# HORIZON PAN EUROPEAN SMALLER COMPANIES FUND

H1 EUR ISIN LU1678964211

## Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide capital growth over the long term. Performance target: To outperform the MSCI Europe Small Cap Index, after the deduction of charges, over any 5 year period.

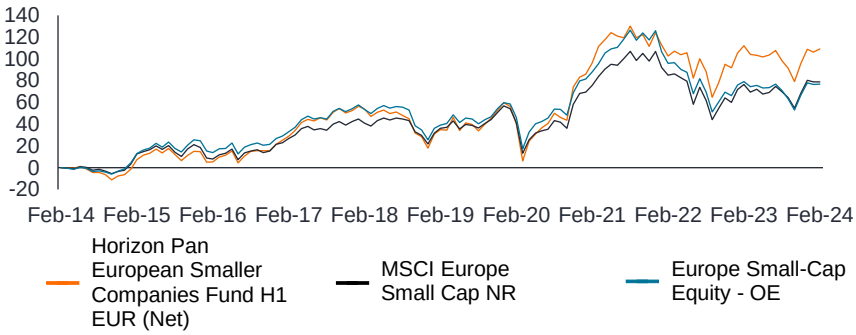
For the fund's investment policy, refer to the Additional fund information on page 3.
**Past performance does not predict future returns.**

## Performance (%)

| | Cumulative | | | | Annualised | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Returns** | **1 Month** | **3 Month** | **YTD** | **1 Year** | **3 Year** | **5 Year** | **10 Year** |
| H1 EUR (Net) | 1.44 | 6.81 | 0.23 | -1.40 | 2.16 | 9.17 | 7.66 |
| Index | 0.05 | 6.12 | -0.81 | 1.28 | 0.61 | 5.62 | 5.99 |
| Sector | 0.11 | 5.90 | -0.72 | -1.42 | -2.04 | 4.87 | 5.86 |

### Cumulative growth - EUR

28 Feb 2014 — 29 Feb 2024




| **Calendar year** | **2023** | **2022** | **2021** | **2020** | **2019** | **2018** | **2017** | **2016** | **2015** | **2014** |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| H1 EUR (Net) | 8.85 | -14.49 | 22.29 | 14.80 | 35.35 | -22.59 | 25.58 | 5.69 | 22.90 | -0.22 |
| Index | 12.74 | -22.60 | 22.93 | 7.32 | 28.65 | -14.46 | 17.15 | 2.39 | 21.69 | 5.13 |
| Sector | 7.08 | -26.43 | 25.72 | 12.51 | 27.19 | -18.58 | 21.69 | 1.51 | 26.45 | 5.16 |

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## Fund details

| | |
|---|---|
| **Inception date** | 01 August 1993 |
| **Total net assets** | 775.89m |
| **Asset class** | Equities |
| **Domicile** | Luxembourg |
| **Structure** | SICAV |
| **Base currency** | EUR |
| **Index** | MSCI Europe Small Cap Index |
| **Morningstar sector** | Europe Small-Cap Equity |
| **SFDR category** | Article 8 |

In accordance with the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation, the Fund is classified as Article 8 and promotes, among other characteristics, environmental and/or social characteristics, and invests in companies with good governance practices.

## Share class information

| | |
|---|---|
| **Inception date** | 15 December 2017 |
| **Distribution type** | Income Net |
| **Distribution frequency** | Annual |
| **Historic yield** | 1.90% |
| **Currency** | EUR |
| **Minimum initial investment** | 7,500 |

The Historic Yield does not include any preliminary charge and investors may be subject to tax on their distributions.

## Portfolio management

| | |
|---|---|
| **Ollie Beckett** | Manager since 2005 |
| **Rory Stokes, CFA** | Manager since 2015 |
| **Julia Scheufler, CFA** | Manager since 2024 |

## Ratings

**Overall Morningstar Rating™** ★★★★
As of 29/02/2024

**Morningstar Medalist Rating™** Bronze
Effective 31/01/2024

Analyst-Driven%: 10.00
Data Coverage%: 96.00

For more information, refer to page 3.

