

# **Premier Miton US Opportunities Fund**

B Acc GBP Share Class

# **FUND FACTS**

Fund launch date 18 March 2013 Fund type OFIC Fund managers Nick Ford **Hugh Grieves** 

Fund size £954.5m No of holdings

IA sector North American

**GBP** Base currency

Valuation point 12:00 midday Accounting dates Final - 31 May

Interim - 30 November

# **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

T	%	
1.	Western Alliance Bancorporation	3.3
2.	NextEra Energy Partners	3.2
3.	Lowe's	2.9
4.	M&T Bank	2.9
5.	Norwegian Cruise Line	2.9
6.	PulteGroup	2.8
7.	Keurig Dr Pepper	2.7
8.	Cerner	2.6
9.	Waste Connections	2.6
10.	Service Corporation International	2.6
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SECTOR ALLOCATION	%
Consumer Discretionary	16.5
Financials	16.0
Industrials	15.7
Health Care	14.0
Information Technology	14.0
Communication Services	5.1
Utilities	3.2
Consumer Staples	2.7
Materials	2.6
Real Estate	1.9
Energy	1.7
Cash	6.6

# AWARDS AND RATINGS







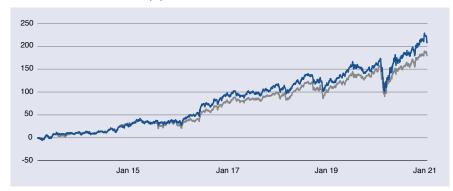
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# **OBJECTIVE**

The objective of the Fund is to provide capital growth over the long-term, being five years or more. Five years is also the minimum recommended period for holding shares in this Fund. This does not mean that the Fund will achieve the objective over this, or any other, specific time period and there is a risk of loss to the original capital invested.

#### PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS

Performance since launch (%)



#### Cumulative performance (%)

	1m	3m	6m	YTD	1y	3у	5y	10y	Launch
Fund	-0.75	10.97	12.67	-0.75	19.27	46.33	131.93	n/a	210.32
Sector	-0.21	9.69	12.48	-0.21	14.44	42.44	116.77	n/a	178.45

# Discrete annual performance (%)

	31.01.2020 31.01.2021	31.01.2019 31.01.2020	31.01.2018 31.01.2019	31.01.2017 31.01.2018	31.01.2016 31.01.2017
Fund	19.27	19.82	2.40	10.16	43.88
Sector	14.44	19.75	3.94	10.36	37.89

Source for all performance data: Morningstar. On 30.11.2020, this fund moved from a single pricing basis (mid) to a swing pricing basis. Performance could be shown on a combination of bid, mid or offer prices, depending on the period of reporting, and is shown net of fees with income reinvested in UK Sterling terms.

# **RISKS**

- The performance information presented in this factsheet relates to the past. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future returns.
- The value of investments may fluctuate which will cause fund prices to fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the original amount invested.
- This fund may experience high volatility due to the composition of the portfolio or the portfolio management techniques used.
- For funds investing globally, currency exchange rate fluctuations may have a positive or negative impact on the value of your investment.



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#### **FUND MANAGERS**

#### **Nick Ford**

Nick Ford joined the group in December 2012. Prior to this, he was the Investment Director on the US and Global Desk at Scottish Widows Investment Partnership. Nick has over 20 years of experience in managing equity funds. His previous roles include co-manager of the Gartmore US Smaller Companies fund, manager of the US Unit Trusts for Sun Alliance and Clerical Medical, as well as working as a member of the small cap team at F&C Asset Management. Nick graduated from the University of Surrey.

# **Hugh Grieves**

Hugh Grieves joined the group in January 2013. Prior to this, he worked for Herald Investment where he was responsible for managing the Herald Worldwide Fund. From 2000-2008 he co-managed the technology funds at Societe Generale Asset Management Ltd with Alan Torry and managed the funds from 2008-2009. Prior to that Hugh worked from 1995-2000 in the US smaller companies team at Gartmore. Hugh graduated from Bristol University with a degree in Economics and is a CFA charterholder.

#### **ABOUT PREMIER MITON**

Premier Miton Investors was formed in November 2019 from the merger of Premier Asset Management and Miton Group. We are responsible for managing £12 billion of assets (as at 31.12.2020) on behalf of our clients in a broad range of actively managed funds covering different types of equity, multi-asset, absolute return and fixed income investments.

Our investment teams are wholly focused on producing good long-term outcomes for our clients through active management. Importantly, in a fast changing world, our investment managers are empowered to think differently, think independently and think actively with the aim of keeping our clients' investments on track to meet their objectives.

#### SHARE CLASS DETAILS

Share class	ISIN	Sedol	Bloomberg	 0 0	Month-end share price
A Acc GBP B Acc GBP	GB00B6Z0P562 GB00B8278F56			 	292.52p 310.32p

Minimum investment: £1,000 lump sum or £50 regular saving premium.

- Entry charges are fully discounted.
- 2. The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ended 31.05.2020.

#### **GLOSSARY**

#### Capital growth

Increase in the value of a fund. If a fund states that its objective is 'to seek capital growth', the underlying asset or investment will be those the investment manager believes have the potential to grow in value over time.

#### Total return

The total return on an investment is made up of capital appreciation or depreciation and any income paid out by the investment. Measured over a set period, it is expressed as a percentage of the value of the investment at the start of that period.

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