# **Premier Miton UK Growth Fund**



Sterling class C - Income shares

# 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.

## Fund facts

Fund size	£180.2m				
Launch dates	Fund - 21 Jun 1972 Share class - 21 Jun 1972				
Fund structure	Open Ended Investment Company (OEIC)				
Reporting dates	Final - 31 Aug Interim - 28 Feb				
Base currency	GBP				
Valuation point	12:00 noon				
ISA eligible Yes					
Investment Association sector					

IA UK All Companies

Performance comparators FTSE All-Share Index IA UK All Companies

Please see page 3 for further information.

## Investment team



Fund manager Jon Hudson Joined Premier Miton Oct 2007 Manager since

Nov 2017 Fund manager Benji Dawes

Joined Premier Miton Sep 2014 Manager since Nov 2017

# **Risk and reward profile**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Lower r	risk	Higher risk					
Typicall	y lower	reward	rds Typically higher rewards				

The fund is ranked as 6 because it has experienced relatively high rises and falls in value over the past five years. Please note that even the lowest ranking does not mean a riskfree investment

#### Investment overview

- An actively managed portfolio with a minimum of 80% of its assets in shares in companies incorporated, domiciled or which have a significant part of their business in the UK.
- Portfolio of small, medium and larger sized companies.

## Awards and ratings



- Individual holdings are selected based on detailed company specific research, taking into account the long term prospects for the business and the fund managers' assessment of its quality, growth potential and valuation.

Diversified across industry and sector

Morningstar™ 2025 rating: Three year rating out of 114 EAA Fund UK Mid-Cap Equity funds as at 30.05.25 Awards and ratings are based on past events and are not an indication of future performance. Ratings are not a recommendation. Please see page 4 for further information.

#### Performance summary (%)

#### Fund share class

Performance comparators

- Sterling class C Income shares Index: FTSE All-Share Index
- Sector: IA UK All Companies

# Performance since manager start on 1 November 2017



May 19 May 21 May 23 May 25

	1 month	3 months	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years	start
Fund	5.48	5.39	8.64	18.03	51.33	99.41	73.36
Index	4.14	1.55	9.35	26.79	69.03	80.72	52.55
Sector	5.11	2.53	6.04	18.94	50.66	59.20	35.98

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	YTD
Fund	11.68	12.61	-14.48	2.52	14.80	4.14
Index	-9.82	18.32	0.34	7.92	9.47	8.57
Sector	-6.01	17.25	-9.06	7.38	7.87	6.24

	29.05.20 28.05.21	28.05.21 31.05.22	31.05.22 31.05.23		31.05.24 30.05.25
Fund	46.08	-12.23	-6.24	15.88	8.64
Index	23.13	8.27	0.44	15.44	9.35
Sector	28.60	-1.49	-1.13	13.44	6.04

Source: FE Analytics. Based on Sterling class C - Income shares, on a total return basis to 30 May 2025. Performance is shown net of fees with income reinvested. On 20.01.2020, this fund moved from a single pricing basis (mid) to a swing pricing basis.

The performance information presented on this page relates to the past. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future returns.

Investing involves risk. The value of an investment can go down as well as up which means that you could get back less than you originally invested when you come to sell your investment. The value of your investment might not keep up with any rise in the cost of living. More information about the risks of investment is provided later in this document.

# Portfolio breakdown

Top 10 holdings (%)						
0	<ul><li>Top 10 holdings</li><li>Rest of portfolio</li></ul>					
Wise		5.3				
Alpha Group Inter	national	4.3				
IG Group Holdings	5	4.1				
Jet2		4.1				
Telecom Plus		3.2				
TP ICAP Group		3.0				
AJ Bell		2.9				
Bellway		2.7				
Marks & Spencer C	ìroup	2.6				
GSK		2.5				

Sector (%)	
Financials	24.6
Consumer Discretionary	15.6
Industrials	11.6
Consumer Staples	10.1
<ul> <li>Materials</li> </ul>	7.8
Health Care	7.0
<ul> <li>Information Technology</li> </ul>	5.5
■ Energy	5.2
Communication Services	4.9
Utilities	4.6
Real Estate	1.7
Cash & equivalent	1.2

## Charges

Ongoing charges figure (OCF) 0.96% as at 31.08.2024

The OCF is based on the last year's expenses and may vary from year to year. It excludes the costs of buying or selling assets for the fund (unless these assets are shares of another fund). The OCF includes the annual management charge. Transaction charges will also apply. Please refer to the total costs & charges document on our website for more information.

