# Goldman Sachs Large Cap Value Insights Fund

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#### 1Q 2025

## **Market Review**

US large cap equities (S&P 500) started the year down 4.27%. In early 2025, US equities initially surged in January as positive economic data and strong corporate earnings were released. However, February saw a shift in optimism. Bond yields rose, policy uncertainty grew, and volatility increased contributing to a decline in the S&P 500. This trend continued in March as markets experienced a significant downturn; trade tensions escalated, policies shifted, a risk-off environment became more prominent, with investors concerned about anticipated potential tariff-related risks. From a style perspective, value-style equities significantly beat their growth-style counterparts through the period.

#### **Performance Review**

The Goldman Sachs Large Cap Value Insights Fund returned 0.32% in the first quarter, underperforming its benchmark, the Russell 1000 Value Index, by 182 basis points ("bps"). Over the longer trailing 1-year period, the Fund has underperformed its benchmark by 36 bps (I-share, net).

Our **High-Quality Business Models** pillar was the largest detractor from excess returns during the quarter, with all sectors detracting from performance except Financials, Materials, and Information Technology. Within this pillar, our alternative growth and management quality signals detracted from the Fund's performance. This was most prominent during earnings season as we were positioned on the wrong side of a handful of company earnings.

Our **Themes & Trends** pillar detracted from returns during the period. Our suite of economic linkages signals drove certain overweight positions that detracted most from performance in February particular within Communication Services and Industrials. Additionally, our industry momentum and price momentum signals detracted from performance each month in the quarter.

Our **Sentiment Analysis** pillar also detracted from the Fund's performance relative to its benchmark during the quarter, led by Industrials and Health Care. Within this pillar, our analyst and management sentiment signals contributed to our overweights in select companies that underperformed, ultimately detracting from the Fund's performance. Our investor sentiment signals also contributed to the underperformance throughout the quarter.

Our **Fundamental Mispricings** pillar modestly detracted from performance, with Consumer Staples detracting the most. From a signal perspective, the majority of underperformance from this pillar was concentrated in our relative valuation and changes in relative valuation signals.

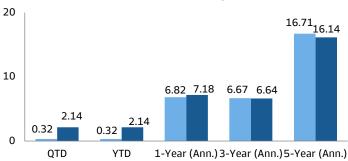
# **Summary Statistics**

AUM (All Share Classes, \$M)	\$548		
Morningstar Category	Large Value		
Inception Date	December 31, 1998		
Number of Holdings	186		
Benchmark	Russell 1000 Value (Total Return, Unhedged, USD)		
Expense Ratios (Inst'l Share Class), Net/Gross	0.56% / 0.66%		

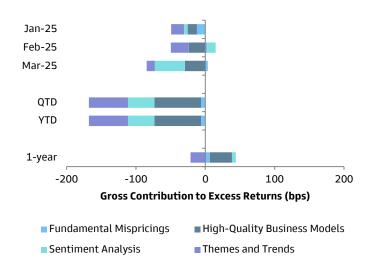
## INSTITUTIONAL CLASS PERFORMANCE

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Russell 1000 Value (Total Return, Unhedged, USD)



# **PILLAR CONTRIBUTIONS TO EXCESS RETURNS (GROSS)**



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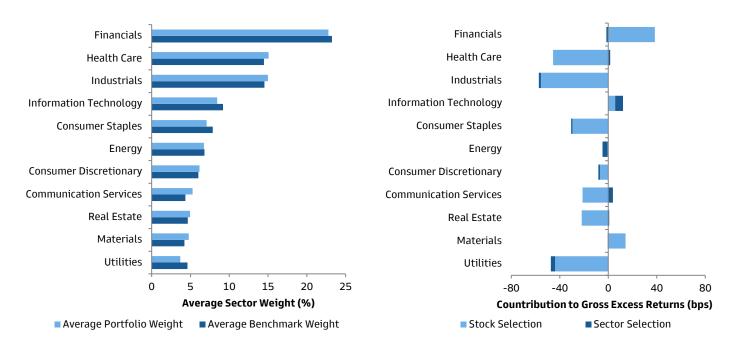
#### Standardized Total Returns (%, annualized) as of 3.31.2025

	Inception Date	1-Year	5-Years	10-Years
I-Share Class	12/31/1998	6.82	16.71	8.83

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## **AVERAGE SECTOR WEIGHTS (1Q25)**

# **SECTOR & STOCK SELECTION ATTRIBUTION (1Q25)**



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Fundamental Mispricings: We believe that buying high-quality businesses at a fair price leads to strong performance in the long-run

High Quality Business Models: We believe in companies generating high-quality revenues with sustainable business models and aligned management incentives

Market Themes and Trends: Global markets are increasingly theme and trend-driven. We believe that alternative data sources can provide us a lens into trends affecting companies globally, trends that other investors may not be seeing.

**Sentiment Analysis:** We believe that other market participants can provide valuable information to supplement our own analysis. By analyzing broader market sentiment, we believe we can gain insight into future stock performance.

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