## Characteristics

| | |
|---|---|
| Number of holdings: Equity issues | 115 |
| Active share | 89.78% |
| Weighted average market cap | 1.43bn |
| Price-to-book ratio | 1.32 |
| Price-to-earnings ratio | 11.28 |

## Risk statistics (3 years)

| | Fund | Index |
|---|---|---|
| Beta | 1.03 | — |
| Standard deviation | 19.46 | 18.26 |
| Sharpe ratio | 0.05 | -0.03 |

## Top holdings (%)

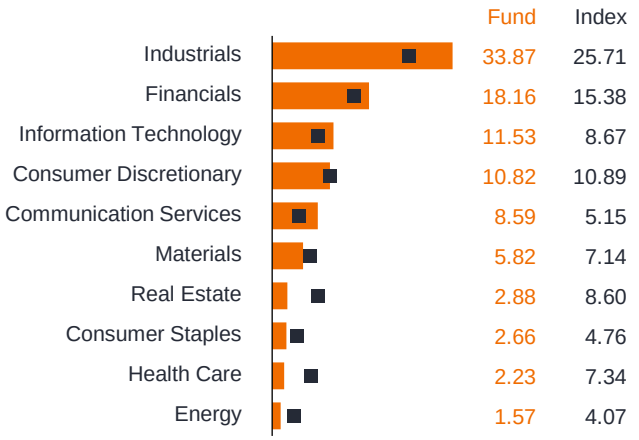
| | Fund |
|---|---|
| Van Lanschot Kempen | 3.91 |
| TKH Group | 2.99 |
| IG Group | 2.52 |
| Fugro | 2.13 |
| Mersen | 2.04 |
| Nordnet AB publ | 2.02 |
| SUESS MicroTec | 1.98 |
| KSB | 1.91 |
| Crest Nicholson | 1.87 |
| IPSOS | 1.82 |

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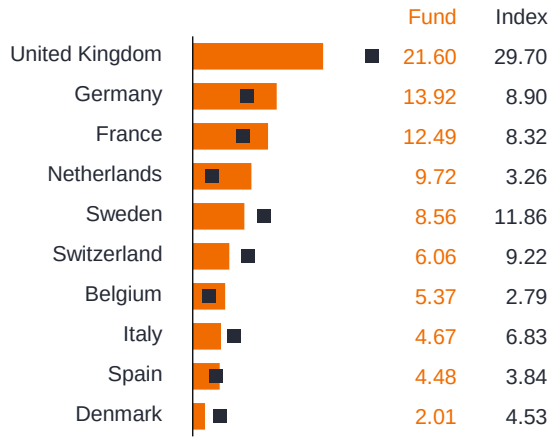
## Market capitalisation of equity holdings (%)

| | Fund | Index |
|---|---|---|
| >€2bn | 40.58 | 66.47 |
| €1bn-2bn | 24.75 | 20.99 |
| €500m-1bn | 21.22 | 10.05 |
| <€500m | 12.34 | 2.49 |

## Top sectors (%)




## Top countries (%)




## Codes

| | |
|---|---|
| **ISIN** | LU1678964211 |
| **Bloomberg** | JHPEH1E |
| **SEDOL** | BF0LGG5 |
| **WKN** | A2JDA2 |
| **Valoren** | 39590380 |

## Fees & charges (%)

| | |
|---|---|
| **Annual management charge (AMC)** | 0.60 |
| **Performance fee description** | 10% of any returns that subject to a high water mark the share class achieves above the MSCI Europe Small Cap Index |
| **Ongoing charge (OCF)** | 1.07 |

All ongoing charges stated are as per latest published report and accounts.

Fund charges will impact the value of your investment. In particular, the ongoing charges applicable to each fund will dilute investment performance, particularly over time. For further explanation of charges please visit our Fund Charges page at www.janushenderson.com.

Performance fees may be charged before the Fund's outperformance target is reached.

Performance fees are charged separately as a way of rewarding the investment manager for superior returns or for outperforming specified targets. A Performance Fee is accrued where the NAV outperforms the relevant Hurdle NAV (subject to a High Water Mark). For further explanation of the performance fee calculation methodology please see the relevant prospectus, available at www.janushenderson.com.

Under some circumstances initial charges may apply. Please refer to the Prospectus for more details.

# Additional fund information

Tax assumptions and reliefs depend upon an investor's particular circumstances and may be subject to change. The performance data does not take account of the initial charge and Janus Henderson does not currently levy a redemption charge. From 25 February 2022, the benchmark changed from the EMIX Smaller European Companies Index to the MSCI Europe Small Cap Index, the Fund's investment policy and performance target also changed. Past performance shown before 25 February 2022 was achieved under circumstances that no longer apply. From 31 January 2024, Rory Stokes, CFA and Julia Scheufler, CFA, also manage this fund. Please note: due to rounding the figures in the holdings breakdowns may not add up to 100%. The performance fee described on page 2 will be applicable if the fund achieves a return in excess of the High Water Mark and the MSCI Europe Small Cap Index. Investors should refer to the prospectus for full details on performance fee where a performance fee is applicable. This is a Luxembourg SICAV Fund, regulated by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF). Note that any differences among portfolio securities currencies, share class currencies and costs to be paid or represented in currencies other than your home currency will expose you to currency risk. Costs and returns may increase or decrease as a result of currency and exchange rate fluctuations. To obtain our prospectus and any additional information please visit our website on: www.janushenderson.com. Investment into the fund will acquire units/shares of the fund itself and not the underlying assets owned by the fund. Cash balances and exposures are based on settled and unsettled trades as at the reporting date.

