Federated Hermes Mid-Cap Index Fund

Portfolio of Investments

July 31, 2024 (unaudited)

| nares | ¹COMMON STOCKS—96.9% | Value |
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| | Communication Services—1.5% | |
| 24,666 | ² Frontier Communications Parent, Inc. | \$ 722,7 |
| 24,000 13,893 | Iridium Communications, Inc. | 398,7 |
| 16,655 | New York Times Co., Class A | |
| | | |
| 2,384 | Nexstar Media Group, Inc., Class A Tegna, Inc. | 440,5 |
| 19,960 | | 317,9 |
| 7,525 | TKO Group Holdings, Inc. | 822,8 |
| 15,823 | Warner Music Group | 474,8 |
| 5,377 | ² Ziff Davis, Inc. | 257,4 |
| 32,225 | ² ZoomInfo Technologies, Inc. | 366,0 |
| | TOTAL | 4,693,7 |
| F 270 | Consumer Discretionary—14.2% | 702.4 |
| 5,378 | ² Abercrombie & Fitch Co., Class A | 793,1 |
| 10,558 | ² Adient PLC | 271,9 |
| 26,851 | Aramark | 920,1 |
| 7,361 | Autoliv, Inc. | 744, |
| 2,559 | ² AutoNation, Inc. | 488, |
| 17,321 | Block (H&R), Inc. | 1,003, |
| 9,742 | Boyd Gaming Corp. | 592,9 |
| 7,491 | Brunswick Corp. | 610, |
| 6,792 | ² Burlington Stores, Inc. | 1,768, |
| 13,172 | ² Capri Holdings Ltd. | 441,7 |
| 3,869 | Carter's, Inc. | 234,2 |
| 1,324 | ³ Choice Hotels International, Inc. | 168,7 |
| 6,027 | Churchill Downs, Inc. | 865,; |
| 5,250 | Columbia Sportswear Co. | 428,9 |
| 6,566 | ² Crocs, Inc. | 882,; |
| 6,007 | Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc. | 1,299,6 |
| 4,595 | ² Duolingo, Inc. | 790,0 |
| 6,057 | ² Five Below, Inc. | 440, |
| 11,501 | ² Floor & Decor Holdings, Inc. | 1,127,0 |
| 28,360 | ² GameStop Corp. | 642,9 |
| 28,345 | Gap (The), Inc. | 665, |
| 28,478 | Gentex Corp. | 884,! |
| 32,456 | ² Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. | 379,7 |
| 326 | Graham Holdings Co. | 252, |
| 4,128 | ² Grand Canyon Education, Inc. | 643, |
| 13,723 | Harley-Davidson, Inc. | 514,6 |
| 2,787 | ² Helen of Troy Ltd. | 164,7 |
| 7,899 | ² Hilton Grand Vacations, Inc. | |
| 4,711 | Hyatt Hotels Corp. | 694,(|
| 7,340 | KB HOME | 631,8 |
| 6,221 | Lear Corp. | 759,2 |
| 9,256 | ² Light & Wonder International, Inc. | 992, |
| 2,322 | Lithia Motors, Inc. | 641, |
| 36,581 | Macy's, Inc. | 632,1 |
| 1,794 | Marriott Vacations Worldwide Corp. | 151,7 |
| | ² Mattel, Inc. | 856,1 |

