# Federated Hermes MDT Mid Cap Growth Fund

## Portfolio of Investments

July 31, 2023 (unaudited)

Shares		Value
	COMMON STOCKS—97.0%	
	Communication Services—4.9%	
494,073	<sup>1</sup> Altice USA, Inc.	\$ 1,674,907
2,090	Cable One, Inc.	
56,757	<sup>1</sup> Match Group, Inc.	2,639,768
84,350	<sup>1</sup> Spotify Technology SA	12,602,734
175,659	<sup>1</sup> Trade Desk, Inc./The	16,030,640
63,338	<sup>1</sup> TripAdvisor, Inc.	 1,181,254
	TOTAL	35,642,338
	Consumer Discretionary—13.7%	
2,391	<sup>1</sup> AutoZone, Inc.	5,933,793
35,957	<sup>1</sup> Bright Horizons Family Solutions, Inc.	3,488,908
4,723	<sup>1</sup> Chipotle Mexican Grill, Inc.	9,267,848
113,247	<sup>1</sup> DoorDash, Inc.	10,281,695
160,641	<sup>1</sup> DraftKings, Inc.	5,105,171
41,215	eBay, Inc.	1,834,480
170,083	<sup>1</sup> Expedia Group, Inc.	20,840,270
28,526	Genuine Parts Co.	4,442,069
25,819	Hilton Worldwide Holdings, Inc.	4,014,596
11,759	<sup>1</sup> Lululemon Athletica, Inc.	4,451,134
143,054	<sup>2</sup> Nordstrom, Inc.	3,305,978
7,768	<sup>1</sup> O'Reilly Automotive, Inc.	
37,263	<sup>1</sup> Royal Caribbean Cruises, Ltd.	4,065,766
5,950	Texas Roadhouse, Inc.	663,722
15,384	Tractor Supply Co.	3,445,862
10,685	<sup>1</sup> Ulta Beauty, Inc.	4,752,688
14,638	Wingstop, Inc.	2,467,674
13,875	<sup>1</sup> YETI Holdings, Inc.	
24,464	Yum! Brands, Inc.	3,367,959
	TOTAL	99,512,225
	Consumer Staples—3.8%	
135,799	Albertsons Cos., Inc.	2,950,912
22,210	<sup>1</sup> Celsius Holdings, Inc.	3,213,787
35,518	Hershey Foods Corp.	8,215,669
130,065	Lamb Weston Holdings, Inc.	13,478,636
	TOTAL	27,859,004
	Energy—2.4%	
41,362	Cheniere Energy, Inc.	6,694,853
39,645	Devon Energy Corp.	2,140,830
75,491	Halliburton Co.	2,950,188
31,061	ONEOK, Inc.	2,082,330
81,392	Ovintiv, Inc.	3,751,357
	TOTAL	17,619,558
	Financials—9.7%	
43,925	Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	15,305,666
116,386	Apollo Global Management, Inc.	9,509,900
58,130	<sup>1</sup> Arch Capital Group Ltd.	4,516,120
25,166	<sup>1</sup> Block, Inc.	2,026,618
20,353	Gallagher (Arthur J.) & Co.	4,371,824

