

# Aegon Global Small Cap Equity Tracker (AMT)

**Defined Contributions** 

#### Fund information

Aegon/Scottish Equitable plc
27 Jan 2023
MSCI World Small Cap GBP 2
0.02%
No
No
No
£2.77m
Pension
GB00BPNLY020
BPNLY02
United Kingdom
Accumulation
GBP

### **Relative Risk Profile**

		X
Very Low	Medium	Very High

These risk ratings are only applicable to funds available via TargetPlan. Other risk ratings apply across the rest of our fund range and they, or ratings from other providers, are not comparable. Be aware that even lower risk investments can fall in value.

### Fund objective

This fund aims to produce a return in line with its benchmark by investing in the shares of smaller companies from across the globe. Derivatives may also be used for investment and efficient portfolio management purposes. The use of derivatives is expected to be limited. This fund uses a set of exclusionary criteria which removes exposure to certain companies based on Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) concerns. The exclusionary thresholds and definitions are owned by a third party and subject to change.

#### 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 31 Dec 2024 unless otherwise stated.

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



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	3 Months	YTD	1yr	Зyrs	5yrs
Fund	3.9%	9.2%	9.2%	-	-
Benchmark	4.3%	10.1%	10.1%	-	-
_	Dec 19 to Dec 20	Dec 20 to Dec 21	Dec 21 to Dec 22	Dec 22 to Dec 23	Dec 23 to Dec 24
Fund	-	-	-	-	9.2%
Benchmark	-	-	-	-	10.1%

Source: FE fundinfo. The performance information has been calculated in pounds on a bidto-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 g	roup	BlackRock
Fund name		Vorld Small Cap ESG
	Scre	ened Equity Tracker
Launch date		20 Apr 2021
Fund size	£1,112.40n	n as at 31 Dec 2024
SEDOL		BN33TJ8
ISIN		GB00BN33TJ89
Crown rating		N/A

## Sector breakdown as at 31 Dec 2024

Total	100.1%
Other	4.2%
Commun	ication 3.5%
Consume	er Staples 4.4%
Materials	5 7.1%
🔳 Real Esta	ate 8.2%
Health C	are 9.9%
📕 📕 Informat	ion Technology 11.9%
Consume	er Discretionary 13.7%
Financial	s 17.2%
Industria	ls 20.0%

# Geographic breakdown as at 31 Dec 2024

	United States	63.1%
	Japan	12.3%
	United Kingdom	5.0%
	Canada	3.3%
	Australia	3.2%
	Sweden	1.8%
	Switzerland	1.5%
	Germany	1.2%
	Israel	1.2%
	Other	7.5%
	Total	100.1%

## Top 10 Holdings as at 30 Nov 2024

BLK ICS USD LIQ AGENCY DIS	0.4%
INTERACTIVE BROKERS GROUP INC CLAS	0.3%
NATERA INC	0.2%
COMFORT SYSTEMS USA INC	0.2%
XPO INC	0.2%
FTAI AVIATION LTD	0.2%
SOFI TECHNOLOGIES INC	0.2%
AFFIRM HOLDINGS INC CLASS A	0.2%
TOLL BROTHERS INC	0.2%
GUIDEWIRE SOFTWARE INC	0.2%
Total	2.3%

Source of fund breakdown and holdings: Fund mgmt group

Differences in performance reporting between fund and benchmark may arise due to the impact of timing, charges, cashflows, and the pricing basis of the underlying fund. Fund returns are calculated on a total return basis with dividends reinvested.

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