

Performance as at 30 November 2024

	1 Month	3 Months	1 Year	3 Years p.a.	5 Years p.a.	Inception p.a ¹
Fund ¹	0.3%	4.3%	23.8%	2.4%	8.1%	9.2%
Benchmark ³	1.3%	7.3%	19.9%	-0.1%	4.6%	6.4%
Difference	-1.1%	-3.0%	3.9%	2.4%	3.5%	2.8%

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.

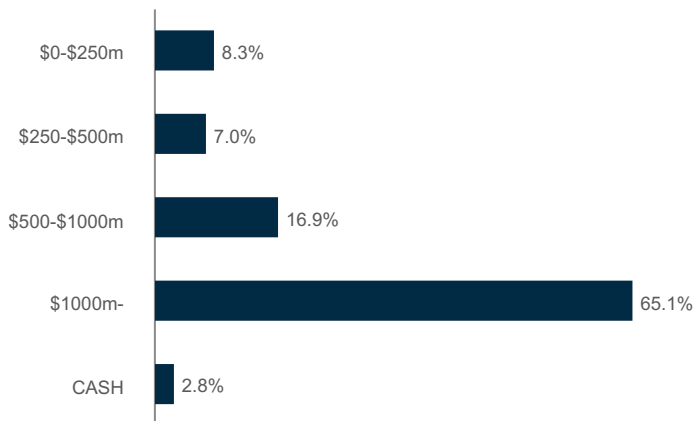
Overall Commentary

The Spheria Australian Smaller Companies Fund returned 0.3% (after fees) for the month of November, underperforming the S&P/ASX Small Ordinaries Accumulation Index by 1.1%.

Top 5 Holdings

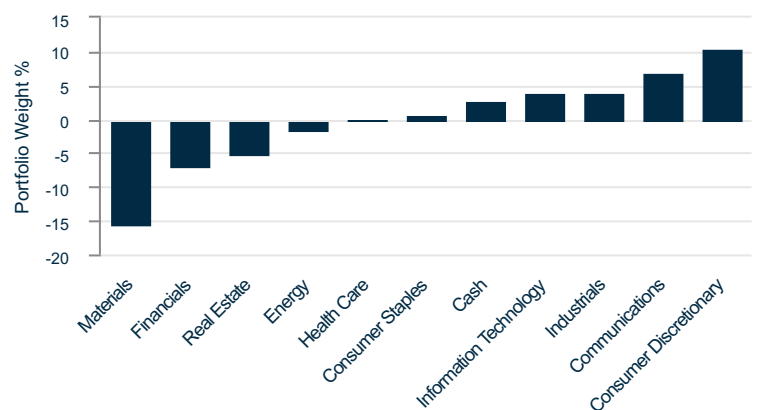
Company Name	% Portfolio
Supply Network Limited	5.5
Fletcher Building Limited	4.6
Healius Limited	4.3
Insignia Financial Limited	4.2
IRESS Limited	3.6
Top 5	22.2

Market Cap Bands



Source: Spheria Asset Management

Active Sector Exposure



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Markets

November followed the same positive trajectory as has been the case over the last year with equity markets continuing to grind higher. Trump's election win was taken as a positive by the market in the US, and Australian equities followed suit. There is a view that his policy settings will steer the USA on to a firmer footing by reducing excessive government spending (that fuels inflation) and by lifting constraints on fossil fuels that will provide cheaper energy sources for corporates and households which will drive economic growth. In Australia, small caps have risen almost 20% and larger companies are up 23% (S&P ASX Accumulation 50 Index) over 2024. The bifurcation in what has outperformed has been stark with those on excessive multiples, particularly technology names, being the key beneficiaries.

Overweight positions in both Technology One (TNE.ASX, +24%) and Superloop (SLC.ASX, +18%), and not owning Resolute Mining (RSG.ASX, -47%) were positive contributors for the month. The largest detractors from performance included an overweight position in Healius (HLS.ASX, -17%), not owning Sigma Healthcare (SIG.ASX, +47%), and an overweight position in City Chic Collective (CCX.ASX, -31%).

Platform Availability List

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Asgard	Freedom of Choice	Mason Stevens	PowerWrap
BT Panorama	HUB24	mFund	Praemium
Centric	Insignia Expand	Netwealth	
CFA FirstWrap	Insignia Financial Wrap		

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

Fund Ratings



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