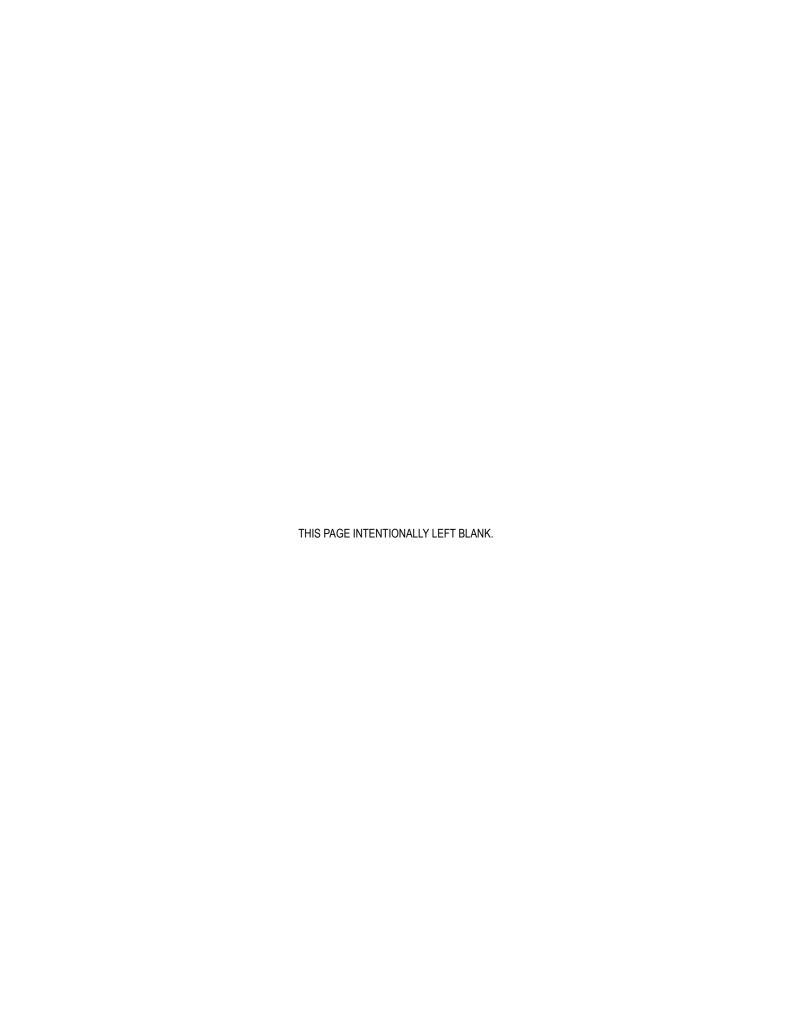
BlackRock

2022 Annual Report

BlackRock Variable Series Funds, Inc.

• BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund



The Markets in Review

Dear Shareholder.

Significant economic headwinds emerged during the 12-month reporting period ended December 31, 2022, as investors navigated changing economic conditions and volatile markets. The U.S. economy shrank in the first half of 2022 before returning to modest growth in the third quarter, marking a shift to a more challenging post-reopening economic environment. Changes in consumer spending patterns and a tight labor market led to elevated inflation, which reached a 40-year high before beginning to moderate. Moreover, while the foremost effect of Russia's invasion of Ukraine has been a severe humanitarian crisis, the ongoing war continued to present challenges for both investors and policymakers.

Equity prices fell as interest rates rose, particularly during the first half of the reporting period. Both large- and small-capitalization U.S. stocks fell, although equities began to recover in the second half of the year as inflation eased and economic growth resumed. Emerging market stocks and international equities from developed markets declined overall, pressured by rising interest rates and a strengthening U.S. dollar.

The 10-year U.S. Treasury yield rose notably during the reporting period, driving its price down, as investors reacted to fluctuating inflation data and attempted to anticipate its impact on future interest rate changes. The corporate bond market also faced inflationary headwinds, and heightened uncertainty led to higher corporate bond spreads (the difference in yield between U.S. Treasuries and similarly-dated corporate bonds).

The U.S. Federal Reserve (the "Fed"), acknowledging that inflation has been more persistent than expected, raised interest rates seven times. Furthermore, the Fed wound down its bond-buying programs and is accelerating the reduction of its balance sheet. While the Fed suggested that additional rate hikes were likely, it also gave indications that the pace of increases would slow if inflation continued to subside.

The pandemic's restructuring of the economy brought an ongoing mismatch between supply and demand, contributing to the current inflationary regime. While growth slowed in 2022, we believe that taming inflation requires a more dramatic economic decline to bring demand back to a level more in line with the economy's capacity. The Fed has been raising interest rates at the fastest pace in decades, and seems set to overtighten in its effort to get inflation back to target. With this in mind, we believe the possibility of a U.S. recession in the near-term is high, but this prospect has not yet been fully priced in by markets. Investors should expect a period of higher volatility as markets adjust to the new economic reality and policymakers attempt to adapt to rapidly changing conditions.

In this environment, while we favor an overweight to equities in the long-term, the market's concerns over excessive rate hikes from central banks moderate our outlook. Rising input costs and a deteriorating economic backdrop are likely to challenge corporate earnings, so we are underweight equities overall in the near term. However, we see better opportunities in credit, where valuations are attractive and higher yields provide income opportunities. We believe that global investment-grade corporates, global inflation-linked bonds, and U.S. mortgage-backed securities offer strong opportunities for a six- to twelve-month horizon.

Overall, our view is that investors need to think globally, position themselves to be prepared for a decarbonizing economy, and be nimble as market conditions change. We encourage you to talk with your financial advisor and visit **blackrock.com** for further insight about investing in today's markets.

Sincerely,

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Rob Kapito
President, BlackRock Advisors, LLC



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Total Returns as of December 31, 2022

	6-Month	12-Month
U.S. large cap equities (S&P 500® Index)	2.31%	(18.11)%
U.S. small cap equities (Russell 2000® Index)	3.91	(20.44)
International equities (MSCI Europe, Australasia, Far East Index)	6.36	(14.45)
Emerging market equities (MSCI Emerging Markets Index)	(2.99)	(20.09)
3-month Treasury bills (ICE BofA 3-Month U.S. Treasury Bill Index)	1.32	1.47
U.S. Treasury securities (ICE BofA 10-Year U.S. Treasury Index)	(5.58)	(16.28)
U.S. investment grade bonds (Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index)	(2.97)	(13.01)
Tax-exempt municipal bonds (Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index)	0.50	(8.53)
U.S. high yield bonds (Bloomberg U.S. Corporate High Yield 2% Issuer Capped Index)	3.50	(11.18)

Past performance is not an indication of future results. Index performance is shown for illustrative purposes only. You cannot invest directly in an index.

Investment Objective

BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund's (the "Fund") investment objective is to seek to match the performance of the Russell 2000® Index (the "Russell 2000" or the "Underlying Index") as closely as possible before the deduction of Fund expenses.

Portfolio Management Commentary

How did the Fund perform?

For the 12-month period ended December 31, 2022, the Fund's Class I and Class III Shares returned (20.46)% and (20.63)%, respectively. The Russell 2000® Index returned (20.44)% for the same period. The Russell 2000® Index is a subset of the Russell 3000® Index representing approximately 10% of the total market capitalization of that index. It includes approximately 2000 of the smallest securities based on a combination of their market cap and current index membership.

Describe the market environment.

Geopolitical tension after the Russian invasion of Ukraine in February 2022 fueled existing concerns over rising inflation, interest rate hikes, and rallying commodity prices. On the other hand, economic data in the United States remained strong with robust employment numbers and corporate earnings results. This provided comfort to investors but added to U.S. policy makers challenges. Investors were concerned that the Fed may dampen growth in an effort to get inflation under control.

Commodity prices spiked in the first quarter of 2022 and pushed expectations for a higher inflation rate. The Fed hiked the interest rate by 25 basis points and signaled hikes at all six-remaining meetings for the year in efforts to tackle the highest inflation rate in four decades.

Concerns about high inflation, growth outlook and recession fears increased in the United States during the second quarter. While the unemployment rate remained low and wage growth strong, consumer sentiment went down as consumers struggled with higher prices and borrowing costs. The increased expectation of an interest rate hike weighed down on U.S. equity market valuations.

As the Fed continued to grapple with inflation, their messaging evolved over the second quarter of 2022. Initially, Chairman Jerome Powell adopted a more hawkish tone stating that they would not hesitate to raise interest rates beyond neutral to achieve its inflation target and would be willing to accept an increase in unemployment rate. But as risks to growth increased over the quarter and recession fears intensified, the number and magnitude of future rate hikes beyond July 2022 remained unclear.

The U.S. equity market rallied in July 2022 on the back of softened tone from the Fed signaling slower rate rise in 2023. However, the Fed's hawkish tone later in the quarter at the Jackson Hole conference reaffirmed its commitment to fighting inflation. In their battle against high inflation rate, the U.S. congress passed a new bill which aimed to reduce inflation by curbing the deficit.

U.S. economic data showed a decline in growth over the first two quarters of the year, but other economic data released over the quarter highlighted the resilience of the U.S. economy. The labor market added 315,000 payroll jobs across the economy generating considerable household income gains.

The U.S. equity market rallied over the fourth quarter, despite tighter monetary policy. It posted positive returns in October and November 2022 while contractionary monetary policy targeted a higher inflation rate. The Fed reiterated its plan in December 2022 to continue tightening monetary policy as inflation remained well above target. Market performance dampened in December 2022.

Describe recent portfolio activity.

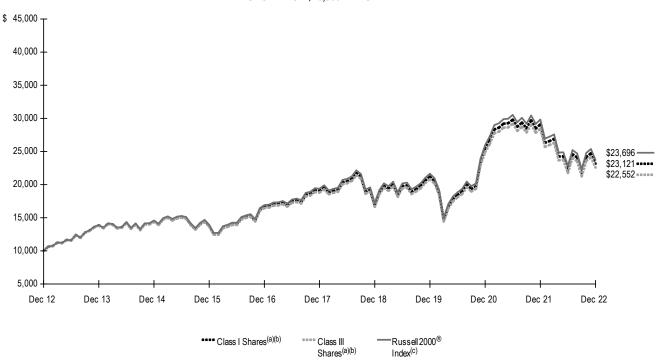
During the 12-month period, as changes were made to the composition of the Russell 2000® Index, the Fund purchased and sold securities to maintain its objective of seeking to match the risks and return of the benchmark index.

Describe portfolio positioning at period end.

The Fund remains positioned to match the risk characteristics of its benchmark index, irrespective of the market's future direction.

The views expressed reflect the opinions of BlackRock as of the date of this report and are subject to change based on changes in market, economic or other conditions. These views are not intended to be a forecast of future events and are no guarantee of future results.

GROWTH OF \$10,000 INVESTMENT



⁽a) Assuming transaction costs, if any, and other operating expenses, including investment advisory fees. Does not include insurance-related fees and expenses. The returns for Class III Shares prior to February 9, 2021, the commencement of operations of Class III Shares, are based upon the performance of the Fund's Class I Shares, as adjusted to reflect the distribution (12b-1) fees applicable to Class III Shares.

⁽b) Under normal circumstances, the Fund will invest at least 90% of its assets in securities or other financial instruments that are components of or have economic characteristics similar to the securities included in the Russell 2000. On October 29, 2018, the Fund acquired all of the assets and assumed certain stated liabilities of the Small Cap Equity Index Fund (the "Predecessor Fund"), a series of State Farm Variable Product Trust, through a tax-free reorganization (the "Reorganization"). The Predecessor Fund is the performance and accounting survivor of the Reorganization; accordingly, the Fund assumed the performance and financial history of the Predecessor Fund upon completion of the Reorganization.

⁽a) An index that measures the performance of the small-cap segment of the US equity universe. It is a subset of the Russell 3000® Index representing approximately 10% of the total market capitalization of that index. It includes approximately 2,000 of the smallest securities based on a combination of their market cap and current index membership.

Performance

	Averag)	
	1 Year	5 Years	10 Years
Class I ^{(b)(c)}	(20.46)%	3.98%	8.74%
Class III ^{(b)(c)(d)}	(20.63)	3.72	8.47
Russell 2000® Index	(20.44)	4.13	9.01

⁽e) For a portion of the period, the Fund's investment adviser waived and/or reimbursed a portion of its fee. Without such waiver and/or reimbursement, the Fund's performance would have been lower.

Past performance is not an indication of future results. Performance results do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on Fund distributions or the redemption of Fund shares.

Performance results may include adjustments made for financial reporting purposes in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Expense Example

		Actual					Ну	poth	etical 5% Ret	urn			
		Beginning		Ending		Expenses		Beginning		Ending		Expenses	Annualized
	A	ccount Value	Α	Account Value		Paid During		Account Value	A	Account Value		Paid During	Expense
		(07/01/22)		(12/31/22)		the Period ^(a)		(07/01/22)		(12/31/22)		the Period ^(a)	Ratio
Class I	\$	1,000.00	\$	1,039.90	\$	1.08	9	1,000.00	\$	1,024.15	\$	1.07	0.21%
Class III		1,000.00		1,037.40		2.36		1,000.00		1,022.89		2.35	0.46

⁽a) For each class of the Fund, expenses are equal to the annualized expense ratio for the class, multiplied by the average account value over the period, multiplied by 184/365 (to reflect the one-half year period shown).

See "Disclosure of Expenses" for further information on how expenses were calculated.

Portfolio Information

SECTOR ALLOCATION

Sector ^(a)	Percent of Net Assets
Health Care	17.0%
Financials	17.0
Industrials	15.5
Information Technology	12.6
Consumer Discretionary	10.4
Energy	6.7
Real Estate	6.3
Materials	4.2
Consumer Staples	3.6
Utilities	3.5
Communication Services	2.5
Short-Term Securities	15.8
Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets	(15.1)

⁽a) For Fund compliance purposes, the Fund's sector classifications refer to one or more of the sector sub-classifications used by one or more widely recognized market indexes or ratings group indexes, and/or as defined by the investment adviser. These definitions may not apply for purposes of this report, which may combine such sector sub-classifications for reporting ease.

⁽b) Average annual total returns are based on changes in net asset value ("NAV") for the periods shown, and assume reinvestment of all distributions at NAV on the ex-dividend date. Insurance-related fees and expenses are not reflected in these returns.

⁽e) On October 29, 2018, the Fund acquired all of the assets and assumed certain stated liabilities of the Predecessor Fund, a series of State Farm Variable Product Trust, through the Reorganization. The Predecessor Fund is the performance and accounting survivor of the Reorganization; accordingly, the Fund assumed the performance and financial history of the Predecessor Fund upon completion of the Reorganization.

⁽d) The returns for Class III Shares prior to February 9, 2021, the commencement of operations of Class III Shares, are based upon the performance of the Fund's Class I Shares, as adjusted to reflect the distribution (12b-1) fees applicable to Class III Shares.

Disclosure of Expenses

Shareholders of the Fund may incur the following charges: (a) transactional expenses; and (b) operating expenses, including investment advisory fees, service and distribution fees, including 12b-1 fees, acquired fund fees and expenses, and other fund expenses. The expense example shown (which is based on a hypothetical investment of \$1,000 invested at the beginning of the period and held through the end of the period) is intended to assist shareholders both in calculating expenses based on an investment in the Fund and in comparing these expenses with similar costs of investing in other mutual funds.

The expense example provides information about actual account values and actual expenses. Annualized expense ratios reflect contractual and voluntary fee waivers, if any. In order to estimate the expenses a shareholder paid during the period covered by this report, shareholders can divide their account value by \$1,000 and then multiply the result by the number corresponding to their share class under the heading entitled "Expenses Paid During the Period."

The expense example also provides information about hypothetical account values and hypothetical expenses based on the Fund's actual expense ratio and an assumed rate of return of 5% per year before expenses. In order to assist shareholders in comparing the ongoing expenses of investing in the Fund and other funds, compare the 5% hypothetical example with the 5% hypothetical examples that appear in shareholder reports of other funds.

The expenses shown in the expense example are intended to highlight shareholders' ongoing costs only and do not reflect transactional expenses, such as sales charges, if any. Therefore, the hypothetical example is useful in comparing ongoing expenses only and will not help shareholders determine the relative total expenses of owning different funds. If these transactional expenses were included, shareholder expenses would have been higher.

Derivative Financial Instruments

The Fund may invest in various derivative financial instruments. These instruments are used to obtain exposure to a security, commodity, index, market, and/or other assets without owning or taking physical custody of securities, commodities and/or other referenced assets or to manage market, equity, credit, interest rate, foreign currency exchange rate, commodity and/or other risks. Derivative financial instruments may give rise to a form of economic leverage and involve risks, including the imperfect correlation between the value of a derivative financial instrument and the underlying asset, possible default of the counterparty to the transaction or illiquidity of the instrument. Pursuant to Rule 18f-4 under the 1940 Act, among other things, the Fund must either use derivative financial instruments with embedded leverage in a limited manner or comply with an outer limit on fund leverage risk based on value-at-risk. The Fund's successful use of a derivative financial instrument depends on the investment adviser's ability to predict pertinent market movements accurately, which cannot be assured. The use of these instruments may result in losses greater than if they had not been used, may limit the amount of appreciation the Fund can realize on an investment and/or may result in lower distributions paid to shareholders. The Fund's investments in these instruments, if any, are discussed in detail in the Notes to Financial Statements.

Schedule of Investments

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Common Stocks			Auto Components (continued)	0.000	A 457.740
Aerospace & Defense — 1.0%			XPEL, Inc. ^{(a)(c)}	2,626	
AAR Corp. ^(a)	4,132 \$	185,527			3,610,177
Aerojet Rocketdyne Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	9,592	536,481	Automobiles — 0.2%		
AeroVironment, Inc.(a)	3,020	258,693	Canoo, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	22,221	27,332
AerSale Corp.(a)	2,443	39,625	Cenntro Electric Group Ltd. (a)(b)	21,369	9,402
Archer Aviation, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	17,101	31,979	Faraday Future Intelligent Electric, Inc. (a)	27,557	8,000
Astra Space, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	16,705	7,247	Fisker, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	21,258	154,546
Astronics Corp. (a)	3,107	32,002	Lordstown Motors Corp., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	18,255	20,811
Cadre Holdings, Inc	2,235	45,013	Mullen Automotive, Inc. (a)(b)	39,110	11,185
Ducommun, Inc. ^(a)	1,391	69,494	Winnebago Industries, Inc.(b)	3,648	192,249
Kaman Corp.	3,296	73,501	Workhorse Group, Inc. ^(a)	18,052	27,439
Kratos Defense & Security Solutions, Inc. (a)	14,634	151,023	Trontinoida Gradp, ma.	10,002	
Maxar Technologies, Inc	8,938	462,452			450,964
Momentus, Inc., Class A ^(a)	6,329	4,936	Banks — 9.8%		
Moog, Inc., Class A		301,192	1st Source Corp	2,055	109,100
	3,432		ACNB Corp. ^(b)	981	39,054
National Presto Industries, Inc	663	45,389	Amalgamated Financial Corp	2,202	50,734
Park Aerospace Corp	2,528	33,901	Amerant Bancorp, Inc., Class A	3,520	94,477
Parsons Corp. (a)	4,110	190,088	American National Bankshares, Inc. ^(b)		51,997
Redwire Corp. (a)(b)	2,246	4,447		1,408	
Rocket Lab USA, Inc. (a)(b)	26,530	100,018	Ameris Bancorp ^(b)	7,852	370,143
Terran Orbital Corp.(a)	2,780	4,392	Arrow Financial Corp	1,823	61,800
Triumph Group, Inc. (a)	7,498	78,879	Associated Banc-Corp	18,065	417,121
V2X, Inc. ^(a)	1,374	56,732	Atlantic Union Bankshares Corp.(b)	9,198	323,218
Virgin Galactic Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	28,306	98,505	Banc of California, Inc	6,474	103,131
virgin Galactic Holanigo, inc.	20,000		BancFirst Corp.(b)	2,370	208,987
		2,811,516	Bancorp, Inc. (The)(a)	6,170	175,105
Air Freight & Logistics — 0.4%			Bank First Corp	931	86,415
Air Transport Services Group, Inc.(a)	7,111	184,744	Bank of Marin Bancorp	2,055	67,568
Atlas Air Worldwide Holdings, Inc. (a)	3,346	337,277	Bank of NT Butterfield & Son Ltd. (The)	5,965	177,817
Forward Air Corp	3,208	336,487	BankUnited, Inc. ^(b)	9,313	316,363
Hub Group, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,885	308,818	Bankwell Financial Group, Inc.	654	19,247
Radiant Logistics, Inc. ^(a)	4,387	22,330	Banner Corp	4,086	258,235
		1,189,656	Bar Harbor Bankshares	1,956	62,670
Airlines — 0.3%		.,,	BayCom Corp. ^(b)	1,492	28,318
Allegiant Travel Co.(a)(b)	1,923	130,745	BCB Bancorp, Inc	1,668	30,007
			Berkshire Hills Bancorp, Inc.(b)	5,072	151,653
Blade Air Mobility, Inc., Class A ^(a)	6,516	23,327	Blue Ridge Bankshares, Inc	2,069	25,842
Frontier Group Holdings, Inc. (a)	4,300	44,161	Brookline Bancorp, Inc.(b)	8,874	125,567
Hawaiian Holdings, Inc.(a)	5,834	59,857	Business First Bancshares, Inc.(b)	3,118	69,033
Joby Aviation, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	30,967	103,739	Byline Bancorp, Inc	3,175	72,930
SkyWest, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	5,862	96,782	Cadence Bank	19,124	471,598
Spirit Airlines, Inc	12,996	253,162	Cambridge Bancorp	824	68,441
Sun Country Airlines Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	3,788	60,078	Camden National Corp.	1,734	72,290
Wheels Up Experience, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	18,479	19,033	Capital Bancorp, Inc.	1,075	25,305
				1,073	57,817
		790,884	Capital City Bank Group, Inc.		
Auto Components — 1.3%			Capstar Financial Holdings, Inc	2,443	43,143
Adient plc ^(a)	11,512	399,351	Carter Bankshares, Inc.(a)	3,079	51,081
American Axle & Manufacturing Holdings, Inc. (a)	13,276	103,818	Cathay General Bancorp ^(b)	8,894	362,786
Dana, Inc	15,524	234,878	Central Pacific Financial Corp.(b)	3,251	65,930
Dorman Products, Inc.(a)	3,234	261,534	Citizens & Northern Corp.(b)	1,779	40,668
Fox Factory Holding Corp.(a)	5,114	466,550	City Holding Co. ^(b)	1,731	161,139
Gentherm, Inc. ^(a)	3,938	257,112	Civista Bancshares, Inc	1,975	43,470
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. (The) ^(a)	33,857	343,649	CNB Financial Corp	2,429	57,786
Holley, Inc.(a)	5,970	12,656	Coastal Financial Corp.(a)	1,325	62,964
LCI Industries ^(b)	3,042	281,233	Colony Bankcorp, Inc	1,900	24,111
			Columbia Banking System, Inc. ^(b)	8,586	258,696
Luminar Technologies, Inc., Class A ^(a)	29,604	146,540	Community Bank System, Inc.	6,039	380,155
Modine Manufacturing Co.(a)	6,092	120,987	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Motorcar Parts of America, Inc. (a)	2,576	30,551	Community Trust Bancorp, Inc.	2,021	92,825
Patrick Industries, Inc.	2,671	161,863	ConnectOne Bancorp, Inc.	4,740	114,755
Solid Power, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	15,289	38,834	CrossFirst Bankshares, Inc. (a)	5,614	69,670
Standard Motor Products, Inc	2,423	84,320	Customers Bancorp, Inc. ^(a)	3,518	99,700
		66,901	CVB Financial Corp. ^(b)	15,419	397,039
Stoneridge, Inc. (a)	J. 1UJ	00.501			
	3,103 3,376		Dime Community Bancshares, Inc	3,957	125,951
Stoneridge, Inc. ^(a)	3,376	441,682		3,957 3,699	125,951 163,015

