

H&W Strategy Overview



An Expertise in Discovering Overlooked, Undervalued Investment Opportunities for Our Clients

Firm History

Hotchkis & Wiley (“H&W”) was founded in 1980 by John Hotchkis and George Wiley. The founders’ vision was to create an investment management firm that places clients’ interests above all else by promoting a disciplined investment approach and superior service. After 37 years, these principles continue to guide the firm today.

Disciplined Philosophy

Consistent, time-proven investment approach

- ▶ Fundamental, bottom-up process seeks to exploit market inefficiencies
- ▶ Research-driven investment process
- ▶ Style pure, rigorous valuation criteria

Research Advantage

Commitment to independent, in-depth research

- ▶ Focused on determining a company’s long-run normal earnings power
- ▶ Organized by industry with a focus on asset valuation across the capital structure
- ▶ A flat, collegial culture fosters teamwork

Experienced Team

Well-established professionals skilled at delivering investor value

- ▶ 37-year institutional track record
- ▶ 22 industry analysts with 22 years of average industry experience and 14 years of average tenure with Hotchkis & Wiley
 - Supported by 6 research associates
- ▶ 14 client service personnel with 23 years of average industry experience and 15 years of average tenure with Hotchkis & Wiley

Stable, Independent Firm

Focused solely on clients’ best interests

- ▶ Nimble, flat organization facilitates collaboration, creativity and dynamic decision-making
- ▶ Majority employee-owned
 - No parent company or public shareholder pressures
 - Our goals are aligned with clients’ goals
 - Promotes quality and continuity
- ▶ Committed to maintaining manageable asset levels in all strategies

You should consider the Hotchkis & Wiley Funds’ investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses carefully before you invest. This and other important information is contained in the Funds’ summary prospectus and prospectus, which can be obtained by calling 1-800-796-5606 or visiting our website at www.hwcm.com. Read carefully before you invest.

Overview

Investment Style	Value
Investment Professionals	22
Founded	1980
Headquartered	Los Angeles, CA

Assets Under Management (AUM)

Strategies	AUM
Large Cap Diversified Value	\$11.6 b
Large Cap Fundamental Value	\$9.3 b
Mid-Cap Value	\$3.3 b
Small Cap Value*	\$2.3 b
Small Cap Diversified Value	\$418 mm
Global Value	\$170 mm
Value Opportunities	\$653 mm
Capital Income	\$39 mm
High Yield	\$4.2 b
Total	\$32 b

**(limited availability)*

Available as separately managed accounts and mutual funds
All figures as of December 31, 2017

Consistency Across Strategies

Portfolio decisions for all strategies are driven by one firm-wide investment philosophy and research platform.

Strategy	Overview	Typical Holdings	Benchmark	Symbols
Equities				
Diversified Value	Seeks to own a well-diversified portfolio of large, financially strong companies that offer the best combination of value and potential for price appreciation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 50-80 securities ▶ Companies with a market capitalization >\$5B 	Russell 1000 Value	HWCAX HWCCX HWCIX
Large Cap Value	Seeks to own large, financially strong companies that offer the best combination of value and potential for price appreciation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 40-60 securities ▶ Companies with a market capitalization >\$3B 	Russell 1000 Value	HWLAX HWLCX HWLIX HWLRX
Mid-Cap Value	Seeks to own a well-diversified portfolio of mid-size companies that offer the best combination of value and potential for price appreciation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 50-80 securities ▶ Companies with a market capitalization ranging from \$500M to \$20B 	Russell Midcap Value	HWMAX HWMCX HWMIX HWMRX
Small Cap Value <i>(Limited Availability)</i>	Seeks to own a well-diversified portfolio of small companies that offer the best combination of value and potential for price appreciation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 50-80 securities ▶ Companies with a market capitalization ranging from \$100M to \$4B 	Russell 2000 Value	HWSAX HWSCX HWSIX
Small Cap Diversified Value	Seeks to own a well-diversified portfolio of small companies that offer the best combination of value and potential for price appreciation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 350-400 securities ▶ Companies with a market capitalization ranging from \$100M to \$4B 	Russell 2000 Value	HWVAX HWVIX
Global Value	Seeks to own financially strong companies that offer the best combination of value and potential for price appreciation in all market capitalizations across the globe.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 40-80 securities ▶ Companies with a market capitalization >\$1B 	Russell Developed	HWGAX HWGIX
Value Opportunities	Seeks to own value opportunities in all market capitalizations and all parts of the capital structure. This is a highly concentrated, benchmark agnostic strategy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 40-75 securities ▶ Invests across the capital structure in all market capitalizations 	S&P 500	HWAAX HWACX HWAIX
Income				
Capital Income	Seeks to own undervalued dividend-paying equities and high yield fixed income securities with an emphasis on maximizing current income.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ 40-60 stocks (market capitalization >\$1b) ▶ 100-125 bond issuers 	S&P 500 ICE BofAML US Corp., Govt. & Mtg	HWIAX HWIIX
High Yield	Seeks to own a well-diversified portfolio of high yield credits with superior asset coverage and improving fundamentals.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Target 125 active issuers ▶ Emphasis on more senior structures and BB and B credit quality 	ICE BofAML BB-B US High Yield Constrained	HWHAX HWHCX HWHIX

