JAPAN SMALLER CAPITALIZATION FUND INC Form N-Q January 07, 2008

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FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: 811-5992

JAPAN SMALLER CAPITALIZATION FUND, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Two World Financial Center Building B, 22nd Floor New York, New York 10281-1712

(Address of principal executive offices)

Shigeru Shinohara
Japan Smaller Capitalization Fund, Inc.
Two World Financial Center
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New York, New York 10281-1712

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (800) 833-0018

Date of fiscal year end: February 28, 2008

Date of reporting period: June 1, 2007 – November 30, 2007

Item 1. Schedule of Investments

JAPAN SMALLER CAPITALIZATION FUND, INC. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES OF UNAFFILIATED ISSUERS November 30, 2007

% of
Market Unrealized Net
Shares Cost Value Gain/Loss Assets

COMMON STOCKS

Automotive Equipment and Dorte					
Automotive Equipment and Parts Eagle Industry Co., Ltd.	380,000	\$ 3,921,447	\$ 5,382,863	\$ 1,461,416	2.4
Valves and mechanical seals EXEDY Corporation	116,900	3,015,073	4,010,888	995,815	1.8
Drivetrain products Futaba Industrial Co., Ltd.	286,700	6,729,587	7,771,327	1,041,740	3.5
Exhaust system parts Koito Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	239,000	2,829,073	3,224,116	395,043	1.4
Lighting equipment Nittan Valve Co., Ltd.	344,800	2,948,998	2,170,428	(778,570)	1.0
Engine valves Tokai Rika Co., Ltd.	118,300	2,916,030	3,558,215	642,185	1.5
Electronic parts Total Automotive Equipment and Parts		22,360,208	26,117,837	3,757,629	11.6
Deale and Figure					
Banks and Finance The Hachijuni Bank, Ltd. General banking services	348,000	2,588,690	2,748,399	159,709	1.2
Kansai Urban Banking Corporation	1,391,000	5,424,691	4,709,946	(714,745)	2.1
General banking services The San-in Godo Bank, Ltd.	248,000	2,295,820	2,264,595	(31,225)	1.0
General banking services Total Banks and Finance		10,309,201	9,722,940	(586,261)	4.3
Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals					
Hisamitsu Pharmaceutical Co., Inc. Salonpas brand pharmaceuticals	157,000	4,364,712	4,736,368	371,656	2.1
Taiyo Ink Mfg.Co., Ltd. Resist inks for printed circuit boards	82,400	2,233,460	2,515,521	282,061	1.1
Total Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals		6,598,172	7,251,889	653,717	3.2
Electric					
Mirai Co., Ltd. Plastic molded electric materials	271,300	\$ 2,598,198	\$ 3,078,374	\$ 480,176	1.4
Total Electric		2,598,198	3,078,374	480,176	1.4
Electronics Daishinku Corp.	435,000	2,632,167	2,507,092	(125,075)	1.1
Monolithic crystal filters					
Sanshin Electronics Co., Ltd. Semiconductors	169,300	2,162,564	2,245,746	83,182	1.0
Total Electronics		4,794,731	4,752,838	(41,893)	2.1
Food Manufacturing	00.400	2 (17 470	2 010 716	102 227	1.2
Ozeki Co., Ltd. Supermarket chain	99,400	2,617,479	2,810,716	193,237	1.2
Total Food Manufacturing		2,617,479	2,810,716	193,237	1.2
Information and Software Daiwabo Information System Co., Ltd. Information system and software	199,500	2,685,937	2,834,986	149,049	1.3

Sorun Corporation	404,400	3,325,037	2,250,612	(1,074,425)	1.0
Computer software development SRA Holdings Inc.	231,000	3,004,099	3,910,847	906,748	1.7
Business application software Total Information and Software		9,015,073	8,996,445	(18,628)	4.0
Machinery and Machine Tools Disco Corporation Cutting and grinding industrial machinery	73,800	4,679,353	4,339,808	(339,545)	1.9