December 31, 2022

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Valu
Banks (continued)			Banks (continued)		
Enterprise Bancorp, Inc. (b)	1,148 \$	40,524	National Bank Holdings Corp., Class A	3,603 \$	151,578
Enterprise Financial Services Corp. (b)	4,266	208,863	NBT Bancorp, Inc	4,818	209,198
Equity Bancshares, Inc., Class A	1,826	59,655	Nicolet Bankshares, Inc. (a)(b)	1,485	118,488
Esquire Financial Holdings, Inc	804	34,781	Northeast Bank	780	32,838
Farmers & Merchants Bancorp, Inc.(b)	1,698	46,152	Northwest Bancshares, Inc. (b)	14,187	198,334
Farmers National Banc Corp	3,945	55,703	OceanFirst Financial Corp	7,176	152,490
FB Financial Corp	4,477	161,799	OFG Bancorp	5,564	153,344
Financial Institutions, Inc.	1,836	44,725	Old National Bancorp ^(b)	35,398	636,456
First Bancorp ^(b)	4,057	173,802	Old Second Bancorp, Inc	5,507	88,332
First BanCorp	21,304	270,987	Origin Bancorp, Inc	2,773	101,769
First Bancorp, Inc. (The)	1,391	41,647	Orrstown Financial Services, Inc	1,383	32,030
First Bancshares, Inc. (The)	2,417	77,368	Pacific Premier Bancorp, Inc.(b)	10,317	325,604
First Bank	2,185	30,066	Park National Corp. (b)	1,727	243,075
First Busey Corp. ^(b)	6,319	156,206	Parke Bancorp, Inc	1,173	24,328
First Business Financial Services, Inc	1,154	42,179	Pathward Financial, Inc. ^(b)	3,382	145,595
First Commonwealth Financial Corp	9,378	131,011	PCB Bancorp	1,351	23,899
First Community Bankshares, Inc	1,979	67,088	PCSB Financial Corp	1,491	28,389
First Financial Bancorp	10,809	261.902	Peapack-Gladstone Financial Corp	2,078	77,343
First Financial Bankshares, Inc. ^(b)	15,641	538,050	Peoples Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)	3,497	98,790
First Financial Corp	1,440	66,355	Peoples Financial Services Corp.(b)	912	47,278
First Foundation, Inc. ^(b)	6,329	90,695	Preferred Bank	1,161	86,634
First Guaranty Bancshares, Inc. ^(b)	704	16,509	Premier Financial Corp	4,296	115,863
First Internet Bancorp	1,022	24,814	Primis Financial Corp	2,572	30,478
First Interstate BancSystem, Inc., Class A	10,776	416,492	Professional Holding Corp., Class A ^(a)	1,793	49,738
First Merchants Corp	6,988	287,277	QCR Holdings, Inc.	1,964	97,493
First Mid Bancshares, Inc	2,433	78,051	RBB Bancorp	2,075	43,264
First of Long Island Corp. (The)	2,433	47,088	Red River Bancshares, Inc. ^(b)	655	33,444
First Western Financial, Inc. ^(a)	917	25,814	Renasant Corp	6,498	244,260
Five Star Bancorp ^(b)	1,483	40,397	Republic Bancorp, Inc., Class A	1,050	42,966
Flushing Financial Corp	3,731	72,307	Republic First Bancorp, Inc. (a)	5,329	11,457
Fulton Financial Corp	19,607	329,986	S&T Bancorp, Inc.	3,805	130,055
FVCBankcorp, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	1,387	26,450		5,362	188,903
German American Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)	3,516	131,147	Sandy Spring Bancorp, Inc.	6,501	202,766
• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	13,406	662,524	Seacoast Banking Corp. of Florida ^(b)	6,024	415,114
Glacier Bancorp, Inc.	1,246	74,125	ServisFirst Bancshares, Inc. ^(b)	2,531	
Great Southern Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)					44,115
Guaranty Bancshares, Inc.	1,095	37,931	Silverente Control Corre Class A(a)	1,907	40,505
Hancock Whitney Corp.	10,311	498,949	Silvergate Capital Corp., Class A ^(a)	3,893	67,738
Hanmi Financial Corp	3,597	89,026	Simmons First National Corp., Class A	14,164	305,659
HarborOne Bancorp, Inc.	5,296	73,614	SmartFinancial, Inc.	1,999	54,972
HBT Financial, Inc. ^(b)	1,397	27,339	South Plains Financial, Inc.	1,349	37,138
Heartland Financial USA, Inc. ^(b)	5,004	233,286	Southern First Bancshares, Inc. (a)	985	45,064
Heritage Commerce Corp	7,407	96,291	Southside Bancshares, Inc	3,717	133,775
Heritage Financial Corp	4,119	126,206	SouthState Corp	9,025	689,149
Hilltop Holdings, Inc	6,199	186,032	Stellar Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)	5,481	161,470
Home BancShares, Inc. ^(b)	22,816	519,977	Stock Yards Bancorp, Inc.(b)	3,455	224,506
HomeStreet, Inc	2,077	57,284	Summit Financial Group, Inc	1,531	38,107
HomeTrust Bancshares, Inc. ^(b)	1,769	42,757	Texas Capital Bancshares, Inc. (a)(b)	6,041	364,333
Hope Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)	13,842	177,316	Third Coast Bancshares, Inc.(a)	1,483	27,332
Horizon Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)	5,134	77,421	Tompkins Financial Corp	1,632	126,611
Independent Bank Corp.(b)	5,345	451,278	Towne Bank ^(b)	8,117	250,328
Independent Bank Corp	2,494	59,657	TriCo Bancshares	3,865	197,076
Independent Bank Group, Inc. ^(b)	4,268	256,421	Triumph Financial, Inc. (a)(b)	2,770	135,370
International Bancshares Corp	6,447	295,015	Trustmark Corp	7,317	255,436
John Marshall Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)	1,610	46,336	UMB Financial Corp	5,361	447,75
Lakeland Bancorp, Inc	7,789	137,164	United Bankshares, Inc. ^(b)	15,585	631,037
_akeland Financial Corp	2,815	205,411	United Community Banks, Inc	11,680	394,784
Live Oak Bancshares, Inc	3,997	120,709	Unity Bancorp, Inc	817	22,329
Macatawa Bank Corp	3,277	36,145	Univest Financial Corp	3,673	95,975
Mercantile Bank Corp.(b)	2,049	68,601	USCB Financial Holdings, Inc. (a)	1,251	15,262
Metrocity Bankshares, Inc. ^(b)	2,420	52,345	Valley National Bancorp ^(b)	52,384	592,463
Metropolitan Bank Holding Corp.(a)	1,255	73,631	Veritex Holdings, Inc	5,521	155,030
Mid Penn Bancorp, Inc	1,833	54,935	Washington Federal, Inc. ^(b)	7,854	263,502
Midland States Bancorp, Inc	2,729	72,646	Washington Trust Bancorp, Inc	2,172	102,475
MidWestOne Financial Group, Inc	1,893	60,103	WesBanco, Inc.	7,039	260,302
MVB Financial Corp	1,269	27,943	West BanCorp, Inc.	2,084	53,246

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Banks (continued)			Biotechnology (continued)		
Westamerica BanCorp	3,052	\$ 180,099	Chinook Therapeutics, Inc	6,185 \$	162,047
		27,221,611	Cogent Biosciences, Inc	7,540	87,162
Beverages — 0.6%		21,221,011	Coherus Biosciences, Inc	8,697	68,880
Celsius Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	6,661	693,010	Crinetics Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	6,577	120,359
Coca-Cola Consolidated, Inc.	560	286,922	CTI BioPharma Corp. (b)	12,113	72,799
Duckhorn Portfolio, Inc. (The)(a)	5,314	88,053	Cullinan Oncology, Inc.	3,673	38,750
MGP Ingredients, Inc	1,707	181,591	Cytokinetics, Inc.(b)	9,875 3,183	452,472 68,498
National Beverage Corp. (a)	2,933	136,472	Day One Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. ^(b) Deciphera Pharmaceuticals, Inc	5,757	94,357
Primo Water Corp	19,047	295,990	Decipile a Frial maceuticals, Inc.	13,054	363,032
Vintage Wine Estates, Inc.(a)	3,760	12,258	Design Therapeutics, Inc. (b)	3,934	40,363
Vita Coco Co., Inc. (The)(a)(b)	3,237	44,735	Dynavax Technologies Corp	14,468	153,940
		1,739,031	Dyne Therapeutics, Inc.	3,731	43,242
Biotechnology — 7.3% ^(a)		1,739,031	Eagle Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	1,204	35,193
2seventy bio, Inc. ^(b)	4,340	40,666	Editas Medicine, Inc	8,673	76,930
4D Molecular Therapeutics, Inc	3,563	79,134	Eiger BioPharmaceuticals, Inc	5,579	6,583
Aadi Bioscience, Inc.	1,681	21,567	Emergent BioSolutions, Inc.(b)	6,258	73,907
Absci Corp. (b)	6,346	13,327	Enanta Pharmaceuticals, Inc	2,325	108,159
ACADIA Pharmaceuticals, Inc	14,786	235,393	Enochian Biosciences, Inc. ^(b)	2,462	2,536
Adicet Bio, Inc.(b)	3,229	28,867	EQRx, Inc. ^(b)	23,778	58,494
ADMA Biologics, Inc.(b)	21,576	83,715	Erasca, Inc.	7,360	31,722
Aerovate Therapeutics, Inc	1,066	31,234	Fate Therapeutics, Inc	10,282	103,745
Affimed NV	17,247	21,386	FibroGen, Inc.	10,569	169,315
Agenus, Inc	35,292	84,701	Foghorn Therapeutics, Inc.	2,367	15,101
Agios Pharmaceuticals, Inc	6,738	189,203	Gelesis Holdings, Inc.	4,032	1,171
Akero Therapeutics, Inc	4,183	229,228	Generation Bio Co.	6,557 45,387	25,769 109,837
Albireo Pharma, Inc	2,149	46,440	Geron Corp	7,420	16,101
Alector, Inc.	7,656	70,665	GreenLight Biosciences Holdings PBC	8,731	10,101
Alkermes plc	19,807	517,557	Halozyme Therapeutics, Inc. (b)	16,035	912,392
Allogene Therapeutics, Inc	9,252 3,659	58,195 18,771	Heron Therapeutics, Inc. (b)	12,272	30,680
Alpine Immune Sciences, Inc.	2,266	16,655	HilleVax, Inc.	2,104	35,200
ALX Oncology Holdings, Inc.	2,617	29,494	Humacyte, Inc. ^(b)	7,148	15,082
Amicus Therapeutics, Inc	33,475	408,730	Icosavax, Inc	2,838	22,534
AnaptysBio, Inc. ^(b)	2,588	80,202	Ideaya Biosciences, Inc	5,317	96,610
Anavex Life Sciences Corp.(b)	8,432	78,080	IGM Biosciences, Inc. ^(b)	1,388	23,610
Anika Therapeutics, Inc	1,826	54,050	Imago Biosciences, Inc.	3,280	117,916
Apellis Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (b)	11,342	586,495	ImmunityBio, Inc. ^(b)	10,379	52,622
Arbutus Biopharma Corp.(b)	12,537	29,211	ImmunoGen, Inc	25,295	125,463
Arcellx, Inc	3,467	107,408	Immunovant, Inc	5,340	94,785
Arcturus Therapeutics Holdings, Inc	3,027	51,338	Inhibrx, Inc.	3,937	97,008
Arcus Biosciences, Inc	6,257	129,395	Inovio Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ^(b)	29,256	45,639
Arcutis Biotherapeutics, Inc	4,802	71,070	Insmed, Inc.	16,218	324,036
Arrowhead Pharmaceuticals, Inc	12,373	501,849	Instil Bio, Inc	8,078 10,201	5,089 355,913
Atara Biotherapeutics, Inc	10,470	34,342	Intercept Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	2,996	37,061
Aura Biosciences, Inc.	2,127	22,333	Invivyd, Inc.	6,297	9,445
Aurinia Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ^(b)	15,573	67,275	lovance Biotherapeutics, Inc.	18,334	117,154
Avid Bioservices, Inc	7,426 6,509	102,256 144,435	Ironwood Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Class A	16,643	206,207
Beam Therapeutics, Inc. (b)	7,675	300,169	iTeos Therapeutics, Inc	2,794	54,567
BioCryst Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	22,672	260,275	IVERIC bio, Inc	16,363	350,332
Biohaven Ltd. ^(b)	7,602	105,516	Janux Therapeutics, Inc	2,217	29,198
Bioxcel Therapeutics, Inc.	2,186	46,955	Jounce Therapeutics, Inc	6,506	7,222
Bluebird Bio, Inc.	10,045	69,511	KalVista Pharmaceuticals, Inc	2,926	19,780
Blueprint Medicines Corp	7,189	314,950	Karuna Therapeutics, Inc	3,641	715,457
Bridgebio Pharma, Inc	12,399	94,480	Karyopharm Therapeutics, Inc	8,835	30,039
C4 Therapeutics, Inc.(b)	5,036	29,712	Keros Therapeutics, Inc	2,312	111,022
CareDx, Inc	5,969	68,106	Kezar Life Sciences, Inc. ^(b)	5,958	41,944
Caribou Biosciences, Inc	6,657	41,806	Kiniksa Pharmaceuticals Ltd., Class A	3,556	53,269
Catalyst Pharmaceuticals, Inc	11,958	222,419	Kinnate Biopharma, Inc.	3,835	23,393
Celldex Therapeutics, Inc	5,598	249,503	Kodiak Sciences, Inc.	3,902	27,938
Celularity, Inc., Class A	7,955	10,262	Kronos Bio, Inc.	4,977	8,063
Century Therapeutics, Inc	2,259	11,589	Krystal Biotech, Inc.	2,624 7,824	207,873 97,096
Cerevel Therapeutics Holdings, Inc.	6,907	217,847	Kura Oncology, Inc	7,824 4,507	112,495
Chimerix, Inc	8,662	16,111	rymera merapeulics, inc	4,507	112,490

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Biotechnology (continued)			Biotechnology (continued)		
Lexicon Pharmaceuticals, Inc	9,537 \$	18,216	Xencor, Inc.	6,923	\$ 180,275
Lyell Immunopharma, Inc	21,226	73,654	Y-mAbs Therapeutics, Inc	4,220	20,594
MacroGenics, Inc	7,026	47,144	Zentalis Pharmaceuticals, Inc	5,556	111,898
Madrigal Pharmaceuticals, Inc	1,564	453,951			20 220 122
MannKind Corp. (b)	30,804	162,337	Puilding Products 1 29/		20,239,133
MeiraGTx Holdings plc ^(b)	3,584	23,368	Building Products — 1.3%	5,244	394,978
Mersana Therapeutics, Inc.(b)	11,225	65,778	AAON, Inc	2,082	101,726
MiMedx Group, Inc	13,148	36,551	Apogee Enterprises, Inc.	2,776	123,421
Mirum Pharmaceuticals, Inc	2,218	43,251	Caesarstone Ltd	3,158	18,032
Monte Rosa Therapeutics, Inc. (b)	3,184	24,230	CSW Industrials, Inc. ^(b)	1,764	204,501
Morphic Holding, Inc	2,988	79,929	Gibraltar Industries, Inc. (a)(b)	3,703	169,894
Myriad Genetics, Inc	9,410	136,539	Griffon Corp.	5,610	200,782
Nkarta, Inc.	3,764	22,546	Insteel Industries, Inc.	2,323	63,929
Nurix Therapeutics, Inc. ^(b)	5,686	62,432	Janus International Group, Inc. (a)	9,483	90,278
Nuvalent, Inc., Class A	2,422	72,127	JELD-WEN Holding, Inc. ^(a)	10,009	96,587
Ocugen, Inc	25,521	33,177	Masonite International Corp. (a)(b)	2,692	217,002
Organogenesis Holdings, Inc., Class A ^(b)	8,338	22,429	PGT Innovations, Inc. ^(a)	6,929	124,445
Outlook Therapeutics, Inc.(b)	15,384	16,615	Quanex Building Products Corp	4,145	98,154
Pardes Biosciences, Inc. ^(b)	3,290	5,560	Resideo Technologies, Inc. (a)(b)	17,714	291,395
PepGen, Inc. ^(b)	1,781	23,812	Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc. ^(b)	5,191	460,234
PMV Pharmaceuticals, Inc	4,276	37,201	UFP Industries, Inc.	7,233	573,215
Point Biopharma Global, Inc	10,207	74,409	View, Inc., Class A ^(a)	14,440	13,933
Praxis Precision Medicines, Inc	4,493	10,693	Zurn Elkay Water Solutions Corp	14,939	315,960
Precigen, Inc.	12,127	18,433	Zuiti Likay Water Solutions Corp	14,333	
Prime Medicine, Inc	1,159	21,534			3,558,466
Prometheus Biosciences, Inc	4,231	465,410	Capital Markets — 1.6%		
Protagonist Therapeutics, Inc	5,274	57,539	Artisan Partners Asset Management, Inc.,		
Prothena Corp. plc	4,393	264,678	Class A ^(b)	7,297	216,721
PTC Therapeutics, Inc	8,439	322,117	AssetMark Financial Holdings, Inc. (a)	2,606	59,938
Rallybio Corp	1,949	12,805	Associated Capital Group, Inc., Class A	283	11,883
RAPT Therapeutics, Inc	3,019	59,776	B Riley Financial, Inc. (b)	2,441	83,482
Recursion Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Class A	16,333	125,927	Bakkt Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	6,599	7,853
REGENXBIO, Inc	4,706	106,732	BGC Partners, Inc., Class A	39,144	147,573
Relay Therapeutics, Inc	10,233	152,881	Blucora, Inc. (a)(b)	5,684	145,113
Replimune Group, Inc	4,774	129,853	Brightsphere Investment Group, Inc	3,811	78,430
REVOLUTION Medicines, Inc	9,166	218,334	Cohen & Steers, Inc	3,103	200,330
Rigel Pharmaceuticals, Inc	19,837	29,755	Cowen, Inc., Class A	3,237	125,013
Rocket Pharmaceuticals, Inc	6,480	126,814	Diamond Hill Investment Group, Inc	356	65,867
Sage Therapeutics, Inc	6,246	238,222	Donnelley Financial Solutions, Inc. (a)	3,012	116,414
Sana Biotechnology, Inc. ^(b)	10,271	40,570	Federated Hermes, Inc., Class B	10,331	375,119
Sangamo Therapeutics, Inc	15,688	49,260	Focus Financial Partners, Inc., Class A(a)	6,947	258,915
Seres Therapeutics, Inc. ^(b)	8,243	46,161	GCM Grosvenor, Inc., Class A(b)	5,090	38,735
Sorrento Therapeutics, Inc.(b)	55,947	49,569	Hamilton Lane, Inc., Class A	4,389	280,369
SpringWorks Therapeutics, Inc	4,389	114,158	Houlihan Lokey, Inc., Class A	6,003	523,222
Stoke Therapeutics, Inc	2,933	27,072	MarketWise, Inc. (a)	2,080	3,494
Sutro Biopharma, Inc	6,952	56,172	Moelis & Co., Class A(b)	7,778	298,442
Syndax Pharmaceuticals, Inc	6,586	167,614	Open Lending Corp., Class A(a)	13,404	90,477
Talaris Therapeutics, Inc	3,504	3,574	Oppenheimer Holdings, Inc., Class A	1,058	44,785
Tango Therapeutics, Inc. ^(b)	5,414	39,252	Perella Weinberg Partners, Class A	4,526	44,355
Tenaya Therapeutics, Inc	4,077	8,195	Piper Sandler Cos.(b)	2,076	270,274
TG Therapeutics, Inc	16,255	192,297	PJT Partners, Inc., Class A ^(b)	2,869	211,417
Travere Therapeutics, Inc	7,254	152,552	Sculptor Capital Management, Inc., Class A.	3,484	30,171
Twist Bioscience Corp	6,684	159,146	Silvercrest Asset Management Group, Inc.,		
Tyra Biosciences, Inc	1,546	11,750	Class A	1,151	21,604
Vanda Pharmaceuticals, Inc	6,350	46,927	StepStone Group, Inc., Class A	6,423	161,731
Vaxart, Inc	16,621	15,971	StoneX Group, Inc. (a)(b)	2,091	199,272
Vaxcyte, Inc	8,577	411,267	Value Line, Inc.	105	5,342
VBI Vaccines, Inc	20,556	8,039	Victory Capital Holdings, Inc., Class A	1,915	51,379
Vera Therapeutics, Inc	1,689	32,682	Virtus Investment Partners, Inc	858	164,256
Veracyte, Inc.	8,787	208,516	WisdomTree, Inc.	15,487	84,404
Vericel Corp	5,794	152,614		.5, 157	
Verve Therapeutics, Inc	5,766	111,572			4,416,380
Vir Biotechnology, Inc	8,786	222,374	Chemicals — 2.1%		
Viridian Therapeutics, Inc	4,517	131,942	AdvanSix, Inc. ^(b)	3,233	122,919
VistaGen Therapeutics, Inc	15,364	1,582	American Vanguard Corp	3,269	70,970

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Chemicals (continued)			Commercial Services & Supplies (continued)		
Amyris, Inc. ^(a)	23,386	\$ 35,781	VSE Corp	1,237	\$ 57,991
Aspen Aerogels, Inc. ^(a)	3,817	45,002	· ·		
Avient Corp	11,014	371,833	0		3,878,216
Balchem Corp	3,827	467,315	Communications Equipment — 0.9%	0.400	470.000
Cabot Corp.(b)	6,704	448,095	ADTRAN Holdings, Inc. ^(b)	9,198	172,830
Chase Corp	874	75,391	Aviat Networks, Inc. ^(a)	794	24,765
Danimer Scientific, Inc., Class A(a)	10,436	18,680	Calix, Inc. (a)(b)	7,002	479,147
Diversey Holdings Ltd.(a)	9,073	38,651	Cambium Networks Corp. (a)(b)	1,625	35,214
Ecovyst, Inc. ^(a)	9,017	79,891	Casa Systems, Inc. ^(a)	5,265	14,373
FutureFuel Corp	3,620	29,431	Clearfield, Inc. (a)	1,375	129,442
Hawkins, Inc	2,418	93,335	CommScope Holding Co., Inc. (a)	24,644	181,133
HB Fuller Co.(b)	6,376	456,649	Comtech Telecommunications Corp	2,940	35,692
Ingevity Corp.(a)	4,551	320,572	Digi International, Inc. ^(a)	4,205	153,693
Innospec, Inc	3,005	309,094	DZS, Inc. ^(a)	2,131	27,021
Intrepid Potash, Inc.(a)	1,251	36,116	Extreme Networks, Inc. ^(a)	15,328	280,656
Koppers Holdings, Inc	2,456	69,259	Harmonic, Inc. (a)	11,229	147,100
Kronos Worldwide, Inc. ^(b)	2,412	22,673	Infinera Corp.(a)	23,621	159,205
Livent Corp.(a)	19,480	387,068	Inseego Corp. (a)(b)	10,555	8,893
LSB Industries, Inc. ^(a)	8,785	116,840	NETGEAR, Inc. (a)	3,336	60,415
Mativ Holdings, Inc.(b)	6,590	137,731	NetScout Systems, Inc. (a)	8,315	270,321
Minerals Technologies, Inc	3,904	237,051	Ondas Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	3,968	6,309
Origin Materials, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	12,352	56,943	Ribbon Communications, Inc. ^(a)	8,519	23,768
Orion Engineered Carbons SA	7,203	128,285	Viavi Solutions, Inc. (a)(b)	27,581	289,876
Perimeter Solutions SA ^{(a)(b)}	14,098	128,856			2,499,853
PureCycle Technologies, Inc. (a)(b)	12,337	83,398	Construction & Engineering — 1.6%		2,100,000
Quaker Chemical Corp	1,663	277,555	Ameresco, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,818	218,161
Rayonier Advanced Materials, Inc. (a)	7,618	73,133	API Group Corp. ^(a)	25,106	472,244
Sensient Technologies Corp	5,074	369,996	Arcosa, Inc.	5,786	314,411
Stepan Co	2,553	271,792	Argan, Inc.	1,627	60,004
Tredegar Corp	3,463	35,392	Comfort Systems USA, Inc.	4,281	492,657
Trinseo plc ^(b)	4,198	95,337	Concrete Pumping Holdings, Inc. (a)	3,668	21,458
Tronox Holdings plc	13,894	190,487	Construction Partners, Inc., Class A ^(a)	4,697	125,363
Valhi, Inc	267	5,874	Dycom Industries, Inc. ^(a)	3,498	327,413
			EMCOR Group, Inc.	5,688	842,450
		5,707,395	Fluor Corp. (a)(b).	17,150	594,419
Commercial Services & Supplies — 1.4%		074000	Granite Construction, Inc. (b)	5,320	186,572
ABM Industries, Inc	7,978	354,383	Great Lakes Dredge & Dock Corp. (a)	7,801	46,416
ACCO Brands Corp	11,547	64,548	IES Holdings, Inc. (a)	1,037	36,886
ACV Auctions, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	14,006	114,989	MYR Group, Inc. ^(a)	2,002	184,324
Aris Water Solution, Inc., Class A(b)	2,712	39,080	Northwest Pipe Co. ^(a)	1,286	43,338
Brady Corp., Class A	5,599	263,713	NV5 Global, Inc. (a)	1,606	212,506
BrightView Holdings, Inc. (a)	4,961	34,181	Primoris Services Corp	6,380	139,977
Brink's Co. (The)	5,398	289,927	Sterling Infrastructure, Inc. ^(a)	3,626	118,933
Casella Waste Systems, Inc., Class A ^(a)	6,014	476,970	Tutor Perini Corp.(a)	4,815	36,353
Cimpress plc ^(a)	2,118	58,478	тиот голи обър.	4,010	
Deluxe Corp	5,120	86,938			4,473,885
Ennis, Inc.	3,242	71,843	Construction Materials — 0.2%		
GEO Group, Inc. (The)(a)(b)	13,996	153,256	Summit Materials, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	14,363	407,765
Harsco Corp. (a)	9,462	59,516	United States Lime & Minerals, Inc	276	38,850
Healthcare Services Group, Inc.(b)	8,913	106,956			440.045
Heritage-Crystal Clean, Inc. ^(a)	1,791	58,172			446,615
HNI Corp	4,904	139,421	Consumer Finance — 0.7%		10.010
Interface, Inc	7,046	69,544	Atlanticus Holdings Corp.(a)	508	13,310
KAR Auction Services, Inc. ^(a)	12,992	169,546	Bread Financial Holdings, Inc. ^(b)	3,398	127,969
Kimball International, Inc., Class B	5,009	32,558	Consumer Portfolio Services, Inc. ^(a)	839	7,425
Li-Cycle Holdings Corp. ^{(a)(b)}	16,550	78,778	Curo Group Holdings Corp	2,603	9,241
Matthews International Corp., Class A	3,699	112,597	Encore Capital Group, Inc. (a)(b)	2,764	132,506
MillerKnoll, Inc	9,101	191,212	Enova International, Inc.(a)	3,675	141,010
Montrose Environmental Group, Inc.(a)	3,306	146,753	EZCORP, Inc., Class A ^(a)	6,480	52,812
NL Industries, Inc	1,159	7,893	FirstCash Holdings, Inc	4,587	398,656
Pitney Bowes, Inc	15,420	58,596	Green Dot Corp., Class A ^(a)	5,435	85,982
Quad/Graphics, Inc., Class A ^(a)	4,043	16,495	LendingClub Corp. ^(a)	12,159	106,999
SP Plus Corp.(a)	2,418	83,953	LendingTree, Inc. ^(a)	1,218	25,980
	10 5/17	74,567	Moneylion, Inc.(a)	16,779	10,403
Steelcase, Inc., Class A	10,547	14,501			
Steelcase, Inc., Class A	1,786	344,680	Navient Corp. Nelnet, Inc., Class A.	12,782 1,791	210,264 162,533

