# **UK Micro Cap Fund**

## **Fund objective**

To achieve long-term capital growth through investment primarily in equities of UK companies. Investment will primarily be in an actively managed portfolio of equities of smaller UK companies traded on AIM and other UK markets which are considered to have potential for capital growth.

Investing in smaller companies, including AIM companies, can carry greater risks than those usually associated with investing in larger companies and your capital is at risk.

#### Fund rank

Financial Express (FE) Rank 3/44 over 10 years to 31 May 2020.

#### **Cumulative performance**

Cumulative returns	LF Gresham House UK Micro Cap Fund	IA UK Smaller Companies	Rank
1 month	4.9%	4.1%	18
YTD	-11.1%	-16.8%	10
1 year	-0.7%	-7.8%	11
3 year	21.5%	-0.1%	6
5 year	56.2%	30.2%	10
10 year	332.9%	181.9%	3
Since launch (19 May 2009)	342.0%	262.2%	16

#### Discrete performance

Discrete annual returns	LF Gresham House UK Micro Cap Fund	IA UK Smaller Companies	Rank
2014	9.5%	-1.7%	2
2015	19.0%	14.9%	18
2016	4.6%	8.1%	35
2017	27.3%	27.2%	26
2018	1.5%	-11.7%	2
2019	20.4%	25.3%	43
2020 YTD	-11.1%	-16.8%	10

Source: Financial Express

# **Fund performance**



- A LF Gresham House UK Micro Cap A Acc in GB (332.90%)
- B IA UK Smaller Companies TR in GB (181.89%).

Source: Data from Financial Express based on the returns of the A share class, 10 year return to 31 May 2020.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.



## **Fund information**

ACE

Link Fund Solutions Ltd

#### Portfolio Manager

Gresham House is a London Stock Exchange quoted specialist alternative asset manager.



Lead Manager Ken Wotton



Co-Manager Brendan Gulston

#### **Fund stats**

Risk ratio	3 year	5 year	10 year
Volatility	17.98	15.30	13.61
Alpha	6.08	3.95	5.62
Beta	0.86	0.84	0.84
Sharpe	0.18	0.38	0.90
Info Ratio	1.17	0.63	0.70

Launch date 19 May 2009

Fund size £239.1m

und sector

IA UK Smaller Companies

Number of holdings

Portfolio turnover rate 35%

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**ISA eligible** Yes

Ratings



FE fundinfo Crown Fund Rating







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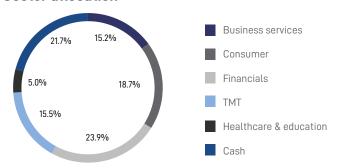
#### Top 10 holdings

Holding	Description	% NAV
XPS Pensions Group	Actuarial consultancy	4.1%
Knights Group	Legal services	4.0%
Inspired Energy	Energy procurement consultancy	3.9%
Impax Asset Management	Specialist asset manager	3.8%
Ergomed	Clinical development services	3.7%
Mattioli Woods	Pensions consultancy	3.6%
Kape Technologies	Online security platform and software solutions provider	3.1%
Codemasters	Video game developer and publisher	2.8%
Tatton Asset Management	Discretionary fund management services to the IFA sector	2.6%
Loungers	Café and bar/lounge operator	2.6%



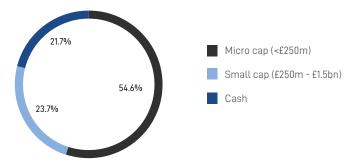
- + Aegon
- + All funds
- + Alliance Trust
- + Ascentric
- + Black Diamond
- + BNY Mellon
- + Defaqto
- + FNZ + FundsNetwork
- + Hubwise
- + James Hay
- + Novia + Nucleus
- + Raymond James
- Seven Investment ManagementStandard Life Wrap
- + Standard Life Elevate
- + Transact
- + Zurich

### Sector allocation



Source: Gresham House Asset Management (portfolio at 31 May 2020)

#### Market cap breakdown



Source: Gresham House Asset Management (portfolio at 31 May 2020)

#### Share class information

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Туре	Acc	Inc
Minimum investment	£10,000	£10,000
Minimum top up	£1,000	£1,000
Minimum regular savings plan	n/a	n/a
Initial charge	Up to 2.50%	Up to 2.50%
Annual management charge	0.90%	0.90%
ISIN code	GB00BV9FYS80	GB00BV9FYT97
SEDOL code	BV9FYS8	BV9FYT9
MEX ID	CGAAOU	CGAAOV

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#### Index weighting

AIM	64.6%
Small Cap	11.7%
Other	2.0%
Cash	21.7%

#### **Risks**

- The value of the fund and the income from it is not guaranteed and may fall as well as rise. As your capital is at risk you may get back less than you originally invested.
- Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.
- Funds investing in smaller companies may carry a higher degree of risk than funds investing in larger companies. The shares of smaller companies may be less liquid than securities in larger companies.
- You should note that your tax treatment in relation to any investments will depend on your individual circumstances and may be subject to change in the future. Governments may change the tax rules which affect you or the funds in which you have invested.

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