Federated Hermes MDT Small Cap Core ETF

Ticker symbol — FSCC | Listing exchange — NYSE | Cusip — 31423L602



6/30/25

Product highlights

- Pursues long-term capital appreciation.
- Invests primarily in growth and value stocks of small-cap US companies.
- Selects stocks primarily from companies that comprise the Russell 2000[®] Index through a bottom-up, quantitativelydriven process.
- Seeks to remove subjective and emotional influences from security selection and capitalize on market inefficiencies.

Morningstar category

Small Blend

Benchmark

Russell 2000® Index

Key investment team

Daniel Mahr, CFA Frederick Konopka, CFA John Paul Lewicke Damien Zhang, CFA

Fund statistics

| Portfolio assets | \$15.2 m |
|----------------------------|---------------|
| Number of securities | 303 |
| Dividends | Paid annually |
| Weighted median P/E (NTM) | 15.1x |
| Weighted median P/E (LTM) | 20.4x |
| Weighted median market cap | \$2.3 b |
| Weighted median price/book | 2.2x |
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Top holdings (%)

| American Healthcare REIT Inc - REIT | 1.7 |
|---------------------------------------|-----|
| Sprouts Farmers Market, Inc. | 1.6 |
| Skyward Specialty Insurance Group Inc | 1.4 |
| BankUnited Inc. | 1.3 |
| Grindr Inc. | 1.3 |
| Fluor Corp. | 1.2 |
| Primoris Services Corp. | 1.2 |
| SSR Mining, Inc. | 1.2 |
| Xerox Holdings Corp | 1.2 |
| Mueller Water Products, Inc. | 1.1 |

Sector weightings (%)



Portfolio composition (%)



Average annual total returns (%)

| | | | | | Expense ratio*, ' | |
|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| | Performance inception | Cumulative 1-month | Cumulative 3-month | Cumulative since inception | Before waivers | After waivers |
| NAV | 7/30/24 | 5.47 | 10.77 | 2.69 | 0.51 | 0.36 |
| Market price | 7/30/24 | 5.46 | 10.84 | 2.89 | 0.51 | 0.36 |
| Benchmark | | 5.44 | 8.50 | - | - | - |

Performance quoted represents past performance, which is no guarantee of future results. Fund performance changes over time and current performance may be lower or higher than what is stated. Investment return and principal value will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when sold or redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost and current performance may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance includes reinvestment of dividends and other earnings. To view performance current to the most recent month-end contact us or visit FederatedHermes.com/us.

The market price return is calculated from closing prices as determined by the fund's listing exchange. The returns shown do not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times.

^{*} The fund's expense ratio is from the most recent prospectus. The expense ratio may reflect voluntary fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements determined by the fund's Advisor and its affiliates. The voluntary waivers and/or reimbursements, if applicable, are in effect up to but not including the later of 5/1/26 or the date of the fund's next effective prospectus.

[†]Includes acquired fund fees and other expenses.

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Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

Fund shares are bought and sold on an exchange at market price (not NAV) and are not individually redeemed from the fund. However, shares may be redeemed at NAV directly by certain authorized broker-dealers (Authorized Participants) in very large creation/redemption units. The returns shown do not represent the returns you would receive if you traded shares at other times. Shares may trade at a premium or discount to their NAV in the secondary market. Brokerage commissions will reduce returns. Market price returns are based on the official closing price of an ETF share or, if the official closing price isn't available, the midpoint between the national best bid and national best offer ("NBBO") as of the time the ETF calculates the current NAV per share. NAVs are calculated using prices as of the end of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange (normally 4:00 PM Eastern Time). Recent information, including information about the fund's NAV, market price, premiums and discounts, and bid-ask spreads, is included on the fund's website at FederatedHermes.com/us.

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A word about risk

Diversification does not assure a profit nor protect against loss.

ETFs are subject to risks and fluctuate in value.

The value of equity securities in the fund's portfolio will fluctuate and, as a result, the fund's share price may decline. Equity securities may decline in value because of an increase in interest rates or changes in the stock market.

The quantitative models and analysis used by the fund's adviser may perform differently than expected and negatively affect fund performance.

Because the fund may allocate relatively more assets to certain industry sectors than others, the fund's performance may be more susceptible to any developments which affect those sectors emphasized by the fund.

Small-cap companies may have less liquid stock, a more volatile share price, unproven track records, a limited product or service base and limited access to capital. The above factors could make small-cap companies more likely to fail than larger companies and increase the volatility of the fund's portfolio, performance and share price. Suitable securities of small-cap companies also can have limited availability and cause capacity constraints on investment strategies for funds that invest in them.

Growth stocks tend to have higher valuations and thus are typically more volatile than value stocks. Growth stocks also may not pay dividends or may pay lower dividends than value stocks.

Value stocks tend to have higher dividends and thus have a higher income-related component in their total return than growth stocks. Value stocks also may lag growth stocks in performance, particularly in late stages of a market advance.

The fund is a new fund that recently commenced operations. New funds have limited operating histories for investors to evaluate and new funds may not attract sufficient assets to achieve investment and trading efficiencies.

Definitions

The holdings percentages are based on net assets at the close of business on 6/30/25 and may not necessarily reflect adjustments that are routinely made when presenting net assets for formal financial statement purposes. Because this is a managed portfolio, the investment holdings will change.

Total return represents the change in value of an investment after reinvesting all income and capital gains. Total return would have been lower in the absence of expense waivers or reimbursements.

Weighted median P/E (LTM - latest twelve months) is a ratio comparing share price to earnings per share using data from the previous twelve months

Weighted median P/E (NTM - next twelve months) in calculating this, individual holdings with values greater than 60 are capped at 60 in accordance with Morningstar's methodology for calculating "weighted median P/E."

Weighted median market capitalization is the calculation represented by the median market capitalization of the stocks in the portfolio, weighted by the amount of each stock.

Weighted median price/book is a ratio comparing share price to book value or assets minus liabilities.

Russell 2000[®] Index measures the performance of the small-cap segment of the US equity universe. The Russell 2000[®] 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. The Russell 2000[®] Index is constructed to provide a comprehensive and unbiased small-cap barometer and is completely reconstituted annually to ensure larger stocks do not distort the performance and characteristics of the true small-cap opportunity set.

Indexes are unmanaged and cannot be invested in directly.

Ratings and rating agencies

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