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Consumer Finance (continued)			Diversified Telecommunication Services (continued)		
NerdWallet, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	2,974	\$ 28,550	Charge Enterprises, Inc. (a)(b)	16,803	\$ 20,836
Oportun Financial Corp. (a)	3,406	18,767	Cogent Communications Holdings, Inc	5,174	295,332
OppFi, Inc. ^(a)	2,409	4,938	Consolidated Communications Holdings, Inc. (a)	8,625	30,878
PRA Group, Inc. ^(a)	4,717	159,340	EchoStar Corp., Class A ^(a)	3,994	66,620
PROG Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	5,929	100,141	Globalstar, Inc. (a)	83,309	110,801
Regional Management Corp	939	26,367	IDT Corp., Class B ^(a)	2,017	56,819
Sunlight Financial Holdings, Inc. (a)	2,822	3,640	Iridium Communications, Inc.(a)	15,055	773,827
World Acceptance Corp. (a)	439	28,948	Liberty Latin America Ltd., Class A ^(a)	5,114	38,509
			Liberty Latin America Ltd., Class C(a)	17,759	134,968
		1,855,781	Ooma, Inc. ^(a)	2,827	38,504
Containers & Packaging — 0.3%			Radius Global Infrastructure, Inc. (a)	9,092	107,467
Cryptyde, Inc. ^(a)	2,130	408	Tadad Global Illiaditadalo, Illo.	0,002	
Greif, Inc., Class A	2,958	198,364			1,864,211
Greif, Inc., Class B(b)	626	48,972	Electric Utilities — 0.8%		
Myers Industries, Inc	4,293	95,433	ALLETE, Inc.	6,950	448,345
O-I Glass, Inc. ^(a)	19,004	314,896	MGE Energy, Inc. ^(b)	4,450	313,280
Pactiv Evergreen, Inc.	5,271	59,879	Otter Tail Corp	5,020	294,724
Ranpak Holdings Corp., Class A(a)	5,649	32,595	PNM Resources, Inc	10,274	501,268
TriMas Corp	4,920	136,481	Portland General Electric Co	10,635	521,115
	.,020		Via Renewables, Inc. ^(b)	2,084	10,649
		887,028	via renowables, inc.	2,004	10,040
Distributors — 0.0%					2,089,381
Funko, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,716	40,541	Electrical Equipment — 1.4%		
Weyco Group, Inc. ^(b)	685	14,495	Allied Motion Technologies, Inc	1,738	60,500
			Array Technologies, Inc. (a)	18,360	354,899
		55,036	Atkore, Inc.(a)	4,943	560,635
Diversified Consumer Services — 0.9%			AZZ, Inc	3,072	123,494
2U, Inc. ^(a)	9,551	59,885	Babcock & Wilcox Enterprises, Inc. (a)	6,886	39,732
Adtalem Global Education, Inc.(a)	5,430	192,765	Blink Charging Co. (a)(b)	4,355	47,774
American Public Education, Inc.(a)	2,291	28,156	Bloom Energy Corp., Class A ^(a)	21,763	416,109
Beachbody Co., Inc. (The), Class A ^{(a)(b)}	12,151	6,391	Encore Wire Corp	2,117	291,215
Carriage Services, Inc	1,563	43,045	Energy Vault Holdings, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	10,157	31,690
Chegg, Inc. ^(a)	14,854	375,361	EnerSys	4,888	360,930
Contra A/S ^{(a)(d)}	703	_	Enovix Corp. (a)(b)	13,159	163,698
Coursera, Inc. ^(a)	13,786	163,088		,	
Duolingo, Inc., Class A ^(a)	2,828	201,156	ESS Tech, Inc. (a)	9,365	22,757
European Wax Center, Inc., Class A	2,908	36,205	Fluence Energy, Inc., Class A ^(a)	4,171	71,533
Frontdoor, Inc. ^(a)	9,968	207,334	FTC Solar, Inc. (a)(b)	4,852	13,003
Graham Holdings Co., Class B	442	267,061	FuelCell Energy, Inc. (a)(b)	49,332	137,143
Laureate Education, Inc.	16,312	156,921	GrafTech International Ltd	22,819	108,618
Nerdy, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	6,292	14,157	Heliogen, Inc. ^(a)	10,628	7,420
OneSpaWorld Holdings Ltd. ^(a)	7,705	71,888	NuScale Power Corp.(a)	3,513	36,043
Perdoceo Education Corp.(a)	7,705	110,171	Powell Industries, Inc	1,029	36,200
			Preformed Line Products Co	290	24,154
Rover Group, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	10,766	39,511	Shoals Technologies Group, Inc., Class A ^(a) .	16,816	414,851
Strategic Education, Inc.(b)	2,783	217,965	Stem, Inc. (a)(b)	17,311	154,760
Stride, Inc. (a)	4,900	153,272	SunPower Corp.(a)	9,700	174,891
Udemy, Inc. ^(a)	8,963	94,560	Thermon Group Holdings, Inc. (a)	3,965	79,617
Universal Technical Institute, Inc. (a)	3,761	25,274	TPI Composites, Inc. ^(a)	4,261	43,207
Vivint Smart Home, Inc., Class A(a)	11,306	134,541	Vicor Corp. ^(a)	2,594	139,428
WW International, Inc. (a)	6,282	24,249		,	
		2,622,956			3,914,301
Diversified Financial Services — 0.3%		۷,022,330	Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components — 2		
	1 0/10	42 404	908 Devices, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	2,594	19,766
A Mark Project Metals Jac	1,846	43,104	Advanced Energy Industries, Inc	4,562	391,328
A-Mark Precious Metals, Inc	2,322	80,643	Aeva Technologies, Inc. ^(a)	9,944	13,524
Banco Latinoamericano de Comercio Exterior	0.704	50.050	AEye, Inc., Class A ^(a)	13,098	6,295
SA, Class E	3,701	59,956	Akoustis Technologies, Inc. (a)(b)	6,527	18,406
Cannae Holdings, Inc. (a)	8,692	179,490	Arlo Technologies, Inc. (a)(b)	9,839	34,535
Compass Diversified Holdings	7,408	135,048	Badger Meter, Inc. ^(b)	3,554	387,493
Jackson Financial, Inc., Class A	8,953	311,475	Belden, Inc.	5,158	370,860
SWK Holdings Corp. ^(a)	413	7,285	Benchmark Electronics, Inc.	4,169	111,271
		017.004	Cepton, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	6,078	7,719
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Diversified Telecommunication Services — 0.7%	0.4=-		ePlus, Inc. (a)	3,255	144,131
Anterix, Inc. ^(a)	2,179	70,098	Evolv Technologies Holdings, Inc. (a)	9,759	25,276
ATN International, Inc	1,274	57,725	3		
Linear description (Class A(s)	2,694	61,827	Fabrinet ^(a)	4,450	570,579

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components (continued)		Entertainment (continued)		
FARO Technologies, Inc. (a)	2,195 \$	64,555	Liberty Media CorpLiberty Braves, Class C(a)	4,554 \$	146,775
Focus Universal, Inc. ^(a)	2,055	13,173	Lions Gate Entertainment Corp., Class A ^(a)	6,947	39,667
Identiv, Inc. (a)	2,497	18,078	Lions Gate Entertainment Corp., Class B(a).	13,753	74,679
nsight Enterprises, Inc. (a)(b)	3,758	376,815	Madison Square Garden Entertainment Corp.(a)	3,090	138,957
tron, Inc. ^(a)	5,415	274,270	Marcus Corp. (The)(b)	3,200	46,048
Kimball Electronics, Inc. (a)(b)	3,092	69,848	Playstudios, Inc. (a)	9,200	35,696
Knowles Corp. ^(a)	10,757	176,630	Reservoir Media, Inc. (a)	2,375	14,179
Lightwave Logic, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	12,978	55,935	Skillz, Inc., Class A ^(a)	35,481	17,971
Methode Electronics, Inc.(b)	4,365	193,675			750.045
MicroVision, Inc. (a)(b)	18,888	44,387	Favilty Book Fotato Investment Trusts (BFITs) 5.0	0/	752,045
Mirion Technologies, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	17,031	112,575	Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) — 5.8		140.072
Napco Security Technologies, Inc. (a)(b)	3,412	93,762	Acadia Realty Trust ^(b)	10,451 10,539	149,972 747,531
nLight, Inc. ^(a)	5,074	51,450	Agree Realty Corp. (b)	8,768	164,225
Novanta, Inc. ^(a)	4,255	578,127	Alexander & Baldwin, Inc		
OSI Systems, Inc. ^(a)	1,902	151,247	Alexander's, Inc.	264	58,096
Ouster, Inc., Class A ^(a)	19,078	16,464	American Assets Trust, Inc.	6,047	160,246
PAR Technology Corp. (a)(b)	3,328	86,761	Apartment Investment and Management Co.,	17.760	106 515
PC Connection, Inc	1,428	66,973	Class A ^(b)	17,769	126,515
Plexus Corp. ^(a)	3,284	338,022	Apple Hospitality REIT, Inc.	26,019	410,580
Rogers Corp.(a)	2,245	267,918	Armada Hoffler Properties, Inc.	7,903	90,885
Sanmina Corp. ^(a)	6,938	397,478	Ashford Hospitality Trust, Inc. (a)	3,994	17,853
ScanSource, Inc. ^(a)	3,029	88,507	Bluerock Homes Trust, Inc. (a)	416	8,865
SmartRent, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	13,815	33,571	Braemar Hotels & Resorts, Inc. (b)	8,632	35,478
TTM Technologies, Inc. ^(a)	12,341	186,102	Brandywine Realty Trust	20,253	124,556
Velodyne Lidar, Inc. (a)	22,417	16,559	Broadstone Net Lease, Inc. ^(b)	21,035	340,977
Vishay Intertechnology, Inc.(b)	15,722	339,124	BRT Apartments Corp	1,549	30,422
Vishay Precision Group, Inc. (a)	1,433	55,386	CareTrust REIT, Inc.(b)	11,898	221,065
	<i>'</i> —		CBL & Associates Properties, Inc	3,091	71,340
		6,421,209	Centerspace	1,836	107,718
Energy Equipment & Services — 2.2%			Chatham Lodging Trust	5,768	70,773
Archrock, Inc	16,767	150,568	City Office REIT, Inc.	5,072	42,503
Borr Drilling Ltd. ^(a)	24,863	123,569	Clipper Realty, Inc	1,061	6,790
Bristow Group, Inc. ^(a)	2,784	75,530	Community Healthcare Trust, Inc	2,851	102,066
Cactus, Inc., Class A	7,040	353,830	Corporate Office Properties Trust	13,706	355,534
ChampionX Corp	24,046	697,094	CTO Realty Growth, Inc	2,298	42,007
Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc. ^(a)	12,591	130,946	DiamondRock Hospitality Co	25,503	208,870
DMC Global, Inc. ^(a)	2,255	43,837	Diversified Healthcare Trust	27,473	17,770
Dril-Quip, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	4,147	112,674	Easterly Government Properties, Inc. (b)	10,797	154,073
Expro Group Holdings NV ^(a)	9,484	171,945	Elme Communities	10,540	187,612
Helix Energy Solutions Group, Inc.(a)(b)	17,374	128,220	Empire State Realty Trust, Inc., Class A	15,604	105,171
Helmerich & Payne, Inc	12,316	610,504	Equity Commonwealth	12,655	315,995
Liberty Energy, Inc., Class A	16,670	266,887	Essential Properties Realty Trust, Inc	16,926	397,253
Nabors Industries Ltd. ^(a)	1,116	172,835	Farmland Partners, Inc	5,947	74,100
National Energy Services Reunited Corp.(a) .	4,567	31,695	Four Corners Property Trust, Inc	10,075	261,245
Newpark Resources, Inc. ^(a)	11,420	47,393	Franklin Street Properties Corp	12,106	33,049
NexTier Oilfield Solutions, Inc.(a)	21,318	196,978	Getty Realty Corp	4,800	162,480
Noble Corp. plc ^{(a)(b)}	10,282	387,734	Gladstone Commercial Corp	4,695	86,858
Oceaneering International, Inc.(a)	12,263	214,480	Gladstone Land Corp.(b)	3,781	69,381
Oil States International, Inc. ^(a)	7,905	58,971	Global Medical REIT, Inc	7,385	70,010
Patterson-UTI Energy, Inc	25,520	429,757	Global Net Lease, Inc	12,558	157,854
ProFrac Holding Corp., Class A ^(a)	2,833	71,392	Hersha Hospitality Trust, Class A(b)	3,817	32,521
ProPetro Holding Corp.(a)	10,668	110,627	Independence Realty Trust, Inc	27,121	457,260
RPC, Inc	9,195	81,744	Indus Realty Trust, Inc	697	44,253
Select Energy Services, Inc., Class A	9,038	83,511	Industrial Logistics Properties Trust	7,933	25,941
Solaris Oilfield Infrastructure, Inc., Class A.	4,262	42,322	Innovative Industrial Properties, Inc.(b)	3,314	335,874
TETRA Technologies, Inc. (a)	14,638	50,647	InvenTrust Properties Corp	8,222	194,615
Tidewater, Inc. ^(a)	5,545	204,333	iStar, Inc	8,154	62,215
JS Silica Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	8,832	110,400	Kite Realty Group Trust ^(b)	26,196	551,426
/alaris Ltd. ^(a)	7,386	499,441	LTC Properties, Inc	4,742	168,483
Weatherford International plc ^(a)	8,529	434,297	LXP Industrial Trust	32,321	323,856
		<u> </u>	Macerich Co. (The)	25,307	284,957
		6,094,161	National Health Investors, Inc	5,037	263,032
Entertainment — 0.3%			Necessity Retail REIT, Inc. (The), Class A	16,628	98,604
Cinemark Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	13,036	112,892	NETSTREIT Corp	6,878	126,074
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IMAX Corp. ^(a)	5,497	80,586	NexPoint Residential Trust, Inc	2,834	123,336

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Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) (continu	ed)		Food Products (continued)		
One Liberty Properties, Inc	1,961	\$ 43,573	Local Bounti Corp. (a)	8,760	\$ 12,176
Orion Office REIT, Inc.(b)	6,624	56,569	Mission Produce, Inc. (a)(b)	4,978	57,844
Outfront Media, Inc	17,362	287,862	Seneca Foods Corp., Class A(a)	591	36,021
Paramount Group, Inc	23,301	138,408	Simply Good Foods Co. (The)(a)	10,741	408,480
Pebblebrook Hotel Trust	15,511	207,692	Sovos Brands, Inc. (a)	4,375	62,869
Phillips Edison & Co., Inc	14,185	451,650	SunOpta, Inc. (a)	12,090	102,040
Physicians Realty Trust ^(b)	27,300	395,031	Tattooed Chef, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	6,776	8,334
Piedmont Office Realty Trust, Inc., Class A	15,090	138,375	Tootsie Roll Industries, Inc	1,896	80,713
Plymouth Industrial REIT, Inc. ^(b)	4,374	83,893	TreeHouse Foods, Inc. (a)	6,092	300,823
Postal Realty Trust, Inc., Class A(b)	1,983	28,813	Utz Brands, Inc., Class A ^(b)	7,743	122,804
PotlatchDeltic Corp. (b)	9,615	422,964	Vital Farms, Inc. (a)(b)	3,731	55,667
Retail Opportunity Investments Corp.(b)	14,800	222,444	Whole Earth Brands, Inc., Class A(a)	4,458	18,144
RLJ Lodging Trust	19,532	206,844		,	
RPT Realty	9,979	100,189			3,323,644
Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.(b)	6,452	527,645	Gas Utilities — 1.2%		
Sabra Health Care REIT, Inc.(b)	27,598	343,043	Brookfield Infrastructure Corp., Class A	11,743	456,803
Safehold, Inc. (b)	3,277	93,788	Chesapeake Utilities Corp	2,038	240,851
Saul Centers, Inc	1,391	56,586	New Jersey Resources Corp	11,577	574,451
Service Properties Trust	19,168	139,735	Northwest Natural Holding Co	4,146	197,308
SITE Centers Corp. (b)	23,848	325,764	ONE Gas, Inc. ^(b)	6,510	492,937
STAG Industrial, Inc. ^(b)	21,753	702,839	South Jersey Industries, Inc.(b)	14,737	523,606
Summit Hotel Properties, Inc	12,452	89,903	Southwest Gas Holdings, Inc.(b)	8,131	503,146
Sunstone Hotel Investors, Inc	25,600	247,296	Spire, Inc	6,125	421,767
Tanger Factory Outlet Centers, Inc.	12,451	223,371			
Terreno Realty Corp	8,923	507,451			3,410,869
UMH Properties, Inc.	6,344	102,138	Health Care Equipment & Supplies — 3.8%		
·		,	Alphatec Holdings, Inc.(a)	9,005	111,212
Uniti Group, Inc. (b)	28,465	157,411	AngioDynamics, Inc. ^(a)	4,358	60,010
Universal Health Realty Income Trust	1,613	76,989	Artivion, Inc. ^(a)	4,519	54,770
Urban Edge Properties	13,883	195,612	AtriCure, Inc. ^(a)	5,554	246,487
Urstadt Biddle Properties, Inc., Class A	3,379	64,032	Atrion Corp	159	88,953
Veris Residential, Inc. ^(a)	10,338	164,684	Avanos Medical, Inc. ^(a)	5,472	148,072
Whitestone REIT	5,661	54,572	AxoGen, Inc. ^(a)	4,664	46,547
Xenia Hotels & Resorts, Inc	13,841	182,424	Axonics, Inc. ^(a)	5,853	365,988
		15,996,598	Bioventus, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	3,968	10,357
Food & Staples Retailing — 0.6%		. 0,000,000	Butterfly Network, Inc., Class A(a)	16,148	39,724
Andersons, Inc. (The)	3,887	136,006	Cardiovascular Systems, Inc.(a)	4,687	63,837
Chefs' Warehouse, Inc. (The)(a)	4,018	133,719	Cerus Corp. (a)	20,119	73,434
HF Foods Group, Inc. (1116)	5,136	20,852	CONMED Corp	3,560	315,558
Ingles Markets, Inc., Class A	1,713	165,236	Cue Health, Inc.(a)	12,510	25,896
Natural Grocers by Vitamin Cottage, Inc	1,096	10,017	Cutera, Inc. (a)(b)	2,055	90,872
PriceSmart, Inc	2,909	176,809	Embecta Corp. ^(b)	6,937	175,437
Rite Aid Corp. (a)	6,391	21,346	Figs, Inc., Class A ^(a)	16,006	107,720
SpartanNash Co	4,315	130,486	Glaukos Corp. (a)	5,535	241,769
			Haemonetics Corp.(a)	6,122	481,495
Sprouts Farmers Market, Inc. (a)	12,851	415,987	Heska Corp. (a)	1,143	71,049
United Natural Foods, Inc.(a)	6,927	268,144	Inari Medical, Inc. ^(a)	5,830	370,555
Village Super Market, Inc., Class A ^(b)	1,200	27,948	Inogen, Inc. ^(a)	2,708	53,375
Weis Markets, Inc	1,962	161,453	Inspire Medical Systems, Inc. (a)	3,410	858,911
		1,668,003	Integer Holdings Corp.(a)(b)	3,928	268,911
Food Products — 1.2%		,,,,,,,,,,	iRadimed Corp	746	21,104
Alico, Inc. ^(b)	728	17,377	iRhythm Technologies, Inc. ^(a)	3,638	340,771
AppHarvest, Inc. (a)(b)	10,474	5,943	Lantheus Holdings, Inc. (a)	8,181	416,904
B&G Foods, Inc. (b)	8,285	92,378	LeMaitre Vascular, Inc. ^(b)	2,344	107,871
Benson Hill, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	19,877	50,686	LivaNova plc ^(a)	6,506	361,343
Beyond Meat, Inc. (a)(b)	7,129	87,758	Meridian Bioscience, Inc. ^(a)	5,229	173,655
BRC, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	2,980	18,208	Merit Medical Systems, Inc.(a)	6,773	478,309
Calavo Growers, Inc.	2,300	62,152	Mesa Laboratories, Inc.	604	100,391
Cal-Maine Foods, Inc.	4,569	248,782	Nano-X Imaging Ltd. (a)(b)	5,600	41,328
Fresh Del Monte Produce, Inc. (b)	3,854	100,936	Neogen Corp.(a)	26,035	396,513
Hain Celestial Group, Inc. (The)(a)	10,646	172,252	Nevro Corp. ^(a)	4,159	164,696
Hostess Brands, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	16,074	360,701	NuVasive, Inc. ^(a)	6,373	262,823
J & J Snack Foods Corp	1,819	272,323	Omnicell, Inc. (a)(b)	5,453	274,940
John B Sanfilippo & Son, Inc	1,123	91,322	OraSure Technologies, Inc. (a)	8,485	40,898
Lancaster Colony Corp.(b)	2,327	459,117	Orthofix Medical, Inc. (a)	2,317	47,568
Lifecore Biomedical, Inc.(a)	2,746	17,794	OrthoPediatrics Corp.(a)	1,759	69,885

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Health Care Equipment & Supplies (continued)			Health Care Providers & Services (continued)		
Outset Medical, Inc.(a)	5,979	\$ 154,378	Pennant Group, Inc. (The)(a)	3,082	\$ 33,840
Owlet, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,855	2,155	PetIQ, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,149	29,034
Paragon 28, Inc. (a)(b)	5,782	110,494	Privia Health Group, Inc. (a)(b)	5,404	122,725
PROCEPT BioRobotics Corp. (a)(b)	3,160	131,266	Progyny, Inc. ^(a)	9,090	283,154
Pulmonx Corp. (a)	3,970	33,467	R1 RCM, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	17,986	196,947
RxSight, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	2,740	34,716	RadNet, Inc. ^(a)	5,992	112,829
SeaSpine Holdings Corp.(a)	5,158	43,069	Select Medical Holdings Corp. (b)	12,576	312,262
Senseonics Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	57,601	59,329	Sema4 Holdings Corp., Class A ^(a)	18,354	4,842
Shockwave Medical, Inc. ^(a)	4,287	881,450	Surgery Partners, Inc. (a)(b)	6,158	171,562
SI-BONE, Inc. (a)(b)	4,296	58,426	US Physical Therapy, Inc	1,542	124,948
Sight Sciences, Inc. (a)(b)	2,527	30,855			7,271,671
Silk Road Medical, Inc. ^(a)	4,497	237,666	Health Care Technology — 0.5%		1,211,011
STAAR Surgical Co.(a)	5,796	281,338	Allscripts Healthcare Solutions, Inc.(a)	12,773	225,316
Surmodics, Inc. (a)(b)	1,606	54,797	American Well Corp., Class A ^(a)	26,631	75,366
Tactile Systems Technology, Inc.(a)	2,289	26,278	Babylon Holdings Ltd., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	505	3,409
TransMedics Group, Inc. ^(a)	3,725	229,907	Computer Programs & Systems, Inc. ^(a)	1,729	47,063
Treace Medical Concepts, Inc.(a)	4,077	93,730	Evolent Health, Inc., Class A ^(a)	9,749	273,752
UFP Technologies, Inc. (a)	859 455	101,268	Health Catalyst, Inc. ^(a)	6,254	66,480
Utah Medical Products, Inc	455	45,741	HealthStream, Inc. ^(a)	2,970	73,775
Varex Imaging Corp. (a)	4,501	91,370	Multiplan Corp., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	47,109	54,175
Vicarious Surgical, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	6,333	12,793	NextGen Healthcare, Inc. ^(a)	6,963	130,765
ViewRay, Inc. ^(a)	17,061	76,433	Nutex Health, Inc. (a)(b)	30,168	57,319
Zimvie, Inc. ^(a)	2,416	22,565	OptimizeRx Corp. (a)	2,300	38,640
Zynex, Inc	2,352	32,716	Pear Therapeutics, Inc. (a)	8,172	9,643
		10.516.145	Phreesia. Inc. ^(a)	6,029	195,098
Health Care Providers & Services — 2.6%		.0,0.0,0	Schrodinger, Inc. (a)	6,576	122,906
1Life Healthcare, Inc. (a)	21,910	366,116	Sharecare, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	35,153	56,245
23andMe Holding Co., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	30,482	65,841	Simulations Plus, Inc	1,835	67,106
Accolade, Inc. (a)	7,977	62,141		1,000	
AdaptHealth Corp.(a)	8,805	169,232			1,497,058
Addus HomeCare Corp.(a)	1,865	185,549	Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure — 2.4%		
Agiliti, Inc. ^(a)	3,163	51,589	Accel Entertainment, Inc., Class A(a)	6,784	52,237
AirSculpt Technologies, Inc. (b)	1,033	3,822	Bally's Corp. (a)	4,278	82,908
Alignment Healthcare, Inc. (a)	11,815	138,944	Biglari Holdings, Inc., Class B(a)	67	9,300
AMN Healthcare Services, Inc.(a)	5,233	538,057	BJ's Restaurants, Inc. ^(a)	2,685	70,830
Apollo Medical Holdings, Inc.(a)	4,599	136,084	Bloomin' Brands, Inc	10,444	210,133
ATI Physical Therapy, Inc.(a)	8,685	2,649	Bluegreen Vacations Holding Corp	813	20,292
Aveanna Healthcare Holdings, Inc. (a)	3,955	3,085	Bowlero Corp. (a)	3,489	47,032
Brookdale Senior Living, Inc. (a)	22,076	60,267	Brinker International, Inc. ^(a)	5,311	169,474
Cano Health, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	19,705	26,996	Century Casinos, Inc. ^(a)	3,716	26,123
CareMax, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	6,923	25,269	Cheesecake Factory, Inc. (The)(b)	5,863	185,916
Castle Biosciences, Inc. (a)	3,023	71,161	Chuy's Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	2,210	62,543
Clover Health Investments Corp. (a)(b)	44,296	41,173	Cracker Barrel Old Country Store, Inc.(b)	2,648	250,871
Community Health Systems, Inc. (a)	14,812	63,988	Dave & Buster's Entertainment, Inc.(a)	5,156	182,729
Cross Country Healthcare, Inc. (a)(b)	4,470	118,768	Denny's Corp. (a)	6,672	61,449
DocGo, Inc. ^(a)	10,587	74,850	Dine Brands Global, Inc	1,833	118,412
Ensign Group, Inc. (The)(b)	6,486	613,640	El Pollo Loco Holdings, Inc	2,076	20,677
Fulgent Genetics, Inc. (a)	2,569	76,505	Everi Holdings, Inc. (a)	10,229	146,786
HealthEquity, Inc. (a)	9,993	615,969	F45 Training Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	5,465	15,575
Hims & Hers Health, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	14,090	90,317	First Watch Restaurant Group, Inc.(a)	1,836	24,841
Innovage Holding Corp.(a)	2,186	15,695	Full House Resorts, Inc. ^(a)	3,953	29,727
Invitae Corp. (a)(b)	30,072	55,934	Golden Entertainment, Inc. ^(a)	2,374	88,788
Joint Corp. (The)(a)	1,617	22,606	Hilton Grand Vacations, Inc. (a)	10,465	403,321
LHC Group, Inc. (a)	3,614	584,348	Inspirato, Inc. ^(a)	1,689	2,010
LifeStance Health Group, Inc.(a)	8,381	41,402	Inspired Entertainment, Inc.(a)(b)	2,571	32,575
ModivCare, Inc.(a)	1,556	139,620	International Game Technology plc ^(b)	11,972	271,525
National HealthCare Corp. (b)	1,502	89,369	Jack in the Box, Inc. ^(b)	2,576	175,760
National Research Corp. (b)	1,725	64,342	Krispy Kreme, Inc. ^(b)	8,355	86,224
Oncology Institute, Inc. (The)(a)	3,965	6,542	Kura Sushi USA, Inc., Class A ^(a)	524	24,984
OPKO Health, Inc. (a)(b)	48,843	61,054	Life Time Group Holdings, Inc. (a)	5,394	64,512
Option Care Health, Inc.(a)	18,849	567,166	Light & Wonder, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	11,428	669,681
Owens & Minor, Inc. (a)	9,071	177,157	Lindblad Expeditions Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	4,188	32,248
P3 Health Partners, Inc. (a)	2,953	5,434	Monarch Casino & Resort, Inc. (a)	1,662	127,791
Patterson Cos., Inc.	10,653	298,604	NeoGames SA ^(a)	1,764	21,503
Pediatrix Medical Group, Inc. ^(a)	9,976	148,243	Noodles & Co., Class A(a)	5,344	29,339

