

# Nuance Mid Cap Value Composite Factsheet

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## Objective

The Nuance Mid Cap Value product seeks long-term capital appreciation primarily through investments that our team believes are high quality, though temporarily out of favor, US Equity Securities. Our performance focus is on superior risk-adjusted returns.

## Sector Allocation

GICS Sectors	MCVC	RMV
Cash	9.0	0.0
Consumer Discretionary	1.9	8.6
Consumer Staples	11.6	3.3
Energy	5.2	9.6
Financials	13.6	19.6
Healthcare	14.9	4.1
Industrials	17.8	12.9
Information Technology	1.0	9.5
Materials	12.7	6.1
Real Estate	1.5	13.9
Telecommunications	0.0	1.2
Utilities	10.7	11.2

Note: Sector Classifications are determined by referencing the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS®). Sector Allocation provided by Bloomberg.

## Portfolio Metrics<sup>1</sup>

- Capitalization: Mid-Cap
- 50 to 90 positions
- Maximum position size is 7.5%
- +/- 15% Russell Midcap Value Index
- Cash limit is 10.0%
- International limit is 15.0%

## Top 10 Holdings

Mead Johnson Nutrition Co	4.5
Heartland Express Inc	4.5
Smith & Nephew PLC Sp ADR	4.1
Northern Trust Corp	4.0
Franks Intl NV	3.7
Pernod Ricard SA ADR	3.6
Patterson Companies Inc	3.5
Praxair Inc	3.5
National Fuel Gas Co NJ	3.0
BOK Financial Corp	2.5
Other Holdings	63.0

Note: Holdings are subject to change. For a complete list contact Nuance Investments.

## Risk-Adjusted Returns Rankings<sup>2</sup>

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#### Lipper

Category: Mid-Cap Value  
Ranking vs. Peers: 1 of 93

#### Morningstar

Category: Mid-Cap Value  
Ranking vs. Peers: 2 of 304

## Portfolio Managers



Scott Moore, CFA  
President & CIO

25 Years of Experience

Chad Baumler, CFA  
Vice President

9 Years of Experience

## Portfolio Characteristics<sup>3</sup> as of March 31, 2017

	Nuance Mid Cap Value Composite	Russell MidCap Value Index
Weighted Average Market Cap	14.1b	13.9b
Median Market Cap	10.5b	6.5b
Price to Earnings (internal and ttm)*	17.7x	23.2x
Forward Price to Earnings	22.1x	19.3x
Dividend Yield	1.9%	2.2%
Return on Equity	24.9%	9.7%
Return on Assets	6.2%	3.5%
Active Share vs Russell MidCap Value	95.6%	-
Upside/Downside Capture Ratio vs Russell MidCap Value	90.5%/77.0%	-
Number of Securities	66	565

\*Based on Nuance internal estimates and benchmarked against the above noted Russell index.

## Performance 11/03/2008 - 3/31/2017

	APR*	TR*	Std. Dev.*	Sharpe Ratio*	7 Years	5 Years	3 Years	1 Year	2017 YTD
Nuance Mid Cap Value Composite (Gross)	17.8	295.6	14.2	1.2	15.8	16.1	10.5	21.1	3.7
Nuance Mid Cap Value Composite (Net)	16.9	272.7	14.2	1.2	14.9	15.2	9.8	20.3	3.6
Russell Midcap Value Index	15.5	235.1	16.6	0.9	13.4	14.1	8.9	19.8	3.8
S&P MidCap 400 Value Index	15.3	231.9	17.3	0.9	13.2	13.8	9.3	22.1	2.7
S&P 500 Index	13.7	193.6	14.1	1.0	12.9	13.3	10.4	17.2	6.1

\*Since Inception

## Investment Process

### Identify Investment Opportunities

- Quantitative screening to identify leading business franchises

### Fundamental Research

- Competitive position review and analysis
- Study of historical financial statements
- Proprietary projections of financial statements

