

## FUND STRATEGY

The Fund uses a bottom-up selection process based on fundamental security analysis, and does not try to replicate a benchmark. The approach is contrarian and value oriented. The Fund seeks securities that are depressed in price, out of favor with investors, and trading at a substantial discount to intrinsic value. The portfolio manager emphasizes free cash flow generation, balance sheet quality, and the fundamental strength of a business franchise as attributes to identify the most attractive risk/reward proposition across all market capitalizations. The portfolio typically contains 40-60 positions.

## PERFORMANCE

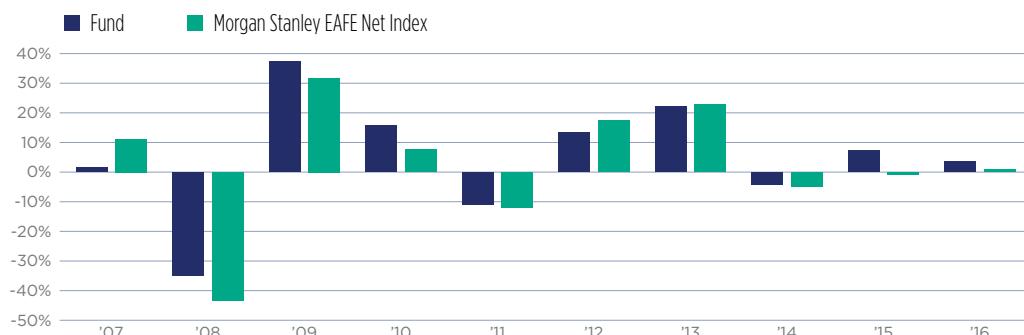
Average Annual Returns as of 09/30/17

	3 Month	YTD	1YR	3YR	5YR	10YR
Fund	6.43%	21.61%	17.61%	9.02%	11.39%	4.73%
Morgan Stanley EAFE Net Index	5.40%	19.96%	19.10%	5.04%	8.38%	1.34%

*Performance data quoted represents past performance and does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. The performance assumes reinvestment of capital gains and dividends. Fund performance current to the most recent month-end may be lower or higher than the performance quoted and can be obtained by calling 1-800-697-3863 or visiting [www.tocquevilefunds.com](http://www.tocquevilefunds.com).*

<sup>a</sup>The Advisor has contractually agreed to waive management fees and/or reimburse expenses in order to ensure that the Fund's expense ratio does not exceed 1.25% (excluding taxes, interest expense, acquired fund fees and expenses, or extraordinary expenses such as litigation) until at least 3/1/2018. In the absence of these fee waivers, total returns would be lower.

## Calendar Year Returns



## QUARTERLY UPDATE

- Global equity markets generally rose during 3Q 2017, as positive economic and earnings data trumped geopolitical tensions in Asia and policy gridlock in the U.S. Most currencies increased in value against the U.S. dollar. Commodity prices rose, credit spreads remained tight and volatility low. Among industry groups, auto parts, apparel, oil & gas, mining and transports performed well, while food retail, tobacco, real estate and utilities were weak.
- Over the quarter, the Fund benefitted from stock selection in the Industrials, Information Technology and Telecom areas, which was partly offset by the performance of our Consumer Discretionary shares. The Fund had meaningful positive contributions from Aveva, subject of a takeover offer by Schneider Electric, Wacker Neuson, Sopra Group, Hitachi, and Infineon, and negative contributions from Countrywide, Ericsson, Ipsos, Publicis, and Fibra Uno.
- During the quarter, the Fund reduced its position in Aveva, following the takeover offer. The Fund also sold its position in Cobham, as the share price approached our estimate of intrinsic value. We established a new position in British American Tobacco, which following the announcement of proposed new FDA regulations, trades at what we consider an attractive multiple of free cash flow. We also took a position in Ericsson, which we believe trades at a reasonable multiple of depressed cash flow, has a strong technological position in a consolidated network industry and a highly incentivized new CEO focused on realizing the business's earnings potential. We added to positions in Fanuc, Siemens, Ipsos, Fibra Uno, Publicis, Countrywide, ISS, Bayer, Schlumberger and Applus, inter alia.

## FUND OBJECTIVE

The Tocqueville International Value Fund's investment objective is long-term capital appreciation consistent with preservation of capital.