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Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure (continued)			Independent Power and Renewable Electricity Proc	lucers	
ONE Group Hospitality, Inc. (The)(a)	3,303 \$	20,809	(continued)		
Papa John's International, Inc	3,920	322,655	Montauk Renewables, Inc. (a)(b)	8,056	\$ 88,857
Portillo's, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	3,309	54,003	Ormat Technologies, Inc	5,923	512,221
RCI Hospitality Holdings, Inc	1,076	100,272	Sunnova Energy International, Inc.(a)	11,894	214,211
Red Rock Resorts, Inc., Class A	6,072	242,941			4 200 002
Rush Street Interactive, Inc., Class A(a)	7,983	28,659	Industrial Constant of Confession		1,289,892
Ruth's Hospitality Group, Inc	3,746	57,988	Industrial Conglomerates — 0.0%	2.040	FC C74
SeaWorld Entertainment, Inc.(a)	4,786	256,099	Brookfield Business Corp., Class A	3,016	56,671
Shake Shack, Inc., Class $A^{(a)} \dots \dots$	4,539	188,505	Insurance — 2.1%		
Sonder Holdings, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	22,619	28,047	Ambac Financial Group, Inc.(a)	5,361	93,496
Sweetgreen, Inc., Class A ^(a)	10,783	92,410	American Equity Investment Life Holding Co.(b)	8,473	386,538
Target Hospitality Corp.(a)	3,320	50,265	AMERISAFE, Inc	2,367	123,013
Texas Roadhouse, Inc	8,039	731,147	Argo Group International Holdings Ltd	3,782	97,765
Vacasa, Inc., Class A ^(a)	13,434	16,927	Bright Health Group, Inc. (a)(b)	22,411	14,565
Wingstop, Inc. ^(b)	3,615	497,496	BRP Group, Inc., Class A(a)	7,385	185,659
Xponential Fitness, Inc., Class A(a)	2,174	49,850	CNO Financial Group, Inc	13,767	314,576
		6,556,189	Crawford & Co., Class A	2,365	13,149
Household Durables — 1.6%		0,000,100	Donegal Group, Inc., Class A(b)	2,120	30,104
Aterian, Inc. ^(a)	7,070	5,446	eHealth, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	2,852	13,804
Beazer Homes USA, Inc. (a)(b)	7,070 3,302	5,446 42,133	Employers Holdings, Inc	3,300	142,329
Cavco Industries, Inc.(a)	1,078	243,897	Enstar Group Ltd. (a)(b)	1,373	317,218
Cavco industries, inc	3,338	166,933	Genworth Financial, Inc., Class A(a)	59,006	312,142
Dream Finders Homes, Inc., Class A ^(a)	2,433	21,070	Goosehead Insurance, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	2,268	77,883
Ethan Allen Interiors, Inc. (b)	2,628	69,432	Greenlight Capital Re Ltd., Class A(a)	3,701	30,163
GoPro, Inc., Class A ^(a)	15,442	76,901	HCI Group, Inc.(b)	839	33,216
Green Brick Partners, Inc. (a)	3,253	78,820	Hippo Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	1,885	25,636
Helen of Troy Ltd. ^{(a)(b)}	2,904	322,083	Horace Mann Educators Corp.(b)	4,848	181,170
	2,904 589	24,785	Investors Title Co	179	26,411
Hovnanian Enterprises, Inc., Class A ^(a) Installed Building Products, Inc	2,921	250,038	James River Group Holdings Ltd	3,796	79,374
iRobot Corp. (a)(b)	3,289	158,300	Kinsale Capital Group, Inc	2,608	682,044
•	9,232	294,039	Lemonade, Inc. (a)(b)	5,502	75,267
KB Home	1,327	6,914	MBIA, Inc. (a)	5,521	70,945
La-Z-Boy, Inc. ^(b)	5,168	117,934	Mercury General Corp	3,294	112,655
Legacy Housing Corp.(a)	963	18,258	National Western Life Group, Inc., Class A(b).	289	81,209
LGI Homes, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	2,487	230,296	NI Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	1,275	16,919
Lifetime Brands, Inc.	2,467	15,180	Oscar Health, Inc., Class A(a)	13,716	33,741
Lovesac Co. (The)(a)	1,802	39,662	Palomar Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	2,926	132,138
M/I Homes, Inc. (a)	3,151	145,513	ProAssurance Corp	6,229	108,821
•	7,003	221,295	RLI Corp	4,685	615,000
MDC Holdings, Inc.			Root, Inc., Class A ^(a)	900	4,041
Meritage Homes Corp.(a)	4,405 6,667	406,141 31,935	Safety Insurance Group, Inc	1,633	137,597
Purple Innovation, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	6,423	330,849	Selective Insurance Group, Inc	7,221	639,853
Snap One Holdings Corp.(a)	2,210	16,376	Selectquote, Inc.(a)	15,449	10,380
Sonos, Inc. ^(a)	15,632	264,181	SiriusPoint Ltd. ^(a)	10,623	62,676
Taylor Morrison Home Corp.(a)	12,650	383,927	Stewart Information Services Corp	3,201	136,779
Traeger, Inc. ^(a)	4,596	383,92 <i>1</i> 12,961	Tiptree, Inc	3,191	44,163
TRI Pointe Homes, Inc. (a)	4,596 12,366	229,884	Trean Insurance Group, Inc. (a)	3,366	20,196
Tupperware Brands Corp. (a)	5,411	22,402	Trupanion, Inc. (a)(b)	4,776	227,003
Universal Electronics, Inc. (a)	1,671	34,773	United Fire Group, Inc	2,555	69,905
Vizio Holding Corp., Class A ^(a)	7,878	58,376	Universal Insurance Holdings, Inc	2,707	28,667
Vuzix Corp.(a)	6,990	25,444	-		
Weber, Inc., Class A	3,138	25,261			5,808,210
Webel, IIIC., Class A	J, 130	25,201	Interactive Media & Services — 0.7%	4.040	40.000
		4,391,439	Arena Group Holdings, Inc. (The)(a)(b)	1,316	13,963
Household Products — 0.3%			Bumble, Inc., Class A ^(a)	10,313	217,089
Central Garden & Pet Co.(a)	1,281	47,974	Cargurus, Inc., Class A ^(a)	12,204	170,978
Central Garden & Pet Co., Class A(a)(b)	4,856	173,845	Cars.com, Inc. ^(a)	7,880	108,508
Energizer Holdings, Inc. (b)	8,035	269,574	DHI Group, Inc. (a)	4,964	26,259
WD-40 Co.(b)	1,629	262,611	Eventbrite, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	8,953	52,464
	· —	<u> </u>	EverQuote, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	2,728	40,211
		754,004	fuboTV, Inc. ^(a)	20,682	35,987
Independent Power and Renewable Electricity Production		_	Leafly Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	1,304	850
Altus Power, Inc. (a)	4,863	31,707	MediaAlpha, Inc., Class A(a)	3,268	32,517
Clearway Energy, Inc., Class A	4,103	122,762	Outbrain, Inc. ^(a)	4,636	16,782
Clearway Energy, Inc., Class C	10,045	320,134	QuinStreet, Inc.(a)	5,922	84,981

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Interactive Media & Services (continued)			IT Services (continued)		
Shutterstock, Inc	2,870 \$	151,306	Paysafe Ltd. (a)	3,272 \$	45,448
TrueCar, Inc. ^(a)	9,635	24,184	Perficient, Inc. ^(a)	4,133	288,607
Vimeo, Inc. ^(a)	16,622	57,013	PFSweb, Inc.	1,918	11,796
Vinco Ventures, Inc. ^(a)	29,177	13,538	Priority Technology Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	1,951	10,262
Wejo Group Ltd. ^{(a)(b)}	5,810	2,795	Rackspace Technology, Inc. (a)	7,639	22,535
Yelp, Inc. ^(a)	8,237	225,200	Remitly Global, Inc. (a)(b)	12,521	143,365
Ziff Davis. Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	5,494	434,575		10,324	83,108
, -	,		Repay Holdings Corp., Class A ^(a)		
ZipRecruiter, Inc., Class A ^(a)	8,918	146,433	•	39,077	241,496
		1,855,633	Squarespace, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,638	80,654
Internet & Direct Marketing Retail — 0.3%		.,000,000	StoneCo Ltd., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	33,098	312,445
1-800-Flowers.com, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,249	31,060	TTEC Holdings, Inc. ^(b)	2,194	96,821
1stdibs.com, Inc. ^(a)	2,479	12,593	Tucows, Inc., Class A ^(a)	1,282	43,485
aka Brands Holding Corp. (a)	3,941	5,005	Unisys Corp. ^(a)	7,794	39,827
			Verra Mobility Corp., Class A ^(a)	16,762	231,818
BARK, Inc. (a)(b)	13,878	20,678			
CarParts.com, Inc. (a)	6,656	41,666			5,518,390
ContextLogic, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	66,075	32,225	Leisure Products — 0.4%		
Duluth Holdings, Inc., Class B(a)	1,881	11,625	Acushnet Holdings Corp. ^(b)	4,003	169,967
Groupon, Inc. (a)(b)	2,639	22,643	AMMO, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	10,187	17,624
Lands' End, Inc. (a)	1,728	13,115	Clarus Corp	2,888	22,642
Liquidity Services, Inc.(a)	3,183	44,753	Johnson Outdoors, Inc., Class A	635	41,986
Lulu's Fashion Lounge Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	1,909	4,792	Latham Group, Inc. (a)	5,052	16,267
Overstock.com, Inc. (a)(b)	5,060	97,962	Malibu Boats, Inc., Class A ^(a)	2,472	131,758
PetMed Express, Inc. ^(b)	2,618	46,339	Marine Products Corp	798	9,392
Porch Group, Inc. (a)	9,074	17,059	MasterCraft Boat Holdings, Inc. (a)	2,195	56,785
Poshmark, Inc., Class A ^(a)	5,814	103,954	Smith & Wesson Brands, Inc. ^(b)	5,641	48,964
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Quotient Technology, Inc.(a)	8,683	29,783	Solo Brands, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,296	12,261
Qurate Retail, Inc.(a)(b)	40,651	66,261	Sturm Ruger & Co., Inc. (b)	2,027	102,607
RealReal, Inc. (The)(a)	12,306	15,382	Topgolf Callaway Brands Corp. (a)(b)	17,054	336,816
Rent the Runway, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	5,424	16,543	Vista Outdoor, Inc. ^(a)	6,796	165,619
Revolve Group, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	4,769	106,158			1 122 600
RumbleON, Inc., Class B ^{(a)(b)}	1,202	7,777	Life Cairman Table 8 Comittee 0 00/(s)		1,132,688
Stitch Fix, Inc., Class A(a)	9,565	29,747	Life Sciences Tools & Services — 0.8% ^(a)	0.4 = 0.4	0=4.000
ThredUp, Inc., Class A ^(a)	6,815	8,928	AbCellera Biologics, Inc	24,781	251,032
Vivid Seats, Inc., Class A(a)	2,872	20,966	Adaptive Biotechnologies Corp.(b)	12,943	98,885
Xometry, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	4,055	130,693	Akoya Biosciences, Inc	1,775	16,987
7.66.3,, 6.6.6.7.			Alpha Teknova, Inc	1,560	8,798
		937,707	Berkeley Lights, Inc	7,284	19,521
IT Services — 2.0%			BioLife Solutions, Inc	3,913	71,217
AvidXchange Holdings, Inc. (a)	17,986	178,781	Bionano Genomics, Inc.(b)	33,551	48,984
BigCommerce Holdings, Inc. (a)	7,446	65,078	Codexis, Inc	7,084	33,011
Brightcove, Inc. ^(a)	5,129	26,825	CryoPort, Inc	5,270	91,435
Cantaloupe, Inc. (a)	6,923	30,115	Cytek Biosciences, Inc. ^(b)	13,789	140,786
Cass Information Systems, Inc.	1,674	76,703		2,066	10,206
			Inotiv, Inc.		
Cerberus Cyber Sentinel Corp. (a)(b)	5,303	13,523	MaxCyte, Inc.	10,631	58,045
Conduent, Inc. ^(a)	19,803	80,202	Medpace Holdings, Inc.	3,055	648,913
CSG Systems International, Inc	3,774	215,873	NanoString Technologies, Inc.	5,292	42,177
Cyxtera Technologies, Inc. (a)(b)	4,942	9,489	Nautilus Biotechnology, Inc	5,534	9,961
DigitalOcean Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	8,508	216,699	NeoGenomics, Inc. ^(b)	15,084	139,376
Edgio, Inc. ^(a)	17,629	19,921	OmniAb, Inc	9,089	32,720
EVERTEC, Inc	7,467	241,782	Pacific Biosciences of California, Inc	27,471	224,713
Evo Payments, Inc., Class A ^(a)	5,833	197,389	Quanterix Corp	4,455	61,702
ExlService Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	3,919	663,996	Quantum-Si, Inc., Class A	10,604	19,405
Fastly, Inc., Class A ^(a)	13,969	114,406	Science 37 Holdings, Inc.	7,228	3,001
Flywire Corp. (a)	7,000	171,290	Seer, Inc., Class A ^(b)	5,989	34,736
Grid Dynamics Holdings, Inc., Class A ^(a)	6,519	73,143	Singular Genomics Systems, Inc. ^(b)	8,089	16,259
		64,634	•		43,609
Hackett Group, Inc. (The)	3,173		SomaLogic, Inc., Class A	17,374	43,009
13 Verticals, Inc., Class A ^(a)	2,624	63,868			2,125,479
IBEX Holdings Ltd. (a)	1,082	26,888	Machinery — 3.8%		_, 1_0, 110
Information Services Group, Inc	4,126	18,980	•	15,391	113,893
International Money Express, Inc.(a)	3,685	89,803	3D Systems Corp. (a)		,
Marqeta, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	52,458	320,518	Alamo Group, Inc	1,244	176,150
	7,329	537,436	Albany International Corp., Class A	3,793	373,952
Maximus, Inc			Altra Industrial Motion Corp	7,868	470,113
	11,564	125,932	•		
Maximus, Inc. MoneyGram International, Inc. ^(a) Paya Holdings, Inc., Class A ^(a)	11,564 10,094	125,932 79,440	Astec Industries, Inc. Barnes Group, Inc.	2,763 6,012	112,344 245,590

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Machinery (continued)			Media — 0.8%		
Berkshire Grey, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	5,667 \$	3,422	AdTheorent Holding Co., Inc.(a)	6,246 \$	10,368
Blue Bird Corp. (a)(b)	2,234	23,926	Advantage Solutions, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	9,113	18,955
Chart Industries, Inc. (a)	5,178	596,661	AMC Networks, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,512	55,033
CIRCOR International, Inc.(a)	2,124	50,891	Audacy, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	14,977	3,371
Columbus McKinnon Corp	3,321	107,833	Boston Omaha Corp., Class A ^(a)	2,765	73,272
Desktop Metal, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	30,698	41,749	Cardlytics, Inc. ^(a)	3,814	22,045
Douglas Dynamics, Inc.	2,622	94,812	Clear Channel Outdoor Holdings, Inc. (a)	43,610	45,791
Energy Recovery, Inc. (a)(b)	6,479	132,755	Cumulus Media, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	2,146	13,327
Energy Recovery, Inc. (A) Energac Tool Group Corp., Class A	6,992	177,946		155	38,829
Energiac 1001 Group Corp., Class A	,		Daily Journal Corp. (a)		,
EnPro Industries, Inc.(b)	2,524	274,334	Entravision Communications Corp., Class A.	8,024	38,515
ESCO Technologies, Inc.	3,136	274,525	EW Scripps Co. (The), Class A ^(a)	7,028	92,699
Evoqua Water Technologies Corp.(a)	14,206	562,558	Gambling.com Group Ltd. ^(a)	1,007	9,214
Fathom Digital Manufacturing C ^(a)	1,804	2,381	Gannett Co., Inc. (a)(b)	18,552	37,661
Federal Signal Corp	7,245	336,675	Gray Television, Inc	10,125	113,299
Franklin Electric Co., Inc	5,566	443,888	iHeartMedia, Inc., Class A ^(a)	14,446	88,554
Gorman-Rupp Co. (The)	2,709	69,405	Innovid Corp. ^{(a)(b)}	9,133	15,617
Greenbrier Cos., Inc. (The)	3,971	133,148	Integral Ad Science Holding Corp.(a)	4,565	40,126
Helios Technologies, Inc	3,959	215,528	John Wiley & Sons, Inc., Class A	5,148	206,229
Hillenbrand, Inc. (b)	8,448	360,476	Loyalty Ventures, Inc. (a)	2,329	5,613
Hillman Solutions Corp.(a)	16,800	121,128	Magnite, Inc.(a)	16,025	169,705
Hydrofarm Holdings Group, Inc.(a)	6,436	9,976	PubMatic, Inc., Class A ^(a)	5,286	67,714
Hyliion Holdings Corp., Class A ^(a)	16,191	37,887	Scholastic Corp	3,534	139,452
Hyster-Yale Materials Handling, Inc. (b)	1,227	31,055	Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc., Class A	4,837	75,022
Hyzon Motors, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	10,193	15,799	Stagwell, Inc., Class A ^(a)	9,068	56,312
John Bean Technologies Corp	3,841	350,799	TechTarget, Inc. (a)	3,310	145,839
Kadant, Inc. ^(b)	1,406	249,748	TEGNA, Inc.	27,047	573,126
Kennametal, Inc.	9,839	236,726		2,951	56,069
			Thryv Holdings, Inc.(a)	,	,
Lightning eMotors, Inc. (a)(b)	4,545	1,666	Urban One, Inc. ^(a)	1,517	5,704
Lindsay Corp	1,350	219,847	Urban One, Inc., Class A ^(a)	1,261	5,737
Luxfer Holdings plc	3,156	43,300	WideOpenWest, Inc. ^(a)	6,242	56,865
Manitowoc Co., Inc. (The)(a)	4,666	42,741			2,280,063
Markforged Holding Corp. (a)(b)	12,785	14,831	Metals & Mining — 1.6%		2,200,000
Microvast Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	19,798	30,291	5E Advanced Materials, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	4,685	36.918
Miller Industries, Inc	1,481	39,483		1,825	267,162
Mueller Industries, Inc	6,782	400,138	Alpha Metallurgical Resources, Inc.		
Mueller Water Products, Inc., Class A	19,196	206,549	Arconic Corp. (a)	12,101	256,057
Nikola Corp. (a)(b)	42,258	91,277	ATI, Inc. ^(a)	14,984	447,422
Omega Flex, Inc. ^(b)	375	34,995	Carpenter Technology Corp	5,739	211,999
Proterra, Inc. (a)(b)	27,034	101,918	Century Aluminum Co.(a)	6,320	51,698
Proto Labs, Inc. ^(a)	3,307	84,428	Coeur Mining, Inc. ^(a)	33,570	112,795
RBC Bearings, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	3,457	723,723	Commercial Metals Co. ^(b)	14,007	676,538
REV Group, Inc. ^(b)	4,239	53,496	Compass Minerals International, Inc	4,068	166,788
Sarcos Technology & Robotics Corp. (a)	12,731	7,146	Constellium SE, Class A(a)(b)	15,357	181,673
Shyft Group, Inc. (The)	4,344	107,992	Dakota Gold Corp.(a)	5,897	17,986
SPX Technologies, Inc. (*IIIc)	5,325	349,586	Haynes International, Inc	1,355	61,910
Standex International Corp	1,469	150,440	Hecla Mining Co	66,924	372,097
			Hycroft Mining Holding Corp., Class A(a)	17,525	9,325
Tennant Co	2,187	134,654	Ivanhoe Electric, Inc. ^(a)	1,543	18,747
Terex Corp	8,054	344,067	Kaiser Aluminum Corp	1,906	144,780
Titan International, Inc. (a)	6,023	92,272	Materion Corp. (b)	2,443	213,787
Trinity Industries, Inc. ^(b)	9,911	293,068	Novagold Resources, Inc. (a)(b)	28,296	169,210
Velo3D, Inc. ^(a)	6,545	11,716	Olympic Steel, Inc.	985	33,076
Wabash National Corp. (b)	5,641	127,487	Piedmont Lithium, Inc. (a)(b)	2,197	96,712
Watts Water Technologies, Inc., Class A	3,303	482,998			
Xos, Inc. ^(a)	6,353	2,814	PolyMet Mining Corp.(a)	3,229	8,557
	_	10.010.000	Ramaco Resources, Inc.	2,603	22,880
Mada 0.00/		10,640,996	Ryerson Holding Corp	2,476	74,924
Marine — 0.2%	0.404		Schnitzer Steel Industries, Inc., Class A	3,180	97,467
Costamare, Inc	6,404	59,429	SunCoke Energy, Inc	10,374	89,528
Eagle Bulk Shipping, Inc. ^(b)	1,558	77,806	TimkenSteel Corp.(a)	5,164	93,830
Eneti, Inc	2,657	26,703	Warrior Met Coal, Inc	6,283	217,643
Genco Shipping & Trading Ltd	4,286	65,833	Worthington Industries, Inc.(b)	3,876	192,676
Golden Ocean Group Ltd.(b)	15,156	131,706			4 0 4 4 4 0 5
Matson, Inc	4,474	279,670		. •••	4,344,185
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Safe Bulkers, Inc.	9,571	27,851	Mortgage Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) – AFC Gamma, Inc. ^(b)	- 1.2% 2,019	31,759

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Mortgage Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) (c	ontinued)		Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels (continued)		
Apollo Commercial Real Estate Finance, Inc.(b)	16,969 \$	182,586	Earthstone Energy, Inc., Class A(a)	5,580 \$	79,403
Arbor Realty Trust, Inc.(b)	19,889	262,336	Empire Petroleum Corp. (a)(b)	1,392	17,122
Ares Commercial Real Estate Corp. (b)	6,494	66,823	Energy Fuels, Inc. (a)	19,542	121,356
ARMOUR Residential REIT, Inc	15,792	88,909	Equitrans Midstream Corp	49,881	334,203
Blackstone Mortgage Trust, Inc., Class A(b).	20,548	435,001	Excelerate Energy, Inc., Class A	2,154	53,958
BrightSpire Capital, Inc., Class A(b)	11,222	69,913	FLEX LNG Ltd.(b)	3,340	109,185
Broadmark Realty Capital, Inc.(b)	15,450	55,002	Frontline Ltd. ^(b)	14,916	181,080
Chicago Atlantic Real Estate Finance, Inc	617	9,298	Gevo, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	23,669	44,971
Chimera Investment Corp. (b)	28,130	154,715	Golar LNG Ltd. ^(a)	11,717	267,030
Claros Mortgage Trust, Inc. (b)	11,378	167,370	Green Plains, Inc. (a)	4,336	132,248
Dynex Capital, Inc	5,194	66,068	Gulfport Energy Corp.(a)	1,382	101,770
Ellington Financial, Inc.(b)	6,966	86,169	HighPeak Energy, Inc.(b)	720	16,466
Franklin BSP Realty Trust, Inc.(b)	9,775	126,098	International Seaways, Inc	5,961	220,676
Granite Point Mortgage Trust, Inc. (b)	6,283	33,677	Kinetik Holdings, Inc., Class A ^(b)	2,143	70,890
Hannon Armstrong Sustainable Infrastructure	0,200	00,011	Kosmos Energy Ltd. (a)(b)	54,861	348,916
Capital, Inc. ^(b)	10,440	302,551	Laredo Petroleum, Inc. (a)	1,988	102,223
Invesco Mortgage Capital, Inc.(b)	3,876	49,342	Magnolia Oil & Gas Corp., Class A ^(b)	20,895	489,988
KKR Real Estate Finance Trust, Inc. (b)	6,776	94,593	Matador Resources Co	13,590	777,892
Ladder Capital Corp., Class A	14,119	141,755	Murphy Oil Corp. ^(b)	17,737	762,868
MFA Financial, Inc. ^(b)	12,037	118,564	NACCO Industries, Inc., Class A	471	17,898
	43,898	112,379		5,299	26,177
New York Mortgage Trust, Inc.(b)			NextDecade Corp. (a)		
Nexpoint Real Estate Finance, Inc	910	14,460	Nordic American Tankers Ltd	25,459	77,905
Orchid Island Capital, Inc. (b)	4,131	43,376	Northern Oil and Gas, Inc. ^(b)	7,950	245,019
PennyMac Mortgage Investment Trust ^(b)	10,681	132,338	Par Pacific Holdings, Inc. (a)	6,248	145,266
Ready Capital Corp.(b)	8,596	95,759	PBF Energy, Inc., Class A	11,833	482,550
Redwood Trust, Inc. ^(b)	14,113	95,404	Peabody Energy Corp. (a)(b)	14,052	371,254
TPG RE Finance Trust, Inc.(b)	8,122	55,148	Permian Resources Corp., Class A ^(b)	24,912	234,173
Two Harbors Investment Corp. (b)	10,118	159,561	Ranger Oil Corp., Class A ^(b)	2,289	92,544
		3,257,945	REX American Resources Corp.(a)	1,938	61,745
Multiline Retail — 0.1%		0,201,040	Riley Exploration Permian, Inc	1,248	36,729
Big Lots, Inc.(b)	3,538	52,009	Ring Energy, Inc. ^(a)	10,037	24,691
Dillard's, Inc., Class A	474	153,197	SandRidge Energy, Inc. ^(a)	2,484	42,303
Franchise Group, Inc. ^(b)	3,060	72,889	Scorpio Tankers, Inc	5,630	302,725
Transmise Group, inc	J,000	72,003	SFL Corp. Ltd	14,159	130,546
		278,095	SilverBow Resources, Inc. ^(a)	1,362	38,517
Multi-Utilities — 0.5%			Sitio Royalties Corp	8,490	244,937
Avista Corp	8,428	373,697	SM Energy Co	14,671	510,991
Black Hills Corp	7,783	547,456	Talos Energy, Inc. ^(a)	8,113	153,173
NorthWestern Corp.(b)	6,990	414,787	Teekay Corp.(a)	8,555	38,840
Unitil Corp	1,938	99,536	Teekay Tankers Ltd., Class A(a)	2,735	84,265
			Tellurian, Inc. (a)(b)	61,231	102,868
		1,435,476	Uranium Energy Corp. (a)(b)	42,378	164,427
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels — 4.6%			Ur-Energy, Inc. ^(a)	28,575	32,861
Aemetis, Inc. ^(a)	3,668	14,525	VAALCO Energy, Inc. ^(b)	12,459	56,813
Alto Ingredients, Inc. (a)	8,531	24,569	Vertex Energy, Inc. (a)(b)	6,279	38,930
Amplify Energy Corp.(a)	4,141	36,399	W&T Offshore, Inc. ^(a)	11,854	66,145
Arch Resources, Inc., Class A(b)	1,767	252,310	World Fuel Services Corp	7,355	201,012
Ardmore Shipping Corp. (a)	4,820	69,456			-
Battalion Oil Corp.(a)	145	1,408			12,600,514
Berry Corp	9,538	76,304	Paper & Forest Products — 0.2%		
California Resources Corp.(b)	8,863	385,629	Clearwater Paper Corp.(a)	1,927	72,860
Callon Petroleum Co. (a)(b)	5,937	220,203	Glatfelter Corp	5,324	14,801
Centrus Energy Corp., Class A ^(a)	1,127	36,605	Resolute Forest Products, Inc.(a)	5,678	122,588
Chord Energy Corp.(b)	5,020	686,786	Sylvamo Corp	4,348	211,269
Civitas Resources, Inc. ^(b)	8,839	512,043			
Clean Energy Fuels Corp. (a)	20,123	104,640			421,518
CNX Resources Corp.(a)	21,313	358,911	Personal Products — 0.7%		
Comstock Resources, Inc. ^(b)	10,924	149,768	Beauty Health Co. (The), Class A ^{(a)(b)}	11,404	103,776
CONSOL Energy, Inc.	4,198	272,870	BellRing Brands, Inc. ^(a)	15,846	406,292
	4,196 4,740	56,833	Edgewell Personal Care Co	6,237	240,374
CVP Energy Inc.			elf Beauty, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	5,907	326,657
CVR Energy, Inc	3,693	115,739	Herbalife Nutrition Ltd. (a)	11,832	176,060
Delek US Holdings, Inc.	8,605	232,335	Honest Co., Inc. (The)(a)	7,109	21,398
Denbury, Inc. (a)	5,999	522,033	Inter Parfums, Inc. ^(b)	2,139	206,456
DHT Holdings, Inc.	16,237	144,185	Medifast, Inc.	1,320	152,262
Dorian LPG Ltd	3,663	69,414	Nature's Sunshine Products, Inc.(a)	1,858	15,459