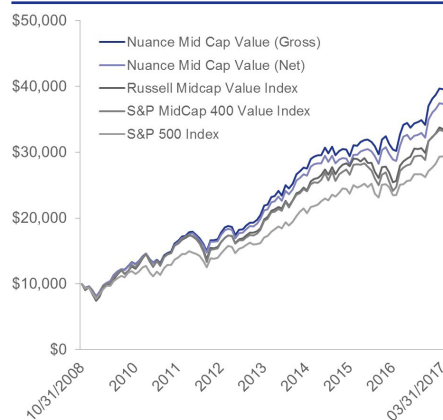
### Valuation Study

- Proprietary valuation study

### Portfolio Construction

- Buy / sell discipline emphasizing asymmetrical risk versus reward profiles

## Growth of \$10,000<sup>4</sup>



## GIPS Disclosures

	Gross of Fees Return	Net of Fees Return	Benchmark Return (RMV Index)	Benchmark Return (MIDV Index)	Composite Dispersion (Full Period)	Number of Separate Accounts (End of Period)	Total Composite Assets (End of Period)	Total Firm Assets (End of Period)	% of Non-Fee paying accounts	3 Year Annualized Standard Deviation (Composite Gross)	3 Year Annualized Standard Deviation (RMV Index)
YTD 2008 (11/03/08-12/31/08)	(4.1)	(4.1)	(5.6)	(3.92)	N/A	1	\$9,531,045	\$18,657,997	0.0%	-	-
2009	38.7	38.2	34.2	33.77	-	4	\$50,600,141	\$137,943,058	1.1%	-	-
2010	21.1	20.0	24.8	22.79	0.1	4	\$60,702,099	\$181,201,036	1.1%	-	-
2011	4.0	3.4	(1.4)	(2.39)	0.1	4	\$55,186,800	\$152,976,943	0.9%	18.2	23.1
2012	22.0	20.6	18.5	19.10	0.1	4	\$58,463,905	\$214,936,666	1.0%	14.6	17.0
2013	35.5	34.2	33.6	34.25	0.1	8	\$80,358,264	\$507,569,897	1.0%	13.1	13.9
2014	9.8	9.1	14.7	12.04	0.1	13	\$130,238,086	\$1,071,186,382	0.7%	10.7	9.9
2015	3.0	2.3	(4.8)	(6.66)	0.1	17	\$145,638,450	\$913,545,839	0.6%	11.2	10.9
2016	21.9	21.1	20.0	26.5	0.1	22	\$416,346,621	\$1,466,221,847	0.0%	11.5	11.5
YTD 2017 (3/31/2017)	3.7	3.6	3.8	2.7	N/A	22	\$441,390,739	\$1,584,779,205	0.0%	11.2	11.1

## Compliance Statement

Nuance claims compliance with the Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS®) and has prepared and presented this report in compliance with the GIPS® standards. Nuance has been independently verified for the periods 11/03/08 – 03/31/2016 by Absolute Performance Verification. The verification reports are available upon request. Verification assesses whether (1) the firm has complied with all the composite construction requirements of the GIPS standards on a firm-wide basis and (2) the firm's policies and procedures are designed to calculate and present performance in compliance with the GIPS standards. Verification does not ensure the accuracy of any specific composite presentation. Nuance is an investment adviser registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The firm maintains a complete list and description of composites, which is available upon request. Results are based on fully discretionary separate accounts under management, including those accounts no longer with the firm. The U.S. Dollar is the currency used to express performance returns and assets. Performance results are presented both net and gross of management fees and include the reinvestment of income. Both gross and net of fee returns are reduced by trading expenses. Net of fee returns are reduced by Actual investment advisory fees and other expenses that may be incurred in the management of the account. The firm does not currently assess any Performance Based Fees. From the inception of each composite until 12/31/10, Time Weighted Return was compounded on a monthly basis. Beginning 01/01/11 through present, Time Weighted Return was compounded on a daily basis.