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| | ¹ COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| | Consumer Discretionary—continued | |
| 1,926 | Murphy USA, Inc. | \$ 972,47 |
| 0,580 | Nordstrom, Inc. | 241,5 |
| 6,265 | ² Ollie's Bargain Outlet Holdings, Inc. | 611,7 |
| 1,855 | Penske Automotive Group, Inc. | 322,9 |
| 9,595 | ² Planet Fitness, Inc. | 707,1 |
| 3,786 | Polaris, Inc., Class A | 315,2 |
| 5,883 | PVH Corp. | 600,0 |
| 1,096 | ² RH | 317,9 |
| 4,938 | Service Corp. International | 1,193,6 |
| 3,553 | ² Skechers USA, Inc., Class A | 882,7 |
| 1,646 | ² Taylor Morrison Home Corp. | 781,2 |
| 8,853 | Tempur Sealy International, Inc. | 986,9 |
| 6,865 | Texas Roadhouse, Inc. | 1,198,6 |
| 8,982 | The Wendy's Co. | 152,0 |
| 5,921 | Thor Industries, Inc. | 628,4 |
| 0,723 | Toll Brothers, Inc. | 1,530,2 |
| 3,689 | ² TopBuild Corp. | 1,765,3 |
| 8,135 | Travel + Leisure Co. | 374,9 |
| 9,881 | ² Under Armour, Inc., Class A | 68,8 |
| 9,860 | ² Under Armour, Inc., Class C | 66,9 |
| 1,152 | Vail Resorts, Inc. | 755,7 |
| ,237 | ² Valvoline, Inc. | 662,0 |
| 1,575 | ² Visteon Corp. | 181,9 |
| 1,192 | Whirlpool Corp. | 427,4 |
| 4,444 | Williams-Sonoma, Inc. | 2,234,1 |
| ,024 | Wingstop, Inc. | 1,130,6 |
| 3,579 | Wyndham Hotels & Resorts, Inc. | 649,6 |
| 5,565 | ² YETI Holdings, Inc. | 230,1 |
| | TOTAL | 43,710,9 |
| | Consumer Staples—4.2% | |
| 3,235 | ² Bellring Brands, Inc. | 678,69 |
| 2,417 | ² BJ's Wholesale Club Holdings, Inc. | 1,092,1 |
| 4,275 | Casey's General Stores, Inc. | 1,658,0 |
| 3,444 | ² Celsius Holdings, Inc. | 629,5 |
| 502 | Coca-Cola Bottling Co. | 575,2 |
| 6,827 | ² Coty, Inc CL A | 366,4 |
| 2,790 | ² Darling Ingredients, Inc. | 508,1 |
| 5,976 | ² e.l.f. Beauty, Inc. | 1,031,3 |
| 8,977 | Flowers Foods, Inc. | 427,3 |
| 8,129 | Ingredion, Inc. | 1,011,0 |
| 2,230 | Lancaster Colony Corp. | 430,5 |
| 5,963 | ² Performance Food Group Co. | 1,101,4 |
| 3,467 | ² Pilgrim's Pride Corp. | 142,9 |
| 5,324 | ² Post Holdings, Inc. | 582,2 |
| 0,213 | ² Sprouts Farmers Market, Inc. | 1,020,1 |
| 1,057 | ² The Boston Beer Co., Inc., Class A | 296,1 |
| 3,281 | ² US Foods Holding Corp. | 1,266,2 |
| | TOTAL | 12,817,7 |
| | Energy—5.2% | |
| 5,569 | Antero Midstream Corp. | 654,3 |
| 1,611 | ² Antero Resources Corp. | 917,3: |
| 0,329 | ChampionX Corp. | 696,47 |

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| | ¹ COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| | Energy—continued | |
| 10,060 | ³ Chesapeake Energy Corp. | \$ 767,88 |
| 6,377 | Chord Energy Corp. | 1,094,67 |
| 10,106 | Civitas Resources, Inc. | 704,99 |
| 10,319 | ² CNX Resources Corp. | 273,14 |
| 9,819 | DT Midstream, Inc. | 739,96 |
| 15,251 | HF Sinclair Corp. | 784,96 |
| 12,699 | Matador Resources Co. | 780,73 |
| 18,774 | Murphy Oil Corp. | 776,86 |
| 33,940 | NOV, Inc. | 706,63 |
| 25,600 | Ovintiv, Inc. | 1,188,86 |
| 11,738 | PBF Energy, Inc. | 478,32 |
| 55,861 | Permian Resources Corp. | 856,90 |
| 25,095 | Range Resources Corp. | 783,71 |
| 36,698 | ² Southwestern Energy Co. | 881,70 |
| 1,996 | Texas Pacific Land Corp. | 1,686,42 |
| 4,629 | ² Valaris Ltd. | 363,79 |
| 8,902 | ² Weatherford International PLC | 1,049,19 |
| | TOTAL | 16,186,96 |
| | Financials—16.2% | |
| 3,174 | Affiliated Managers Group | 589,15 |
| 29,494 | Ally Financial, Inc. | 1,327,52 |
| 6,666 | American Financial Group, Inc. | 872,97 |
| 54,074 | Annaly Capital Management, Inc. | 1,076,6 |
| 14,235 | Associated Banc-Corp. | 327,12 |
| 0,388 | Bank OZK | 487,09 |
| 9,781 | ² Brighthouse Financial, Inc. | 487,77 |
| 20,252 | Cadence Bank | 665,68 |
| 19,320 | Carlyle Group LP/The | 960,97 |
| 10,938 | CNO Financial Group, Inc. | 381,29 |
| 23,549 | Columbia Banking Systems, Inc. | 616,04 |
| 11,884 | Commerce Bancshares, Inc. | 769,0 |
| 5,343 | Cullen Frost Bankers, Inc. | 625,4 |
| 16,609 | East West Bancorp, Inc. | 1,459,70 |
| 31,499 | Equitable Holdings, Inc. | 1,373,67 |
| 2,546 | Erie Indemnity Co. | 1,123,10 |
| 10,733 | Essent Group Ltd. | 674,40 |
| 5,882 | ² Euronet Worldwide, Inc. | 599,90 |
| 3,036 | Evercore, Inc., Class A | 760,18 |
| 8,449 | Federated Hermes, Inc. | 290,0 |
| 27,888 | Fidelity National Financial, Inc. | 1,545,2 |
| 11,435 | First American Financial Corp. | 692,73 |
| 14,521 | First Financial Bankshares, Inc. | 558,47 |
| 67,120 | First Horizon Corp. | |
| 3,925 | FirstCash Holdings, Inc. | 438,03 |
| 40,016 | FNB Corp. (PA) | 613,84 |
| | | |
| 12,724 | Glacier Bancorp, Inc. | 568,89 |
| 11,704 | Hancock Whitney Corp. | 640,50 |
| 3,558 | Hanover Insurance Group, Inc. | 489,11 |
| 18,404 | Home Bancshares, Inc. | 521,38 |
| 4,460 | Houlihan Lokey, Inc. | 670,11 |
| 11,041 | Interactive Brokers Group, Inc., Class A | 1,316,86 |
| 5,118 | International Bancshares Corp. | 345,15 |