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Personal Products (continued)			Professional Services (continued)		
Nu Skin Enterprises, Inc., Class A ^(b)	5,949	250,810	Exponent, Inc	6,135	\$ 607,917
Thorne HealthTech, Inc. (a)(b)	1,453	5,274	First Advantage Corp. (a)(b)	7,098	92,274
USANA Health Sciences, Inc. (a)	1,304	69,373	Forrester Research, Inc.(a)	1,441	51,530
Veru, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	7,673	40,513	Franklin Covey Co.(a)	1,417	66,273
,	· -		Heidrick & Struggles International, Inc	2,229	62,345
		2,014,704	HireRight Holdings Corp.(a)	2,630	31,192
Pharmaceuticals — 1.8%			Huron Consulting Group, Inc.(a)	2,438	176,999
Aclaris Therapeutics, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	7,590	119,542	ICF International, Inc	2,213	219,198
Amneal Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ^(a)	13,331	26,529	Insperity, Inc	4,369	496,318
Amphastar Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)	4,598	128,836	Kelly Services, Inc., Class A	4,184	70,710
Amylyx Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)	6,027	222,698	Kforce, Inc	2,457	134,717
AN2 Therapeutics, Inc. (a)	974	9,282	Korn Ferry	6,350	321,437
ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)	1,537	61,834	Legalzoom.com, Inc. (a)(b)	11,373	88,027
Arvinas, Inc. (a)(b)	5,900	201,839	Planet Labs PBC ^{(a)(b)}	18,052	78,526
Atea Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)	8,884	42,732	Red Violet, Inc. ^(a)	1,100	25,322
Athira Pharma, Inc. (a)	4,783	15,162	Resources Connection, Inc.	4,061	74,641
Axsome Therapeutics, Inc.(a)	3,839	296,102			
Cara Therapeutics, Inc. (a)(b)	5,499	59,059	Skillsoft Corp. (a)(b)	9,424	12,251
Cassava Sciences, Inc. (a)(b)	4,563	134,791	Spire Global, Inc. ^(a)	14,521	13,940
CinCor Pharma, Inc. ^(a)	3,042	37,386	Sterling Check Corp. (a)(b)	2,749	42,527
Collegium Pharmaceutical, Inc.(a)	4,246	98,507	TriNet Group, Inc. ^(a)	4,576	310,253
Contra Ligand Pharmace ^{(a)(d)}	703	30,307 —	TrueBlue, Inc. (a)(b)	3,719	72,818
Corcept Therapeutics, Inc.(a)	10,239	207,954	Upwork, Inc. ^(a)	14,292	149,208
CoreCivic, Inc. ^(a)	13,531	156,418	Willdan Group, Inc. ^(a)	1,339	23,901
CorVel Corp. (a)	1,059	153,904			4,503,220
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DICE Therapeutics, Inc. ^(a)	4,250	132,600	Real Estate Management & Development — 0.6%	07	0.400
Edgewise Therapeutics, Inc. (a)	4,576	40,909	American Realty Investors, Inc. (a)	97	2,488
Esperion Therapeutics, Inc. ^(a)	9,539	59,428	Anywhere Real Estate, Inc. (a)	13,503	86,284
Evolus, Inc. ^(a)	4,536	34,065	Compass, Inc., Class A ^(a)	33,057	77,023
EyePoint Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ^(a)	3,102	10,857	Cushman & Wakefield plc ^(a)	19,001	236,752
Fulcrum Therapeutics, Inc. ^(a)	5,567	40,528	DigitalBridge Group, Inc., Class A	19,063	208,549
Harmony Biosciences Holdings, Inc. (a)	3,219	177,367	Doma Holdings, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	15,898	7,200
Innoviva, Inc. (a)(b)	7,965	105,536	Douglas Elliman, Inc	9,949	40,492
Intra-Cellular Therapies, Inc. (a)	11,118	588,365	eXp World Holdings, Inc. ^(b)	8,079	89,515
Ligand Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	1,855	123,914	Forestar Group, Inc. ^(a)	2,206	33,995
Liquidia Corp. (a)	5,540	35,290	FRP Holdings, Inc. (a)	861	46,374
Nektar Therapeutics ^(a)	21,067	47,611	Kennedy-Wilson Holdings, Inc	14,171	222,910
NGM Biopharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)	4,552	22,851	Marcus & Millichap, Inc	3,000	103,350
Nuvation Bio, Inc., Class A ^(a)	13,513	25,945	Newmark Group, Inc., Class A	16,156	128,763
Ocular Therapeutix, Inc.(a)	8,761	24,618	Offerpad Solutions, Inc. (a)(b)	7,925	3,649
Pacira BioSciences, Inc. (a)(b)	5,408	208,803	RE/MAX Holdings, Inc., Class A	2,229	41,549
Phathom Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)(b)	2,608	29,262	Redfin Corp. (a)(b)	12,169	51,597
Phibro Animal Health Corp., Class A	2,402	32,211	RMR Group, Inc. (The), Class A	1,933	54,607
Prestige Consumer Healthcare, Inc. ^(a)	5,908	369,841	St. Joe Co. (The) ^(b)	4,262	164,726
Provention Bio, Inc. ^(a)	7,559	79,899	Stratus Properties, Inc.(b)	685	13,214
Reata Pharmaceuticals, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,296	125,215	Teion Ranch Co. ^(a)	2,315	43,615
Relmada Therapeutics, Inc. (a)(b)	3,359	11,723	Transcontinental Realty Investors, Inc. (a)	183	8,085
Revance Therapeutics, Inc. ^(a)	9,658	178,287	Transcontinental realty investors, inc	100	0,000
SIGA Technologies, Inc.	5,358	39,435			1,664,737
Supernus Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)(b)		217,052	Road & Rail — 0.6%		
	6,085		ArcBest Corp	2,942	206.058
Tarsus Pharmaceuticals, Inc.(a)	2,105	30,859	Bird Global, Inc., Class A(a)	19,902	3,586
Theravance Biopharma, Inc. (a)	7,563	84,857	Covenant Logistics Group, Inc., Class A	1,100	38,027
Theseus Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (a)(b)	2,674	13,317	Daseke, Inc. ^(a)	5,022	28,575
Third Harmonic Bio, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	1,472	6,330	Heartland Express, Inc.	5,885	90,276
Tricida, Inc. ^(a)	3,866	591	Marten Transport Ltd	7,258	143,563
Ventyx Biosciences, Inc. ^(a)	3,003	98,468	PAM Transportation Services, Inc. (a)(b)	707	18,311
Xeris Biopharma Holdings, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	15,370	20,442	Saia, Inc. (a)	3,210	673,073
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Drafassianal Caminas 4 00/		4,989,051	TuSimple Holdings, Inc., Class A ^(a)	16,245	26,642
Professional Services — 1.6%	10 501	000 704	Universal Logistics Holdings, Inc	814	27,220
Alight, Inc., Class A ^(a)	40,524	338,781	Werner Enterprises, Inc	7,717	310,687
ASGN, Inc. ^(a)	5,917	482,117			1,566,018
Atlas Technical Consultants, Inc. (a)(b)	1,900	9,785	Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment — 2.5	10%	1,300,010
Barrett Business Services, Inc	789	73,598	ACM Research, Inc., Class A(a)		42,914
CBIZ, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	5,841	273,651		5,566 2,793	
CRA International, Inc	841	102,964	Alpha & Omega Semiconductor Ltd.(a)	2,193	79,796

Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment (conf	inued)		Software (continued)		
Ambarella, Inc. ^(a)	4,426 \$	363,950	Cvent Holding Corp.(a)	5,618 \$	30,337
Amkor Technology, Inc	12,106	290,302	Digimarc Corp. (a)	1,490	27,550
Atomera, Inc. ^(a)	2,344	14,580	Digital Turbine, Inc. ^(a)	11,075	168,783
Axcelis Technologies, Inc. (a)	3,913	310,536	Domo, Inc., Class B ^(a)	3,734	53,172
AXT, Inc. (a)(b)	4,807	21,055	Duck Creek Technologies, Inc. (a)	9,691	116,777
CEVA, Inc. ^(a)	2,732	69,885	E2open Parent Holdings, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	23,387	137,282
Cohu, Inc. (a)	5,717	183,230	Ebix, Inc.	3,214	64,151
Credo Technology Group Holding Ltd. ^(a)	11,960	159,188	eGain Corp. ^(a)	2,947	26,611
Diodes, Inc.(a)	5,407	411,689	Enfusion, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,334	32,240
FormFactor, Inc. ^(a)	9,274	206,161		4,544	79,974
			EngageSmart, Inc. ^(a)		397,286
Ichor Holdings Ltd. ^(a)	3,264	87,540	Envestnet, Inc. (a)	6,439	
Impinj, Inc. (a)(b)	2,596	283,431	Everbridge, Inc. ^(a)	4,855	143,611
indie Semiconductor, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	12,623	73,592	EverCommerce, Inc.(a)	2,584	19,225
Kulicke & Soffa Industries, Inc. ^(b)	6,964	308,227	ForgeRock, Inc., Class A ^(a)	4,611	104,992
MACOM Technology Solutions Holdings, Inc. (a)	6,117	385,249	Greenidge Generation Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	1,068	309
MaxLinear, Inc. ^(a)	8,663	294,109	Instructure Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	2,009	47,091
Onto Innovation, Inc. ^(a)	5,978	407,042	Intapp, Inc. ^(a)	1,604	40,004
PDF Solutions, Inc. ^(a)	3,601	102,701	InterDigital, Inc. ^(b)	3,669	181,542
Photronics, Inc. (a)	7,092	119,358	IronNet, Inc. ^(a)	7,525	1,731
Power Integrations, Inc	6,900	494,868	Kaleyra, Inc. ^(a)	3,423	2,585
Rambus, Inc. (a)	12,815	459,033	KnowBe4, Inc., Class A ^(a)	8,824	218,659
Rigetti Computing, Inc. ^(a)	12,518	9,128	Latch, Inc. (a)	14,656	10,404
Rockley Photonics Holdings Ltd. ^(a)	11,834	1,658	LivePerson, Inc. ^(a)	8,297	84,132
Semtech Corp.(a)	7,494	215,003	LiveRamp Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	8,108	190,052
Silicon Laboratories, Inc. ^(a)	3,958	536,982	LiveVox Holdings, Inc. (a)(b)	5,098	15,141
				13,212	45,185
SiTime Corp. (a)	1,933	196,431	Marathon Digital Holdings, Inc.(a)		
SkyWater Technology, Inc. ^(a)	1,231	8,752	Matterport, Inc., Class A ^(a)	27,944	78,243
SMART Global Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	5,755	85,634	MeridianLink, Inc. ^(a)	2,633	36,151
Synaptics, Inc. ^(a)	4,764	453,342	MicroStrategy, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	1,143	161,815
Transphorm, Inc. (a)(b)	2,490	13,546	Mitek Systems, Inc. ^(a)	5,018	48,624
Ultra Clean Holdings, Inc.(a)	5,523	183,087	Model N, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	4,436	179,924
Veeco Instruments, Inc. (a)	6,247	116,069	Momentive Global, Inc.(a)	15,719	110,033
		C 000 0C0	N-able, Inc. ^(a)	7,916	81,377
0.64		6,988,068	NextNav, Inc. (a)(b)	8,223	24,093
Software — 4.6%			Olo, Inc., Class A ^(a)	10,440	65,250
8x8, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	13,294	57,430	ON24, Inc. ^(a)	4,830	41,683
A10 Networks, Inc	7,492	124,592	OneSpan, Inc. (a)	4,995	55,894
ACI Worldwide, Inc. ^(a)	13,600	312,800	PagerDuty, Inc. ^(a)	10,342	274,684
Adeia, Inc.	12,320	116,794	PowerSchool Holdings, Inc., Class A ^(a)	5,697	131,487
Agilysys, Inc. ^(a)	2,419	191,440	Progress Software Corp	5,237	264,207
Alarm.com Holdings, Inc.(a)(b)	5,770	285,500	PROS Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	5,107	123,896
Alkami Technology, Inc. (a)(b)	4,164	60,753	5 ·	*	
Altair Engineering, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	6,200	281,914	Q2 Holdings, Inc. (a)	6,874	184,704
American Software, Inc., Class A	3,744	54,962	Qualys, Inc. ^(a)	4,668	523,890
Amplitude, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	6,492	78,423	Rapid7, Inc. ^(a)	7,277	247,272
Appfolio, Inc., Class A ^(a)	2,368	249,540	Rimini Street, Inc. ^(a)	6,637	25,287
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	4,740	154,334	Riot Blockchain, Inc. (a)(b)	19,535	66,224
Appian Corp., Class A(a)			Sapiens International Corp. NV ^(b)	3,805	70,316
Applied Digital Corp.(a)	8,819	16,227	SecureWorks Corp., Class A(a)	1,090	6,965
Arteris, Inc. ^(a)	1,965	8,450	ShotSpotter, Inc.(a)	1,052	35,589
Asana, Inc., Class A ^(a)	8,671	119,400	SolarWinds Corp. ^(a)	5,606	52,472
Avaya Holdings Corp. (a)(b)	10,563	2,070	Sprout Social, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	5,572	314,595
AvePoint, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	14,953	61,457	SPS Commerce, Inc. ^(a)	4,348	558,414
Benefitfocus, Inc.(a)	2,979	31,160	Sumo Logic, Inc. ^(a)	13,675	110,768
Blackbaud, Inc. (a)	5,556	327,026	Telos Corp. (a)	6,254	31,833
Blackline, Inc. ^(a)	6,700	450,709	Tenable Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	13,428	512,278
Blend Labs, Inc., Class A(a)	21,478	30,928	Terawulf, Inc. ^(a)		
Box, Inc., Class A ^(a)	16,839	524,198		4,248	2,827
C3.ai, Inc., Class A ^(a)	7,491	83,824	Upland Software, Inc. ^(a)	3,315	23,636
Cerence, Inc.(a)	4,701	87,110	UserTesting, Inc. ^(a)	5,493	41,252
Cipher Mining, Inc. ^(a)	4,648	2,603	Varonis Systems, Inc. (a)	13,333	319,192
			Verint Systems, Inc. ^(a)	7,576	274,857
Cleanspark, Inc. (a)(b)	4,753	9,696	Veritone, Inc. ^(a)	4,498	23,839
Clear Secure, Inc., Class A(b)	7,539	206,795	Viant Technology, Inc., Class A(a)	2,867	11,525
CommVault Systems, Inc. (a)	5,389	338,645	Weave Communications, Inc. (a)(b)	3,769	17,262
Consensus Cloud Solutions, Inc.(a)	2,223	119,508	WM Technology, Inc., Class A ^(a)	8,332	8,415
Couchbase, Inc. ^(a)	3,254	43,148	Workiva, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	5,780	485,347
CS Disco, Inc.(a)	2,581	16,312	,,	٥,. ٥٠	.00,011

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Security	Shares	Value	Security	Shares	Value
Software (continued)			Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals — 0.3%		
Xperi, Inc. (a)(b)	4,928 \$	42,430	Avid Technology, Inc. ^(a)	4,143	\$ 110,162
Yext, Inc. ^(a)	14,464	94,450	CompoSecure, Inc. ^(a)	1,448	7,110
Zeta Global Holdings Corp., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	13,957	114,029	Corsair Gaming, Inc. ^(a)	4,448	60,359
Zuora, Inc., Class A ^(a)	14,678	93,352	Diebold Nixdorf, Inc.(a)	8,609	12,225
	_	40.050.055	Eastman Kodak Co. (a)(b)	6,746	20,575
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Specialty Retail — 2.4%	2.004	40 500	Super Micro Computer, Inc.(a)	5,640	463,044
Aaron's Co., Inc. (The)	3,894	46,533	Turtle Beach Corp. (a)(b)	1,876	13,451
Abercrombie & Fitch Co., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	5,762	132,007	Xerox Holdings Corp	13,799	201,466
Academy Sports & Outdoors, Inc	9,388	493,246			025.005
American Eagle Outfitters, Inc	18,678 761	260,745 54,990	Taytiles Appeal 9 Layrum, Coods 0.70/		935,985
	9,829	85,119	Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods — 0.7% Allbirds, Inc., Class A ^(a)	10,956	26,513
Arko Corp	2,669	478,418	Crocs. Inc. (a)	7,348	796,744
Asbury Automotive Group, Inc.(a)	,		•	,	
Bed Bath & Beyond, Inc. (a)(b)	9,606	24,111	Ermenegildo Zegna NV	7,526	78,797
Big 5 Sporting Goods Corp	2,483	21,925	Fossil Group, Inc. (a)	5,734	24,714
Boot Barn Holdings, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	3,539	221,258	G-III Apparel Group Ltd. (a)	5,206	71,374
Buckle, Inc. (The)	3,672	166,525	Kontoor Brands, Inc. ^(b)	6,718	268,653
Build-A-Bear Workshop, Inc. (a)	1,647	39,265	Movado Group, Inc. (b)	1,997	64,403
Caleres, Inc.	4,338	96,651	Oxford Industries, Inc. (b)	1,801	167,817
Camping World Holdings, Inc., Class A(b)	4,776	106,600	PLBY Group, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	5,537	15,227
Cato Corp. (The), Class A	2,154	20,097	Rocky Brands, Inc. ^(b)	963	22,746
Chico's FAS, Inc. ^(a)	15,314	75,345	Steven Madden Ltd	9,262	296,014
Children's Place, Inc. (The)(a)	1,627	59,255	Superior Group of Cos., Inc.	1,397	14,054
Citi Trends, Inc. ^(a)	1,026	27,169	Unifi, Inc. ^(a)	2,022	17,409
Conn's, Inc. ^(a)	2,096	14,421	Wolverine World Wide, Inc	9,344	102,130
Container Store Group, Inc. (The)(a)	3,888	16,757			1,966,595
Designer Brands, Inc., Class A	6,075	59,414	Thrifts & Mortgage Finance — 1.3%		1,300,333
Destination XL Group, Inc. (a)	6,938	46,832	Axos Financial, Inc. ^(a)	6,807	260.164
EVgo, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	7,890	35,268	Blue Foundry Bancorp ^(a)	3,298	260,164 42,379
Express, Inc. ^(a)	7,458	7,607		2,423	42,984
Foot Locker, Inc. ^(b)	9,627	363,804	Bridgewater Bancshares, Inc. ^(a)	15,065	130,312
Genesco, Inc. ^(a)	1,522	70,042	·		
Group 1 Automotive, Inc. ^(b)	1,723	310,778	Columbia Financial, Inc. (a)	4,393	94,977
GrowGeneration Corp.(a)	6,574	25,770	Enact Holdings, Inc. ^(b)	3,488	84,131
Guess?, Inc. ^(b)	3,947	81,663	Essent Group Ltd	12,727	494,826
Haverty Furniture Cos., Inc	1,754	52,445	Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corp., Class C	1,076	121,276
Hibbett, Inc	1,492	101,784	Finance of America Cos., Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	6,243	7,929
JOANN, Inc	1,370	3,905	Greene County Bancorp, Inc	393	22,566
LL Flooring Holdings, Inc. (a)	4,015	22,564	Hingham Institution for Savings (The)	194	53,536
MarineMax, Inc. ^(a)	2,482	77,488	Home Bancorp, Inc. (b)	792	31,704
Monro, Inc	3,831	173,161	Home Point Capital, Inc.	965	1,322
Murphy USA, Inc	2,519	704,161	Kearny Financial Corp	7,196	73,039
National Vision Holdings, Inc.(a)	9,461	366,708	Luther Burbank Corp. (b)	1,727	19,187
ODP Corp. (The)(a)	4,919	224,011	Merchants Bancorp ^(b)	1,980	48,154
OneWater Marine, Inc., Class A(a)(b)	1,285	36,751	Mr Cooper Group, Inc.(a)	8,272	331,955
Party City Holdco, Inc. (a)(b)	12,671	4,631	NMI Holdings, Inc., Class A ^(a)	10,038	209,794
Rent-A-Center, Inc. ^(b)	5,958	134,353	Northfield Bancorp, Inc. ^(b)	5,107	80,333
Sally Beauty Holdings, Inc.(a)	12,872	161,157	PennyMac Financial Services, Inc. ^(b)	3,191	180,802
Shoe Carnival, Inc.(b)	1,929	46,122	Pioneer Bancorp, Inc. ^(a)	1,483	16,906
Signet Jewelers Ltd.(b)	5,513	374,884	Provident Bancorp, Inc	1,591	11,583
Sleep Number Corp.(a)	2,585	67,158	Provident Financial Services, Inc. ^(b)	8,845	188,929
Sonic Automotive, Inc., Class A(b)	2,110	103,960	Radian Group, Inc	18,946	361,300
Sportsman's Warehouse Holdings, Inc.(a)	4,397	41,376	Southern Missouri Bancorp, Inc	992	45,463
Tile Shop Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	4,225	18,506	Sterling Bancorp, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	1,988	12,107
Tilly's, Inc., Class A ^(a)	3,026	27,385	TrustCo Bank Corp	2,175	81,758
Torrid Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	1,710	5,062	Velocity Financial, Inc. ^(a)	1,023	9,872
TravelCenters of America, Inc. (a)	1,501	67,215	Walker & Dunlop, Inc	3,703	290,612
Urban Outfitters, Inc. (a)	7,655	182,572	Waterstone Financial, Inc. (b)	2,445	42,152
Volta, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	14,187	5,042	WSFS Financial Corp	7,195	326,221
Warby Parker, Inc., Class A ^{(a)(b)}	10,229	137,989			0.740.070
Winmark Corp	331	78,060	T. I		3,718,273
Zumiez, Inc. ^(a)	1,816	39,480	Tobacco — 0.2%	0	
Zumoz, mo.··	1,010	J3,40U	22nd Century Group, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	22,857	21,040
		6,699,545	Turning Point Brands, Inc	1,769 2,977	38,263
					157,215

Security	Shares	Value
Tobacco (continued)		
Vector Group Ltd	17,530	\$ 207,906
		424,424
Trading Companies & Distributors — 1.7%	0.044	0= 1=0
Alta Equipment Group, Inc.	2,841	37,473
Applied Industrial Technologies, Inc	4,602	579,990
Beacon Roofing Supply, Inc. (a)	6,131	323,655
BlueLinx Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	1,070	76,088
Boise Cascade Co	4,727	324,603
Custom Truck One Source, Inc. (a)(b)	7,030	44,430
Distribution Solutions Group, Inc. (a)(b)	584	21,526
DXP Enterprises, Inc. ^(a)	1,768	48,708
GATX Corp.(b)	4,262	453,221
Global Industrial Co	1,433	33,718
GMS, Inc. ^(a)	5,215	259,707
H&E Equipment Services, Inc	3,900	177,060
Herc Holdings, Inc	3,028	398,394
Hudson Technologies, Inc. ^(a)	5,008	50,681
Karat Packaging, Inc	507	7,285
McGrath RentCorp	2,910	287,333
MRC Global, Inc. ^{(a)(b)}	10,027	116,113
NOW, Inc. ^(a)	13,518	171,679
Rush Enterprises, Inc., Class A	5,013	262,080
Rush Enterprises, Inc., Class B ^(b)	853	47,998
Textainer Group Holdings Ltd	5,374	166,648
Titan Machinery, Inc. ^(a)	2,427	96,425
Transcat, Inc. ^(a)	862	61,090
Triton International Ltd	7,079	486,894
Veritiv Corp	1,569	190,963
		4,723,762
Water Utilities — 0.5%		
American States Water Co.(b)	4,474	414,069
Artesian Resources Corp., Class A	1,071	62,739
California Water Service Group	6,431	389,976
Global Water Resources, Inc	1,630	21,647
Middlesex Water Co	2,039	160,408
Pure Cycle Corp. ^(a)	2,785	29,187
SJW Group ^(b)	3,275	265,897
York Water Co. (The) ^(b)	1,683	75,701
		1,419,624
Wireless Telecommunication Services — 0.1%		a= =a -
Gogo, Inc. ^(a)	5,934	87,586
KORE Group Holdings, Inc. ^(a)	4,074	5,133
Shenandoah Telecommunications Co	5,764	91,532
Telephone and Data Systems, Inc.(b)	12,055	126,457
United States Cellular Corp. (a)	1,868	38,948
		349,656
Total Common Stocks — 99.3% (Cost: \$251,657,504)		275,065,589
		210,000,009
Investment Companies		
Ferroglobe Representation and Warranty		
Insurance Trust ^(d)	10,979	_
Total Investment Companies — 0.0%	-	_
(Cost: \$—)		_
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Security	Shares		Value
Rights			
Biotechnology — 0.0% ^{(a)(d)}			
Contra Aduro Biotech I	1,703	\$	4,324
Oncternal Therapeutics, Inc., CVR	105		108
			4,432
Pharmaceuticals — 0.0%		_	
Zogenix, Inc.(Expires12/31/2023) ^{(a)(d)}	6,556		4,458
Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods — 0.0%			
PLBY Group, Inc.(Expires 01/17/23, Strike			
Price USD 3.50) ^{(a)(b)}	3,389		
Total Rights — 0.0%			
(Cost: \$8,782)			8,890
Total Long-Term Investments — 99.3% (Cost: \$251,666,286)			275,074,479
Short-Term Securities			
Money Market Funds — 15.8% ^{(e)(f)}			
BlackRock Liquidity Funds, T-Fund, Institutional			
Class, 4.03%	3,541,118		3,541,118
SL Liquidity Series, LLC, Money Market Series,	40.074.554		40 070 507
4.49% ^(g)	40,274,554		40,270,527
Total Short-Term Securities — 15.8%			10.011.01=
(Cost: \$43,800,918)			43,811,645
Total Investments — 115.1%			240 006 404
(Cost: \$295,467,204). Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets — (15.1)%			318,886,124 (41,875,207)
Net Assets — 100.0%		\$	277,010,917

- (a) Non-income producing security.
- (b) All or a portion of this security is on loan.
- (c) This security may be resold to qualified foreign investors and foreign institutional buyers under Regulation S of the Securities Act of 1933.
- (d) Security is valued using significant unobservable inputs and is classified as Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.
- (e) Affiliate of the Fund.
- (f) Annualized 7-day yield as of period end.
- (g) All or a portion of this security was purchased with the cash collateral from loaned securities.

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Affiliates

Investments in issuers considered to be affiliate(s) of the Fund during the year ended December 31, 2022 for purposes of Section 2(a)(3) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, were as follows:

Affiliated Issuer	Value at 12/31/21	Purchases at Cost	Proceeds from Sale	Net Realized Gain (Loss)	Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)	Value at 12/31/22	Shares Held at 12/31/22	Income	Capital Gain Distributions from Underlying Funds
BlackRock Liquidity Funds, T-Fund, Institutional Class \$ SL Liquidity Series, LLC, Money	1,892,227 \$	1,648,891 ^(a) \$	- \$	_ :	\$ —	\$ 3,541,118	3,541,118 \$	31,567	
Market Series	23,608,660	16,659,478 ^(a)	_	(9,299)	11,688	40,270,527	40,274,554	289,068 ^(b)	_
			\$	(9,299)	\$ 11,688	\$ 43,811,645	\$	320,635	-

⁽a) Represents net amount purchased (sold).