Dispersion is calculated from gross of fee returns using an asset-weighted standard deviation methodology. Only those accounts included for the full calculation period are part of the dispersion calculation. The 3-year Ex-post annualized standard deviation value is calculated using 36 consecutive monthly gross of fee returns to the end calculation period. Since inception, Nuance has adopted the following Significant Cash Flow Policy for both composites. An account will be removed from a composite if a client has given specific instructions that prevent full investment of the cash flow(s) in a timely manner (defined as 5 business days or greater), or cumulative cash flow(s) are equal or greater than 3 percent of the total composite market value based on the end of month market value, or if cumulative cash flow(s) are equal or greater than 10 percent of the total account value based on the end of month market value. If these circumstances exist, the account will be removed from the composite and added back to the composite on the first day of the month following the date that the account is fully invested (defined as being within ten percent of the model portfolios cash target).

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(1) The market capitalization of at least 80 percent of the portfolio will be maintained in companies with market capitalizations between the smallest and largest members of the Russell Mid Cap Index (defined using a trailing 12 month average of the smallest and largest members on a month to month basis). Sector diversification will be within +/- 15% Russell Midcap Value Index. This is a fundamental diversification limit. The portfolio will not exceed a 25% weighting in one industry as defined by GICS classification standards (GICS®). The portfolio may invest up to 15% of its assets in equity securities of foreign companies in countries classified as "developed" by MSCI. Nuance utilizes MSCI to classify its international holdings. The country classification of a company is generally determined by the company's country of incorporation and the primary listing of its securities. MSCI will classify a company in the country of incorporation if its securities have a primary listing in this country. In such cases where a company's securities have a primary listing outside of the country of incorporation, an additional analysis is performed to determine the company's country classification. As of June 2016, the following countries were classified as "developed" by MSCI: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the UK, and the United States.

(2) Risk-Adjusted Return (Sharpe Ratio), Standard Deviation and return calculations for the Composite and indices provided by Zephyr Style Advisor. The Composite has been compared to various peer groups defined by investment style. The Composite is a mid market capitalization value investment style. The Morningstar Mid-Cap Value Peer Group and the Lipper Mid-Cap Value Funds Peer Group have been presented as investment strategies with similar investment styles. For peer group comparisons all Returns, Standard Deviation and Sharpe Ratio calculations, including those of the Composite were calculated by Zephyr Style Advisor based upon strategies with monthly return data from December 2008 to 3/31/2017. Zephyr reports on month end returns only. For the purposes of peer group comparisons Since Inception returns are shown beginning 11/30/2008. The Sharpe Ratio is a calculation of a product's risk-adjusted performance over time. The Ratio is calculated by taking a product's annualized excess return over a risk-free rate (The Firm uses the Citigroup 3-Month Treasury Bill as the risk-free rate) and dividing by its annualized standard deviation calculated using monthly returns.

(3) Index statistics are provided by Russell. Characteristics calculations use holdings at market close on the stated date, including cash & cash equivalents. The following Composite characteristics are calculated using Bloomberg: Median Market Cap (midpoint of market capitalization of the stocks in the portfolio), Dividend Yield (annual dividends relative to share price), Return on Equity (net income divided by shareholder equity), Return on Assets (net income divided by average total assets). The P/E Statistics are a Nuance internal calculation. The dollar-weighted harmonic mean of individual company P/E ratios is used. This approach first considers holdings' E/P, which are then summed on a dollar-weighted basis across the entire portfolio to achieve a portfolio E/P ratio. Finally, the inverse of this ratio is taken to arrive at the Portfolio P/E ratio. Active share, as calculated by Morningstar Direct, is a statistic that measures a strategy's holdings relative to the holdings of the appropriate benchmark. Standard deviation is a measure of volatility showing the average deviations of a return series from its mean. The upside capture ratio is an indication of a manager's ability to match returns in periods of market strength, while the downside capture ratio measures a manager's ability to curtail losses in periods of index weakness. Results are gross of fees for the period since inception through present. Both upside/downside ratios and standard deviation are calculated using Style Advisor.

(4) The growth of \$10,000 chart is calculated by Zephyr Style Advisor assuming the same cash value at inception and the variance of the investment using monthly return data for each strategy.

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