For the Mid-Cap Value, Small Cap Value, Small Cap Diversified Value and Value Opportunities Funds, investing in small and medium-sized companies involves greater risks than those associated with investing in large company stocks, such as business risk, significant stock price fluctuations and illiquidity. For the Value Opportunities Fund, investing in non-diversified funds means it may concentrate its assets in fewer individual holdings than a diversified fund. Therefore, the Fund is more exposed to individual stock volatility than a diversified fund. The Small Cap and Value Opportunities Funds may invest in ETFs, which are subject to additional risks that do not apply to conventional mutual funds, including the risks that the market price of an ETF's shares may trade at a discount to its net asset value ("NAV"), an active secondary trading market may not develop or be maintained, or trading may be halted by the exchange in which they trade, which may impact a Fund's ability to sell its shares. For the High Yield, Capital Income and Value Opportunities Funds, investments in debt securities typically decrease in value when interest rates rise. This risk is usually greater for longer-term debt securities. Investments by the Funds in lower-rated and non-rated securities present a greater risk of loss to principal and interest than higher-rated securities. The High Yield, Capital Income and Value Opportunities Funds may invest in derivative securities, which can be volatile and involve various types/degrees of risk. Investments in Asset Backed and Mortgage Backed Securities include additional risks that investors should be aware of such as credit risk, prepayment risk, possible illiquidity and default, as well as increased susceptibility to adverse economic developments. Investments in foreign as well as emerging markets involve additional risk such as greater volatility, political, economic, and currency risks and differences in accounting methods. Some Funds may invest in American Depository Receipts ("ADRs") and Global Depository Receipts ("GDRs") which may be subject to some of the same risks as direct investment in foreign companies. Credit quality ratings are derived from the highest bond rating as determined by S&P, Moody's or Fitch. In limited situations when none of the three rating agencies have issued a formal rating, the Advisor will classify the security as nonrated. Diversification does not assure a profit or protect against loss in a declining market.

The Russell 1000® Value Index measures the performance of those Russell 1000® companies with lower price-to-book ratios and lower forecasted growth values. The Russell 2000® Value Index measures the performance of those Russell 2000® companies with lower price-to-book ratios and lower forecasted growth values. The Russell Midcap® Value Index measures the performance of those Russell Midcap® companies with lower price-to-book value ratios and lower forecasted growth values. The Russell Developed® Index measures the performance of the investable securities in developed countries globally across all market capitalization ranges. The ICE BofAML BB-B US High Yield Constrained Index (name change as of 10/1/14) contains all securities in the ICE BofAML US High Yield Index rated BB+ through B- by S&P (or equivalent as rated by Moody's or Fitch), but caps issuer exposure at 2%. Index constituents are capitalization weighted, based on their current amount outstanding, provided the total allocation to an individual issuer does not exceed 2%. The S&P 500® Index is a broad based unmanaged index of 500 stocks, which is widely recognized as representative of the equity market in general. The ICE BofAML US Corporate, Government & Mortgage Index is a broad-based measure of the total rate of return performance of the US investment grade bond markets. The Index is a capitalization weighted aggregation of outstanding US treasury, agency and supranational, mortgage pass-through, and investment grade corporate bonds meeting specified selection criteria. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

The ICE BofAML Indices were known as the BofA Merrill Lynch Indices prior to 10/23/17.

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