For Fund compliance purposes, the Fund's industry classifications refer to one or more of the industry sub-classifications used by one or more widely recognized market indexes or rating group indexes, and/or as defined by the investment adviser. These definitions may not apply for purposes of this report, which may combine such industry sub-classifications for reporting ease.

All or a portion represents securities lending income earned from the reinvestment of cash collateral from loaned securities, net of fees and collateral investment expenses, and other payments to and from borrowers of securities.

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Derivative Financial Instruments Outstanding as of Period End

Futures Contracts

Description	Number of Contracts	Expiration Date	Notional unt (000)	Value/ Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
Long Contracts Russell 2000 E-Mini Index	22	03/17/23	\$ 1,948	\$ (1,412)

Derivative Financial Instruments Categorized by Risk Exposure

As of period end, the fair values of derivative financial instruments located in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities were as follows:

	Comm Com	odity racts	Credit Contracts	Equity Contracts	Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts	Interest Rate Contracts	Other Contracts	Total
Liabilities — Derivative Financial Instruments Futures contracts Unrealized depreciation on futures contracts(a)	\$	_ \$	_ \$	1,412	<u> </u>	\$ \$	_ \$	1,412

Net cumulative unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on futures contracts, if any, are reported in the Schedule of Investments. In the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, only current day's variation margin is reported in receivables or payables and the net cumulative unrealized appreciation (depreciation) is included in accumulated earnings (loss).

For the period ended December 31, 2022, the effect of derivative financial instruments in the Statement of Operations was as follows:

		Commodity Contracts	Credit Contracts	Equity Contracts	Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts	Interest Rate Contracts	Other Contracts	Tota
Net Realized Gain (Loss) from								
Futures contracts	\$	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	(619,068) \$	<u> </u>			(619,068)
Net Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) on								
Futures contracts	\$	<u> </u>	\$	(45,943) \$	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	(45,943)
Average Quarterly Balances of Outstanding Deriv	ative F	nancial Instrumen	İs					
Futures contracts Average notional value of contracts — long							\$	2,338,420

For more information about the Fund's investment risks regarding derivative financial instruments, refer to the Notes to Financial Statements.

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Fair Value Hierarchy as of Period End

Various inputs are used in determining the fair value of financial instruments. For a description of the input levels and information about the Fund's policy regarding valuation of financial instruments, refer to the Notes to Financial Statements.

The following table summarizes the Fund's financial instruments categorized in the fair value hierarchy. The breakdown of the Fund's financial instruments into major categories is disclosed in the Schedule of Investments above.

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Tot
stments				
ong-Term Investments				
Common Stocks				
Aerospace & Defense	2,811,516 \$	- \$	- \$	2,811,51
Air Freight & Logistics	1,189,656	_	_	1,189,65
Airlines	790,884	_	_	790,88
Auto Components	3,610,177	_	_	3,610,17
Automobiles	450,964	_	_	450,96
Banks	27,221,611	_	_	27,221,6
Beverages	1,739,031	_	_	1,739,0
Biotechnology	20,239,133	_		20,239,13
Building Products	3,558,466			3,558,46
	4,416,380	_	_	4,416,38
Capital Markets		_	_	
Chemicals	5,707,395	_	_	5,707,39
Commercial Services & Supplies	3,878,216	_	_	3,878,21
Communications Equipment	2,499,853	_	_	2,499,85
Construction & Engineering	4,473,885	_	_	4,473,88
Construction Materials	446,615	_	_	446,61
Consumer Finance	1,855,781	_	_	1,855,78
Containers & Packaging	887,028	_	_	887,02
Distributors	55,036	_	_	55,03
Diversified Consumer Services	2,622,956	_	_	2,622,95
Diversified Financial Services	817,001	_	_	817,00
Diversified Telecommunication Services	1,864,211	_	_	1,864,2
Electric Utilities	2,089,381	_	_	2,089,38
Electrical Equipment	3,914,301	_		3,914,30
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components	6,421,209			6,421,20
	6,094,161	_	_	6,094,16
Energy Equipment & Services		_	_	752,04
Entertainment	752,045	-	_	
Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)	15,996,598	_	_	15,996,59
Food & Staples Retailing	1,668,003	_	_	1,668,0
Food Products	3,323,644	_	_	3,323,6
Gas Utilities	3,410,869	_	_	3,410,8
Health Care Equipment & Supplies	10,516,145	_	_	10,516,14
Health Care Providers & Services	7,271,671	_	_	7,271,6
Health Care Technology	1,497,058	_	_	1,497,0
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	6,556,189	_	_	6,556,18
Household Durables	4,391,439	_	_	4,391,43
Household Products	754,004	_	_	754,00
Independent Power and Renewable Electricity Producers	1,289,892	_	_	1,289,89
Industrial Conglomerates	56,671	_	_	56,67
Insurance	5,808,210	_	_	5,808,2
Interactive Media & Services	1,855,633			1,855,63
		_	_	
Internet & Direct Marketing Retail	937,707	-	_	937,70
IT Services	5,518,390	_	_	5,518,39
Leisure Products	1,132,688	_	_	1,132,68
Life Sciences Tools & Services	2,125,479	_	_	2,125,47
Machinery	10,640,996	_	_	10,640,99
Marine	668,998	_	_	668,9
Media	2,280,063	_	_	2,280,0
Metals & Mining	4,344,185	_	_	4,344,1
Mortgage Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)	3,257,945	_	_	3,257,9
Multiline Retail	278,095	_	_	278,0
Multi-Utilities	1,435,476	_	_	1,435,4
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels.	12,600,514	_	_	12,600,51
				421,51
Paper & Forest Products	421,518			

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Fair Value Hierarchy as of Period End (continued)

Pharmaceuticals \$ Professional Services \$	4,989,051 4,503,220 1,664,737 1,566,018	\$	_	\$ _	\$	4,989,051
	1,664,737		_			
B 15 / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / / /	, , .			_		4,503,220
Real Estate Management & Development	1,566,018		_	_		1,664,737
Road & Rail			_	_		1,566,018
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	6,988,068		_	_		6,988,068
Software	12,656,955		_	_		12,656,955
Specialty Retail	6,699,545		_	_		6,699,545
Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals	935,985		_	_		935,985
Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods	1,966,595		_	_		1,966,595
Thrifts & Mortgage Finance	3,718,273		_	_		3,718,273
Tobacco	424,424		_	_		424,424
Trading Companies & Distributors	4,723,762		_	_		4,723,762
Water Utilities	1,419,624		_	_		1,419,624
Wireless Telecommunication Services	349,656		_	_		349,656
Investment Companies	_		_	_		_
Rights	_		_	8,890		8,890
Short-Term Securities						
Money Market Funds	3,541,118			 		3,541,118
\$	278,606,707	\$	_	\$ 8,890	\$	278,615,597
Investments valued at NAV ^(a)						40,270,527
					\$	318,886,124
Derivative Financial Instruments ^(b)						
Liabilities						
Equity contracts	(1,412)	¢		\$	¢	(1,412)

^(a) Certain investments of the Fund were fair valued using NAV as a practical expedient as no quoted market value is available and therefore have been excluded from the fair value hierarchy.

See notes to financial statements.

⁽b) Derivative financial instruments are futures contracts. Futures contracts are valued at the unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on the instrument.

BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I.

		Fund
ASSETS		
	r.	075 074 470
Investments, at value — unaffiliated ^{(a)(b)}	\$	275,074,479
Investments, at value — affiliated ^(c)		43,811,645
Cash		3,553
Cash pledged:		
Futures contracts		129,000
Receivables:		
Investments sold		127,400
Securities lending income — affiliated		25,897
Capital shares sold		255,001
Dividends — unaffiliated		326,640
Dividends — affiliated		6,397
From the Manager		30,111
Prepaid expenses		2,436
Total assets		319,792,559
LIABILITIES		
Collateral on securities loaned		40,291,165
Payables:		,,
Investments purchased .		2,098,914
Capital shares redeemed.		77,138
Distribution fees.		423
Investment advisory fees		2,568
Directors' and Officer's fees		32
Printing and postage fees		154,677
Professional fees		52.128
Variation margin on futures contracts		6,862
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		97,735
Other accrued expenses	_	
Total liabilities		42,781,642
NET ASSETS	\$	277,010,917
NET ASSETS CONSIST OF:		
Paid-in capital	\$	254,023,503
Accumulated earnings	*	22,987,414
NET ASSETS	\$	277,010,917
NEI MOSETO	Ψ	211,010,311
(a) Investments, at cost — unaffiliated	\$	251,666,286
(b) Securities loaned, at value.	\$	38,542,520
(c) Investments, at cost — affiliated	\$	43,800,918

See notes to financial statements.

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Statement of Assets and Liabilities (continued) December 31, 2022

BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund

NET ACCET VALUE		
NET ASSET VALUE Class I		
Net assets.	\$	274,953,989
Shares outstanding		27,289,780
Net asset value	\$	10.08
Shares authorized	_	100 million
Par value	\$	0.10
Class III		
Net assets	\$	2,056,928
Shares outstanding		204,713
Net asset value	\$	10.05
Shares authorized	_	10 million
Par value	\$	0.10

See notes to financial statements.

	BI	lackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund
INVESTMENT INCOME Dividends — unaffiliated . Dividends — affiliated . Securities lending income — affiliated — net Foreign taxes withheld .	\$	4,150,286 31,567 289,068 (7,967)
Total investment income		4,462,954
EXPENSES Investment advisory Transfer agent — class specific Printing and postage Professional Accounting services Custodian. Directors and Officer Transfer agent. Distribution — class specific Miscellaneous Total expenses	_	236,416 149,627 141,983 69,025 61,200 29,524 8,870 5,000 3,574 1,014
Less: Fees waived and/or reimbursed by the Manager. Transfer agent fees reimbursed by the Manager — class specific.		(47,796) (40,977)
Total expenses after fees waived and/or reimbursed	-	617,460
Net investment income		3,845,494
Net realized gain (loss) from: Investments — unaffiliated Investments — affiliated Futures contracts.	_	3,293,879 (9,299) (619,068) 2,665,512
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on: Investments — unaffiliated Investments — affiliated Futures contracts.	_	(78,370,027) 11,688 (45,943) (78,404,282)
Net realized and unrealized loss.		(75,738,770)
NET DECREASE IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS	\$	(71,893,276)

See notes to financial statements.

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Statements of Changes in Net Assets

	В	BlackRock Small	Cap In	Cap Index V.I. Fund		
		Inded 12/31/22				
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS						
OPERATIONS						
Net investment income	\$	3,845,494	\$	3,423,179		
Net realized gain		2,665,512		37,654,734		
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation)		(78,404,282)		5,539,866		
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations		(71,893,276)		46,617,779		
DISTRIBUTIONS TO SHAREHOLDERS(a)						
Class I		(8,911,398)		(41,511,263)		
Class III		(56,856)		(65,309)		
Decrease in net assets resulting from distributions to shareholders.		(8,968,254)		(41,576,572)		
CAPITAL SHARE TRANSACTIONS						
Net increase in net assets derived from capital share transactions		5,899,664		25,188,437		
NETASSETS						
Total increase (decrease) in net assets		(74,961,866)		30.229.644		
Beginning of year.		351.972.783		321,743,139		
End of year	\$	277,010,917	\$	351,972,783		

⁽a) Distributions for annual periods determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations.

See notes to financial statements.

Financial Highlights (For a share outstanding throughout each period)

				BlackRock	Smal	Cap Index V.I.	Fund ⁽	a)		
					(Class I				
		Year Ended 12/31/22		Year Ended 12/31/21		Year Ended 12/31/20		Year Ended 12/31/19		Year Ended 12/31/18
Net asset value, beginning of year	\$	13.10	\$	13.02	\$	11.34	\$	9.60	\$	14.57
Net investment income ^(b)		0.14		0.14		0.12		0.15		0.18
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)		(2.83)		1.68		2.11		2.29		(1.86)
Net increase (decrease) from investment operations		(2.69)		1.82		2.23		2.44	_	(1.68)
Distributions ^(c)										
From net investment income		(0.13)		(0.16)		(0.16)		(0.15)		(0.19)
From net realized gain.		(0.20)		(1.58)		(0.39)		(0.55)		(3.10)
Total distributions	_	(0.33)		(1.74)	_	(0.55)		(0.70)	_	(3.29)
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Net asset value, end of year	<u> </u>	10.08	<u>\$</u>	13.10	<u>\$</u>	13.02	<u>\$</u>	11.34	<u>\$</u>	9.60
Total Return ^(d)										
Based on net asset value	_	(20.46)%		14.57%		19.84%		25.40%	_	(11.25)%
Ratios to Average Net Assets ^(e)										
Total expenses		0.24%		0.23% ^(f)		0.29%		0.27%		0.30%(g)
Total expenses after fees waived and/or reimbursed	_	0.21%		0.22%		0.22%		0.22%		0.23%(9)
Net investment income	_	1.30%		0.96%		1.17%		1.37%	_	1.17%
Supplemental Data										
Net assets, end of year (000).	\$	274,954	\$	351,338	\$	321,743	\$	284,967	\$	242,300
Portfolio turnover rate		18%		21%		16%		13%		17%

⁽a) On October 29, 2018, the Fund acquired all of the assets and assumed certain stated liabilities of the Small Cap Equity Index Fund (the "Predecessor Fund"), a series of State Farm Variable Product Trust, through a tax-free reorganization (the "Reorganization"). The Predecessor Fund is the performance and accounting survivor of the Reorganization.

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⁽b) Based on average shares outstanding.

⁽c) Distributions for annual periods determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations.

⁽d) Where applicable, excludes insurance-related fees and expenses and assumes the reinvestment of distributions.

⁽e) Excludes fees and expenses incurred indirectly as a result of investments in underlying funds.

[®] Includes recoupment of past waived and/or reimbursed fees with no financial impact to the expense ratios.

⁽⁹⁾ Includes reorganization costs associated with the Fund's reorganization. Without these costs, total expenses and total expenses after fees waived and/or reimbursed would have been 0.27% and 0.23%, respectively.

Financial Highlights (continued) (For a share outstanding throughout each period)

	BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. F			dex V.I. Fund
		Class	ill :	
				Period from
	,	Year Ended 12/31/22		02/09/21 ^(a) to 12/31/21
Net asset value, beginning of period	\$	13.07	\$	15.16
Net investment income ^(b)		0.13		0.16
Net realized and unrealized loss		(2.83)	_	(0.52) ^(c)
Net (decrease) from investment operations	_	(2.70)	_	(0.36)
Distributions ^(d)				
From net investment income		(0.12)		(0.15)
From net realized gain		(0.20)		(1.58)
Total distributions		(0.32)		(1.73)
Net asset value, end of period	\$	10.05	\$	13.07
Total Return ^(e)				
Based on net asset value		(20.63)%	_	(1.85)% ^(f)
Ratios to Average Net Assets ^(g)				
Total expenses		0.51%		0.41% ^(h)
Total expenses after fees waived and/or reimbursed		0.45%		0.41% ^(h)
Net investment income		1.21%	Ξ	1.23% ^(h)
Supplemental Data				
Net assets, end of period (000)	\$	2,057	\$	635
Portfolio turnover rate		18%		21% ⁽ⁱ⁾

⁽a) Commencement of operations.

See notes to financial statements.

⁽b) Based on average shares outstanding.

⁽e) The amounts reported for a share outstanding may not accord with the change in aggregate gains and losses in securities for the fiscal period due to the timing of capital share transactions in relation to the fluctuating market values of the Fund's underlying securities.

⁽d) Distributions for annual periods determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations.

⁽e) Where applicable, excludes insurance-related fees and expenses and assumes the reinvestment of distributions.

⁽f) Not annualized.

⁽⁹⁾ Excludes fees and expenses incurred indirectly as a result of investments in underlying funds.

⁽h) Annualized.

⁽⁾ Portfolio turnover rate is representative of the portfolio for the entire year.

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1. ORGANIZATION

BlackRock Variable Series Funds, Inc. (the "Company") is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"), as an open-end management investment company. The Company is organized as a Maryland corporation that is comprised of 15 separate funds. The funds offer shares to insurance companies for their separate accounts to fund benefits under certain variable annuity and variable life insurance contracts. The financial statements presented are for BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund (the "Fund"). The Fund is classified as diversified. The Fund offers multiple classes of shares. Class I and Class III Shares have equal voting, dividend, liquidation and other rights, except that only shares of the respective classes are entitled to vote on matters concerning only that class. In addition, Class III Shares bear certain expenses related to the distribution of such shares.

The Fund, together with certain other registered investment companies advised by BlackRock Advisors, LLC (the "Manager") or its affiliates, is included in a complex of funds referred to as the BlackRock Multi-Asset Complex.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements are prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"), which may require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities in the financial statements, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of increases and decreases in net assets from operations during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The Fund is considered an investment company under U.S. GAAP and follows the accounting and reporting guidance applicable to investment companies. Below is a summary of significant accounting policies:

Investment Transactions and Income Recognition: For financial reporting purposes, investment transactions are recorded on the dates the transactions are executed. Realized gains and losses on investment transactions are determined using the specific identification method. Dividend income and capital gain distributions, if any, are recorded on the ex-dividend dates. Non-cash dividends, if any, are recorded on the ex-dividend dates at fair value. Dividends from foreign securities where the ex-dividend dates may have passed are subsequently recorded when the Fund is informed of the ex-dividend dates. Under the applicable foreign tax laws, a withholding tax at various rates may be imposed on capital gains, dividends and interest. Upon notification from issuers, a portion of the dividend income received from a real estate investment trust may be redesignated as a reduction of cost of the related investment and/or realized gain. Income, expenses and realized and unrealized gains and losses are allocated daily to each class based on its relative net assets.

Foreign Taxes: The Fund may be subject to foreign taxes (a portion of which may be reclaimable) on income, stock dividends, capital gains on investments, or certain foreign currency transactions. All foreign taxes are recorded in accordance with the applicable foreign tax regulations and rates that exist in the foreign jurisdictions in which the Fund invests. These foreign taxes, if any, are paid by the Fund and are reflected in its Statement of Operations as follows: foreign taxes withheld at source are presented as a reduction of income, foreign taxes on stock dividends are presented as "Foreign taxes withheld", and foreign taxes on capital gains from sales of investments and foreign taxes on foreign currency transactions are included in their respective net realized gain (loss) categories. Foreign taxes payable or deferred as of December 31, 2022, if any, are disclosed in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

The Fund files withholding tax reclaims in certain jurisdictions to recover a portion of amounts previously withheld. The Fund may record a reclaim receivable based on collectability, which includes factors such as the jurisdiction's applicable laws, payment history and market convention. The Statement of Operations includes tax reclaims recorded as well as professional and other fees, if any, associated with recovery of foreign withholding taxes.

Collateralization: If required by an exchange or counterparty agreement, the Fund may be required to deliver/deposit cash and/or securities to/with an exchange, or broker-dealer or custodian as collateral for certain investments.

Distributions: Distributions paid by the Fund are recorded on the ex-dividend dates. The character and timing of distributions are determined in accordance with U.S. federal income tax regulations, which may differ from U.S. GAAP.

Indemnifications: In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into contracts that contain a variety of representations that provide general indemnification. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown because it involves future potential claims against the Fund, which cannot be predicted with any certainty.

Other: Expenses directly related to the Fund or its classes are charged to the Fund or the applicable class. Expenses directly related to the Fund and other shared expenses prorated to the Fund are allocated daily to each class based on its relative net assets or other appropriate methods. Other operating expenses shared by several funds, including other funds managed by the Manager, are prorated among those funds on the basis of relative net assets or other appropriate methods.

3. INVESTMENT VALUATION AND FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

Investment Valuation Policies: The Fund's investments are valued at fair value (also referred to as "market value" within the financial statements) each day that the Fund is open for business and, for financial reporting purposes, as of the report date. U.S. GAAP defines fair value as the price a fund would receive to sell an asset or pay to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The Board of Directors of the Company (the "Board") has approved the designation of the Fund's Manager as the valuation designee for the Fund. The Fund determines the fair values of its financial instruments using various independent dealers or pricing services under the Manager's policies. If a security's market price is not readily available or does not otherwise accurately represent the fair value of the security, the security will be valued in accordance with the Manager's policies and procedures as reflecting fair value. The Manager has formed a committee (the "Valuation Committee") to develop pricing policies and procedures and to oversee the pricing function for all financial instruments, with assistance from other BlackRock pricing committees.

Fair Value Inputs and Methodologies: The following methods and inputs are used to establish the fair value of the Fund's assets and liabilities:

· Equity investments traded on a recognized securities exchange are valued at that day's official closing price, as applicable, on the exchange where the stock is

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primarily traded. Equity investments traded on a recognized exchange for which there were no sales on that day may be valued at the last available bid (long positions) or ask (short positions) price.

- Investments in open-end U.S. mutual funds (including money market funds) are valued at that day's published net asset value ("NAV").
- The Fund values its investment in SL Liquidity Series, LLC, Money Market Series (the "Money Market Series") at fair value, which is ordinarily based upon its pro rata
 ownership in the underlying fund's net assets.
- Futures contracts are valued based on that day's last reported settlement or trade price on the exchange where the contract is traded.

Generally, trading in foreign instruments is substantially completed each day at various times prior to the close of trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"). Each business day, the Fund uses current market factors supplied by independent pricing services to value certain foreign instruments ("Systematic Fair Value Price"). The Systematic Fair Value Price is designed to value such foreign securities at fair value as of the close of trading on the NYSE, which follows the close of the local markets.

If events (e.g., market volatility, company announcement or a natural disaster) occur that are expected to materially affect the value of such investment, or in the event that application of these methods of valuation results in a price for an investment that is deemed not to be representative of the market value of such investment, or if a price is not available, the investment will be valued by the Valuation Committee in accordance with the Manager's policies and procedures as reflecting fair value ("Fair Valued Investments"). The fair valuation approaches that may be used by the Valuation Committee include market approach, income approach and cost approach. Valuation techniques such as discounted cash flow, use of market comparables and matrix pricing are types of valuation approaches and are typically used in determining fair value. When determining the price for Fair Valued Investments, the Valuation Committee seeks to determine the price that the Fund might reasonably expect to receive or pay from the current sale or purchase of that asset or liability in an arm's-length transaction. Fair value determinations shall be based upon all available factors that the Valuation Committee deems relevant and consistent with the principles of fair value measurement.

For investments in equity or debt issued by privately held companies or funds ("Private Company" or collectively, the "Private Companies") and other Fair Valued Investments, the fair valuation approaches that are used by the Valuation Committee and third-party pricing services utilized by the Valuation Committee include one or a combination of, but not limited to, the following inputs.

	Standard	Inputs Generally Considered By The Valuation Committee And Third-Party Pricing Services
Market approach	(i)	recent market transactions, including subsequent rounds of financing, in the underlying investment or comparable
		issuers;
	(ii)	recapitalizations and other transactions across the capital structure; and
	(iii)	market multiples of comparable issuers.
Income approach	(i)	future cash flows discounted to present and adjusted as appropriate for liquidity, credit, and/or market risks;
	(ii)	quoted prices for similar investments or assets in active markets; and
	(iii)	other risk factors, such as interest rates, yield curves, volatilities, prepayment speeds, loss severities, credit risks,
		recovery rates, liquidation amounts and/or default rates.
Cost approach	(i)	audited or unaudited financial statements, investor communications and financial or operational metrics
		issued by the Private Company;
	(ii)	changes in the valuation of relevant indices or publicly traded companies comparable to the Private Company;
	(iii)	relevant news and other public sources; and
	(iv)	known secondary market transactions in the Private Company's interests and merger or acquisition activity
		in companies comparable to the Private Company.

Investments in series of preferred stock issued by Private Companies are typically valued utilizing market approach in determining the enterprise value of the company. Such investments often contain rights and preferences that differ from other series of preferred and common stock of the same issuer. Enterprise valuation techniques such as an option pricing model ("OPM"), a probability weighted expected return model ("PWERM"), current value method or a hybrid of those techniques are used as deemed appropriate under the circumstances. The use of these valuation techniques involve a determination of the exit scenarios of the investment in order to appropriately allocate the enterprise value of the company among the various parts of its capital structure.

The Private Companies are not subject to the public company disclosure, timing, and reporting standards applicable to other investments held by the Fund. Typically, the most recently available information by a Private Company is as of a date that is earlier than the date the Fund is calculating its NAV. This factor may result in a difference between the value of the investment and the price the Fund could receive upon the sale of the investment.

Fair Value Hierarchy: Various inputs are used in determining the fair value of financial instruments. These inputs to valuation techniques are categorized into a fair value hierarchy consisting of three broad levels for financial reporting purposes as follows:

- Level 1 Unadjusted price quotations in active markets/exchanges for identical assets or liabilities that the Fund has the ability to access;
- Level 2 Other observable inputs (including, but not limited to, quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in markets that are active, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active, inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the assets or liabilities (such as interest rates, yield curves, volatilities, prepayment speeds, loss severities, credit risks and default rates) or other market—corroborated inputs); and
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs based on the best information available in the circumstances, to the extent observable inputs are not available (including the Valuation Committee's assumptions used in determining the fair value of financial instruments).

The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). Accordingly, the degree of judgment exercised in determining fair value is greatest for instruments categorized in Level 3. The inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, for disclosure purposes, the fair value hierarchy classification is

determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. Investments classified within Level 3 have significant unobservable inputs used by the Valuation Committee in determining the price for Fair Valued Investments. Level 3 investments include equity or debt issued by Private Companies that may not have a secondary market and/or may have a limited number of investors. The categorization of a value determined for financial instruments is based on the pricing transparency of the financial instruments and is not necessarily an indication of the risks associated with investing in those securities.

As of December 31, 2022, certain investments of the Fund were fair valued using NAV as a practical expedient as no quoted market value is available and therefore have been excluded from the fair value hierarchy.

4. SECURITIES AND OTHER INVESTMENTS

Securities Lending: The Fund may lend its securities to approved borrowers, such as brokers, dealers and other financial institutions. The borrower pledges and maintains with the Fund collateral consisting of cash, an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a bank, or securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Government. The initial collateral received by the Fund is required to have a value of at least 102% of the current value of the loaned securities for securities traded on U.S. exchanges and a value of at least 105% for all other securities. The collateral is maintained thereafter at a value equal to at least 100% of the current market value of the securities on loan. The market value of the loaned securities is determined at the close of each business day of the Fund and any additional required collateral is delivered to the Fund, or excess collateral returned by the Fund, on the next business day. During the term of the loan, the Fund is entitled to all distributions made on or in respect of the loaned securities, but does not receive interest income on securities received as collateral. Loans of securities are terminable at any time and the borrower, after notice, is required to return borrowed securities within the standard time period for settlement of securities transactions.

As of period end, any securities on loan were collateralized by cash and/or U.S. Government obligations. Cash collateral invested by the securities lending agent, BlackRock Investment Management, LLC ("BIM"), if any, is disclosed in the Schedule of Investments. Any non-cash collateral received cannot be sold, re-invested or pledged by the Fund, except in the event of borrower default. The securities on loan, if any, are disclosed in the Fund's Schedule of Investments. The market value of any securities on loan and the value of any related collateral are shown separately in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities as a component of investments at value – unaffiliated and collateral on securities loaned, respectively.