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	Shares	Cost	Market Value	Unrealized Gain/Loss	% of Net Assets
Hitachi Construction Machinery Co., Ltd.	81,100	2,072,643	2,899,428	826,785	1.2
Construction machinery O-M Ltd. Automatic packaging equipment	265,000	1,340,201	2,625,062	1,284,861	1.2
Yamatake Corporation Industrial automation equipment	78,700	1,948,938	2,218,299	269,361	1.0
Yuken Kogyo Co., Ltd. Hydraulic equipment	626,000	2,226,520	2,147,832	(78,688)	1.0
Total Machinery and Machine Tools		12,267,655	14,230,429	1,962,774	6.3
Miscellaneous Manufacturing Dowa Holdings, Co., Ltd. Various metal-related products	346,000	3,392,928	2,414,787	(978,141)	1.0
Furuno Electric Co., Ltd. Marine equipment	139,600	1,870,703	2,174,866	304,163	1.0
Sanyo Special Steel Co., Ltd. Specialty steel products	453,000	3,185,546	3,145,238	(40,308)	1.4
Tokai Rubber Industries, Ltd.	380,200	6,013,675	6,265,622	251,947	2.8
Rubber and plastic products Total Miscellaneous Manufacturing		14,462,852	14,000,513	(462,339)	6.2
Oil and Gas AOC Holdings, Inc. Refines crude oil, natural gas, and	253,900	3,920,138	4,088,191	168,053	1.8
minerals Total Oil and Gas		3,920,138	4,088,191	168,053	1.8
Real Estate and Warehouse Daibiru Corporation Leases office buildings, apartments	314,400	3,139,610	4,077,050	937,440	1.8
and hotels Suruga Corporation Multi-unit commercial and residential	253,800	5,703,228	4,799,676	(903,552)	2.1
building Total Real Estate and Warehouse		8,842,838	8,876,726	33,888	3.9
Restaurants Hiday Hidaka Corp.	223,500	\$1,994,143	\$2,360,894	\$366,751	1.1
Chinese restaurant chain Total Restaurants		1,994,143	2,360,894	366,751	1.1

Retail					
Nishimatsuya Chain Co., Ltd.	160,500	2,007,569	2,251,871	244,302	1.0
Apparel chain					
Shimamura Co., Ltd.	40,800	3,930,038	4,166,527	236,489	1.9
Clothing chain					
Village Vanguard Co., Ltd.	452	2,484,059	2,454,464	(29,595)	1.1
Books, cd's, videos and office					
supplies					
Yaoko Co., Ltd.	84,400	2,043,108	2,500,572	457,464	1.1
Supermarkets					
Total Retail		10,464,774	11,373,434	908,660	5.1
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Services	226 400	2 ((0 770	6 775 100	2 11 4 420	2.0
Aeon Delight Co., Ltd.	326,400	3,660,779	6,775,199	3,114,420	3.0
Building management	537.300	2.056.165	2 222 171	156.006	
Meiko Network Japan Co., Ltd.	537,300	3,056,165	3,232,171	176,006	1.4
Private schools and academic tutoring					
Nippo Corporation	362,000	2,842,972	2,588,392	(254,580)	1.2
Heavy construction					
Yahagi Construction Co. Ltd.	540,000	3,175,552	2,232,068	(943,484)	1.0
General contractor					
Total Services		12,735,468	14,827,830	2,092,362	6.6

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	Shares	Cost	Market Value	Unrealized Gain/Loss	% of Net Assets
Telecommunications Jupiter Telecommunications Co., Ltd.† Cable television	8,565	6,507,035	6,903,215	396,180	3.1
broadcasting Total Telecommunications		6,507,035	6,903,215	396,180	3.1
Textiles and Apparel Workman Co., Ltd. Uniforms	181,900	1,970,079	3,423,576	1,453,497	1.5
Total Textiles and Apparel		1,970,079	3,423,576	1,453,497	1.5
Wholesale Nagase & Company, Ltd. Dyestuff	318,000	4,037,450	3,579,630	(457,820)	1.6
Total Wholesale		4,037,450	3,579,630	(457,820)	1.6
TOTAL INVESTMENTS IN C STOCKS	COMMON	\$135,495,494	\$146,395,477	\$10,899,983	65.0
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OTHER ASSETS LESS LIABILITIES, NET			78,743,182		35.0
NET ASSETS			\$225,138,659		100.0

[†]Non-Income Producing

Security

Portfolio securities and foreign currency holdings were translated at the following exchange rate as of November 30, 2007.

Japanese Yen 111.05 =\$1.00

^{*} Aggregate gross unrealized appreciation for all securities in which there is an excess of value over tax cost was \$ 17,649,736.

Aggregate gross unrealized depreciation for all securities in which there is an excess of tax cost over value was \$ 6,749,753.

Item 2. Controls and Procedures.

- (a) The Registrant's Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officerevaluated the Registrant's disclosure controls and procedures within 90 days of the filing of this report and concluded that they were effective in providing reasonable assurance that the information required to be disclosed by the Registrant in its reports or statements filed under the 1934 Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the rules and forms of the Securities and Exchange Commission.
- (b) There were no changes in the Registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the Registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Item 3. Exhibits.

(a) Certifications of Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940 are attached hereto as an exhibit.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

JAPAN SMALLER CAPITALIZATION FUND, INC.

By: /s/ Shigeru Shinohara Shigeru Shinohara, President (Principal Executive Officer)

Date: January 7, 2008

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following person on behalf of the Registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By: /s/ Rita Chopra-Brathwaite Rita Chopra-Brathwaite, Treasurer (Principal Financial Officer)

Date: January 7, 2008