## FUND FACTS

Symbol:	TIVFX
Cusip:	888894300
Dividend Policy:	Annual
Minimum Investment:	\$1,000 (\$250 IRA)
Total Fund Assets:	\$1.1 billion
Annual Fund Operating Expenses:	1.59%
Fee Waiver/Expense Reimbursement: <sup>a</sup>	-0.33%
Annual Fund Operating Expenses after Fee Waiver/Expense Reimbursement:	1.26%
Sales Charge:	None
Inception Date:	8/1/1994
Manager's Tenure:	16 Years
Morningstar Category:	Foreign Large Blend

## ASSET ALLOCATION

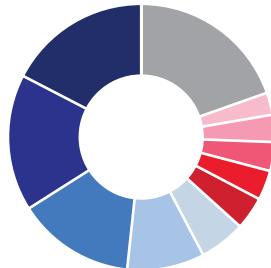
	% of Net Assets
Equities:	85.98%
Cash Equivalents, Other Assets, and Receivables:	8.96%
Preferred Equities:	4.20%
Real Estate Investment Trust:	0.86%

## PORTFOLIO STATISTICS

Total # Holdings:	56
P/E:	21.2x
Weighted Median Market Cap:	\$28.4 B
Weighted Avg. Market Cap:	\$55.8 B
Turnover Ratio:	22%

**COUNTRY ALLOCATION**

% OF EQUITIES



Japan 17.4%
France 16.6%
United Kingdom 14.3%
Germany 9.4%
Switzerland 5.6%
Spain 4.0%

Brazil 3.6%
Netherlands 3.5%
Korea, Republic of 3.3%
Canada 2.7%
Other 19.6%

**TOP TEN HOLDINGS**

% OF NET ASSETS

Bayer AG	2.81%
Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.	2.54%
Hitachi Ltd.	2.44%
Sopra Steria Group	2.41%
Schlumberger Ltd.	2.41%
Sanofi	2.38%
FANUC Corp.	2.32%
Siemens AG - ADR	2.27%
ISS A/S	2.24%
Publicis Groupe SA	2.22%
<b>Total</b>	<b>24.04%</b>

Fund holdings and country weightings are subject to change at any time and are not recommendations to buy or sell any security. Holdings are based on percent of net assets.

**PORTFOLIO MANAGER**

James Hunt, Portfolio Manager at Tocqueville Asset Management, has been a portfolio manager of the International Value Fund since 2001. Prior to joining Tocqueville in 2000, Mr. Hunt held senior positions at Lehman Brothers and Warburg Dillon Read and served as an analyst at Delafield Asset Management. He has a BA from Brown University and an MBA from Yale University.

**MORNINGSTAR RATING™**

5-Star Overall Morningstar Rating™ as of 09/30/17 out of 598 Foreign Large Blend Funds. The Overall Morningstar Rating™ for a fund is derived from weighted metrics, which are based on risk-adjusted return performance.

*Investors should carefully consider investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses. This and other important information is contained in the fund prospectus which should be considered carefully before investing.*

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**GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

**P/E:** The weighted average of the price/earnings (P/E) ratios of the equity securities referenced. The P/E ratio is calculated by dividing the current price of the stock by the trailing earnings per share for the past 12 months.

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**DISCLOSURES**

Mutual Fund investing involves risk. Principal loss is possible. **Past performance is not a guarantee of future results.** There are special risks associated with investing in foreign securities, including: differences in accounting methods; the value of foreign currencies may decline relative to the US dollar; a foreign government may expropriate the Fund's assets; and political, social or economic instability in a foreign country in which the Fund invests may cause the value of the Fund's investments to decline.

For the period ended 09/30/17, Morningstar rated the Tocqueville International Value Fund, for the three-, five-, and 10-year periods, respectively, 5, 5, and 5 stars among 598, 533, and 344 Foreign Large Blend Funds, respectively (derived from a weighted average of the fund's three-, five-, and 10-year [if applicable] risk-adjusted return measures and Morningstar Ratings metrics). Investment performance reflects applicable fee waivers. Without such waivers, total returns would be reduced and ratings could be lower. For funds with at least a three-year history, a Morningstar Rating™ is based on a risk-adjusted return measure (including the effects of sales charges, loads, and redemption fees) with emphasis on downward variations and consistent performance. The top 10% of funds in each category receive 5 stars, the next 22.5% 4 stars, the next 35% 3 stars, the next 22.5% 2 stars, and the bottom 10% 1 star. Each share class is counted as a fraction of one fund within this scale and rated separately.

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