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Institutional Shares (BPTIX)



Portfolio Managers

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Investment Strategy

Value Blend Growth

Value	Blend	Growth	
			Large
			Medium
			Small

This is a focused Fund that invests mainly in U.S. companies of any size with significant growth potential. A substantial percentage of the Fund's assets are in its top 10 holdings. It also uses leverage. Non-diversified.

Portfolio Facts and Characteristics

Inception Date	January 31, 1992
Net Assets	\$6.92 billion
# of Issuers / % of Net Assets	23 / 113.4%
Turnover (3 Year Average)	6.99%
Active Share	94.8%
Median Market Cap	\$21.25 billion
Weighted Average Market Cap	\$363.89 billion

As of FYE 12/31/2022 Institutional Shares

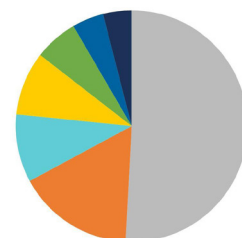
CUSIP	06828M405
Expense Ratio*	1.44%

*The Expense Ratio includes 1.04% of operating expense and 0.4% of interest expense. Retail and R6 Shares are also available for this Fund.

Top 10 Holdings^{2,5}

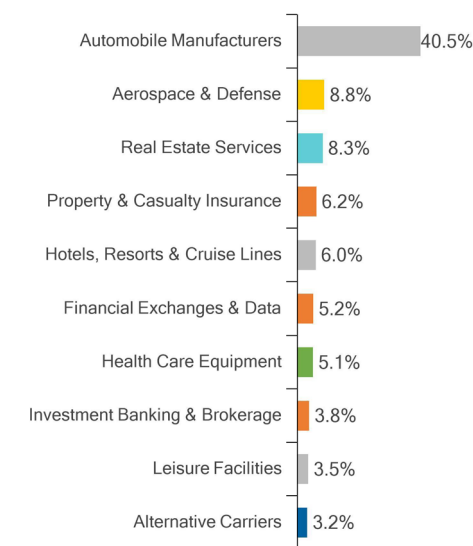
	% of Total Investments
Tesla, Inc.	40.5
CoStar Group, Inc.	8.3
Space Exploration Technologies Corp.	8.3
Arch Capital Group Ltd.	6.2
IDEXX Laboratories, Inc.	5.1
Hyatt Hotels Corporation	4.9
The Charles Schwab Corp.	3.8
FactSet Research Systems Inc.	3.7
Vail Resorts, Inc.	3.5
Iridium Communications Inc.	3.2
Total	87.5
Long Equity Exposure (% of Net Assets)	113.4
Cash & Equivalents (% of Net Assets)	-13.4

GICS Sector Breakdown^{1,2,5}



- Consumer Discretionary 50.9%
- Financials 16.3%
- Real Estate 9.5%
- Industrials 8.9%
- Health Care 6.1%
- Communication Services 4.4%
- Information Technology 4.0%

Top GICS Sub-Industry Breakdown^{1,2}



Colors of Sub-Industry bars correspond to sector chart above.

Performance

	Total Return (%)				Annualized Returns (%)					Cumulative Returns (%)
	2nd Q 2023	1st Q 2023	4th Q 2022	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception 1/31/1992	Since Inception 1/31/1992
BPTIX-Institutional Shares	15.54	23.41	-19.94	42.59	25.56	31.50	27.23	21.46	15.40	8906.12
Russell Midcap Growth Index	6.23	9.14	6.90	15.94	23.13	7.63	9.71	11.53	9.79	1780.95
S&P 500 Index	8.74	7.50	7.56	16.89	19.59	14.60	12.31	12.86	10.06	1930.97
Morningstar Large Growth Category Average	10.97	11.65	3.10	24.20	22.89	9.53	11.37	13.02	-	-

The performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate; an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. The Adviser may reimburse certain Fund expenses pursuant to a contract expiring on August 29, 2033, unless renewed for another 11-year term and the Fund's transfer agency expenses may be reduced by expense offsets from an unaffiliated transfer agent, without which performance would have been lower. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. For performance information current to the most recent month end, visit www.BaronFunds.com or call 1-800-99BARON.

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Historical Performance(Calendar Year %)

Year	BPTIX	Russell Midcap Growth Index	S&P 500 Index
2014	10.56	11.90	13.69
2015	-2.43	-0.20	1.38
2016	4.29	7.33	11.96
2017	31.91	25.27	21.83
2018	-1.75	-4.75	-4.38
2019	45.38	35.47	31.49
2020	149.18	35.59	18.40
2021	31.73	12.73	28.71
2022	-42.41	-26.72	-18.11

Performance Based Characteristics³

	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
Std. Dev. (%) - Annualized	44.27	39.98	30.39	27.16
Sharpe Ratio	0.68	0.64	0.67	0.48
Alpha (%) - Annualized	22.92	15.75	6.44	5.52
Beta	1.65	1.46	1.42	1.12
R-Squared (%)	62.17	65.97	66.83	66.55
Tracking Error (%)	30.48	25.46	18.99	15.89
Information Ratio	0.78	0.69	0.52	0.35
Upside Capture (%)	197.67	173.46	154.86	127.15
Downside Capture (%)	138.55	136.49	136.61	114.18

Top Contributors/Detractors to Performance⁴

BY SUB-INDUSTRIES¹

Top Contributors	Average Weight(%)	Contribution(%)
Automobile Manufacturers	40.71	10.99
Research & Consulting Services	9.55	2.94
Aerospace & Defense	10.83	0.82
Property & Casualty Insurance	8.02	0.82
Leisure Facilities	4.56	0.42

Top Detractors	Average Weight(%)	Contribution(%)
Financial Exchanges & Data	6.98	-0.71
Interactive Media & Services	0.87	-0.18
Health Care Equipment	6.53	-0.15
Other Specialized REITs	1.55	-0.12
Application Software	1.20	-0.10

BY HOLDINGS

Top Contributors	Average Weight(%)	Contribution(%)
Tesla, Inc.	40.71	10.99
CoStar Group, Inc.	9.55	2.94
Arch Capital Group Ltd.	8.02	0.82
Space Exploration Technologies Corp.	10.20	0.81
Vail Resorts, Inc.	4.56	0.42

Top Detractors	Average Weight(%)	Contribution(%)
MSCI Inc.	1.97	-0.45
FactSet Research Systems Inc.	5.02	-0.26
X Holding Corp.	0.87	-0.18
Marriott Vacations Worldwide Corporation	1.68	-0.18
IDEXX Laboratories, Inc.	6.53	-0.15

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Risks: The Fund is non-diversified which means, in addition to increased volatility of the Fund's returns, it will likely have a greater percentage of its assets in a single issuer or a small number of issuers, including in a particular industry than a diversified fund. Single issuer risk is the possibility that factors specific to an issuer to which the Fund is exposed will affect the market prices of the issuer's securities and therefore the net asset value of the Fund. As of the most recent quarter-end, about 40% of the Fund's long positions are invested in Tesla stock. Therefore, the Fund is exposed to the risk that were Tesla stock to lose significant value, which could happen rapidly, the Fund's performance would be adversely affected. Specific risks associated with leverage include increased volatility of the Fund's returns and exposure of the Fund to greater risk of loss in any given period.

The Fund may not achieve its objectives. Portfolio holdings may change over time.

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