

SVS Church House Deep Value Investment Fund

Monthly Commentary

The month of October proved, yet again, to be the hurdle in the investment calendar that somehow has to be leaped. The heightened volatility seen around the world on worries of the impact of trade sanctions, Brexit negotiations, the Italian Budget, rising US interest rates etc, caused all equity indices, globally, to end in negative or deeper negative territory. Unfortunately, Deep Value Investment could not avoid this downdraft and finished the month down quite sharply. Over the year to date the Fund is modestly down against a market that is now down quite significantly. Although disappointing, please remember that we aim to purchase our portfolio stocks at meaningful discounts to their net asset value, and aim to buy cash at a discount with prospects for re-rating. In that context, nothing has changed, our margin of safety has only increased over the month.

During the month, we added to the holding in **Smartspace Software** as their shares were knocked-back and began establishing a new position in Plexus Holdings, an oil & gas engineering and services company. We bought this stock on the back of an interesting transaction the Company completed with one of the largest oil services companies in the world. It sold a small division (plus an earn-out provision) for the equivalent of 80% of their market capitalisation. This has established the value of their technology and enabled it to join forces with a major operator.

Performance (A Shares) v. UK Indices

This comparison is for illustrative purposes only and the fund is not benchmarked against these indices.



Source: Church House, Bloomberg. Nav-Nav line chart (30 November 2007 to 31 October 2018). *CARE: 'Deep Value' is the performance of the CH Deep Value Fund, an offshore unregulated scheme, until Feb. 2012 (dashed rule) then The Deep Value Investment Fund Acc.

Performance Summary (%)

	3m	1 yr	3 yrs	5 yrs
CH Deep Value Investment Fund Acc	-5.8%	-4.0%	34.0%	12.5%
FTSE All Share Total Return Index	-7.2%	-1.5%	25.4%	30.5%

Source: Church House, Bloomberg. DVI is accumulations shares, NAV-to-NAV, month end (31 October 2018), net of fees.

Calendar Year Total Returns (%)

	YTD	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
SVS Church House Deep Value Investment Fund Acc	-1.3%	12.0%	23.7%	-10.7%	-8.8%	17.4%
Source: Church House. Accumulation shares. SVS Church House Deep Value Investments Fund A Acc.						

Fund Manager



Objective and Policy

The Fund holds a concentrated portfolio of equities (typically 20/5 holdings) that exhibit 'deep value' characteristics. Principally these will be listed in London but up to 30% may be invested overseas.

The objective is long-term capital growth; income distributions (if any) are likely to be low. With such a concentrated portfolio of (typically) smaller company investments, volatility is likely to be high.

Key Information

A Share Class	Min. investment £5,000		
	Management fee 1.25%		

B Share Class

and intermediaries only

ISIN: GB00BLY2BF03

142.8p (Acc) XD **B Share Price:**

Trust Type scheme

29 February 2012 **Launch Date**

Dividend Payment May / Nov Accumulation

Accumulation Shares On Yield

Fund Value

£11.7m All prices and data in the Fact Sheet are as at 31 October 2018.

All fund performance data is based on the A Acc shares and shown after the deduction of fees and

Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) based on accounts as at 30/09/2017.



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Top Ten Holdings (%) 72.3% of Portfolio

Total number of holdings:

 Treasury 1.75% 2019
 21.8%

 PV Crystalox Solar PLC
 7.0%

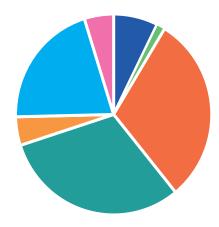
 Game Digital
 6.6%

 Hydrogen Group
 6.4%

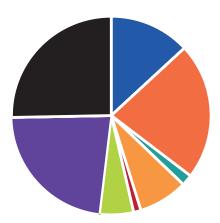
 Record PLC
 5.4%

B P Marsh & Partners	5.4%
Enteq Upstream PLC	5.4%
Land Securities	5.2%
Thalassa Holdings	4.8%
Hargreaves Services PLC	4.2%

Disposition

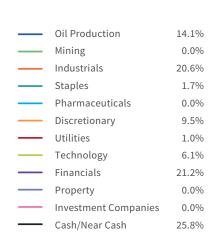


Sector Allocations



 FTSE 100	7.5%
 FTSE 250	1.5%
 UK Small Cap	30.3%
 UK AIM listed	30.4%
 International	4.8%
 Treasury stock	21.8%
 Cash deposits	3.9%

Source: Church House



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INVESTMENT RISK

Please note that the value of an investment in this fund and the income from it may go down as well as up and you may not get back your original investment. You should also be aware that past performance may not be a reliable guide to future performance.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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