

# Large Cap

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## THE LONDON COMPANY

We believe markets are much less efficient at assessing risk than reward, and protecting client assets in down markets will deliver superior long-term performance.

We mitigate downside risk by reducing speculation and valuing high-return-on-capital businesses through our distinctive Balance Sheet Optimization process.

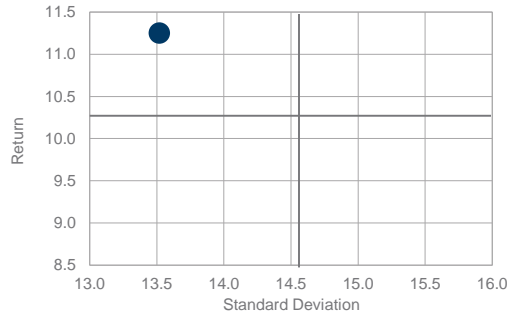
We build focused portfolios that reflect our long-term view through high active share and low turnover.

### Excess return

with lower volatility vs. benchmark

Since inception June 30, 1994

● Large Cap (Net)    + Russell 1000



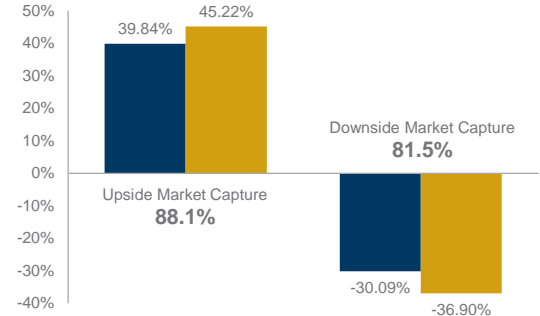
Source: eVestment

### Market gains

with asset protection

Since inception June 30, 1994

■ Large Cap (Net)    ■ Russell 1000



Source: eVestment

### Annualized performance summary (%)

Inception date June 30, 1994

	QTD	YTD	One Year	Three Years	Five Years	Ten Years	Inception to Date
Large Cap Composite (Gross)	9.0	8.4	17.1	15.6	12.7	12.5	11.9
Large Cap Composite (Net)	8.8	8.1	16.6	15.0	12.2	12.0	11.3
Russell 1000	7.4	10.5	17.8	17.1	13.7	12.1	10.3

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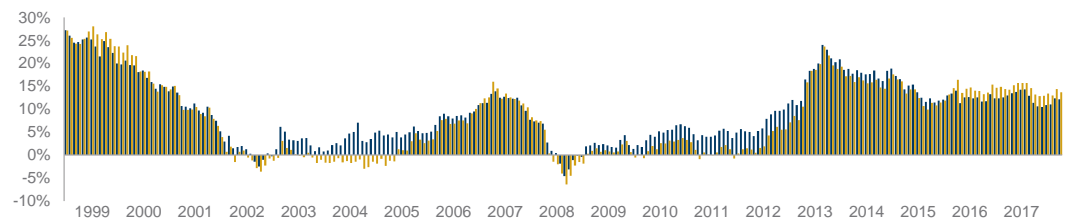
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### Lower downside capture has led to excess returns

Five-year annualized rolling returns from inception June 30, 1994 (Net)

■ London Company Large Cap    ■ Russell 1000



Performance is PRELIMINARY and subject to change

### Portfolio characteristics

	Large Cap	R1000
Number of Holdings	30	984
Active Share	83.2	—
Weighted Avg. Mkt. Cap (\$B)	237.3	224.0
Median Mkt. Cap (\$B)	84.2	10.9
Dividend Yield (%)	1.5	1.7
Pre-tax ROC (3 yr. avg.)	20.2	12.3
Net Debt/EBITDA	1.0x	2.0x
Enterprise Value/EBITDA	14.5x	13.7x

Source: eVestment and FactSet

### Return characteristics

Since inception June 30, 1994 (Net)

	Large Cap	R1000
Down Market Capture (%)	81.5	—
Up Market Capture (%)	88.1	—
Cumulative Return <sup>1</sup> (%)	1,228.0	978.8
Sharpe Ratio	0.7	0.5
Standard Deviation	13.5	14.5
Alpha	2.7	—
Beta	0.8	1.0

Source: eVestment,<sup>1</sup> Composite Data

Performance results shown should, under no circumstances, be construed as an indication of future performance. All are encouraged to read and understand the disclosure notes found on the next page.

## Top ten holdings (%)

Holding	Symbol	Weighting
Berkshire Hathaway	BRKB	7.2
Apple	AAPL	6.3
Progressive	PGR	5.6
Alphabet	GOOG	5.2
Visa	V	5.2
Norfolk Southern	NSC	4.4
Carnival	CCL	4.1
CarMax	KMX	4.0
Nike	NKE	3.6
Dollar Tree	DLTR	3.6
<b>Total</b>		<b>49.2</b>

## Sector weightings (%)

Sector	Large Cap	R1000	Difference
Communication Services	6.8	9.1	-2.3
Consumer Discretionary	23.4	10.5	12.9
Consumer Staples	4.5	6.3	-1.8
Energy	2.1	5.8	-3.7
Financials	24.4	13.4	11.0
Health Care	2.0	14.5	-12.5
Industrials	14.0	10.1	3.9
Technology	14.7	21.4	-6.7
Materials	8.1	2.8	5.3
Real Estate	0.0	3.3	-3.3
Utilities	0.0	2.8	-2.8

Source: FactSet

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**Composite Creation Date:** June 30, 1994

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**Benchmark Description:** Russell 1000 Index measures the performance of the large-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. The Russell 1000 is a subset of the Russell 3000 Index and includes approximately 1,000 of the largest securities based on a combination of their market cap and current index membership. The Russell 1000 represents approximately 92% of the U.S. market. Benchmark returns are not covered by the report of independent verifiers. Effective January 1, 2012, the S&P 500 was replaced with the Russell 1000 Index, which we believe to be a better representation of the composite

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