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i-annual shareholder reports beginning in July 2024.

If you have previously elected to receive shareholder reports electronically, you will continue to do so and need not take any action.

Otherwise, paper copies of the Fund's sharco

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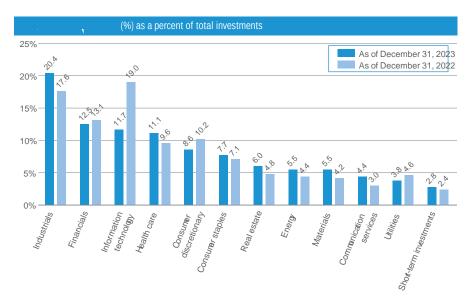
e made several adjustments within the financials sector during rticularly in the wake of t	the reporting period,

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. In absolute terms, the Portfolio had positive performance in nine of the eleven sectors in which it was invested for the reporting period, with largest pd $\,$

(2.4%), Coty Inc., Class A Shares (2.3%) and Hartford Financial Services Group Inc. (2.3%). Please refer to pages 13 through 17 for a list and percentage breakdown of the Portfolio's holdings.

The mention of sector breakdowns is for informational purposes only and should not be construed as a recommendation to purchase or sell any securities. The information provided regardi



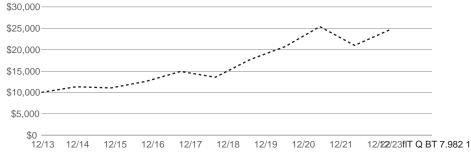
† The bar graph above represents the composition of the Portfolio's investments as of December 31, 2023 and December 31, 2022. The Portfolio is actively managed. As a result, the composition of the Portfolio's investments is subject to change at an As a shareholder of the Portfolio, you may incur two types of costs: (1) transaction costs and (2) ongoing costs, incl

- ¹ For the six months ended December 31, 2023.
- Assumes the reinvestment of all distributions, including returns of capital, if any, at net asset value. Total return is not annualized, as it may not be representative of the total return for the year. Total returns do not reflect expenses associated with seith



Value of \$10,000 invested in

Class I Shares of ClearBridge Variable Mid Cap Portfolio vs. Russell Midcap Index† — December 2013 - December 2023



ClearBridge Variable Mid Cap Portfolio - Class I Shares: \$19,865

--- Russell Midcap Index: \$24,606

(Percentages shown based on Portfolio net assets)		
Security	Shares	Value

(Percentages shown based on Portfolio net assets)

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Life Science Tools & Services, continued		
Bio-Techne Corp.	41,200	\$ 3,178,992
ICON PLC	28,000	7,925,960 *
Total Life Science Tools & Services	20,000	17,465,39(
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20.4%		2 /11 /112
Aerospæ& Defense1 .5%		
CAE Inc.	188,700	4,074033 *
Building Products, 3.7%	100,100	1,57 ,500
Advanced Drainage Systems Inc.	20,200	2,840,928
Masonite Interna	20,200	2,010,020
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urity		Fate	Shares	Value
	2. %			
JPMorgan 100% l	J.S. Treasury Securities Money	Market		
Fund, Institutional	Class	5.197%	3,689,707	\$ 3,689,707 (a)
Western Asset Pre	emier Institutional U.S. Treasury	/ Reserves,		
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Investments in unaffiliated securities, at value (Cost — \$192,478,391)	\$ 260,268,561
Investments in affiliated securities, at value (Cost — \$3,689,707)	3,689,707
Dividends receivable from unaffiliated investments	291,177
Receivable for Portfolio shares sold	92,770

For the Years Endec December 31,	202:	202:
Net investment income	\$ 408,746	\$ 208,857
Net realized gain	642,874	9,856,061
Change in net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	24,792,592	(84,378,877)
Increase (Decrease in Net Assets From Operations	25844212	(74,313,95

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Class I Shares ¹	202	202:	202	2020	2019
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	\$20.36	\$29.31	\$25.62	\$22.60	\$17.26
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Class II Shares ¹	202	2022	202	202	2019
1	\$20.17	\$29.05	\$25.48	\$22.48	\$17.17
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Net investment income (loss)	0.02	$(0.00)^2$	(0.05)	0.00^{2}	0.05
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	2.51	(7.43)	7.13	3.31	5.55
Total income (loss) from operations	2.53	(7.43	7.08	3.31	5.60

fair value determinations, evaluating the effectiveness of the Portfolio's pricing policies, and reporting to the Portfolio's manager and the Board of Trustees. When determining the reliability of third party pricing information for in

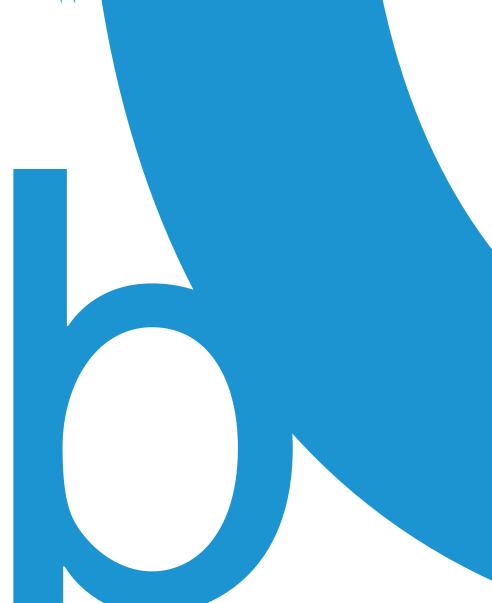
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Under the investment management agreement, the Portfolio pays an investment management fee, calculated daily and paid monthly, in accordance with the following breakpoint schedule:

Average Daily Net Assets	Annud Rate
First \$1 billion	0.750%
Next \$1 billion	0.700
Next \$3 billion	0.650
Next \$5 billion	0.600
Over \$10 billion	0.550

FTFA provides administrative and certain oversight services to the Portfolio. FTFA delegates pothe subadviser the day-to-day portfolio m

the year ended December 31, 2023, the Portfolio incurred transfer agent fees as reported on the Statement of Operations, of which \$1,700 was earned by					

for all or

As of December 31, 2023, the components of distributable earnings (loss) on a tax basis were as follows:

Undistributed ordinary income — net	\$ 320,116
Undistributed long-term capital gains — net	953,651
Total undistributed earnings	

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	Each Trustee and officer serves until his or her respective successor has been duly elected and qualified or until his or her earlier death, resignation, retirement or removal.
2	Indicates the earliest year in which the Trustee became a board member for a fund i7 . 9 7 I T j E T q 1 i $35.50.506$ i

By mid-February, tax information related to a shareholder's proportionate share of distributions paid during the preceding calendar year will be received, if

ClearBridge Variable Mid Cap Portfolio

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- * Effective February 7, 2024, Mr. O'Brien became Chair of the Board.
- ** Formerly known as Legg Mason Partners Fund Advisor, LLC.

The Portfolio is a separate investment ser

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companies working on our behalf, or with whom we have joint marketing agreements, are under contractual obligations to protect the confident