

PAN EUROPEAN SMALL AND MID-CAP FUND

A balanced portfolio seeking attractive valuations and high growth opportunities

A bottom-up stock selection fund identifying trends that drive consistent performance and looks to invest in good-quality European (including UK) companies with a strong competitive position and long-term potential.

Why this fund



Blended by style – A valuation aware approach

Portfolio managers buy growth only at a reasonable price. They are not wedded to a single style and are willing to shift the portfolio towards growth or value depending on the best opportunities.



Highly exposed to ESG beneficiaries

The team believe companies that score well on ESG and sustainability warrant a valuation premium over time. ESG analysis is integrated into the investment theses on all bottom up stock decisions.



A willingness to take a contrarian view

Looking for mispriced stocks in mature and turnaround companies

Proactive idea generation and deep company insights

The portfolio managers have extensive experience of investing in European smaller companies. This gives them an edge when meeting with company management and assessing the strength of their business model.

Research based strategy

Bottom-up stock selection is based on company meetings, market knowledge and extensive in-house research

Company insight

Portfolio management believes that it is possible to gain insight through close contact with businesses and their management teams in the under-researched smaller-cap arena

Through-the-cycle process

Capturing the specific characteristics of companies at different stages in the business cycle can help to deliver an attractive balance of value and growth for investors

Note: There is no assurance the stated objectives will be met.

Fund managers



Ollie Beckett

- Portfolio manager since 2012
- Industry since 1995



Rory Stokes, CFA

- Portfolio manager since 2015
- Industry since 2001

Fund facts

Structure	SICAV
Inception date	29 September 2000
Fund assets	EUR 71.91m (as at 31 Mar 2022)
Benchmark	MSCI Europe Small Cap Index (EUR)
Sector	Morningstar Europe Small-Cap Equity
Holdings range	Approximately 80
Position size	<5%
Market cap range	EUR 800m to EUR 7b
Base currency	EUR

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.

Please note that these ranges are reflective of the portfolio managers' investment process and style at time of publication. They may not be hard limits and are subject to change without notice. Please refer to the Prospectus for the broader parameters within which the strategy may operate. For a list of available share classes, please contact your local sales representative.

Role in a diversified portfolio

Portfolio position



Traditional equity

Pan European small- mid cap

Portfolio implementation

- Complement traditional equity strategies

What this aims to offer investors

- Long-term growth of capital
- Experienced team

Additional fund information

Investment objective & policy

The Fund aims to provide a return, from a combination of capital growth and income over the long term (5 years or more). The Fund invests at least two-thirds of its assets in shares (equities) and equity-related securities of small and mid-cap companies, in any industry, in Europe (including UK). Companies will have their registered office in or do most of their business (directly or through subsidiaries) in this region. The Fund will invest in small and mid-cap companies with a market capitalisation that generally falls within the bottom 50% of the Pan European market. 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 can provide a useful comparator for assessing the Fund's performance. 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. 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 smaller companies but will also hold some companies regarded as medium sized. 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

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'), the value of your investment may be impacted by changes in exchange rates. When the Fund, or a hedged share/unit class, seeks to mitigate exchange rate movements of a currency relative to the base currency, the hedging strategy itself may create a positive or negative impact to the value of the Fund due to differences in short-term interest rates between the currencies. 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. Some or all of the ongoing charges may be taken from capital, which may erode capital or reduce potential for capital growth. 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.

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