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18,210	Marketaxess Holdings, Inc.	4,902,496
18,536	MSCI, Inc., Class A	10,159,211
636,953	¹StoneCo Ltd.	9,229,449
105,402	<sup>1</sup> Toast, Inc.	2,326,222
31,109	Tradeweb Markets, Inc.	2,544,405
133,736	Western Union Co.	1,628,904
65,371	<sup>1</sup> XP, Inc.	1,765,671
00/07	TOTAL	70,790,560
	Health Care—19.3%	
686,375	<sup>1</sup> Adaptive Biotechnologies Corp.	5,793,005
94,910	Agilent Technologies, Inc.	11,557,191
51,897	AmerisourceBergen Corp.	9,699,549
11,117	<sup>1</sup> Avantor, Inc.	228,677
76,165	Bruker Corp.	5,234,059
89,003	Cardinal Health, Inc.	8,141,104
117,304	<sup>1</sup> Dexcom, Inc.	14,611,386
22,223	<sup>1</sup> Exact Sciences Corp.	2,167,631
45,918	<sup>1</sup> Exelixis, Inc.	905,044
17,605	<sup>1</sup> IDEXX Laboratories, Inc.	9,766,022
252,176	<sup>1</sup> Incyte Genomics, Inc.	16,068,655
11,010	<sup>1</sup> Insulet Corp.	3,047,018
21,590	<sup>1</sup> IQVIA Holdings, Inc.	4,830,978
47,627	<sup>1</sup> Jazz Pharmaceuticals PLC	6,211,513
114,916	<sup>1</sup> Maravai LifeSciences Holdings, Inc.	1,299,700
5,171	McKesson Corp.	2,080,810
7,840	<sup>1</sup> Medpace Holdings, Inc.	1,984,853
3,558	<sup>1</sup> Mettler-Toledo International, Inc.	4,474,078
28,632	<sup>1</sup> Molina Healthcare, Inc.	8,718,158
57,600	<sup>1</sup> Neurocrine Biosciences, Inc.	5,868,864
9,014	<sup>1</sup> Penumbra, Inc.	2,734,487
13,041	ResMed, Inc.	2,899,666
364,540	<sup>1</sup> Teladoc Health, Inc.	10,852,356
2,612	West Pharmaceutical Services, Inc.	961,321
	TOTAL	140,136,125
	Industrials—19.7%	
10,812	AGCO Corp.	1,439,077
229,175	Allison Transmission Holdings, Inc.	13,450,281
90,455	Booz Allen Hamilton Holding Corp.	10,952,292
95,012	<sup>1</sup> Ceridian HCM Holding, Inc.	6,727,800
17,542	Cintas Corp.	8,806,786
46,796	Delta Air Lines, Inc.	2,164,783
100,571	Paychex, Inc.	12,618,643
10,092	<sup>1</sup> Paycom Software, Inc.	3,721,526
35,573	<sup>2</sup> Rockwell Automation, Inc.	11,962,844
67,066	Trane Technologies PLC	13,375,643
106,602	<sup>1</sup> Trex Co., Inc.	7,370,462
7,037	<sup>1</sup> United Rentals, Inc.	3,269,953
58,879	Verisk Analytics, Inc.	13,479,758
36,923	Vertiv Holdings Co.	960,367
11,382	W.W. Grainger, Inc.	8,405,493
6,350	¹WESCO International, Inc.	1,114,870

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	COMMON STOCKS—continued	
	Industrials—continued	
	Willscot Corp.	\$ 4,892,0
	KPO, Inc.	5,802,93
112,704	Xylem, Inc.	12,707,3
	TOTAL	143,222,98
	information Technology—22.4%	
	Ansys, Inc.	3,068,97
	AppLovin Corp.	4,840,4
	Arista Networks, Inc.	1,051,3
	Bentley Systems, Inc.	682,6
	Cadence Design Systems, Inc.	5,967,25
	Confluent, Inc.	2,947,1
	Crowdstrike Holdings, Inc.	1,729,43
	Datadog, Inc.	2,748,2
	Dell Technologies, Inc.	3,083,0
	DocuSign, Inc.	2,077,99
	Dynatrace Holdings LLC	2,771,1
	Fortinet, Inc.	17,968,94
	Gartner, Inc., Class A	5,285,1
	HubSpot, Inc.	17,269,6
	nformatica, Inc.	1,730,3
87,425	Jabil, Inc.	9,675,3
52,511	Microchip Technology, Inc.	4,932,8
22,681	MongoDB, Inc.	9,603,13
31,614	NCR Corp.	849,7
85,494	New Relic, Inc.	7,179,7
132,595 <sup>1</sup>	Nutanix, Inc.	4,004,3
193,406	Pegasystems, Inc.	10,202,1
137,663 <sup>1</sup>	Procore Technologies, Inc.	10,441,7
197,127 <sup>1</sup>	Pure Storage, Inc.	7,291,7
88,000	RingCentral, Inc.	3,639,6
34,168	Splunk, Inc.	3,701,4
4,520	Synopsys, Inc.	2,042,1
44,868	Teradata Corp.	2,550,7
140,842	Vontier Corp.	4,356,2
132,922 <sup>1</sup>	Zoom Video Communications, Inc.	9,749,8
•	TOTAL	163,442,73
	Materials—0.5%	
32,780	Chemours Co./The	1,212,2
17,088	Mosaic Co./The	696,5
18,063	Steel Dynamics, Inc.	1,925,1
	TOTAL	3,833,8
i	Real Estate—0.6%	
	SBA Communications Corp.	2,459,6
	Zillow Group, Inc.	2,049,6
	TOTAL	4,509,3
	TOTAL COMMON STOCKS	122-17-
	(IDENTIFIED COST \$610,906,274)	706,568,73
	NVESTMENT COMPANIES—4.0%	
	Federated Hermes Government Obligations Fund, Premier Shares, 5.16% <sup>3</sup>	10,995,06

