

# Rydex VT Basic Materials Fund

## Investment Strategy from investment's prospectus

The investment seeks to provide capital appreciation. The fund invests substantially all (at least 80%) of its net assets in equity securities of Basic Materials Companies that are traded in the United States and in derivatives, which primarily consist of futures contracts and options on securities, futures contracts, and stock indices. Basic Materials Companies are engaged in the manufacture, mining, processing, or distribution of raw materials and intermediate goods used in the industrials sector, and may be involved in the production and transportation of metals, textiles, and wood products.

Past name: Rydex|SGI Var Basic Materials.

### Category Description: Natural Resources

Natural-resources portfolios focus on commodity-based industries such as energy, chemicals, minerals, and forest products in the United States or outside of the United States. Some portfolios invest across this spectrum to offer broad natural-resources exposure. Others concentrate heavily or even exclusively in specific industries. Portfolios that concentrate primarily in energy-related industries are part of the equity energy category.

### Operations

Fund Inception Date	05-02-01
Initial Share Class Inception Date	05-02-01
Advisor	Security Investors, LLC
Subadvisor	—

### Fees and Expenses as of 05-01-23

Gross Prospectus Expense Ratio	1.77%
Net Prospectus Expense Ratio	1.77%

Waiver Data	Type	Exp.Date	%
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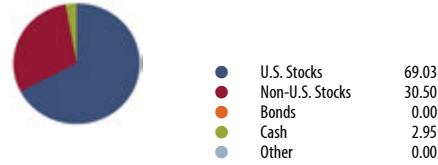
### Portfolio Manager(s)

Michael P. Byrum, CFA. B.S., Miami University of Ohio, 1992. Since 2001.

Ryan A. Harder, CFA. M.S., ICMA Centre at the University of Reading. B.A., Brock University. Since 2008.

## Portfolio Analysis as of 03-31-23

### Composition as of 03-31-23



### Top 20 Holdings as of 03-31-23

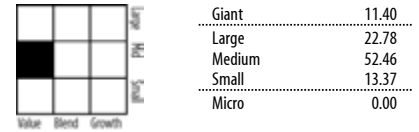
Company	% Assets
Linde PLC	4.68
Freeport-McMoRan Inc	2.77
Air Products & Chemicals Inc	2.76
Vale SA ADR	2.62
Sherwin-Williams Co	2.51
Corteva Inc	2.29
Ecolab Inc	2.25
Newmont Corp	2.20
Dow Inc	2.19
First American Government Oblig X	2.17
Nucor Corp	2.16
Barrick Gold Corp	2.11
PPG Industries Inc	1.97
DuPont de Nemours Inc	1.88
Albemarle Corp	1.75
LyondellBasell Industries NV	1.74
International Flavors & Fragrances Inc	1.73
Martin Marietta Materials Inc	1.65
Vulcan Materials Co	1.63
Rio Tinto PLC ADR	1.56
Total Number of Stock Holdings	78
Total Number of Bond Holdings	—
Annual Turnover Ratio %	185.00
Total Fund Assets (\$mil)	8.81

### Volatility Analysis



In the past, this investment has shown a wide range of price fluctuations relative to other investments. This investment may experience significant price increases in favorable markets or undergo large price declines in adverse markets. Some of this risk may be offset by owning other investments that follow different investment strategies.

### Morningstar Style Box™ as of 03-31-23



Statistics as of 03-31-23	Stk Port Avg	S&P 500	Category
P/E Ratio	13.41	19.92	11.29
P/B Ratio	1.86	3.71	1.60
P/C Ratio	5.60	12.78	3.91
GeoAvgCap (\$mil)	20,213.10	223,204.32	22,361.22

Risk Measures as of 06-30-23	Port Avg	S&P 500	Category
3 Yr Std Dev	22.85	18.19	24.64
3 Yr Sharpe Ratio	0.66	0.76	0.80
3 Yr Alpha	3.16	—	8.59
3 Yr Beta	1.16	—	1.12
3 Yr R-squared	75.78	—	64.29

### Morningstar Sectors as of 03-31-23

Sector	%Fund	S&P 500
Cyclical	97.53	27.56
Basic Materials	86.14	2.28
Consumer Cyclical	11.39	10.82
Financial Services	0.00	11.97
Real Estate	0.00	2.49
Sensitive	2.27	49.76
Communication Services	0.00	8.39
Energy	0.86	4.11
Industrials	1.41	8.35
Technology	0.00	28.91
Defensive	0.20	22.68
Consumer Defensive	0.00	6.62
Healthcare	0.20	13.48
Utilities	0.00	2.58

### Notes

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