

# International Small Companies Equity



July 2026 Monthly Update

## Performance

Total Return (%) Periods Ended July 31, 2026

|                                                 | 1 Month | YTD  | 1 Year | 3 Years | 5 Years | 10 Years | Since Inception |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------|------|--------|---------|---------|----------|-----------------|
| HL International Small Companies Equity (Gross) | 2.72    | 8.73 | 7.78   | 6.84    | 1.20    | 7.70     | 7.91            |
| HL International Small Companies Equity (Net)   | 2.65    | 8.18 | 6.86   | 5.86    | 0.26    | 6.63     | 6.78            |
| MSCI All Country World ex US Small Cap Index    | -0.91   | 8.39 | 19.02  | 14.67   | 6.44    | 8.87     | 6.23            |

Performance returns are of the composite. The composite performance returns shown are preliminary. Returns are annualized for periods greater than one year. International Small Companies Equity composite inception date: December 31, 2006. MSCI All Country World ex US Small Cap Index, the benchmark index, is shown gross of withholding taxes. Please read the above performance in conjunction with the disclosures on the last page of this report.

## Portfolio Positioning (% Weight)

| Sector             | HL   | Index | Relative Weight |
|--------------------|------|-------|-----------------|
| Info Technology    | 21.8 | 13.4  |                 |
| Comm Services      | 9.7  | 3.4   |                 |
| Health Care        | 10.7 | 6.1   |                 |
| Cons Staples       | 8.8  | 5.2   |                 |
| Cash               | 2.2  | –     |                 |
| Industrials        | 21.0 | 20.7  |                 |
| Utilities          | 2.7  | 2.7   |                 |
| Energy             | 2.7  | 4.3   |                 |
| Financials         | 10.1 | 12.2  |                 |
| Materials          | 6.1  | 12.4  |                 |
| Cons Discretionary | 4.2  | 10.9  |                 |
| Real Estate        | 0.0  | 8.7   |                 |

| Region           | HL   | Index | Relative Weight |
|------------------|------|-------|-----------------|
| Europe EMU       | 23.2 | 11.1  |                 |
| Europe ex EMU    | 27.6 | 17.3  |                 |
| Frontier Markets | 7.2  | –     |                 |
| Cash             | 2.2  | –     |                 |
| Middle East      | 1.6  | 2.8   |                 |
| Japan            | 18.5 | 23.8  |                 |
| Canada           | 2.2  | 7.6   |                 |
| Pacific ex Japan | 0.8  | 9.1   |                 |
| Emerging Markets | 16.7 | 28.3  |                 |

## Ten Largest Holdings

| Company            | Market  | Sector          |
|--------------------|---------|-----------------|
| Clarkson           | UK      | Industrials     |
| Rubis              | France  | Utilities       |
| Cranswick          | UK      | Cons Staples    |
| Kinaxis            | Canada  | Info Technology |
| Diploma            | UK      | Industrials     |
| Aspeed             | Taiwan  | Info Technology |
| KWS SAAT           | Germany | Cons Staples    |
| Hoa Phat Group     | Vietnam | Materials       |
| Silergy            | Taiwan  | Info Technology |
| Baltic Classifieds | UK      | Comm Services   |

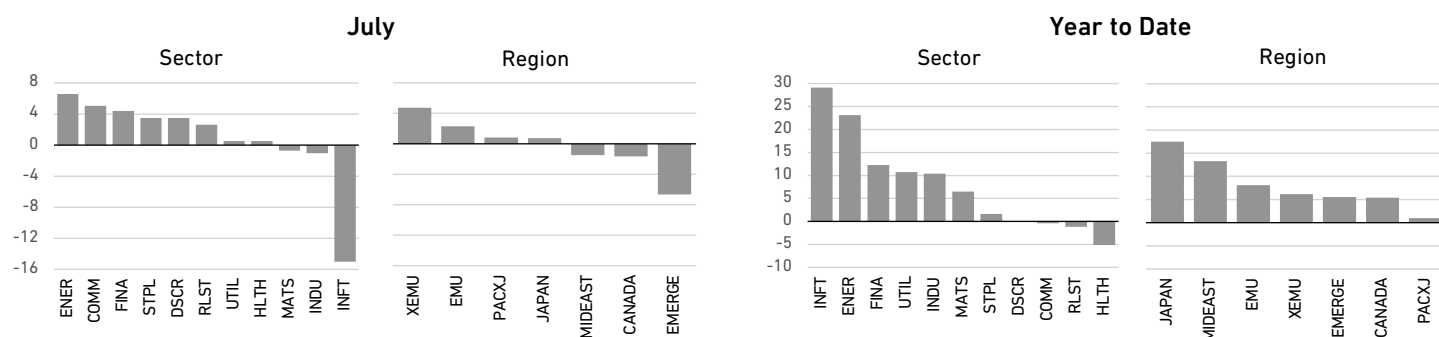
"HL": International Small Companies Equity model portfolio. "Index": MSCI All Country World ex US Small Cap Index.

"Frontier Markets": Includes countries with less-developed markets outside the index.

Ten Largest Holdings are the top ten holdings by weight. Please read the disclosures on the last page, which are an integral part of this presentation.

