

# **UNCONSTRAINED EQUITY**

A CONCENTRATED STRATEGY SEEKING TO GENERATE EXCESS RETURNS

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# Inception Date: 6/30/21 % Assets in Top 10 Holdings: 50%

#### Top 10 Holdings: Ticker Description % TMO Thermo Fisher 6.94% **ZBRA** Zebra Technologies 6.94% **AMD Advanced Micro Devices** 5.94% Visa Inc 5.00% **GOOGL** 4.95% **Alphabet AMZN** Amazon 4.95% APO Apollo Global Mgmnt 4.95% AAPL 4.95% **Apple** ADSK Autodesk 4.95% **AVGO** Broadcom 4.95%

#### Sector Allocation:

Technology	51%
Financial Services	16%
Consumer Cyclicals	11%
Healthcare	7%
Industrials	5%
Communication Services	5%
Energy	5%

## **OBJECTIVE**

Fort Pitt Capital Group's Unconstrained Equity Strategy is designed to generate long-term capital appreciation by investing in a concentrated portfolio of U.S. focused companies across market capitalizations.

The strategy seeks to realize long-term capital appreciation and investment returns in excess of broad equity indices over a full business cycle.

It is comprised of the portfolio management team's highest conviction investment opportunities with a long-term approach to realizing full stock value potential.

**Bottom-up analysis strives to** identify stocks trading at discounts to intrinsic value, companies with attractive long-term growth rates, and those poised to benefit from catalysts such as positive revenue, cash flow, and earnings growth.

**The strategy employs** a concentrated allocation approach, can invest in companies across all market capitalizations, and is not constrained by sector concentration limits.



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#### **INVESTMENT PROCESS**

#### **Database Screen**

- Screen 5000 companies using proprietary criteria
- Look for quality organizations selling at discounted prices
- Conducted every Monday

### Top-Down Research

- Distinguish long-term themes
- Analyze economic data
- Identify trends in demographics, technology, public policy, economics, and politics

#### Fundamental Research

- Analyze financial statements
- Listen to quarterly conference calls
- Model financial statements

#### Qualitative Due <u>Diligence</u>

- \* Meet with management
- \* Attend conferences
- \* Talk to clients,

be fully valued

- suppliers, industry peers
- \* Analyze regulatory filings

The Fort Pitt Capital Unconstrained Equity strategy applies a concentrated and unconstrained approach comprising the team's highest-conviction investment ideas. We invest with a long-term view and the mindset of a business owner, not that of a stock trader. Over the long-term, companies with strategic competitive advantages, innovative products and services, and excellent management teams will grow the value of their businesses at above-average growth rates. The team performs in-depth fundamental research to thoroughly understand businesses, management's vision, and competitive landscapes to identify companies believed to have the best opportunities for long-term capital appreciation.

Portfolio Manager:





#### WELL-DEFINED SELL DISCIPLINE

Reaches maximum weight, a portion sold to reduce individual company risk

Material degradation of company and/or industry fundamentals

Price target has been reached and company is determined to

Acknowledge our thesis is not supported

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- Established in 1995
- 76 total employees
- \$5.49 billion assets under management as of December 31, 2023
- Retirement Plan clients range from start-ups to over \$100 million
- Offers a large firm's breadth & depth with in-house analysts, a powerful trading system, and certified financial planners but with a boutique's feel

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