Securities lending transactions are entered into by the Fund under Master Securities Lending Agreements (each, an "MSLA"), which provide the right, in the event of default (including bankruptcy or insolvency), for the non-defaulting party to liquidate the collateral and calculate a net exposure to the defaulting party or request additional collateral. In the event that a borrower defaults, the Fund, as lender, would offset the market value of the collateral received against the market value of the securities loaned. When the value of the collateral is greater than that of the market value of the securities loaned, the lender is left with a net amount payable to the defaulting party. However, bankruptcy or insolvency laws of a particular jurisdiction may impose restrictions on or prohibitions against such a right of offset in the event of an MSLA counterparty's bankruptcy or insolvency. Under the MSLA, absent an event of default, the borrower can resell or re-pledge the loaned securities, and the Fund can reinvest cash collateral received in connection with loaned securities. Upon an event of default, the parties' obligations to return the securities or collateral to the other party are extinguished, and the parties can resell or re-pledge the loaned securities or the collateral received in connection with the loaned securities in order to satisfy the defaulting party's net payment obligation for all transactions under the MSLA. The defaulting party remains liable for any deficiency.

As of period end, the following table is a summary of the Fund's securities on loan by counterparty which are subject to offset under an MSLA:

	Securities	Cash Collateral	Non-Cash Collateral	Net
Counterparty	Loaned at Value	Received (a)	Received, at Fair Value	Amount
Barclays Capital, Inc	\$ 5,180,201	\$ (5,180,201)	\$ _	\$
BMO Capital Markets Corp	13,888	(13,888)	_	_
BNP Paribas SA	29,976	(29,976)	_	_
BofA Securities, Inc	543,490	(543,490)	_	_
Citigroup Global Markets, Inc	5,162,691	(5,162,691)	_	_
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1,830,920	(1,830,920)	_	_
J.P. Morgan Securities LLC	14,759,355	(14,759,355)	_	_
Jefferies LLC	1,157,030	(1,157,030)	_	_
National Financial Services LLC	3,707,514	(3,707,514)	_	_
State Street Bank & Trust Co	1,994,918	(1,994,918)	_	_
Toronto-Dominion Bank	4,034,558	(4,034,558)	_	_
UBS Securities LLC	127,979	(127,979)	_	_
-	\$ 38,542,520	\$ (38,542,520)	\$ _	\$ _

⁽a) Collateral received, if any, in excess of the market value of securities on loan is not presented in this table. The total cash collateral received by the Fund is disclosed in the Fund's Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

The risks of securities lending include the risk that the borrower may not provide additional collateral when required or may not return the securities when due. To mitigate these risks, the Fund benefits from a borrower default indemnity provided by BIM. BIM's indemnity allows for full replacement of the securities loaned to the extent the collateral received does not cover the value on the securities loaned in the event of borrower default. The Fund could incur a loss if the value of an investment purchased with cash collateral falls below the market value of loaned securities or if the value of an investment purchased with cash collateral falls below the value of the original cash collateral received. Such losses are borne entirely by the Fund.

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5. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Fund engages in various portfolio investment strategies using derivative contracts both to increase the returns of the Fund and/or to manage its exposure to certain risks such as credit risk, equity risk, interest rate risk, foreign currency exchange rate risk, commodity price risk or other risks (e.g., inflation risk). Derivative financial instruments categorized by risk exposure are included in the Schedule of Investments. These contracts may be transacted on an exchange or over-the-counter ("OTC").

Futures Contracts: Futures contracts are purchased or sold to gain exposure to, or manage exposure to, changes in interest rates (interest rate risk) and changes in the value of equity securities (equity risk) or foreign currencies (foreign currency exchange rate risk).

Futures contracts are exchange-traded agreements between the Fund and a counterparty to buy or sell a specific quantity of an underlying instrument at a specified price and on a specified date. Depending on the terms of a contract, it is settled either through physical delivery of the underlying instrument on the settlement date or by payment of a cash amount on the settlement date. Upon entering into a futures contract, the Fund is required to deposit initial margin with the broker in the form of cash or securities in an amount that varies depending on a contract's size and risk profile. The initial margin deposit must then be maintained at an established level over the life of the contract. Amounts pledged, which are considered restricted, are included in cash pledged for futures contracts in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

Securities deposited as initial margin are designated in the Schedule of Investments and cash deposited, if any, are shown as cash pledged for futures contracts in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. Pursuant to the contract, the Fund agrees to receive from or pay to the broker an amount of cash equal to the daily fluctuation in market value of the contract ("variation margin"). Variation margin is recorded as unrealized appreciation (depreciation) and, if any, shown as variation margin receivable (or payable) on futures contracts in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. When the contract is closed, a realized gain or loss is recorded in the Statement of Operations equal to the difference between the notional amount of the contract at the time it was opened and the notional amount at the time it was closed. The use of futures contracts involves the risk of an imperfect correlation in the movements in the price of futures contracts and interest rates, foreign currency exchange rates or underlying assets.

6. INVESTMENT ADVISORY AGREEMENT AND OTHER TRANSACTIONS WITH AFFILIATES

Investment Advisory: The Company, on behalf of the Fund, entered into an Investment Advisory Agreement with the Manager, the Fund's investment adviser and an indirect, wholly-owned subsidiary of BlackRock, Inc. ("BlackRock"), to provide investment advisory and administrative services. The Manager is responsible for the management of the Fund's portfolio and provides the personnel, facilities, equipment and certain other services necessary to the operations of the Fund.

For such services, the Fund pays the Manager a monthly fee at an annual rate equal to 0.08% of the average daily value of the Fund's net assets.

Distribution Fees: The Company, on behalf of the Fund, entered into a Distribution Agreement and a Distribution Plan with BlackRock Investments, LLC ("BRIL"), an affiliate of the Manager. Pursuant to the Distribution Plan and in accordance with Rule 12b-1 under the 1940 Act, the Fund pays BRIL ongoing distribution fees. The fees are accrued daily and paid monthly at an annual rate of 0.25% based upon the average daily net assets attributable to Class III.

BRIL and broker-dealers, pursuant to sub-agreements with BRIL, provide shareholder distribution services to the Fund. The ongoing distribution fee compensates BRIL and each broker-dealer for providing shareholder distribution related services to shareholders.

For the year ended December 31, 2022, the class specific distribution fees borne directly by Class III were \$3,574.

Transfer Agent: On behalf of the Fund, the Manager entered into agreements with insurance companies and other financial intermediaries ("Service Organizations"), some of which may be affiliates. Pursuant to these agreements, the Service Organizations provide the Fund with administrative, networking, recordkeeping, sub-transfer agency and shareholder services to underlying investor accounts. For these services, the Service Organizations receive an annual fee per shareholder account, which will vary depending on share class and/or net assets of Fund shareholders serviced by the Service Organizations which is shown as transfer agent – class specific in the Statement of Operations. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Fund did not pay any amounts to affiliates in return for these services.

In addition, the Fund pays the transfer agent, which is not an affiliate, a fee for the issuance, transfer and redemption of shares and the opening and maintenance of shareholder accounts, which is included in transfer agent in the Statement of Operations.

For the year ended December 31, 2022, the following table shows the class specific transfer agent fees borne directly by each share class of the Fund:

	Class I	Class III	Total
Transfer agent fees - class specific	\$ 148,863	\$ 764	\$ 149,627

Expense Limitations, Waivers, Reimbursements and Recoupments: The Manager contractually agreed to waive its investment advisory fees by the amount of investment advisory fees the Fund pays to the Manager indirectly through its investment in affiliated money market funds (the "affiliated money market fund waiver") through June 30, 2023. The contractual agreement may be terminated upon 90 days' notice by a majority of the directors who are not "interested persons" of the Company, as defined in the 1940 Act ("Independent Directors"), or by a vote of a majority of the outstanding voting securities of the Fund. The amount of waivers and/or reimbursements of fees and expenses made pursuant to the expense limitation described below will be reduced by the amount of the affiliated money market fund waiver. This amount is included in fees waived and/or reimbursed by the Manager in the Statement of Operations. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the amount waived was \$1,246.

The Manager has contractually agreed to waive its investment advisory fee with respect to any portion of the Fund's assets invested in affiliated equity and fixed-income mutual funds and affiliated exchange-traded funds that have a contractual management fee through June 30, 2023. The contractual agreement may be terminated upon 90 days' notice by a majority of the Independent Directors, or by a vote of a majority of the outstanding voting securities of the Fund. For the year ended December 31, 2022, there were no fees waived by the Manager pursuant to this arrangement.

The Manager has contractually agreed to reimburse certain transfer agent fees in order to limit such expenses to a percentage of average daily net assets as follows:

Class I	0.05%
Class III	0.05

The Manager has agreed not to reduce or discontinue the contractual expense limitations through June 30, 2023, unless approved by the Board, including a majority of the Independent Directors, or by a vote of a majority of the outstanding voting securities of the Fund. In addition, these amounts waived and/or reimbursed by the Manager are included in transfer agent fees reimbursed by the Manager — class specific in the Statement of Operations. For the year ended December 31, 2022, class specific expense waivers and/or reimbursements are as follows:

Fund Name/Share Class	Transfer Reimbursed by th Cl	r Agent Fees ne Manager - lass Specific
BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund		
Class I	\$	3,200
Class III		163
	\$	3,363

The Manager contractually agreed to waive and/or reimburse fees or expenses in order to limit expenses, excluding interest expense, dividend expense, tax expense, acquired fund fees and expenses, and certain other fund expenses, which constitute extraordinary expenses not incurred in the ordinary course of the Fund's business ("expense limitation"). The expense limitations as a percentage of average daily net assets are as follows:

	Class I	Class III
Expense Limitations.	0.22%	0.47%

The Manager has agreed not to reduce or discontinue the contractual expense limitations through June 30, 2023, unless approved by the Board, including a majority of the Independent Directors, or by a vote of a majority of the outstanding voting securities of the Fund. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Manager waived and/or reimbursed investment advisory fees of \$46,550 and \$37,614, which is included in fees waived and/or reimbursed by the Manager and transfer agent fees reimbursed by the Manager — class specific, respectively, in the Statement of Operations.

With respect to the contractual expense limitation, if during the Fund's fiscal year the operating expenses of a share class, that at any time during the prior two fiscal years received a waiver and/or reimbursement from the Manager, are less than the current expense limitation for that share class, the Manager is entitled to be reimbursed by such share class up to the lesser of: (a) the amount of fees waived and/or expenses reimbursed during those prior two fiscal years under the agreement and (b) an amount not to exceed either the current expense limitation of that share class or the expense limitation of the share class in effect at the time that the share class received the applicable waiver and/or reimbursement, provided that:

- (1) the Fund, of which the share class is a part, has more than \$50 million in assets for the fiscal year, and
- (2) the Manager or an affiliate continues to serve as the Fund's investment adviser or administrator.

This repayment applies only to the contractual expense limitation on net expenses and does not apply to the contractual investment advisory fee waiver described above or any voluntary waivers that may be in effect from time to time. Effective October 26, 2025, the repayment arrangement between the Fund and the Manager pursuant to which such Fund may be required to repay amounts waived and/or reimbursed under the Fund's contractual caps on net expenses will be terminated.

As of December 31, 2022, the fund level and class specific waivers and/or reimbursements subject to possible future recoupment under the expense limitation agreement are as follows:

	Expiring Dece	mber 31,	
Fund Level/Share Class	2023		2024
Fund Level	\$ _	\$	46,550
Class I	35,706		40,549
Class III	_		428

The following fund level and class specific waivers and/or reimbursements previously recorded by the Fund, which were subject to recoupment by the Manager, expired on December 31, 2022:

Fund Level\$	55,821
Class I	125.340

Securities Lending: The U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") has issued an exemptive order which permits BIM, an affiliate of the Manager, to serve as securities lending agent for the Fund, subject to applicable conditions. As securities lending agent, BIM bears all operational costs directly related to securities lending. The Fund is responsible for expenses in connection with the investment of cash collateral received for securities on loan (the "collateral investment expenses"). The cash collateral is invested in a private investment company, Money Market Series, managed by the Manager or its affiliates. However, BIM has agreed to cap the collateral investment expenses of the Money Market Series to an annual rate of 0.04%. The investment adviser to the Money Market Series will not charge any advisory fees with respect to shares purchased by the Fund. The Money Market Series may, under certain circumstances, impose a liquidity fee of up to 2% of the value withdrawn or temporarily restrict withdrawals for up to 10 business days during a 90 day period, in the event that the private investment company's weekly liquid assets fall below certain thresholds. The Money Market Series seeks current income consistent with maintaining liquidity and preserving capital. Although the Money Market Series is not registered under the 1940 Act, its investments may follow the parameters of investments by a money market fund that is subject to Rule 2a-7 under the 1940 Act.

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Securities lending income is equal to the total of income earned from the reinvestment of cash collateral, net of fees and other payments to and from borrowers of securities, and less the collateral investment expenses. The Fund retains a portion of securities lending income and remits a remaining portion to BIM as compensation for its services as securities lending agent.

Pursuant to the current securities lending agreement, the Fund retains 81% of securities lending income (which excludes collateral investment expenses), and this amount retained can never be less than 70% of the total of securities lending income plus the collateral investment expenses.

In addition, commencing the business day following the date that the aggregate securities lending income earned across the BlackRock Multi-Asset Complex in a calendar year exceeds a specified threshold, the Fund, pursuant to the securities lending agreement, will retain for the remainder of that calendar year securities lending income in an amount equal to 81% of securities lending income (which excludes collateral investment expenses), and this amount retained can never be less than 70% of the total of securities lending income plus the collateral investment expenses.

The share of securities lending income earned by the Fund is shown as securities lending income — affiliated — net in the Statement of Operations. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the Fund paid BIM \$68,151 for securities lending agent services.

Interfund Lending: In accordance with an exemptive order (the "Order") from the SEC, the Fund may participate in a joint lending and borrowing facility for temporary purposes (the "Interfund Lending Program"), subject to compliance with the terms and conditions of the Order, and to the extent permitted by the Fund's investment policies and restrictions. The Fund is currently permitted to borrow and lend under the Interfund Lending Program.

A lending BlackRock fund may lend in aggregate up to 15% of its net assets but may not lend more than 5% of its net assets to any one borrowing fund through the Interfund Lending Program. A borrowing BlackRock fund may not borrow through the Interfund Lending Program or from any other source more than 33 1/3% of its total assets (or any lower threshold provided for by the fund's investment restrictions). If a borrowing BlackRock fund's total outstanding borrowings exceed 10% of its total assets, each of its outstanding interfund loans will be subject to collateralization of at least 102% of the outstanding principal value of the loan. All interfund loans are for temporary or emergency purposes and the interest rate to be charged will be the average of the highest current overnight repurchase agreement rate available to a lending fund and the bank loan rate, as calculated according to a formula established by the Board.

During the year ended December 31, 2022, the Fund did not participate in the Interfund Lending Program.

Directors and Officers: Certain directors and/or officers of the Company are directors and/or officers of BlackRock or its affiliates. The Fund reimburses the Manager for a portion of the compensation paid to the Company's Chief Compliance Officer, which is included in Directors and Officer in the Statement of Operations.

Other Transactions: The Fund may purchase securities from, or sell securities to, an affiliated fund provided the affiliation is due solely to having a common investment adviser, common officers, or common directors. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the purchase and sale transactions and any net realized gains (losses) with an affiliated fund in compliance with Rule 17a-7 under the 1940 Act were as follows:

Purchases	\$ 5,659,927
Sales	15,340,325
Net Realized Gain	6,335,705

7. PURCHASES AND SALES

For the year ended December 31, 2022, purchases and sales of investments, excluding short-term securities, were \$54,124,529 and \$53,261,018, respectively.

8. INCOME TAX INFORMATION

It is the Fund's policy to comply with the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, applicable to regulated investment companies, and to distribute substantially all of its taxable income to its shareholders. Therefore, no U.S. federal income tax provision is required.

The Fund files U.S. federal and various state and local tax returns. No income tax returns are currently under examination. The statute of limitations on the Fund's U.S. federal tax returns generally remains open for a period of three years after they are filed. The statutes of limitations on the Fund's state and local tax returns may remain open for an additional year depending upon the jurisdiction.

Management has analyzed tax laws and regulations and their application to the Fund as of December 31, 2022, inclusive of the open tax return years, and does not believe that there are any uncertain tax positions that require recognition of a tax liability in the Fund's financial statements.

The tax character of distributions paid was as follows:

Fund Name	Year Ended 12/31/22	Year Ended 12/31/21
BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund Ordinary income. Long-term capital gains.	\$ 3,519,406 5,448,848 8,968,254	\$ 8,248,224 33,328,348 41,576,572

As of December 31, 2022, the tax components of accumulated earnings (loss) were as follows:

	Undistributed			
	Long-Term	1	Net Unrealized	
Fund Name	Capital Gains	Ga	ains (Losses) ^(a)	Total
BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund	\$ 706,735	\$	22,280,679	\$ 22,987,414

⁽e) The difference between book-basis and tax-basis net unrealized gains (losses) was attributable primarily to the tax deferral of losses on wash sales, the realization for tax purposes of unrealized gains (losses) on investments in passive foreign investment companies, the realization for tax purposes of unrealized gains (losses) on certain futures contracts and the classification of investments.

As of December 31, 2022, gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation based on cost of investments (including short positions and derivatives, if any) for U.S. federal income tax purposes were as follows:

						Net Unrealized
		(Gross Unrealized	G	Gross Unrealized	Appreciation
Fund Name	Tax Cost		Appreciation		Depreciation	(Depreciation)
BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund	\$ 296,946,244	\$	79,748,654	\$	(57,808,774)	\$ 21,939,880

9. BANK BORROWINGS

The Company, on behalf of the Fund, along with certain other funds managed by the Manager and its affiliates ("Participating Funds"), are a party to a 364-day, \$2.50 billion credit agreement with a group of lenders. Under this agreement, the Fund may borrow to fund shareholder redemptions. Excluding commitments designated for certain individual funds, the Participating Funds, including the Fund, can borrow up to an aggregate commitment amount of \$1.75 billion at any time outstanding, subject to asset coverage and other limitations as specified in the agreement. The credit agreement has the following terms: a fee of 0.10% per annum on unused commitment amounts and interest at a rate equal to the higher of (a) Overnight Bank Funding Rate ("OBFR") (but, in any event, not less than 0.00%) on the date the loan is made plus 0.80% per annum, (b) the Fed Funds rate (but, in any event, not less than 0.00%) in effect from time to time plus 0.80% per annum on amounts borrowed or (c) the sum of (x) Daily Simple Secured Overnight Financing Rate ("SOFR") (but, in any event, not less than 0.00%) on the date the loan is made plus 0.10% and (y) 0.80% per annum. The agreement expires in April 2023 unless extended or renewed. These fees were allocated among such funds based upon portions of the aggregate commitment available to them and relative net assets of Participating Funds. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the Fund did not borrow under the credit agreement.

10. PRINCIPAL RISKS

In the normal course of business, the Fund invests in securities or other instruments and may enter into certain transactions, and such activities subject the Fund to various risks, including among others, fluctuations in the market (market risk) or failure of an issuer to meet all of its obligations. The value of securities or other instruments may also be affected by various factors, including, without limitation: (i) the general economy; (ii) the overall market as well as local, regional or global political and/or social instability; (iii) regulation, taxation or international tax treaties between various countries; or (iv) currency, interest rate and price fluctuations. Local, regional or global events such as war, acts of terrorism, the spread of infectious illness or other public health issues, recessions, or other events could have a significant impact on the Fund and its investments. The Fund's prospectus provides details of the risks to which the Fund is subject.

The Manager uses a "passive" or index approach to try to achieve the Fund's investment objective following the securities included in its underlying index during upturns as well as downturns. The Manager does not take steps to reduce market exposure or to lessen the effects of a declining market. Divergence from the underlying index and the composition of the portfolio is monitored by the Manager.

The Fund may be exposed to additional risks when reinvesting cash collateral in money market funds that do not seek to maintain a stable NAV per share of \$1.00, which may be subject to redemption gates or liquidity fees under certain circumstances.

Infectious Illness Risk: An outbreak of an infectious illness, such as the COVID-19 pandemic, may adversely impact the economies of many nations and the global economy, and may impact individual issuers and capital markets in ways that cannot be foreseen.

An infectious illness outbreak may result in, among other things, closed international borders, prolonged quarantines, supply chain disruptions, market volatility or disruptions and other significant economic, social and political impacts.

Valuation Risk: The market values of equities, such as common stocks and preferred securities or equity related investments, such as futures and options, may decline due to general market conditions which are not specifically related to a particular company. They may also decline due to factors which affect a particular industry or industries. The Fund may invest in illiquid investments. An illiquid investment is any investment that the Fund reasonably expects cannot be sold or disposed of in current market conditions in seven calendar days or less without the sale or disposition significantly changing the market value of the investment. The Fund may experience difficulty in selling illiquid investments in a timely manner at the price that it believes the investments are worth. Prices may fluctuate widely over short or extended periods in response to company, market or economic news. Markets also tend to move in cycles, with periods of rising and falling prices. This volatility may cause the Fund's NAV to experience significant increases or decreases over short periods of time. If there is a general decline in the securities and other markets, the NAV of the Fund may lose value, regardless of the individual results of the securities and other instruments in which the Fund invests.

Counterparty Credit Risk: The Fund may be exposed to counterparty credit risk, or the risk that an entity may fail to or be unable to perform on its commitments related to unsettled or open transactions, including making timely interest and/or principal payments or otherwise honoring its obligations. The Fund manages counterparty credit risk

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by entering into transactions only with counterparties that the Manager believes have the financial resources to honor their obligations and by monitoring the financial stability of those counterparties. Financial assets, which potentially expose the Fund to market, issuer and counterparty credit risks, consist principally of financial instruments and receivables due from counterparties. The extent of the Fund's exposure to market, issuer and counterparty credit risks with respect to these financial assets is approximately their value recorded in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, less any collateral held by the Fund.

A derivative contract may suffer a mark-to-market loss if the value of the contract decreases due to an unfavorable change in the market rates or values of the underlying instrument. Losses can also occur if the counterparty does not perform under the contract.

With exchange-traded futures, there is less counterparty credit risk to the Fund since the exchange or clearinghouse, as counterparty to such instruments, guarantees against a possible default. The clearinghouse stands between the buyer and the seller of the contract; therefore, credit risk is limited to failure of the clearinghouse. While offset rights may exist under applicable law, the Fund does not have a contractual right of offset against a clearing broker or clearinghouse in the event of a default (including the bankruptcy or insolvency). Additionally, credit risk exists in exchange-traded futures with respect to initial and variation margin that is held in a clearing broker's customer accounts. While clearing brokers are required to segregate customer margin from their own assets, in the event that a clearing broker becomes insolvent or goes into bankruptcy and at that time there is a shortfall in the aggregate amount of margin held by the clearing broker for all its clients, typically the shortfall would be allocated on a pro rata basis across all the clearing broker's customers, potentially resulting in losses to the Fund.

Concentration Risk: A diversified portfolio, where this is appropriate and consistent with a fund's objectives, minimizes the risk that a price change of a particular investment will have a material impact on the NAV of a fund. The investment concentrations within the Fund's portfolio are disclosed in its Schedule of Investments.

Significant Shareholder Redemption Risk: Certain shareholders may own or manage a substantial amount of fund shares and/or hold their fund investments for a limited period of time. Large redemptions of fund shares by these shareholders may force a fund to sell portfolio securities, which may negatively impact the fund's NAV, increase the fund's brokerage costs, and/or accelerate the realization of taxable income/gains and cause the fund to make additional taxable distributions to shareholders.

LIBOR Transition Risk: The United Kingdom's Financial Conduct Authority announced a phase out of the London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR"). Although many LIBOR rates ceased to be published or no longer are representative of the underlying market they seek to measure after December 31, 2021, a selection of widely used USD LIBOR rates will continue to be published through June 2023 in order to assist with the transition. The Fund may be exposed to financial instruments tied to LIBOR to determine payment obligations, financing terms, hedging strategies or investment value. The transition process away from LIBOR might lead to increased volatility and illiquidity in markets for, and reduce the effectiveness of new hedges placed against instruments whose terms currently include LIBOR. The ultimate effect of the LIBOR transition process on the Fund is uncertain.

11. CAPITAL SHARE TRANSACTIONS

Transactions in capital shares for each class were as follows:

_		Ended 31/22		Year 12/		
Fund Name/Share Class	Shares		Amount	Shares		Amount
BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund						
Class I						
Shares sold	1,171,651	\$	12,884,597	528,158	\$	7,690,100
Shares issued in reinvestment of distributions	888,744		8,911,160	3,274,590		41,510,025
Shares redeemed	(1,597,933)		(17,611,192)	(1,687,795)		(24,708,208)
	462,462	\$	4,184,565	2,114,953	\$	24,491,917
Class III ^(a)						
Shares sold	157,666	\$	1,736,503	43,890	\$	638,483
Shares issued in reinvestment of distributions	5,639		56,434	5,020		63,018
Shares redeemed	(7,169)		(77,838)	(333)		(4,981)
_	156,136	\$	1,715,099	48,577	\$	696,520
	618,598	\$	5,899,664	2,163,530	\$	25,188,437

⁽a) Period from February 09, 2021 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2021 for Class III.

As of December 31, 2022, shares owned by BlackRock Financial Management, Inc., an affiliate of the Fund, were as follows:

Class I	710
Class III	1,319

12. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated the impact of all subsequent events on the Fund through the date the financial statements were issued and has determined that there were no subsequent events requiring adjustment or additional disclosure in the financial statements.

Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Shareholders of BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund and the Board of Directors of BlackRock Variable Series Funds. Inc.:

Opinion on the Financial Statements and Financial Highlights

We have audited the accompanying statement of assets and liabilities of BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund of BlackRock Variable Series Funds, Inc. (the "Fund"), including the schedule of investments, as of December 31, 2022, the related statement of operations for the year then ended, the statements of changes in net assets for each of the two years in the period then ended, and the related notes. In our opinion, the financial statements and financial highlights present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Fund as of December 31, 2022, and the results of its operations for the year then ended, the changes in its net assets for each of the two years in the period then ended, and the financial highlights for each of the five years in the period then ended, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

These financial statements and financial highlights are the responsibility of the Fund's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Fund's financial statements and financial highlights based on our audits. We are a public accounting firm registered with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States) (PCAOB) and are required to be independent with respect to the Fund in accordance with the U.S. federal securities laws and the applicable rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the PCAOB.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the PCAOB. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements and financial highlights are free of material misstatement, whether due to error or fraud. The Fund is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. As part of our audits we are required to obtain an understanding of internal control over financial reporting but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Fund's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion.

Our audits included performing procedures to assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements and financial highlights, whether due to error or fraud, and performing procedures that respond to those risks. Such procedures included examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements and financial highlights. Our audits also included evaluating the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements and financial highlights. Our procedures included confirmation of securities owned as of December 31, 2022, by correspondence with custodians or counterparties; when replies were not received, we performed other auditing procedures. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Deloitte & Touche LLP Boston, Massachusetts February 14, 2023

We have served as the auditor of one or more BlackRock investment companies since 1992.