## Investment policy

The Fund invests at least 75% of its assets in shares (equities) and equity-related securities of smaller companies, in any industry, in the EEA or the UK if not part of the EEA. Companies will have their registered office in the EEA or the UK if not part of the EEA. The Fund may also invest in other assets including companies of any size, in any region, cash and money market instruments. The Investment Manager may use derivatives (complex financial instruments) to reduce risk or to manage the Fund more efficiently. The Fund is actively managed with reference to the MSCI Europe Small Cap Index, which is broadly representative of the companies in which it may invest, as this forms the basis of the Fund's performance target and the level above which performance fees may be charged (if applicable). The Investment Manager has discretion to choose investments for the Fund with weightings different to the index or not in the index, but at times the Fund may hold investments similar to the index.

## Investment strategy

The Investment Manager focuses on meetings and calls with company management, along with the use of quantitative filters, to identify potential companies for investment. Emphasis is placed on the robustness of a company's business model, an analysis of what drives the business, what its competitive advantage is, and the sustainability of returns. The Fund maintains a well-diversified portfolio of companies which generally fall within the bottom 25% of their relevant market by way of size. The liquidity of the company (the degree to which shares can be quickly bought or sold in the market at a price reflecting its intrinsic value) is important in determining whether to invest and the size of the holding for the Fund.

## Fund specific risks

When the Fund, or a share/unit class, seeks to mitigate exchange rate movements of a currency relative to the base currency (hedge), the hedging strategy itself may positively or negatively impact the value of the Fund due to differences in short-term interest rates between the currencies. The Fund could lose money if a counterparty with which the Fund trades becomes unwilling or unable to meet its obligations, or as a result of failure or delay in operational processes or the failure of a third party provider. Shares/Units can lose value rapidly, and typically involve higher risks than bonds or money market instruments. The value of your investment may fall as a result. Shares of small and mid-size companies can be more volatile than shares of larger companies, and at times it may be difficult to value or to sell shares at desired times and prices, increasing the risk of losses. If a Fund has a high exposure to a particular country or geographical region it carries a higher level of risk than a Fund which is more broadly diversified. The Fund may use derivatives with the aim of reducing risk or managing the portfolio more efficiently. However this introduces other risks, in particular, that a derivative counterparty may not meet its contractual obligations. If the Fund holds assets in currencies other than the base currency of the Fund, or you invest in a share/unit class of a different currency to the Fund (unless hedged, i.e. mitigated by taking an offsetting position in a related security), the value of your investment may be impacted by changes in exchange rates. Securities within the Fund could become hard to value or to sell at a desired time and price, especially in extreme market conditions when asset prices may be falling, increasing the risk of investment losses. The Fund may incur a higher level of transaction costs as a result of investing in less actively traded or less developed markets compared to a fund that invests in more active/developed markets.

## Source for fund ratings/awards

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# Glossary

**Active share**
This measures how much a portfolio's holdings differ from its benchmark index. For example, a portfolio with an active share of 60% indicates that 60% of its holdings differ from its benchmark, while the remaining 40% mirror the benchmark.

**Beta**
Beta measures how a fund or security moves in relationship to the overall market. A market has a beta of 1. If the fund/security's beta is more than 1, it moves more than the market, while a beta lower than 1 means it moves to a lesser extent than the market. A negative beta could mean the fund/security moves in the opposite direction to the market.

**Historic Yield**
The Historic Yield reflects distributions declared over the past 12 months as a percentage of the mid-market share price, as at the date shown.

**Price-to-book (P/B) ratio**
A financial ratio used to value a company's shares. It is calculated by dividing a company's market value (share price) by the book value of its equity (value of the company's assets on its balance sheet). A P/B value <1 can indicate a potentially undervalued company or a declining business. The higher the P/B ratio, the higher the premium the market is willing to pay for the company above the book (balance sheet) value of its assets.

**Price-to-earnings (P/E) ratio**
A popular ratio used to value a company's shares, compared to other stocks, or a benchmark index. It is calculated by dividing the current share price by its earnings per share.

**Sharpe ratio**
This measures a portfolio's risk-adjusted performance. A high Sharpe ratio indicates a better risk-adjusted return. The ratio is designed to measure how far a portfolio's return can be attributed to fund manager skill as opposed to excessive risk taking.

**Standard deviation**
A statistic that measures the variation or dispersion of a set of values/data. A low standard deviation shows the values tend to be close to the mean while a high standard deviation indicates the values are more spread out. In terms of valuing investments, standard deviation can provide a gauge of the historical volatility of an investment.

**Weighted average market cap**

The average market capitalisation of a holding, weighted by the size of that position in a portfolio or index.

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