Performance as at 31 January 2025

	1 Month	3 Months	1 Year	3 Years p.a.	5 Years p.a.	Inception p.a ¹
Fund ¹	4.8%	5.6%	15.0%	6.5%	9.0%	9.7%
Benchmark ³	4.6%	2.7%	12.3%	3.1%	4.3%	6.4%
Difference	0.3%	2.9%	2.6%	3.4%	4.7%	3.2%

¹ Inception date is 16 May 2016. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. All p.a. returns are annualised.

² Spheria Australian Smaller Companies Fund. Returns of the Fund are net of applicable fees, costs and taxes.

³ Benchmark is the S&P/ASX Small Ordinaries Accumulation index.

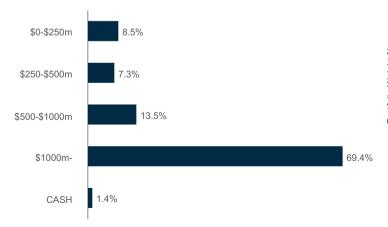
Overall Commentary

The Spheria Australian Smaller Companies Fund returned +4.8% (after fees) for the month of January, outperforming the S&P/ASX Small Ordinaries Accumulation Index by 0.3%.

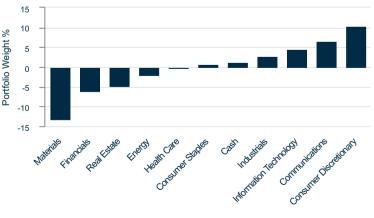
Top 5 Holdings

Company Name	% Portfolio	
Supply Network Limited	5.9	
Insignia Financial Limited	5.0	
Deterra Royalties Limited	4.8	
Healius Limited	4.5	
Fletcher Building Limited	4.1	
Тор 5	24.4	

Market Cap Bands



Active Sector Exposure



Source: Spheria Asset Management

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Markets

Equity markets started the new year strongly, propelled by an ongoing moderation in inflation. In the US and Australia CPI rose in December but came in below forecasts, increasing the chance of potential rate cuts. Moderating inflation and lower rates should be supportive for cyclically exposed companies, many of which have been out of favour by the market over the last few years.

An overweight position in Insignia Financial (IFL.ASX, +25%), not owning Zip Co (ZIP.ASX, -18%) and owning Supply Network (SNL.ASX, +9%), were positive contributors for the month. The largest detractors from performance included owning both Ainsworth Game Technology (AGI.ASX, -19%) and Michael Hill International (MHJ.ASX, -14%), and not owning Genesis Minerals (GMD.ASX, +29%).

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Spheria Australian Smaller Companies Fund				
Benchmark	S&P/ASX Small Ordinaries Accumulation Index			
Investment Objective	Outperform the S&P/ASX Small Ordinaries Accumulation Index over the medium to long term			
Investing Universe	Primarily listed companies outside the top ASX 100 listed companies by market capitalisation and companies listed on the New Zealand Stock Exchange with an equivalent market capitalisation			
Risk	Very high			
Holdings	Generally 20-65 stocks			
Distributions	Half-Yearly			
Fees	1.10% p.a Management fee & 20% performance fee of the Fund's excess return verses its benchmark, net of the management fee			
Cash	Up to 20% cash, typically 5% - 10%			
Expected Turnover	30% - 40%			
Style	Long only			
APIR	WHT0008AU			
Minimum Initial Investment	\$25,000			



Spheria Australian Smaller Companies Fund

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Fund Ratings



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