| Shares | | Value |
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| | ¹ COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| | Financials—continued | |
| 12,685 | Janus Henderson Group PLC | \$ 472,263 |
| 17,246 | Jefferies Financial Group, Inc. | 1,008,374 |
| 6,000 | Kemper Corp. | 384,360 |
| 1,974 | Kinsale Capital Group, Inc. | 902,256 |
| 34,614 | MGIC Investment Corp. | 859,812 |
| 2,260 | Morningstar, Inc. | 717,889 |
| 12,139 | ³ New York Community Bancorp, Inc. | 127,702 |
| 34,396 | Old National Bancorp | 688,608 |
| 31,175 | Old Republic International Corp. | 1,079,279 |
| 6,544 | Pinnacle Financial Partners, Inc. | 630,318 |
| 3,042 | Primerica, Inc. | 765,884 |
| 7,732 | Prosperity Bancshares, Inc. | 560,725 |
| 6,790 | Reinsurance Group of America, Inc. | |
| 4,947 | RenaissanceRe Holdings Ltd. | |
| 4,038 | RLI Corp. | 608,082 |
| 10,782 | Ryan Specialty Group Holdings, Inc. | 664,063 |
| 10,086 | SEI Investments Co. | 684,234 |
| 6,167 | Selective Insurance Group, Inc. | 557,003 |
| 21,774 | SLM Corp. | 494,052 |
| 8,402 | South State Corp. | 831,546 |
| 33,038 | Starwood Property Trust, Inc. | 659,108 |
| 12,500 | Stifel Financial Corp. | 1,108,375 |
| 15,644 | Synovus Financial Corp. | 731,357 |
| 2,515 | ² Texas Capital Bancshares, Inc. | 166,242 |
| 4,271 | UMB Financial Corp. | 435,727 |
| 18,631 | United Bankshares, Inc. | 725,305 |
| 21,512 | Unum Group | 1,237,585 |
| 49,213 | Valley National Bancorp | 413,389 |
| 10,216 | VOYA Financial, Inc. | 743,010 |
| 21,464 | Webster Financial Corp. Waterbury | 1,065,044 |
| 47,060 | Western Union Co. | 559,543 |
| 4,575 | ² WEX, Inc. | 839,284 |
| 6,589 | Wintrust Financial Corp. | 712,930 |
| 16,220 | Zions Bancorporation, N.A. | 838,087 |
| 10,220 | TOTAL | 49,940,742 |
| | Health Care—9.5% | 77,770,772 |
| 7,699 | ² Acadia Healthcare Co., Inc. | 499,280 |
| 3,130 | ² Amedisys, Inc. | 306,896 |
| 7,201 | ² Arrowhead Pharmaceuticals, Inc. | 205,661 |
| 71,569 | ² Avantor, Inc. | 1,914,471 |
| 6,168 | ² Azenta, Inc. | 384,205 |
| 20,167 | | 1,700,683 |
| | ² BioMarin Pharmaceutical, Inc. | |
| 12,348 | Bruker Corp. | 845,961 |
| 1,855 | Chemed Corp. | 1,057,647 |
| 6,325 | ² Concentra Group Holdings Parent, Inc. | 147,436 |
| 9,373 | ² Cytokinetics, Inc. | 553,101 |
| 22,952 | Dentsply Sirona, Inc. | 622,917 |
| 13,887 | ² Doximity, Inc. | 388,836 |
| 10,267 | Encompass Health Corp. | 954,215 |
| 5,881 | ² Enovis Corp. | 280,171 |
| 19,713 | ² Envista Holdings Corp. | 336,501 |
| 29,374 | ² Exelixis, Inc. | 688,820 |

