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This fund is only available in the Retirement Protector Group Deferred Variable Annuity and the Personal Retirement Planner Qualified Variable Annuity.

Description:

The fund employs an indexing investment approach designed to track the performance of the CRSP US Small Cap Index, a broadly diversified index of stocks of small U.S. companies. The fund attempts to replicate the target index by investing all, or substantially all, of its assets in the stocks that make up the index, holding each stock in approximately the same proportion as its weighting in the index. This is an aggressive investment.

Sector weighting	Percent of total holdings	Top holdings	Percent of total holdings
Industrials	22.3%	NRG Energy Inc.	
Consumer Discretionary	14.5%	Insmed Inc.	
Financials	14.2%	SoFi Technologies Inc.	
Technology	13.6%	Comfort Systems USA Inc.	
Health Care	11.3%	EMCOR Group Inc.	
Real Estate	7.1%	Atmos Energy Corp.	
Energy	4.1%	Astera Labs Inc.	
Utilities	3.9%	Pure Storage Inc.	
Basic Materials	3.8%	Liberty Media Corp-Liberty Formula One	
Consumer Staples	3.3%	PTC Inc.	
		Total Net Assets	\$58,085 MM
		Expense Ratio	0.05%
		Fund composition	N/A

Disclosure:

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