

# 1290 GAMCO Small/Mid Cap Value Fund

Fund fact sheet | March 2021

## Investment philosophy/process

Search for companies with attractive Private Market Value, or PMV (the price an informed industrialist would pay for the entire company) and a catalyst, an event to surface the value of the company.

Utilize Columbia University professors Benjamin Graham and David Dodd's "Margin of Safety" concept by investing in securities with a material difference between their market and estimated intrinsic values.

Seek to buy reasonably-priced and strong franchises within GAMCO's circle of competence.

## Morningstar Rating™

Morningstar Category: U.S. Funds  
Small Blend

TNVIX	Overall	3 year	5 year
Rating	★★☆☆☆	★★☆☆☆	★★☆☆☆
# of funds	512	609	512

Overall Morningstar Rating™ as of Mar. 31, 2021 based on risk-adjusted returns (1 share).

Symbols & CUSIPs:		
Class A	TNVAX	68246A 108
Class I	TNVIX	68246A 306
Class R	TNVRX	68246A 405

Min. initial investment: \$1,000 for A shares\*

Inception date: November 12, 2014

Dividends:	Annually
Adviser:	Equitable Investment Management Group, LLC
Subadviser:	GAMCO Asset Management Inc

\* Refer to the prospectus for other fund minimums.

Expense ratios	Total expense ratio	Net expense ratio**
Class A	1.58%	1.25%
Class I	1.33%	1.00%
Class R	1.83%	1.50%

\*\* The net expense ratio reflects the Adviser's decision to contractually limit expenses through April 30, 2022. Please see the prospectus for additional information.

## Portfolio managers

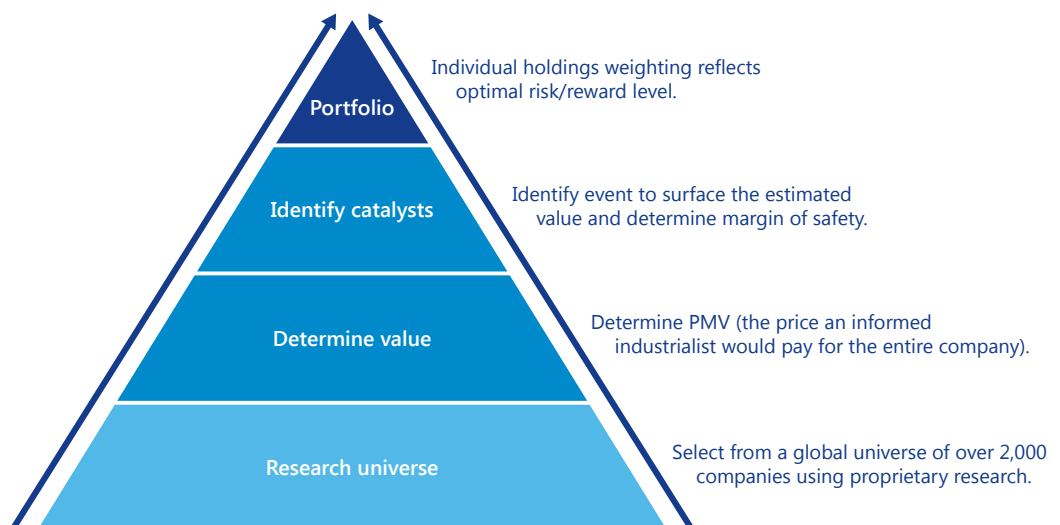
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Chief Investment Officer, Value Products

Mario J. Gabelli is the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of GAMCO Investors, Inc., the firm he founded in 1977. A 1965 summa cum laude graduate of Fordham University's College of Business Administration, he also holds an M.B.A. from Columbia University Graduate School of Business, and honorary doctorates from Fordham University and Roger Williams University.

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## A small- and mid-capitalization strategy from well-known stock picker Mario Gabelli

Build fund from the bottom up



## Morningstar U.S. Funds Small Blend category ranking

(As of March 31, 2021)

	1290 GAMCO Small/Mid Cap Value I (TNVIX) rank percentile	Morningstar Rating™	Out of # of investments
1 year	23	—	656
3 year	65	2	609
5 year	67	2	512

As of March 31, 2021, for class I shares (TNVIX). Other share classes may have different ratings. The Morningstar Rating™ for funds, or star rating, is calculated for managed products (including mutual funds, variable annuity and variable life subaccounts, exchange-traded funds, closed-end funds, and separate accounts) with at least a three-year history. Exchange-traded funds and open-ended mutual funds are considered a single population for comparative purposes. It is calculated based on a Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure that accounts for variation in a managed product's monthly excess performance, placing more emphasis on downward variations and rewarding consistent performance. The top 10% of products in each product 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. The Overall Morningstar Rating for a managed product is derived from a weighted average of the performance figures associated with its three-, five-, and 10-year (if applicable) Morningstar Rating metrics. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. The Morningstar percentile ranking is based on the fund's total-return percentile rank relative to all managed products that have the same category for the same time period. The highest (or most favorable) percentile rank is 1%, and the lowest (or least favorable) percentile rank is 100%. Morningstar total return includes both income and capital gains or losses and is not adjusted for sales charges.

