenditures. Global staffer Randstad also detracted on a double-digit decline in growth in the US and Germany. The company is managing its expenses well and continues to return cash to shareholders. Chinese real estate player China Overseas Land & Investment underperformed due to continued weakness in the Chinese property market despite government easing measures.

Financials and information technology were the top-performing sectors, with the former benefitting from continued benign credit costs, strong earnings, and expectations of monetary easing. Electronics assembler Hon Hai moved higher on expected share gains in the iPhone due to their India expansion combined with huge demand for Al servers. DaimlerTruck rose on the back of a strong earnings report, driven by double-digit operating margins in their Mercedes Benz division, and a shareholder-friendly capital return policy. Money center bank Citigroup also rose on expense reduction guidance for 2024 that was well received by investors.

We initiated a position in Cisco, the dominant market leader in networking equipment. Cisco shares have lagged due to headwinds related to customer excess inventory digestion, as well as concerns of a slowdown in demand. Going forward, we believe Cisco should benefit from the continued growth of its recurring revenue software and services businesses, its robust cash flow generation, and a ramp up in networking equipment spend.

We added to Charter, Nokia, and Alibaba, funding these purchases with trims of Cognizant, Michelin, and Shell, all on strength. We also sold the last of our GE position on strength.

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