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| | ¹ COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| | Health Care—continued | |
| 1,437 | ² Globus Medical, Inc. | \$ 823 |
| 5,019 | ² Haemonetics Corp. | 451 |
| 3,945 | ² Halozyme Therapeutics, Inc. | 770 |
| 0,856 | ² HealthEquity, Inc. | 851 |
| 7,025 | ² Illumina, Inc. | 2,087 |
| 6,492 | ² Jazz Pharmaceuticals PLC | 715 |
| 5,982 | ² Lantheus Holdings, Inc. | 627 |
| 6,202 | ² Livanova PLC | 306 |
| 3,622 | ² Masimo Corp. | 387 |
| 2,827 | ² Medpace Holdings, Inc. | 1,08 |
| 2,282 | ² Neogen Corp. | 209 |
| 1,634 | ² Neurocrine Biosciences, Inc. | 1,647 |
| 9,298 | ² Option Care Health, Inc. | 572 |
| 4,239 | ² Penumbra, Inc. | 708 |
| 5,439 | Perrigo Co. PLC | 436 |
| 4,232 | ² Progyny, Inc. | 401 |
| 3,051 | ² R1 RCM, Inc. | 296 |
| 5,702 | ² Repligen Corp. | 954 |
| 8,210 | ² Roivant Sciences Ltd. | 414 |
| 9,078 | ² Sarepta Therapeutics, Inc. | 1,29 |
| 5,522 | ² Sotera Health Topco, Inc. | 21: |
| 1,314 | ² Tenet Healthcare Corp. | 1,693 |
| 4,578 | ² United Therapeutics Corp. | 1,434 |
| | TOTAL | 29,265 |
| | Industrials—21.4% | |
| 7,530 | Aaon, Inc. | 666 |
| 3,096 | Acuity Brands, Inc. | 778 |
| 7,995 | Advanced Drainage System, Inc. | 1,41 |
| 4,014 | AECOM | 1,26 |
| 6,796 | AGCO Corp. | 64 |
| 3,914 | Applied Industrial Technologies, Inc. | 853 |
| 664 | Avis Budget Group, Inc. | 65 |
| 9,319 | BWX Technologies, Inc. | 92 |
| 2,671 | ² CACI International, Inc., Class A | 1,23 |
| 5,330 | Carlisle Cos., Inc. | 2,23 |
| 3,449 | Chart Industries, Inc. | 55: |
| | ² Clean Harbors, Inc. | 1,230 |
| 5,156 | | |
| 5,156 3,661 | Comfort Systems USA, Inc. | 1,210 |
| 3,661 | | |
| 3,661 5,394 | Concentrix Corp. | 380 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 | Concentrix Corp. ² Core & Main, Inc. | 380 1,103 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 | Concentrix Corp. ² Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. | 380 1,100 798 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 | Concentrix Corp. 2Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. | 380 1,108 798 1,333 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 | Concentrix Corp. ² Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. | 380 1,108 798 1,337 1,093 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 5,308 | Concentrix Corp. ² Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. Emcor Group, Inc. | 380 1,100 798 1,333 1,093 1,992 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 5,308 3,992 | Concentrix Corp. ² Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. Emcor Group, Inc. EnerSys, Inc. | 380 1,100 790 1,333 1,093 1,993 430 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 5,308 3,992 5,688 | Concentrix Corp. 2 Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. Emcor Group, Inc. EnerSys, Inc. ESAB Corp. | 38 1,10 79 1,33 1,09 1,99 43 57 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 5,308 3,992 5,688 8,054 | Concentrix Corp. Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. Emcor Group, Inc. EnerSys, Inc. ESAB Corp. 2Exlservice Holding, Inc. | 388 1,108 798 1,333 1,093 1,993 438 577 638 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 5,308 3,992 5,688 8,054 5,038 | Concentrix Corp. 2Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. Emcor Group, Inc. EnerSys, Inc. ESAB Corp. 2Exlservice Holding, Inc. Exponent, Inc. | 380 1,100 798 1,337 1,093 1,992 438 577 636 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 5,308 3,992 5,688 8,054 5,038 3,276 | Concentrix Corp. 2 Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. Emcor Group, Inc. EnerSys, Inc. ESAB Corp. 2 Exlservice Holding, Inc. Exponent, Inc. Flowserve Corp. | 380 1,108 798 1,337 1,092 1,992 438 577 636 534 |
| 3,661 5,394 0,731 4,978 4,537 4,611 5,308 3,992 5,688 8,054 5,038 | Concentrix Corp. 2Core & Main, Inc. Crane Co. Curtiss Wright Corp. Donaldson Co., Inc. Emcor Group, Inc. EnerSys, Inc. ESAB Corp. 2Exlservice Holding, Inc. Exponent, Inc. | 1,216 380 1,108 798 1,337 1,093 1,992 438 577 636 534 671 716 |