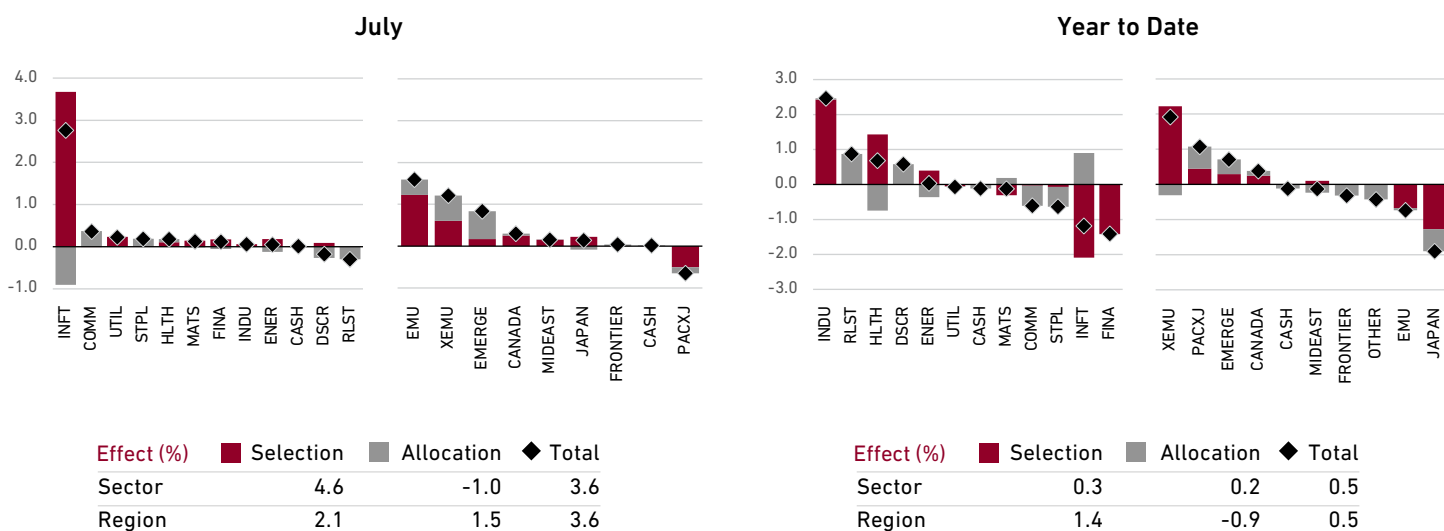
## Index Performance (USD %)

### MSCI All Country World ex US Small Cap Index



## Performance Attribution Effect (%)

### International Small Companies Equity Composite vs. MSCI All Country World ex US Small Cap Index



"FRONTIER": Includes countries with less-developed markets outside the index. "OTHER": Includes companies classified in countries outside the index.

## Relative Returns (%)

| July                      |             |        |              |        | Year to Date           |             |        |              |        |
|---------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------|--------|------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------|--------|
| Largest Contributors      | Market      | Sector | Index Weight | Effect | Largest Contributors   | Market      | Sector | Index Weight | Effect |
| Alten                     | France      | INFT   | <0.1         | 0.44   | Aspeed                 | Taiwan      | INFT   | –            | 1.43   |
| Clarkson                  | UK          | INDU   | <0.1         | 0.41   | Senior                 | UK          | INDU   | <0.1         | 1.29   |
| Shift                     | Japan       | INFT   | <0.1         | 0.27   | Tecan                  | Switzerland | HLTH   | <0.1         | 0.57   |
| Reply                     | Italy       | INFT   | <0.1         | 0.27   | Silergy                | Taiwan      | INFT   | 0.1          | 0.50   |
| Rubis                     | France      | UTIL   | <0.1         | 0.26   | MISUMI Group           | Japan       | INDU   | 0.1          | 0.49   |
| Largest Detractors        | Market      | Sector | Index Weight | Effect | Largest Detractors     | Market      | Sector | Index Weight | Effect |
| Silergy                   | Taiwan      | INFT   | 0.1          | -0.85  | Shift                  | Japan       | INFT   | <0.1         | -0.62  |
| Hanbell Precise Machinery | China       | INDU   | –            | -0.48  | Yantai China Pet Foods | China       | STPL   | –            | -0.46  |
| ASM Pacific Technology    | Hong Kong   | INFT   | 0.1          | -0.43  | Bechtle                | Germany     | INFT   | 0.1          | -0.46  |
| Harmonic Drive Systems    | Japan       | INDU   | <0.1         | -0.26  | Max Financial          | India       | FINA   | 0.1          | -0.45  |
| Besi                      | Netherlands | INFT   | –            | -0.21  | Globant                | US          | INFT   | –            | -0.43  |

Index weight is the average weight of the security in the index over the MTD and YTD periods. Please read the disclosures on the last page, which are an integral part of this presentation.

## Sources

Benchmark Performance: FactSet, MSCI Inc.

Sector/Region Attribution: Harding Loevner International Small Companies Equity composite, FactSet, MSCI Inc.

Sector/Region Positioning and Ten Largest Holdings: Harding Loevner International Small Companies Equity model, FactSet, MSCI Inc.

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