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 7/44 over 10 years to 31 October 2019.

Cumulative performance

Cumulative returns	LF Gresham House UK Micro Cap	IA UK Smaller Companies	Rank
1 month	0.0%	1.3%	43
YTD	4.7%	11.7%	46
1 year	1.2%	4.6%	41
3 year	42.9%	32.6%	13
5 year	76.9%	59.9%	14
10 year	326.8%	210.3%	7
Since launch (19 May 2009)	332.3%	288.1%	24

Discrete performance

Discrete annual returns	LF Gresham House UK Micro Cap	IA UK Smaller Companies	Rank
2013	55.0%	37.2%	4
2014	9.5%	-1.7%	2
2015	19.0%	14.9%	18
2016	4.6%	8.1%	35
2017	27.3%	27.2%	27
2018	1.5%	-11.7%	2
2019 YTD	4.7%	11.7%	46

Fund performance - over 10 years



- A LF Gresham House UK Micro Cap A Acc in GB (326.78%)
- B IA UK Smaller Companies TR in GB (210.33%)

Source: Data from Financial Express based on the returns of the A share class, 10 year return to 31 October 2019.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.



Fund information

ACD

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 yr	5 yr	10yr
Volatility	8.76	9.11	10.58
Alpha	4.36	3.81	5.22
Beta	0.70	0.71	0.77
Sharpe	1.04	0.94	1.15
Info Ratio	0.47	0.36	0.51

Launch date 19 May 2009

Fund size £176.6m

Fund sector
IA UK Smaller Companies

Number of holdings 43

Portfolio turnover rate 29%

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ISA eligible Yes

Ratings









Top 10 holdings

Holding	Description	%NAV
Knights Group	Legal services	4.2%
Mattioli Woods	Pensions consultancy	4.2%
Impax Asset Manage- ment	Specialist asset manager	4.1%
Ergomed	Clinical development services	4.0%
Filta Group	Environmental kitchen solutions	3.9%
XPS Pensions Group	Actuarial consultancy	3.7%
Argentex	Corporate foreign exchange services	3.6%
Inspired Energy	Energy procurement consultancy	3.6%
Charles Taylor	Outsourced services to the insurance industry	3.1%
Ten Entertainment	Ten-pin bowling operator	3.0%

Index weighting

AIM	65%
Small Cap	16%
Other	4%
Cash	15%

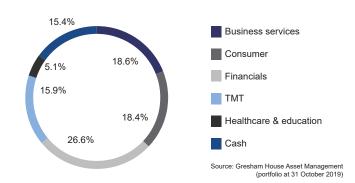
Share class information

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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 2.5%	Up to 2.5%
Annual management charge	0.90%	0.90%
ISIN code	GB00BV9FYS80	GB00BV9FYT97
SEDOL code	BV9FYS8	BV9FYT9
MEX ID	CGAAOU	CGAAOV

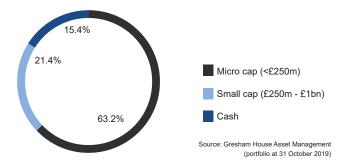
Risks

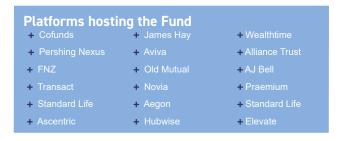
- The value of the fund and the income from it is not guaranteed and may fall as well as rise. As your capital is at risk you may get back less than you originally invested.
- + Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance.
- Funds investing in smaller companies may carry a higher 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.

Sector allocation



Market cap breakdown





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