| Shares | | Value |
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| | ¹ COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| | Industrials—continued | |
| 2,690 | GATX Corp. | \$ 375,255 |
| 17,428 | Genpact Ltd. | 604,229 |
| 17,450 | Graco, Inc. | 1,484,122 |
| 13,156 | ² GXO Logistics, Inc. | 736,473 |
| 9,181 | Hexcel Corp. | 607,874 |
| 2,279 | Insperity, Inc. | 234,099 |
| 9,737 | ITT Corp. | 1,377,396 |
| 13,697 | KBR, Inc. | 912,083 |
| 5,900 | ² Kirby Corp. | 724,992 |
| 17,600 | Knight-Swift Transportation Holdings, Inc. | 957,968 |
| 3,610 | Landstar System, Inc. | 686,802 |
| 3,323 | Lennox International, Inc. | 1,938,970 |
| 6,008 | Lincoln Electric Holdings | 1,234,103 |
| 4,633 | Manpower, Inc. | 354,795 |
| 6,651 | ² Mastec, Inc. | 731,810 |
| 6,079 | Maximus, Inc. | 564,678 |
| 20,351 | MDU Resources Group, Inc. | 548,256 |
| 5,881 | ² Middleby Corp. | 797,346 |
| 4,645 | MSA Safety, Inc. | |
| 4,956 | MSC Industrial Direct Co. | 440,836 |
| 10,471 | ² NEXTracker, Inc. | 514,545 |
| 17,536 | nVent Electric PLC | 1,273,640 |
| 5,581 | Oshkosh Corp. | 606,376 |
| 9,916 | Owens Corning, Inc. | 1,848,144 |
| 4,779 | ² Paylocity Corp. | 717,185 |
| 17,551 | RB Global, Inc. | |
| 2,954 | ² RBC Bearings, Inc. | 859,141 |
| 7,200 | Regal Rexnord Corp. | 1,156,896 |
| 5,768 | Ryder System, Inc. | 808,443 |
| 2,859 | ² Saia, Inc. | 1,194,633 |
| 5,156 | Science Applications International Corp. | 641,406 |
| 16,593 | Sensata Technologies Holdings | 646,961 |
| 3,620 | Simpson Manufacturing Co., Inc. | 695,366 |
| 7,347 | ² Stericycle, Inc. | 430,167 |
| 4,455 | Terex Corp. | 281,823 |
| 5,497 | Tetra Tech, Inc. | 1,172,180 |
| 6,044 | The Brink's Co. | 664,780 |
| 6,476 | Timken Co. | 563,088 |
| 9,530 | Toro Co. | 912,307 |
| 11,744 | ² Trex Co., Inc. | 982,151 |
| 7,710 | UFP Industries, Inc. | 1,017,180 |
| 2,228 | Valmont Industries, Inc. | 664,746 |
| 3,079 | Watsco, Inc. | 1,507,140 |
| 2,735 | Watts Industries, Inc., Class A | 567,567 |
| 2,733 4,771 | WESCO International, Inc. | 834,686 |
| 6,260 | Woodward, Inc. | 976,497 |
| 12,510 | ² XPO, Inc. | |
| 14,310 | TOTAL | 1,437,274 |
| | | 65,805,549 |
| 7 500 | Information Technology—8.7% | 100.070 |
| 7,528 6.018 | ² Allegro MicroSystems, Inc. | 180,973 |
| 6,018 | ² Altair Engineering, Inc. | 531,750 |
| 10,584 | Amkor Technology, Inc. | 345,673 |

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| | ¹COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| 4 (07 | Information Technology—continued | A 055 |
| 1,607 | ² AppFolio, Inc. | \$ 355, |
| 5,382 | ² Arrow Electronics, Inc. | 665, |
| 6,407 | ² ASGN, Inc. | 606, |
| 3,077 | ² Aspen Technology, Inc. | 578, |
| 8,979 | Avnet, Inc. | 482, |
| 4,579 | Belden, Inc. | 424, |
| 6,099 | ² Blackbaud, Inc. | 484, |
| 5,815 | ² Ciena Corp. | 834, |
| 5,453 | ² Cirrus Logic, Inc. | 711, |
| 8,659 | Cognex Corp. | 925, |
| 4,354 | ² Coherent Corp. | 1,000, |
| 4,332 | ² Commvault Systems, Inc. | 662, |
| 2,922 | Crane NXT Co. | 183, |
| 5,936 | Dolby Laboratories, Class A | 467, |
| 6,767 | ² Dropbox, Inc. | 640, |
| 5,959 | ² Dynatrace Holdings LLC | 1,140, |
| 3,364 | ² IPG Photonics Corp. | 270, |
| 8,759 | ² Kyndryl Holdings, Inc. | 504, |
| 4,945 | ² Lattice Semiconductor Corp. | 792, |
| 2,715 | Littelfuse, Inc. | 725, |
| 4,200 | ² Lumentum Holdings, Inc. | 217, |
| 5,502 | ² MA-COM Technology Solutions Holdings, Inc. | 555, |
| 6,361 | ² Manhattan Associates, Inc. | 1,624 |
| 7,707 | MKS Instruments, Inc. | 970 |
| 3,947 | Novanta, Inc. | 775, |
| 5,816 | ² Onto Innovation Inc. | |
| 6,364 | | 464, |
| | Power Integrations, Inc. ² Pure Storage, Inc., Class A | 2,054 |
| 4,282 | ` | |
| 4,094 | ² Qualys, Inc. | 610 |
| 1,856 | ² Rambus, Inc. | 609 |
| 3,606 | ² Silicon Laboratories, Inc. | 433 |
| 4,476 | ² Synaptics, Inc. | 390, |
| 9,245 | TD SYNNEX Corp. | 1,101 |
| 1,006 | ² Teradata Corp. | 356 |
| 4,484 | Universal Display Corp. | 998 |
| 6,964 | Vishay Intertechnology, Inc. | 169, |
| 9,815 | Vontier Corp. | 777, |
| 7,368 | ² Wolfspeed, Inc. | 138, |
| | TOTAL | 26,814, |
| | Materials—6.4% | |
| 5,316 | Alcoa Corp. | 506, |
| 6,783 | AptarGroup, Inc. | 996 |
| 6,315 | ² Arcadium Lithium PLC | 210, |
| 4,987 | Ashland, Inc. | 481, |
| 0,245 | Avient Corp. | 463, |
| 3,970 | ² Axalta Coating Systems Ltd. | 854 |
| 2,500 | Berry Global Group, Inc. | 821 |
| 5,524 | Cabot Corp. | 554 |
| 9,601 | Chemours Co./The | 232 |
| 9,567 | ² Cleveland-Cliffs, Inc. | 914 |
| 2,632 | Commercial Metals Corp. | 71-7, |
| | Commercial Metals Corp. | |