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	INVESTMENT COMPANIES—continued	
18,203,563	Federated Hermes Institutional Prime Value Obligations Fund, Institutional Shares, 5.32% <sup>3</sup>	\$ 18,201,743
	TOTAL INVESTMENT COMPANIES (IDENTIFIED COST \$29,193,882)	29,196,803
	TOTAL INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES—101.0% (IDENTIFIED COST \$640,100,156)	735,765,538
	OTHER ASSETS AND LIABILITIES - NET—(1.0)% <sup>4</sup>	(7,221,028)
	TOTAL NET ASSETS—100%	\$728,544,510

Transactions with affiliated investment companies, which are funds managed by the Adviser or an affiliate of the Adviser, during the period ended July 31, 2023, were as follows:

	Federated Hermes Government Obligations Fund, Premier Shares*	Federated Hermes Institutional Prime Value Obligations Fund, Institutional Shares	Total of Affiliated Transactions
Value as of 10/31/2022	\$ 7,385,401	\$ 8,548,662	\$ 15,934,063
Purchases at Cost	\$ 66,349,040	\$ 160,358,238	\$ 226,707,278
Proceeds from Sales	\$(62,739,381)	\$(150,710,287)	\$(213,449,668)
Change in Unrealized Appreciation/Depreciation	\$ —	\$ (3,279)	\$ (3,279)
Net Realized Gain/(Loss)	\$ —	\$ 8,409	\$ 8,409
Value as of 7/31/2023	\$ 10,995,060	\$ 18,201,743	\$ 29,196,803
Shares Held as of 7/31/2023	10,995,060	18,203,563	29,198,623
Dividend Income	\$ 142,943	\$ 251,380	\$ 394,323

<sup>\*</sup> All or a portion of the balance/activity for the fund relates to cash collateral received on securities lending transactions.

<sup>2</sup> All or a portion of these securities are temporarily on loan to unaffiliated broker/dealers. As of July 31, 2023, securities subject to this type of arrangement and related collateral were as follows:

Fair Value of	Collateral	
Securities Loaned	Received	
\$10,857,163	\$10,995,061	

<sup>3 7-</sup>day net yield.

Note: The categories of investments are shown as a percentage of total net assets at July 31, 2023.

#### **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.
- 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.
- Fixed-income securities are fair valued using price evaluations provided by a pricing service approved by Federated MDTA LLC (the "Adviser").
- 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 Adviser.
- For securities that are fair valued in accordance with procedures established by and under the general supervision of the Adviser, 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 Adviser's valuation policies and procedures for the Fund, or if information furnished by a pricing service, in the opinion of the Adviser's valuation committee ("Valuation Committee"), is deemed not representative of the fair value of such security, the Fund uses

<sup>1</sup> Non-income-producing security.

<sup>4</sup> Assets, other than investments in securities, less liabilities.

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 Adviser as the Fund's valuation designee to perform any fair value determinations for securities and other assets held by the Fund. The Adviser is subject to the Trustees' oversight and certain reporting and other requirements intended to provide the Trustees the information needed to oversee the Adviser's fair value determinations.

The Adviser, 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 Adviser and certain of the Adviser'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 Adviser 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 Adviser. The Trustees periodically review the fair valuations made by the Valuation Committee. The Trustees have also approved the Adviser'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 Adviser.

The Adviser 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 Adviser 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 Adviser. 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, 2023, all investments of the Fund utilized Level 1 inputs in valuing the Fund's assets carried at fair value.

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.

For more complete information on the fund, visit FederatedHermes.com/us for a prospectus or a summary prospectus. You should consider the fund's investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses carefully before you invest. Information about these and other important subjects is in the fund's prospectus or summary prospectus, which you should read carefully before investing.

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