## Desjardins Canadian Equity Value Fund



QUARTERLY COMMENTARY AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2021



PORTFOLIO MANAGER: LSV Asset Management

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CIFSC CATEGORY\*: Canadian Equity

## Contributors to performance

- ightarrow Strong stock selection outweighed negative sector selection during the quarter.
- → The Materials, Financials and Healthcare sectors contributed to outperformance.
- → The portfolio's overweight to Loblaw and zero weight in Canadian Pacific were top contributors.

## **Detractors from performance**

- → The portfolios overweight to Consumer Discretionary and stock selection in Communication Services and Information Technology detracted.
- → The portfolios overweight to Magna International and underweight to Canadian National Railway were the largest detractors.

## Major changes to portfolio in the period

- → There were no major changes in the period (LSV uses a quant strategy with low turnover).
- → Purchases included Suncor, Bank of Nova Scotia, Cummins Inc. and Atco.
- → Sales included Pembina Pipeline, Valero, National Bank and Air Canada.

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