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| | ¹ COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| | Materials—continued | |
| 3,497 | Eagle Materials, Inc. | \$ 952 |
| 27,240 | Graphic Packaging Holding Co. | 819 |
| 2,266 | Greif, Inc., Class A | 151 |
| 5,552 | ² Knife River Corp. | 441 |
| 6,471 | Louisiana-Pacific Corp. | 635 |
| 3,876 | ^{2,3} MP Materials Corp. | 52 |
| 673 | Newmarket Corp. | 377 |
| 5,407 | Olin Corp. | 702 |
| 5,945 | Reliance, Inc. | 1,810 |
| 8,039 | Royal Gold, Inc. | 1,110 |
| 4,812 | RPM International, Inc. | 1,799 |
| 6,594 | Scotts Miracle-Gro Co. | 518 |
| 8,530 | Silgan Holdings, Inc. | 438 |
| 9,847 | Sonoco Products Co. | 530 |
| 24,303 | United States Steel Corp. | 998 |
| 3,197 | Westlake Corp. | 472 |
| | TOTAL | 19,752 |
| | Real Estate—7.1% | |
| 8,285 | Agree Realty Corp. | 571 |
| 34,175 | American Homes 4 Rent | 1,233 |
| 32,955 | Brixmor Property Group, Inc. | 839 |
| 7,593 | Corporate Office Properties Trust | 509 |
| 22,037 | Cousins Properties, Inc. | 606 |
| 24,055 | Cubesmart | 1,144 |
| 5,227 | EastGroup Properties, Inc. | 977 |
| 1,372 | EPR Properties | 511 |
| 9,187 | Equity Lifestyle Properties, Inc. | 1,317 |
| 4,523 | First Industrial Realty Trust | 794 |
| 27,941 | Gaming and Leisure Properties, Inc. | 1,402 |
| 11,581 | Healthcare Realty Trust, Inc. | 735 |
| 25,194 | Independence Realty Trust | 469 |
| 4,873 | ² Jones Lang LaSalle, Inc. | 1,222 |
| 5,653 | Kilroy Realty Corp. | 578 |
| 24,393 | Kite Realty Group Trust | 60° |
| 9,001 | Lamar Advertising Co., Class A | 1,078 |
| 8,000 | National Storage Affiliates Trust | 340 |
| 8,634 | NNN REIT, Inc. | 836 |
| 21,737 | Omega Healthcare Investors, Inc. | 791 |
| 24,056 | Park Hotels & Resorts, Inc. | 362 |
| 4,890 | PotlatchDeltic Corp. | 216 |
| 3,480 | Rayonier, Inc. | 408 |
| 9,727 | Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc. | 988 |
| 22,439 | Sabra Health Care REIT, Inc. | 364 |
| 9,955 | STAG Industrial, Inc. | 814 |
| 7,927 | Vornado Realty Trust, LP | 537 |
| 25,542 | WP Carey, Inc. | 1,476 |
| | TOTAL | 21,733 |
| | Utilities—2.5% | 21,700 |
| 8,298 | Allete, Inc. | 535 |
| 6,885 | Black Hills Corp. | 406 |
| 27,241 | Essential Utilities, Inc. | 1,107 |
| 5,030 | Idacorp, Inc. | 491 |

| Shares | | Value |
|------------|---|---------------|
| | ¹ COMMON STOCKS—continued | |
| | Utilities—continued | |
| 9,163 | National Fuel Gas Co. | \$ 536,860 |
| 9,738 | New Jersey Resources Corp. | 455,252 |
| 5,881 | Northwestern Energy Group, Inc. | 316,221 |
| 20,317 | OGE Energy Corp. | 787,690 |
| 6,414 | ONE Gas, Inc. | 446,607 |
| 3,690 | Ormat Technologies, Inc. | 286,492 |
| 5,657 | PNM Resources, Inc. | 235,218 |
| 7,559 | Portland General Electric Co. | 358,145 |
| 8,218 | Southwest Gas Holdings, Inc. | 609,447 |
| 5,601 | Spire, Inc. | 372,971 |
| 28,176 | UGI Corp. | 698,201 |
| | TOTAL | 7,643,913 |
| | TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (IDENTIFIED COST \$169,947,366) | 298,365,848 |
| | INVESTMENT COMPANY—3.3% | |
| 10,312,996 | Federated Hermes Government Obligations Fund, Premier Shares, 5.24% ⁴ (IDENTIFIED COST \$10,312,996) | 10,312,996 |
| | TOTAL INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES—100.2% (IDENTIFIED COST \$180,260,362) | 308,678,844 |
| | OTHER ASSETS AND LIABILITIES - NET—(0.2%) ⁵ | (708,005) |
| | TOTAL NET ASSETS—100% | \$307,970,839 |
| | | |

