

Large Cap Focus Fund Commentary

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AT A GLANCE

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Fund Objective: Seeks to provide long-term capital appreciation.

About the Fund: A diversified, concentrated mutual fund that seeks to invest at least 80% of its assets in companies with large market capitalizations. The Fund will typically hold 25-50 companies. The Fund also has the ability to concentrate investments in the software and semiconductor industries (greater than or equal to 25%).

Benchmark: S&P 500 Total Return Index Morningstar Category: US Fund Large Blend Lipper Category: Large-Cap Core

Net Assets: \$177 million Inception Date: June 30, 2022

GLOSSARY

Moat: Competitive strategy that helps protect a company's market position from competitors

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Class I: ETLIX | Class A: ETLAX | Class C: ETLCX | Class N: ETLNX

Review

The Eventide Large Cap Focus Fund (Class I) posted a total return of 3.94% for the third quarter of 2025, compared with the S&P 500 Total Return Index of 8.12%. The Fund (Class I) posted a total return of 9.24% for the 12 months ending 09/30/2025 compared to the S&P 500 Total Return Index of 17.60%.

Contributors

Top Five Contributors1 (%)

Q3 2025

Company	Ticker	Sector	Average Weight	Contribution to Return	Total Return ²
NVIDIA Corp	NVDA	Information Technology	6.76	1.13	18.10
Broadcom Inc	AVGO	Information Technology	4.62	0.85	19.89
GE Vernova Inc	GEV	Industrials	4.72	0.70	16.26
O'Reilly Automotive Inc	ORLY	Consumer Discretionary	3.85	0.70	19.62
DR Horton Inc	DHI	Consumer Discretionary	2.19	0.60	31.80

In the third quarter of 2025, the largest positive contributors to performance were: NVIDIA Corp, Broadcom Inc, GE Vernova Inc, O'Reilly Automotive Inc, and DR Horton Inc. Nvidia demonstrated strong performance as AI compute continued to have high demand. Broadcom outperformed upon announcing a large new TPU customer; the company also upgraded their AI outlook for 2026. Another high performer was GE Vernova, which posted strong orders for its turbines and electrical products. In the consumer discretionary sector, O'Reilly Automotive got a boost from continued demand among both professional and DIY customers. Lastly, D.R. Horton demonstrated strong execution in a challenging housing market and was expected to benefit from Fed rate cuts.

Detractors

Top Five Detractors¹ (%)

Q3 2025

Company	Ticker	Sector	Average Weight	Contribution to Return	Total Return ²
SAP SE	SAP	Information Technology	1.67	-0.21	-12.13
ServiceNow Inc	NOW	Information Technology	2.49	-0.30	-10.49
S&P Global	SPGI	Financials	5.04	-0.37	-7.54
Roper Technologies Inc	ROP	Information Technology	3.48	-0.45	-11.89
Intuit Inc	INTU	Information Technology	3.34	-0.46	-13.18

In the third quarter of 2025, the largest negative detractors to performance were: SAP SE, ServiceNow Inc, S&P Global, Roper Technologies Inc, and Intuit Inc. SAP reported an in-line quarter but fell on caution around macroeconomic factors in the second half of the year. ServiceNow, another information technologies name, suffered on DOGE fears and looming disruption from AI. S&P Global struggled on similar AI worries, and was also dragged down by peer performance within the information services group. The market remained concerned about companies with exposure to government and education. Despite solid results that were above expectations, this negative dynamic hit performance for Roper Technologies. Lastly, Intuit declined on mixed 2026 guidance.

Performance is historical and does not guarantee future results.

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Portfolio Team Outlook

The Strategy underperformed the benchmark in the third quarter. This was largely due to our underweight to the "Magnificent 7" in favor of companies that we believe have better long-term growth prospects and are also creating positive value for society. The Strategy is very different from the large-cap benchmark and category peers, which we view as our greatest advantage.

Another headwind for the Strategy last quarter was the false narrative (in our opinion) that artificial intelligence ("AI") is going to disrupt the entire software industry. We used this sell-off as an opportunity to add to our highest conviction positions.

We believe the software companies in our portfolio will be winners from AI because their deep domain knowledge enables them to provide mission-critical solutions to customers.

We remain focused on investing in companies with strong moats and great management teams that contribute to societal flourishing. For example, the Strategy has significant exposure to AI, not just with semiconductors but also with companies that provide power, water infrastructure, and advanced cooling technologies that are vital to data centers. Beyond AI, the Strategy has exposures to secular growth themes such as medical



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technology, affordable housing, energy efficiency, and supply-chain resilience.

We are confident that the Strategy is well positioned, and remain committed to creating value for our investors while contributing to societal wellbeing.

Trailing Returns³ (%)

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Eventide Large Cap Focus Fund	YTD	3-mos	1-year	3-year⁴	5-year	10-year	Since Inception ⁴	Inception Date
Class I	13.57	3.94	9.24	20.29	· -		16.46	06/30/2022
Class A without load	13.42	3.90	8.94	19.96	_	_	16.17	06/30/2022
Class A with 5.75% load ⁵	6.87	-2.06	2.68	17.60	_	_	14.07	06/30/2022
Class C ⁵	12.83	3.78	8.30	19.11	_	_	15.37	06/30/2022
Class N	13.46	3.89	9.07	20.06	_	_	16.25	06/30/2022
Benchmark								
S&P 500 Total Return Index ⁶	14.83	8.12	17.60	24.94	_	_	20.92	06/30/2022

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Eventide Large Cap Focus Fund expenses: Class I, Gross Expenses 1.18%, Net Expenses 0.94%; Class A, Gross Expenses 1.43%, Net Expenses 1.19%; Class C, Gross Expenses 2.18%, Net Expenses 1.94%; Class N, Gross Expenses 1.38%, Net Expenses 1.14%. The adviser has contractually agreed to waive fees and/or reimburse expenses of the Fund through 10/31/2025. The agreement may be terminated by the Fund's Board of Trustees only on 60 days' written notice.

- Source: Bloomberg PORT Attribution Report. Allocation percentages are subject to change at any time, and should not be considered investment advice.
- 2. The total return percentage listed is impacted by the Fund's transactions and transacted price levels of the holding during the quarter.
- 3. The returns shown do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or on the redemption of fund shares. Because of ongoing market volatility, fund performance may be subject to substantial shortterm changes.
- 4. Performance figures for periods greater than 1 year are annualized. Annualized since inception figures use an inception date of 06/30/2022.
- 5. Class A and Class C are also subject to a maximum deferred sales charge of 1.00%. This and other expenses that apply to a continued investment in the Fund are described in the Fund's prospectus.
- 6. The S&P 500 is an index created by Standard & Poor's of American stocks with the largest market capitalization.

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