

As at 30 June 2025

## Aegon AM Ethical Equity (BLK)

**Defined Contributions** 

#### **Fund information**

Issuing company	Aegon/Scottish
	Equitable plc
Inception date	28 Mar 2002
Benchmark	FTSE All Share
Additional Expenses	0.02%
Entry Fees	No
Exit Fees	No
Performance Fee	No
Aegon fund size	£4.99m
Fund type	Pension
ISIN	GB0031477440
SEDOL	3147744
Domicile	United Kingdom
Use of Income	Accumulation
Base Currency	GBP

#### Relative Risk Profile



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#### Fund objective

The fund aims to maximise total return (income plus capital) over any 7 year period, by investing in equities and equity type securities in companies based in the UK, mainly conducting business in the UK or listed in the UK stock market which meets the fund's predefined ethical criteria.

#### Fund performance

The following graph and tables show the performance of the fund over various time periods compared to the fund's benchmark (if there is one). All performance information is as at 30 Jun 2025 unless otherwise stated.

In the graph, performance is shown since launch if the fund is less than five years old.



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FTSE All Share

	3 Months	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs
Fund	10.2%	4.0%	5.7%	10.7%	6.4%
Benchmark	4.4%	9.1%	11.2%	10.7%	10.8%
	Jun 20 to Jun 21	Jun 21 to Jun 22	Jun 22 to Jun 23	Jun 23 to Jun 24	Jun 24 to Jun 25
Fund	26.6%	-20.6%	7.3%	19.8%	5.7%
Benchmark	21.5%	1.6%	7.9%	13.0%	11.2%

Source: FE fundinfo. The performance information has been calculated in pounds on a bid-to-bid basis and is net of charges with gross income reinvested. Performance for periods over a year is annualised (% per year). Past performance is not a reliable guide to future performance. The value of an investment can fall as well as rise and is not guaranteed. Investors could get back less than they invested.

Performance shown is gross of the annual management charge but is net of additional expenses (if any) incurred within the fund. Expenses can include costs paid by Aegon to third parties. The annual management charge will reduce the performance figures shown. Source: Scottish Equitable plc.

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### Underlying fund

Fund mgmt gro	<b>oup</b> Aegon Asset Management
Fund name	Ethical Equity
Launch date	17 Apr 1989
Fund size	£542.01m as at 31 May 2025
SEDOL	0745088
ISIN	GB0007450884
Crown rating	

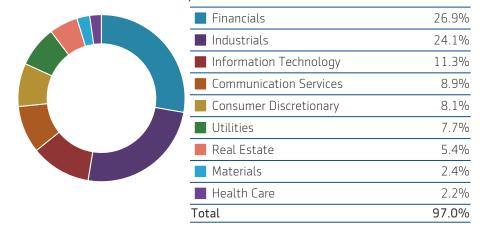
## Fund manager information



Fund manager	Audrey Ryan
Start date	01 Jan 1999

Audrey Ryan is an investment manager in the Equities team with responsibility for managing several funds. In addition, Audrey has analysis duties for the travel & leisure sector and is a small-cap specialist. She joined the industry in 1995 and us in 1997 from General Accident where she was a UK small companies portfolio manager. Audrey studied Accounting at Napier University, is a qualified chartered accountant and has an MSc in Investment Analysis.

## Sector breakdown as at 31 May 2025



### Top 10 Holdings as at 30 May 2025

Total	37.2%
INFORMA PLC	2.8%
DIPLOMA PLC	2.8%
LEGAL & GENERAL GROUP PLC	2.9%
EXPERIAN PLC	3.1%
VOLUTION GROUP PLC	3.3%
SSE PLC	3.5%
NATIONAL GRID PLC	4.2%
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE GROUP	4.6%
NATWEST GROUP PLC	4.9%
RELX PLC	5.1%

Source of fund breakdown and holdings: Fund mgmt group

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