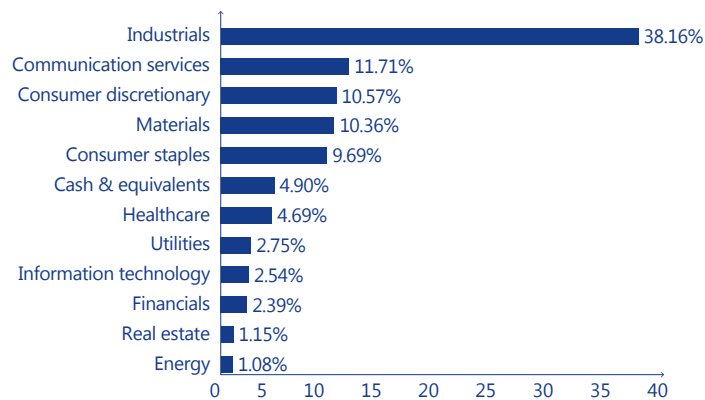
## Performance (As of March 31, 2021)

	1 month	3 month	YTD	1 year	3 year	5 year	Since inception (11/12/14)
Class A (NAV)	3.01%	15.83%	15.83%	97.52%	10.97%	12.25%	10.15%
Class A with sales charges (MOP)	-2.67%	9.47%	9.47%	86.56%	8.88%	11.00%	9.19%
Class I (NAV)	3.07%	15.88%	15.88%	97.92%	11.25%	12.55%	10.43%
Class R (NAV)	3.03%	15.76%	15.76%	96.99%	10.72%	11.98%	9.89%
Russell 2500 Value Index	4.96%	16.83%	16.83%	87.47%	10.88%	12.15%	9.11%

Performance data quoted represents past performance. **Past performance does not guarantee future results.** Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when sold or redeemed, may be worth more or less than the original cost. Current performance data may be higher or lower than actual data quoted. For the most current month-end performance data please visit [www.1290funds.com](http://www.1290funds.com).

Maximum Offering Price (MOP) for Class A shares includes the fund's maximum sales charge of 5.50%. Performance shown at NAV does not include these sales charges and would have been lower had it been taken into account. Returns over one year are average annual returns.

## Sector weightings (As of March 31, 2021)



Subject to change.

## Top fifteen holdings

Herc Holdings, Inc.	3.08%
Navistar International Corp.	2.71%
Astec Industries, Inc.	2.64%
EnPro Industries, Inc.	2.48%
Matthews International Corp., Class A	2.13%
Griffon Corp.	2.01%
Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc., Class A	1.89%
Brunswick Corp.	1.88%
GCP Applied Technologies, Inc.	1.83%
Trinity Industries, Inc.	1.66%
Teladoc Health, Inc.	1.59%
Remy Cointreau SA	1.44%
Dana, Inc.	1.42%
Element Solutions, Inc.	1.40%
Bunge Ltd.	1.39%
<b>Total Top 15 holdings</b>	<b>29.55%</b>

Holdings are subject to change.

Top holdings exclude cash, cash equivalents and money market funds.

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## Risks

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**Principal risks:** Performance may be affected by one or more of the following risks.

**Mid-cap and small-cap company risk:** The fund's investments in mid- and small-cap companies may involve greater risks than investments in larger, more established issuers because they generally are more vulnerable than larger companies to adverse business or economic developments.

**Value funds:** Value-based investments are subject to the risk that the broad market may not recognize their intrinsic value.

The fund is designed for long-term investors who can accept the special risks associated with value investing.

**Russell 2500 Value:** An unmanaged index which contains those Russell 2500 securities (the bottom 500 securities in the Russell 1000 Index and all 2,000 securities in the Russell 2000 Index) with a less-than-average growth orientation.

The fund may not be successful in implementing its investment strategy or may not employ a successful investment strategy, and there can be no assurance that the fund will grow to or maintain an economically viable size, which could result in the fund being liquidated at any time without shareholder approval and at a time that may not be favorable for all shareholders. Until the Fund is fully capitalized it may not be pursuing its investment objective or executing its principal investment strategies.

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• Are Not Guaranteed by Any Bank or Savings Association • May Go Down in Value

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