Glossary of Terms Used in this Report

Portfolio Abbreviation

CVR Contingent Value Rights
REIT Real Estate Investment Trust

Statement Regarding Liquidity Risk Management Program

In compliance with Rule 22e-4 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "Liquidity Rule"), BlackRock Variable Series Funds, Inc. ("Variable Series Funds") and BlackRock Variable Series Funds II, Inc. ("Variable Series Funds II" and together with Variable Series Funds, the "Companies" and each, a "Company") has adopted and implemented a liquidity risk management program (the "Program") for BlackRock 60/40 Target Allocation ETF V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Core V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Value V.I. Fund, BlackRock Basic Value V.I. Fund, BlackRock Capital Appreciation V.I. Fund, BlackRock Equity Dividend V.I. Fund, BlackRock Global Allocation V.I. Fund, BlackRock High Yield V.I. Fund, BlackRock International Index V.I. Fund, BlackRock Managed Volatility V.I. Fund, BlackRock S&P 500 Index V.I. Fund, BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund, BlackRock Total Return V.I. Fund and BlackRock U.S. Government Bond V.I. Fund (the "Funds"), each a series of Variable Series Funds or Variable Series Funds II, as applicable, which is reasonably designed to assess and manage each Fund's liquidity risk.

The Board of Directors (the "Board") of Variable Series Funds, on behalf of BlackRock 60/40 Target Allocation ETF V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Core V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Value V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage SMID Cap V.I. Fund, BlackRock Basic Value V.I. Fund, BlackRock Capital Appreciation V.I. Fund, BlackRock Equity Dividend V.I. Fund, BlackRock Global Allocation V.I. Fund, BlackRock International Index V.I. Fund, BlackRock International V.I. Fund, BlackRock Internation

The Report described the Program's liquidity classification methodology for categorizing each Fund's investments (including derivative transactions) into one of four liquidity buckets. It also referenced the methodology used by BlackRock to establish each Fund's HLIM and noted that the Committee reviews and ratifies the HLIM assigned to each Fund no less frequently than annually. The Report also discussed notable events affecting liquidity over the Program Reporting Period, including the imposition of capital controls in certain countries.

The Report noted that the Program complied with the key factors for consideration under the Liquidity Rule for assessing, managing and periodically reviewing each Fund's liquidity risk, as follows:

- a) The Fund's investment strategy and liquidity of portfolio investments during both normal and reasonably foreseeable stressed conditions. During the Program Reporting Period, the Committee reviewed whether each Fund's strategy is appropriate for an open-end fund structure with a focus on funds with more significant and consistent holdings of less liquid and illiquid assets. The Committee also factored a fund's concentration in an issuer into the liquidity classification methodology by taking issuer position sizes into account. Where a fund participated in borrowings for investment purposes (such as tender option bonds or reverse repurchase agreements), such borrowings were factored into the Program's calculation of a fund's liquidity bucketing. A fund's derivative exposure was also considered in such calculation.
- b) Short-term and long-term cash flow projections during both normal and reasonably foreseeable stressed conditions. During the Program Reporting Period, the Committee reviewed historical redemption activity and used this information as a component to establish each Fund's reasonably anticipated trading size utilized for liquidity classifications. Each Fund has adopted an in-kind redemption policy which may be utilized to meet larger redemption requests. The Committee may also take into consideration a fund's shareholder ownership concentration (which, depending on product type and distribution channel, may or may not be available), a fund's distribution channels, and the degree of certainty associated with a fund's short-term and long-term cash flow projections.
- c) Holdings of cash and cash equivalents, as well as borrowing arrangements. The Committee considered the terms of the credit facility committed to each Fund, the financial health of the institution providing the facility and the fact that the credit facility is shared among multiple funds (including that a portion of the aggregate commitment amount is specifically designated for BlackRock Floating Rate Income Portfolio, a series of BlackRock Funds V, and BlackRock Floating Rate Loan ETF, a series of BlackRock ETF Trust II). The Committee also considered other types of borrowing available to the funds, such as the ability to use reverse repurchase agreements and interfund lending, as applicable.

There were no material changes to the Program during the Program Reporting Period other than the enhancement of certain model components in the Program's classification methodology. The Report provided to the Board stated that the Committee concluded that based on the operation of the functions, as described in the Report, the Program is operating as intended and is effective in implementing the requirements of the Liquidity Rule.

Director and Officer Information

BlackRock Variable Series Funds, Inc.

Independent Directors (a)

Name Year of Birth ^(b)	Position(s) Held (Length of Service) (c)	Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years	Number of BlackRock-Advised Registered Investment Companies ("RICs") Consisting of Investment Portfolios ("Portfolios") Overseen	Public Company and Other Investment Company Directorships Held During Past 5 Years
Mark Stalnecker 1951	Chair of the Board and Director (Since 2019)	Chief Investment Officer, University of Delaware from 1999 to 2013; Trustee and Chair of the Finance and Investment Committees, Winterthur Museum and Country Estate from 2005 to 2016; Member of the Investment Committee, Delaware Public Employees' Retirement System since 2002; Member of the Investment Committee, Christiana Care Health System from 2009 to 2017; Member of the Investment Committee, Delaware Community Foundation from 2013 to 2014; Director and Chair of the Audit Committee, SEI Private Trust Co. from 2001 to 2014.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	None
Susan J. Carter 1956	Director (Since 2019)	Trustee, Financial Accounting Foundation from 2017 to 2021; Advisory Board Member, Center for Private Equity and Entrepreneurship at Tuck School of Business from 1997 to 2021; Director, Pacific Pension Institute from 2014 to 2018; Senior Advisor, Commonfund Capital, Inc. ("CCI") (investment adviser) ir 2015; Chief Executive Officer, CCI from 2013 to 2014; President & Chief Executive Officer, CCI from 1997 to 2013; Advisory Board Member, Girls Who Invest from 2015 to 2018 and Board Member thereof since 2018; Advisory Board Member, Bridges Fund Management since 2016; Practitioner Advisory Board Member, Private Capital Research Institute ("PCRI") since 2017; Lecturer in the Practice of Management, Yale School of Management since 2019; Advisor to Finance Committee, Altman Foundation since 2020; Investment Committee Member, Tostan since 2021.	n d	None
Collette Chilton 1958	Director (Since 2019)	Chief Investment Officer, Williams College since 2006; Chief Investment Officer, Lucent Asset Management Corporation from 1998 to 2006; Director, Boys and Girls Club of Boston since 2017; Director, B1 Capital since 2018; Director, David and Lucile Packard Foundation since 2020.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	None
Neil A. Cotty 1954	Director (Since 2019)	Bank of America Corporation from 1996 to 2015, serving in various senior finance leadership roles, including Chief Accounting Officer from 2009 to 2015, Chief Financial Officer of Global Banking, Markets and Wealth Management from 2008 to 2009, Chief Accounting Officer from 2004 to 2008, Chief Financial Officer of Consumer Bank from 2003 to 2004, Chief Financial Officer of Global Corporate Investment Bank from 1999 to 2002.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	None
Lena G. Goldberg 1949	Director (Since 2016)	Director, Charles Stark Draper Laboratory, Inc. from 2013 to 2021; Senior Lecturer, Harvard Business School from 2008 to 2021; FMR LLC/Fidelity Investments (financial services) from 1996 to 2008, serving in various senior roles including Executive Vice President - Strategic Corporate Initiatives and Executive Vice President and General Counsel; Partner, Sullivan & Worcester LLP from 1985 to 1996 and Associate thereof from 1979 to 1985.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	None
Henry R. Keizer 1956	Director (Since 2016)	Director, Park Indemnity Ltd. (captive insurer) since 2010; Director, MUFG Americas Holdings Corporation and MUFG Unior Bank, N.A. (financial and bank holding company) from 2014 to 2016; Director, American Institute of Certified Public Accountants from 2009 to 2011; Director, KPMG LLP (audit, tax and advisory services) from 2004 to 2005 and 2010 to 2012; Director, KPMG International in 2012, Deputy Chairman and Chief Operating Officer thereof from 2010 to 2012 and U.S. Vice Chairman of Audit thereof from 2005 to 2010; Global Head of Audit, KPMGI (consortium of KPMG firms) from 2006 to 2010; Director, YMCA of Greater New York from 2006 to 2010.		Hertz Global Holdings (car rental) from 2015 to 2021; GrafTech International Ltd. (materials manufacturing); WABCO (commercial vehicle safety systems) from 2015 to 2020; Sealed Air Corp. (packaging) from 2015 to 2021
Cynthia A. Montgomery 1952	Director (Since 2019)	Professor, Harvard Business School since 1989.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	None

Independent Directors (a) (continued)

Name Year of Birth ^(b)	Position(s) Held (Length of Service) (c)	Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years	Number of BlackRock-Advised Registered Investment Companies ("RICs") Consisting of Investment Portfolios ("Portfolios") Overseen	Public Company and Other Investment Company Directorships Held During Past 5 Years
Donald C. Opatrny 1952	Director (Since 2015)	Director, Athena Capital Advisors LLC (investment management firm) from 2013 to 2020; Trustee, Vice Chair, Member of the Executive Committee and Chair of the Investment Committee, Cornell University from 2004 to 2019; President and Trustee, the Center for the Arts, Jackson Hole from 2011 to 2018; Member of the Board and Investment Committee, University School from 2007 to 2018; Trustee, Artstor (a Mellon Foundation affiliate) from 2010 to 2015; Member of the Investment Committee, Mellon Foundation from 2009 to 2015; President, Trustee and Member of the Investment Committee, The Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum from 2007 to 2014; Trustee and Chair of the Investment Committee, Community Foundation of Jackson Hole since 2014; Member of Affordable Housing Supply Board of Jackson, Wyoming since 2017; Member, Investment Funds Committee, State of Wyoming since 2017; Trustee, Phoenix Art Museum since 2018; Trustee, Arizona Community Foundation and Member of Investment Committee since 2020.		None
Joseph P. Platt 1947	Director (Since 2019)	General Partner, Thorn Partners, LP (private investments) since 1998; Director, WQED Multi-Media (public broadcasting not-forprofit) since 2001; Chair, Basic Health International (non-profit) since 2015.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	Greenlight Capital Re, Ltd. (reinsurance company); Consol Energy Inc.
Kenneth L. Urish 1951	Director (Since 2019)	Managing Partner, Urish Popeck & Co., LLC (certified public accountants and consultants) since 1976; Past-Chairman of the Professional Ethics Committee of the Pennsylvania Institute of Certified Public Accountants and Committee Member thereof since 2007; Member of External Advisory Board, The Pennsylvania State University Accounting Department since founding in 2001; Principal, UP Strategic Wealth Investment Advisors, LLC since 2013; Trustee, The Holy Family Institute from 2001 to 2010; President and Trustee, Pittsburgh Catholic Publishing Associates from 2003 to 2008; Director, Inter-Tel from 2006 to 2007; Member, Advisory Board, ESG Competent Boards since 2020.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	None
Claire A. Walton 1957	Director (Since 2019)	Chief Operating Officer and Chief Financial Officer of Liberty Square Asset Management, LP from 1998 to 2015; General Partner of Neon Liberty Capital Management, LLC since 2003; Director, Boston Hedge Fund Group from 2009 to 2018; Director, Woodstock Ski Runners since 2013; Director, Massachusetts Council on Economic Education from 2013 to 2015.	28 RICs consisting of 164 Portfolios	None

Interested Directors (a)(d)

Name Year of Birth ^(b)	Position(s) Held (Length of Service) (c)	Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years	Number of BlackRock-Advised Registered Investment Companies ("RICs") Consisting of Investment Portfolios ("Portfolios") Overseen	Public Company and Other Investment Company Directorships Held During Past 5 Years
Robert Fairbairn 1965	Director (Since 2015)	Vice Chairman of BlackRock, Inc. since 2019; Member of BlackRock's Global Executive and Global Operating Committees Co-Chair of BlackRock's Human Capital Committee; Senior Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. from 2010 to 2019; oversaw BlackRock's Strategic Partner Program and Strategic Product Management Group from 2012 to 2019; Member of the Board of Managers of BlackRock Investments, LLC from 2011 to 2018; Global Head of BlackRock's Retail and iShares® businesses from 2012 to 2016.	98 RICs consisting of 266 Portfolios	None
John M. Perlowski ^(e) 1964	Director (Since 2015); President and Chief Executive Officer (Since 2010)	Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. since 2009; Head of BlackRock Global Accounting and Product Services since 2009; Advisory Director of Family Resource Network (charitable foundation) since 2009.	100 RICs consisting of 268 Portfolios	None

⁽a) The address of each Director is c/o BlackRock, Inc., 55 East 52nd Street, New York, New York 10055.

⁽b) Each Independent Director holds office until his or her successor is duly elected and qualifies or until his or her earlier death, resignation, retirement or removal as provided by the Company's by-laws or charter or statute, or until December 31 of the year in which he or she turns 75. Directors who are "interested persons," as defined in the 1940 Act, serve until their successor is duly elected and qualifies or until their earlier death, resignation, retirement or removal as provided by the Company's by-laws or statute, or until December 31 of the year in which they turn 72. The Board may determine to extend the terms of Independent Directors on a case-by-case basis, as appropriate.

⁽e) Following the combination of Merrill Lynch Investment Managers, L.P. ("MLIM") and BlackRock, Inc. in September 2006, the various legacy MLIM and legacy BlackRock fund boards were realigned and consolidated into three new fund boards in 2007. In addition, effective January 1, 2019, three BlackRock Fund Complexes were realigned and consolidated into two BlackRock Fund Complexes. As a result, although the chart shows the year that each Independent Director joined the Board, certain Independent Directors first became members of the boards of other BlackRock-advised Funds, legacy MLIM funds or legacy BlackRock funds as follows: Susan J. Carter, 2016; Collette Chilton, 2015; Neil A. Cotty, 2016; Cynthia A. Montgomery, 1994; Joseph P. Platt, 1999; Mark Stalnecker, 2015; Kenneth L. Urish, 1999; Claire A. Walton, 2016.

⁽d) Mr. Fairbairn and Mr. Perlowski are both "interested persons," as defined in the 1940 Act, of the Company based on their positions with BlackRock, Inc. and its affiliates. Mr. Fairbairn and Mr. Perlowski are also board members of the BlackRock Fixed-Income Complex.

⁽e) Mr. Perlowski is also a trustee of the BlackRock Credit Strategies Fund and BlackRock Private Investments Fund.

Director and Officer Information (continued)

Officers Who Are Not Directors (a)

Name Year of Birth ^(b)	Position(s) Held (Length of Service)	Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years
Jennifer McGovern 1977	Vice President (Since 2014)	Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. since 2016; Director of BlackRock, Inc. from 2011 to 2015; Head of Americas Product Development and Governance for BlackRock's Global Product Group since 2019; Head of Product Structure and Oversight for BlackRock's U.S. Wealth Advisory Group from 2013 to 2019.
Trent Walker 1974	Chief Financial Officer (Since 2021)	Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. since September 2019; Executive Vice President of PIMCO from 2016 to 2019; Senior Vice President of PIMCO from 2008 to 2015; Treasurer from 2013 to 2019 and Assistant Treasurer from 2007 to 2017 of PIMCO Funds, PIMCO Variable Insurance Trust, PIMCO ETF Trust, PIMCO Equity Series, PIMCO Equity Series VIT, PIMCO Managed Accounts Trust, 2 PIMCO-sponsored interval funds and 21 PIMCO-sponsored closed-end funds.
Jay M. Fife 1970	Treasurer (Since 2007)	Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. since 2007.
Charles Park 1967	Chief Compliance Officer (Since 2014)	Anti-Money Laundering Compliance Officer for certain BlackRock-advised Funds from 2014 to 2015; Chief Compliance Officer of BlackRock Advisors, LLC and the BlackRock-advised Funds in the BlackRock Multi-Asset Complex and the BlackRock Fixed-Income Complex since 2014; Principal of and Chief Compliance Officer for iShares® Delaware Trust Sponsor LLC since 2012 and BlackRock Fund Advisors ("BFA") since 2006; Chief Compliance Officer for the BFA-advised iShares® exchange traded funds since 2006; Chief Compliance Officer for BlackRock Asset Management International Inc. since 2012.
Lisa Belle 1968	Anti-Money Laundering Compliance Officer (Since 2019)	Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. since 2019; Global Financial Crime Head for Asset and Wealth Management of JP Morgan from 2013 to 2019; Managing Director of RBS Securities from 2012 to 2013; Head of Financial Crimes for Barclays Wealth Americas from 2010 to 2012.
Janey Ahn 1975	Secretary (Since 2019)	Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. since 2018; Director of BlackRock, Inc. from 2009 to 2017.

⁽a) The address of each Officer is c/o BlackRock, Inc., 55 East 52nd Street, New York, New York 10055.

Further information about the Company's Directors and Officers is available in the Company's Statement of Additional Information, which can be obtained without charge by calling (800) 441-7762.

Effective December 31, 2022, Joseph P. Platt retired as a Director of the Company.

 $^{^{\}mbox{\scriptsize (b)}}$ Officers of the Company serve at the pleasure of the Board.

Director and Officer Information

BlackRock Variable Series Funds II, Inc.

Independent Directors (a)

Name Year of Birth ^(b)	Position(s) Held (Length of Service) (c)	Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years	Number of BlackRock-Advised Registered Investment Companies ("RICs") Consisting of Investment Portfolios ("Portfolios") Overseen	Public Company and Other Investment Company Directorships Held During Past 5 Years
R. Glenn Hubbard 1958	Chair of the Board (Since 2022) Director (Since 2019)	Dean, Columbia Business School from 2004 to 2019; Faculty member, Columbia Business School since 1988.	70 RICs consisting of 102 Portfolios	ADP (data and information services) from 2004 to 2020; Metropolitan Life Insurance Company (insurance)
W. Carl Kester ^(d) 1951	Vice Chair of the Board (Since 2022) Director (Since 2019)	George Fisher Baker Jr. Professor of Business Administration, Harvard Business School since 2008; Deputy Dean for Academic Affairs from 2006 to 2010; Chairman of the Finance Unit, from 2005 to 2006; Senior Associate Dean and Chairman of the MBA Program from 1999 to 2005; Member of the faculty of Harvard Business School since 1981.	72 RICs consisting of 104 Portfolios	None
Cynthia L. Egan 1955	Director (Since 2019)	Advisor, U.S. Department of the Treasury from 2014 to 2015; President, Retirement Plan Services, for T. Rowe Price Group, Inc. from 2007 to 2012; executive positions within Fidelity Investments from 1989 to 2007.	70 RICs consisting of 102 Portfolios	Unum (insurance); The Hanover Insurance Group (Board Chair); Huntsman Corporation (Lead Independent Director and non Executive Vice Chair of the Board) (chemical products)
Frank J. Fabozzi ^(d) 1948	Director (Since 2019)	Editor of The Journal of Portfolio Management since 1986; Professor of Finance, EDHEC Business School (France) from 2011 to 2022; Professor of Practice, Johns Hopkins University since 2021; Professor in the Practice of Finance, Yale University School of Management from 1994 to 2011 and currently a Teaching Fellow in Yale's Executive Programs; Visiting Professor, Rutgers University for the Spring 2019 semester; Visiting Professor, New York University for the 2019 academic year; Adjunct Professor of Finance, Carnegie Mellon University in fall 2020 semester.	72 RICs consisting of 104 Portfolios	None
Lorenzo A. Flores 1964	Director (Since 2021)	Vice Chairman, Kioxia, Inc. since 2019; Chief Financial Officer, Xilinx, Inc. from 2016 to 2019; Corporate Controller, Xilinx, Inc. from 2008 to 2016.	70 RICs consisting of 102 Portfolios	None
Stayce D. Harris 1959	Director (Since 2021)	Lieutenant General, Inspector General, Office of the Secretary of the United States Air Force from 2017 to 2019; Lieutenant General, Assistant Vice Chief of Staff and Director, Air Staff, United States Air Force from 2016 to 2017; Major General, Commander, 22nd Air Force, AFRC, Dobbins Air Reserve Base, Georgia from 2014 to 2016; Pilot, United Airlines from 1990 to 2020.	70 RICs consisting of 102 Portfolios	The Boeing Company (airplane manufacturer)
J. Phillip Holloman 1955	Director (Since 2021)	President and Chief Operating Officer, Cintas Corporation from 2008 to 2018.	70 RICs consisting of 102 Portfolios	PulteGroup, Inc. (home construction); Rockwell Automation Inc. (industrial automation)
Catherine A. Lynch ^(d) 1961	Director (Since 2019)	Chief Executive Officer, Chief Investment Officer and various other positions, National Railroad Retirement Investment Trust from 2003 to 2016; Associate Vice President for Treasury Management, The George Washington University from 1999 to 2003; Assistant Treasurer, Episcopal Church of America from 1995 to 1999.	72 RICs consisting of 104 Portfolios	PennyMac Mortgage Investment Trust

Interested Directors (a)(e)

Name Year of Birth ^(b)	Position(s) Held (Length of Service) (c)	Principal Occupation(s) During Past 5 Years	Number of BlackRock-Advised Registered Investment Companies ("RICs") Consisting of Investment Portfolios ("Portfolios") Overseen	Public Company and Other Investment Company Directorships Held During Past 5 Years
Robert Fairbairn 1965	Director (Since 2015)	Vice Chairman of BlackRock, Inc. since 2019; Member of BlackRock's Global Executive and Global Operating Committees Co-Chair of BlackRock's Human Capital Committee; Senior Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. from 2010 to 2019; oversaw BlackRock's Strategic Partner Program and Strategic Product Management Group from 2012 to 2019; Member of the Board of Managers of BlackRock Investments, LLC from 2011 to 2018; Global Head of BlackRock's Retail and iShares® businesses from 2012 to 2016.	98 RICs consisting of 266 Portfolios	None
John M. Perlowski ^(d) 1964	Director (Since 2015); President and Chief Executive Officer (Since 2010)	Managing Director of BlackRock, Inc. since 2009; Head of BlackRock Global Accounting and Product Services since 2009; Advisory Director of Family Resource Network (charitable foundation) since 2009.	100 RICs consisting of 268 Portfolios	None

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⁽d) Dr. Fabozzi, Dr. Kester, Ms. Lynch and Mr. Perlowski are also trustees of the BlackRock Credit Strategies Fund and BlackRock Private Investments Fund.

⁽e) Mr. Fairbairn and Mr. Perlowski are both "interested persons," as defined in the 1940 Act, of the Fund based on their positions with BlackRock, Inc. and its affiliates. Mr. Fairbairn and Mr. Perlowski are also board members of the BlackRock Multi-Asset Complex.

Director and Officer Information (continued)

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Effective May 31, 2022, Karen P. Robards retired as a Director of the Company.

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Additional Information

General Information

Quarterly performance, semi-annual and annual reports and other information regarding the Funds may be found on BlackRock's website, which can be accessed at **blackrock.com**. Any reference to BlackRock's website in this report is intended to allow investors public access to information regarding the Funds and does not, and is not intended to, incorporate BlackRock's website in this report.

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Availability of Quarterly Schedule of Investments

The Funds (except BlackRock Government Money Market V.I. Fund) file their complete schedules of portfolio holdings with the SEC for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year as an exhibit to their reports on Form N-PORT. The Funds' Forms N-PORT are available on the SEC's website at **sec.gov**.

The BlackRock Government Money Market V.I. Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the SEC each month on Form N-MFP. The Fund's reports on Form N-MFP are available on the SEC's website at **sec.gov**. The Fund makes portfolio holdings available to shareholders on its website at **blackrock.com**.

Availability of Proxy Voting Policies, Procedures and Voting Records

A description of the policies and procedures that the Funds use to determine how to vote proxies relating to portfolio securities and information about how the Funds voted proxies relating to securities held in the Funds' portfolios during the most recent 12-month period ended June 30 is available without charge, upon request (1) by calling (800) 441-7762; (2) on the BlackRock website at **blackrock.com/prospectus/insurance**; and (3) on the SEC's website at **sec.gov**.

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⁽b) For BlackRock Managed Volatility V.I. Fund.

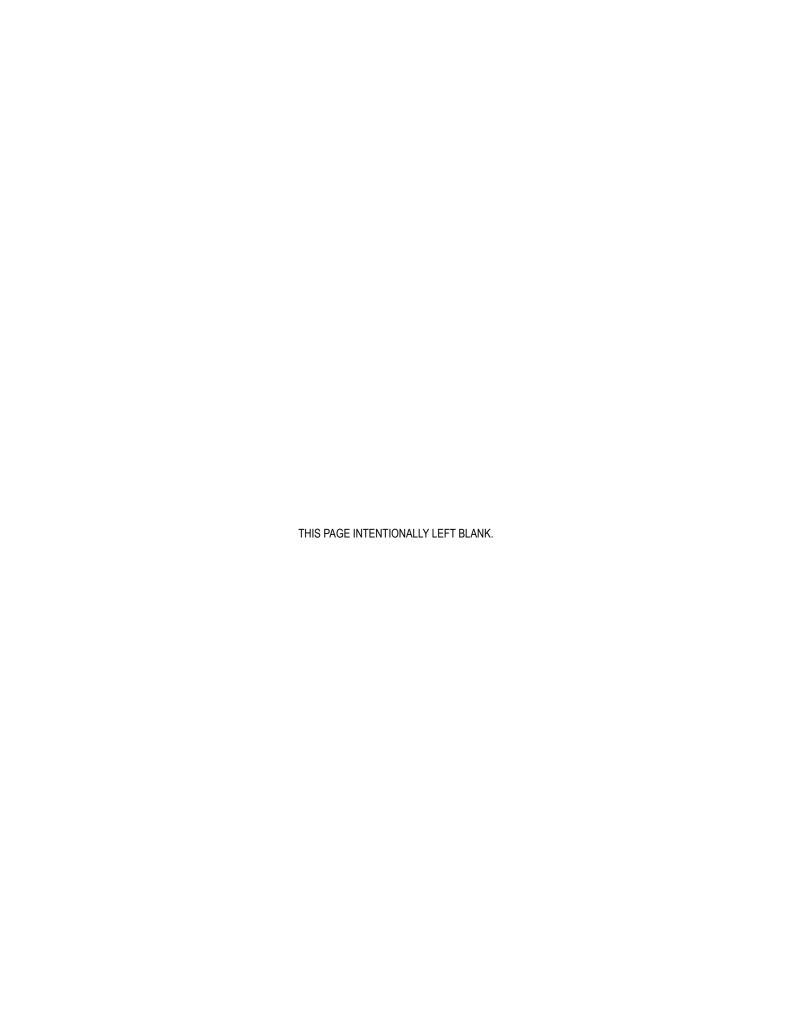
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⁽f) For BlackRock 60/40 Target Allocation ETF V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Core V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Value V.I. Fund, BlackRock Advantage SMID Cap V.I. Fund, BlackRock Basic Value V.I. Fund, BlackRock Capital Appreciation V.I. Fund, BlackRock Equity Dividend V.I. Fund, BlackRock Global Allocation V.I. Fund, BlackRock Government Money Market V.I. Fund, BlackRock International V.I. Fund, BlackRock International V.I. Fund, BlackRock Managed Volatility V.I. Fund, BlackRock S&P 500 Index V.I. Fund and BlackRock Small Cap Index V.I. Fund.

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