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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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## Royce Value Trust (NYSE: RVT) as of May 31, 2017

- Oldest and largest small-cap closed-end fund
- Average weekly trading volume of approximately 1,066,690 shares
- Fund's adviser has more than 40 years of small- and micro-cap investment experience

Closing Prices – May 31, 2017	
NAV	\$16.23
MKT	\$14.42

Total Return Performance		
PERIODS ENDED May 31, 2017	NAV (%)	MKT (%)
One Month*	-0.98	-1.03
Year-To-Date*	4.41	9.74
One-Year	22.51	29.77
Three-Year Average Annual	7.51	7.79
Five-Year Average Annual	13.32	13.30
Ten-Year Average Annual	5.25	3.95
*Not Annualized		

Portfolio Diagnostics	
Weighted Average Geometric Mkt. Cap	\$1,585 million
Weighted Average P/E Ratio	20.9*
Weighted Average P/B Ratio	2.2x
Net Assets	\$1,336 million
Net Leverage	0%

<sup>\*</sup>The Fund's P/E ratio calculation excludes companies with zero or negative earnings.

Net leverage is the percentage, in excess of 100%, of the total value of equity type investments, divided by net assets.

Portfolio Composition		
·	% OF NET ASSETS	
1. Coherent	2.1	
2. HEICO Corp. Combined Holdings	1.4	
3. Cognex	1.4	
4. Quaker Chemical Corp.	1.1	
5. Copart	1.0	
6. MarketAxess	1.0	
7. E- L Financial Corp.	1.0	
8. Ash Grove Cement Cl. B	1.0	
9. RBC Bearings	0.9	
10. Sun Hydraulics	0.9	

TOP 5 SECTORS	% OF NET ASSETS
Industrials	31
Information Technology	19
Financials	15
Consumer Discretionary	11
Materials	7

## **Recent Developments**

Royce Value Trust is a closed-end diversified management investment company whose shares of Common Stock (RVT) are listed and traded on the New York Stock Exchange. Its primary investment goal is long-term capital growth, which it seeks by investing at least 65% of its assets in equity securities primarily of small- and micro-cap companies.

Daily net asset values (NAVs) for Royce Value Trust are now available on our website and online through most ticker symbol lookup services and on broker terminals under the symbol XRVTX. For more information, please call *The Royce Funds* at (800) 221-4268 or visit our website at <a href="https://www.roycefunds.com">www.roycefunds.com</a>.

An investor in Royce Value Trust should consider the Fund's investment goals, risks, fees, and expenses carefully before investing.