At July 31, 2024, the Fund had the following outstanding futures contracts:

| Description | Number of Contracts | Notional Value | Expiration Date | Value and Unrealized Appreciation |
|---|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---|
| Long Futures: | | | | |
| S&P MidCap 400 E-Mini Index, Long Futures | 31 | \$9,672,310 | September 2024 | \$400,226 |

The average notional value of long futures contracts held by the Fund throughout the period was \$10,476,002. This is based on amounts held as of each month-end throughout the nine-month fiscal period.

Net Unrealized Appreciation on Futures Contracts is included in "Other Assets and Liabilities—Net."

Transactions with affiliates, which are either the parent company of the Adviser or investment companies which are funds managed by the Manager or an affiliate of the Manager, during the period ended July 31, 2024, were as follows:

| | Federated Hermes, Inc. | Federated Hermes Government Obligations Fund, Premier Shares* | Federated Hermes Institutional Prime Value Obligations Fund, Institutional Shares | Total of Affiliated Transactions |
|--|---------------------------|--|---|--|
| Value as of 10/31/2023 | \$343,882 | \$ 2,105,070 | \$ 11,154,428 | \$ 13,603,380 |
| Purchases at Cost | \$ — | \$ 49,607,513 | \$ 46,884,707 | \$ 96,492,220 |
| Proceeds from Sales | \$ (80,989) | \$(41,399,587) | \$(58,040,207) | \$(99,520,783) |
| Change in Unrealized Appreciation/Depreciation | \$ (5,296) | \$ — | \$ (3,511) | \$ (8,807) |
| Net Realized Gain/(Loss) | \$ 32,457 | \$ — | \$ 4,583 | \$ 37,040 |
| Value as of 7/31/2024 | \$290,054 | \$ 10,312,996 | \$ — | \$ 10,603,050 |
| Shares Held as of 7/31/2024 | 8,449 | 10,312,996 | _ | 10,321,445 |
| Dividend Income | \$ 18,551 | \$ 198,421 | \$ 262,380 | \$ 479,352 |

^{*} All or a portion of the balance/activity for the fund relates to cash collateral received on securities lending transactions.

- 1 The Fund purchases index futures contracts to efficiently manage cash flows resulting from shareholder purchases and redemptions, dividend and capital gain payments to shareholders and corporate actions while maintaining exposure to the S&P MidCap 400 Index and minimizing trading costs. The underlying face amount, at value, of open index futures contracts is \$9,672,310 at July 31, 2024, which represents 3.1% of total net assets. Taking into consideration these open index futures contracts, the Fund's effective total exposure to the S&P MidCap 400 Index is 100%.
- 2 Non-income-producing security.
- 3 All or a portion of these securities are temporarily on loan to unaffiliated broker/dealers.

| Fair Value of | Collateral | | |
|-------------------|-------------|--|--|
| Securities Loaned | Received | | |
| \$1,105,320 | \$1,144,013 | | |

- 4 7-day net yield.
- 5 Assets, other than investments in securities, less liabilities.

Note: The categories of investments are shown as a percentage of total net assets at July 31, 2024.

Investment Valuation

In calculating its net asset value (NAV), the Fund generally values investments as follows:

- Equity securities listed on an exchange or traded through a regulated market system are valued at their last reported sale price or official closing price in their principal exchange or market.
- Fixed-income securities are fair valued using price evaluations provided by a pricing service approved by Federated Equity Management Company of Pennsylvania (the "Manager").
- Shares of other mutual funds or non-exchange-traded investment companies are valued based upon their reported NAVs, or NAV per share practical expedient, as applicable.
- Derivative contracts listed on exchanges are valued at their reported settlement or closing price, except that options are valued at the mean of closing bid and ask quotations.
- Over-the-counter (OTC) derivative contracts are fair valued using price evaluations provided by a pricing service approved by the Manager.
- For securities that are fair valued in accordance with procedures established by and under the general supervision of the Manager, certain factors may be considered, such as: the last traded or purchase price of the security, information obtained by contacting the issuer or dealers, analysis of the issuer's financial statements or other available documents, fundamental analytical data, the nature and duration of restrictions on disposition, the movement of the market in which the security is normally traded, public trading in similar securities or derivative contracts of the issuer or comparable issuers, movement of a relevant index, or other factors including but not limited to industry changes and relevant government actions.

