

# Nuance Concentrated Value Fund (NCVLX)



Fourth Quarter 2018

## Investment Objective

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## Sector Allocation

GICS Sectors	NCVLX	Russell 3000 Value
Cash	17.3%	0.0%
Consumer Discretionary	0.0%	5.5%
Consumer Staples	13.6%	7.5%
Energy	0.0%	9.0%
Financials	30.4%	22.9%
Health Care	21.1%	15.0%
Industrials	4.0%	7.7%
Information Technology	5.5%	9.4%
Materials	0.0%	4.1%
Real Estate	4.6%	5.4%
Communication Services	1.5%	7.0%
Utilities	2.0%	6.5%

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

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

- Capitalization: All-Cap
- 15 to 35 positions
- Maximum position size is 15.0%
- Industry Constraint is 25.0%
- Cash limit is 25.0%
- International limit is 25.0%

## Top 10 Holdings

Dentsply Sirona Co.	7.5%
Sanderson Farms Inc.	6.5%
Travelers Companies Inc.	5.6%
Smith & Nephew PLC Sp ADR	5.0%
Equity Commonwealth	4.6%
Metlife Inc.	4.1%
Diageo PLC Sp ADR	4.0%
Reinsurance Group of America	3.6%
Everest Re Group	3.5%
Amphenol Corp. Class A	3.5%
Other Holdings	52.1%

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

## Morningstar

### Overall Morningstar Rating



Out of 1,100 Large Cap Value Funds  
Since inception 5/31/2011 thru 12/31/2018  
(derived from a weighted average of the fund's three, five-and ten-year risk adjusted return measure, if applicable)

## Portfolio Managers



Scott Moore, CFA  
President & CIO

28 Years of Experience

Chad Baumler, CFA  
Vice President

12 Years of Experience

Portfolio Characteristics <sup>2</sup> as of December 31, 2018	Nuance Concentrated Value Fund	Russell 3000 Value Index
	Weighted Average Market Cap	51.2b
Median Market Cap	18.5b	1.4b
Price to Earnings (internal and ttm)*	15.6x	17.1x
Return on Equity	14.2%	14.6%
Return on Assets	5.6%	5.5%
Active Share vs Russell 3000 Value	93.8%	-
Upside/Downside Capture Ratio vs Russell 3000 Value	83.7% / 75.7%	-
Number of Securities	29	2,110

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

## Average Total Returns (%) as of December 31, 2018

Inception Date	Since Inception Return	7 year	5 year	3 year	1 year	YTD 2018	QTD 2018	Operating Expenses
05/31/11								
Nuance Concentrated Value Fund (NCVLX)	9.37	10.91	5.77	8.00	-4.72	-4.72	-5.00	1.15%
Russell 3000 Value Index	8.90	10.91	5.77	7.01	-8.58	-8.58	-12.24	
S&P 500 Index	10.86	12.70	8.49	9.26	-4.38	-4.38	-13.52	

Performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance 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. Current performance of the fund may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance data current to the most recent month end may be obtained by calling 1-855-682-6233.

## Fund Details

Inception	May 31, 2011
Class	Institutional
Ticker	NCVLX
Cusip	56166Y206
Minimum investment	\$10,000
Investment Management Fee	0.85%
Operating Expenses	1.15%

## 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

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**Mutual fund investing involves risk. Principal loss is possible. Investments in small and mid-capitalization companies involve additional risk such as limited liquidity and greater volatility than larger capitalization companies. Investments in foreign securities involve greater volatility and political, economic and currency risks and differences in accounting methods. The Fund is non-diversified, meaning it may concentrate its assets in fewer individual holdings than a diversified fund. Therefore, the Fund is more exposed to individual stock volatility than a diversified fund.**

The Primary Benchmark for the Fund is the Russell 3000 Value Index. The Russell 3000® Value Index measures the performance of the 3,000 largest U.S. domiciled companies with lower price-to-book ratios and lower forecasted growth values. The secondary benchmark is the S&P 500 Index. The S&P 500 Index is a market-value weighted index representing the performance of 500 widely held publicly traded large-capitalization stocks. Individuals cannot invest directly in any index. These indices are used for comparison purposes only and are not meant to be indicative of a portfolio's performance, asset composition, or volatility. The performance of the Fund may differ markedly from that of compared indices due to varying degrees of diversification and/or other facts. Return figures for all performance shown provided by US Bank.

(1) A typical portfolio will hold between 15 and 35 companies. This is not a fundamental diversification limit. The portfolio will not exceed a 25% weighting in one industry as defined by GICS classification standards (GICS®). The portfolio will not exceed a 25% weighting in Cash. Cash is typically below a 10% weighting. The portfolio may invest up to 25% 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 2018, 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.

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For each fund with at least a three-year history, Morningstar calculates a Morningstar Rating™ based on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure that accounts for variation in a fund's monthly performance (including the effects of sales charges, loads, and redemption fees), placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance. The top 10% of funds in each category receive 5 stars, the next 22.5% receive 4 stars, the next 35% receive 3 stars, the next 22.5% receive 2 stars and the bottom 10% receive 1 star. (Each share class is counted as a fraction of one fund within this scale and rated separately, which may cause slight variations in the distribution percentages.) The Overall Morningstar Rating™ for a fund is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its three-, five- and 10-year (if applicable) Morningstar Rating metrics. Nuance Concentrated Value Institutional was rated against the following numbers of U.S.-domiciled Large-Cap Value funds over the following time periods: 1,100 funds in the last three years, and 937 in the last five. With respect to these Large-Cap Value funds, Nuance Concentrated Value Institutional received a Morningstar Rating of 4 stars for 3-year rating, and 4 stars for 5-year rating respectively.

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# Nuance Concentrated Value Fund (NCAVX)



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## Fund Details

Inception	July 31, 2012
Class	Investor
Ticker	NCAVX
Cusip	56166Y602
Minimum investment	\$2,500
Investment Management Fee	0.85%
Operating Expenses	1.40%

## Portfolio Managers



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07/31/12							
Nuance Concentrated Value Fund (NCAVX) - No Load	10.48	5.46	7.67	-5.02	-5.02	-5.03	1.40%
Nuance Concentrated Value Fund (NCAVX) - Load	9.47	4.22	5.85	-9.76	-9.76	-9.79	
Russell 3000 Value Index	10.37	5.77	7.01	-8.58	-8.58	-12.24	
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