If any price, quotation, price evaluation or other pricing source is not readily available when the NAV is calculated, if the Fund cannot obtain price evaluations from a pricing service or from more than one dealer for an investment within a reasonable period of time as set forth in the Manager's valuation policies and procedures for the Fund, or if information furnished by a pricing service, in the opinion of the Manager's valuation committee ("Valuation Committee"), is deemed not representative of the fair value of such security, the Fund uses the fair value of the investment determined in accordance with the procedures described below. There can be no assurance that the Fund could obtain the fair value assigned to an investment if it sold the investment at approximately the time at which the Fund determines its NAV per share, and the actual value obtained could be materially different.

Fair Valuation and Significant Events Procedures

Pursuant to Rule 2a-5 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Fund's Board of Trustees (the "Trustees") has designated the Manager as the Fund's valuation designee to perform any fair value determinations for securities and other assets held by the Fund. The Manager is subject to the Trustees' oversight and certain reporting and other requirements intended to provide the Trustees the information needed to oversee the Manager's fair value determinations.

The Manager, acting through its Valuation Committee, is responsible for determining the fair value of investments for which market quotations are not readily available. The Valuation Committee is comprised of officers of the Manager and certain of the Manager's affiliated companies and determines fair value and oversees the calculation of the NAV. The Valuation Committee is also authorized to use pricing services to provide fair value evaluations of the current value of certain investments for purposes of calculating the NAV. The Valuation Committee employs various methods for reviewing third-party pricing-service evaluations including periodic reviews of third-party pricing services' policies, procedures and valuation methods (including key inputs, methods, models and assumptions), transactional back-testing, comparisons of evaluations of different pricing services, and review of price challenges by the Manager based on recent market activity. In the event that market quotations and price evaluations are not available for an investment, the Valuation Committee determines the fair value of the investment in accordance with procedures adopted by the Manager. The Trustees periodically review the fair valuations made by the Valuation Committee. The Trustees have also approved the Manager's fair valuation and significant events procedures as part of the Fund's compliance program and will review any changes made to the procedures.

Factors considered by pricing services in evaluating an investment include the yields or prices of investments of comparable quality, coupon, maturity, call rights and other potential prepayments, terms and type, reported transactions, indications as to values from dealers and general market conditions. Some pricing services provide a single price evaluation reflecting the bid-side of the market for an investment (a "bid" evaluation). Other pricing services offer both bid evaluations and price evaluations indicative of a price between the prices bid and ask for the investment (a "mid" evaluation). The Fund normally uses bid evaluations for any U.S. Treasury and Agency securities, mortgage-backed securities and municipal securities. The Fund normally uses mid evaluations for any other types of fixed-income securities and any OTC derivative contracts. In the event that market quotations and price evaluations are not available for an investment, the fair value of the investment is determined in accordance with procedures adopted by the Manager.

The Manager has also adopted procedures requiring an investment to be priced at its fair value whenever the Valuation Committee determines that a significant event affecting the value of the investment has occurred between the time as of which the price of the investment would otherwise be determined and the time as of which the NAV is computed. An event is considered significant if there is both an affirmative expectation that the investment's value will change in response to the event and a reasonable basis for quantifying the resulting change in value. Examples of significant events that may occur after the close of the principal market on which a security is traded, or after the time of a price evaluation provided by a pricing service or a dealer, include:

- With respect to securities traded principally in foreign markets, significant trends in U.S. equity markets or in the trading of foreign securities index futures contracts;
- Political or other developments affecting the economy or markets in which an issuer conducts its operations or its securities are traded:
- Announcements concerning matters such as acquisitions, recapitalizations, litigation developments, or a natural disaster affecting the issuer's operations or regulatory changes or market developments affecting the issuer's industry.

The Manager has adopted procedures whereby the Valuation Committee uses a pricing service to provide factors to update the fair value of equity securities traded principally in foreign markets from the time of the close of their respective foreign stock exchanges to the pricing time of the Fund. For other significant events, the Fund may seek to obtain more current quotations or price evaluations from alternative pricing sources. If a reliable alternative pricing source is not available, the Valuation Committee will determine the fair value of the investment in accordance with the fair valuation procedures approved by the Manager. The Trustees periodically review fair valuations made in response to significant events.

Various inputs are used in determining the value of the Fund's investments. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below:

Level 1—quoted prices in active markets for identical securities.

Level 2—other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.). Also includes securities valued at amortized cost.

Level 3—significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments).

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

As of July 31, 2024, all investments of the Fund utilized Level 1 inputs in valuing the Fund's assets carried at fair value.

The following acronym(s) are used throughout this portfolio:

LP —Limited Partnership

REIT—Real Estate Investment Trust

Portfolio holdings are shown as of the date indicated and are unaudited. Since market conditions fluctuate suddenly and frequently, the portfolio holdings may change and this list is not indicative of future portfolio composition. These portfolio holdings are not intended to be and do not constitute recommendations that others buy, sell, or hold any of the securities listed.

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