Initial charge	0.00%
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## Charges are taken from income

The fund's charges will be taken from income generated by the fund in the form of interest or dividends. If there is not enough income to cover the charges, the rest of the charges will be taken from the fund's capital which could result in capital erosion or constrain capital growth.



A typical investor in the fund	<ul> <li>This fund may be compatible for clients who:</li> <li>are seeking the prospect for long-term growth on their original investment</li> <li>can invest for the long-term, by which we mean staying invested for at least 5 years</li> <li>do not need a capital guarantee</li> <li>understand the risks of investing, including the risk that they could lose some of the amount originally invested</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>are comfortable with seeing the value of their investment go up and down. There will be times when the value of the fund will fall, especially over the short-term</li> <li>understand that there is no guarantee on the amount of investment growth they can expect to receive during the period that they remain invested</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>This fund may not be compatible for clients who:</li> <li>are fully risk averse / have no risk tolerance</li> <li>seek capital preservation</li> <li>have a short/medium term investment time horizon</li> <li>are seeking to receive a regular income</li> <li>are looking for a guaranteed level of investment growth</li> <li>would be uncomfortable with seeing the value of their investment fluctuating</li> </ul>
How the fund might perform	The fund invests principally in the shares of UK companies (known as equities or stocks) listed on the stock market. Therefore, how the UK stock market does overall will impact on the performance of the fund. However, the fund managers apply an investment strategy that is designed to differentiate the fund from the UK stock market. Therefore, the performance of the fund will differ from the performance of the UK stock market over different time periods. A number of different factors influence the share price of a company. Companies tend to do better when economic growth is stronger and worse when it is weaker. Many companies can also do better when inflation and interest rates are low or falling and worse when they are high	or rising, although other companies may benefit in those conditions. Factors specific to individual companies, such as demand for their products or services, are also important. The fund managers will invest in large, medium and smaller sized companies and these can perform differently too. For example, large UK companies often have more of their business outside the UK, so a strong global economy would be beneficial. Smaller UK companies are typically more focused on the UK, meaning business conditions domestically will be important to how they do. The fund managers can choose companies from a range of industry sectors such as healthcare, engineering and information technology to diversify	risk, and these sectors will perform differently depending on how that particular industry is doing. However, most importantly, the fund managers focus on the management teams and business attributes of each individual company with the aim of building a portfolio of high quality companies that they expect will thrive in different economic and financial market conditions. You should not expect the fund to perform like a UK stock market index, such as the FTSE All-Share Index, as the fund invests in a range of specially selected companies. There is no guarantee as to how financial markets will perform in the future or how the fund will perform.
Performance comparators	The fund is classified in the IA UK All Companies sector, which we believe is a meaningful comparator to help investors assess the performance of the fund. As	the fund invests in UK companies, we believe the FTSE All-Share Index, which is made up of many of the companies listed on the London Stock Exchange, is also a	meaningful comparator to help investors assess performance.

Fund	Fund codes		Minimums			
codes and investment	ISIN	GB0031639221	Initial	Top-up	Withdrawal	Holding
minimums	Sedol	3163922	£250,000	£25,000	£25,000	£250,000
	Bloomberg	CSUGIII:LN				

General risks	Investing involves risk. The value of an investment can go down as well as up which means that you could get back less than you originally invested when you come to sell your investment. The value of your investment might not keep up with any rise in the cost of living.	Typically, there is less risk of losing money over the long-term (which we define as over 5 years) from an investment that is considered low risk, although potential returns may also be lower. Investments considered higher risk typically offer greater opportunities for better long-term	returns, though the risk of losing money is also likely to be higher. Premier Miton is unable to provide investment, tax or financial planning advice. We recommend that you discuss any investment decisions with a financial adviser.
Specific fund risks	Some of the main specific risks of investing in this fund are summarised here. Further detail is available in the prospectus for the fund.	High volatility This fund may experience high volatility due to the composition of the portfolio or the portfolio management techniques used.	Other risks There are many other factors that can influence the value of a fund. These include currency movements, changes in the law, regulations or tax, operational
	Equities Equities (company shares) can experience high levels of price fluctuation. Smaller company shares can be riskier than the largest companies, companies in less developed countries (emerging markets) can be risker than those in developed countries and funds focused on a particular country or region can be riskier than funds that are more geographically diverse. These risks can result in bigger movements in the value of the fund. Equities can be affected by changes in central bank interest rates and by inflation.	Other investment risks Funds may have holdings in investments such as commodities (raw materials), infrastructure and property as well as other areas such as specialist lending and renewable energy. These investments will be indirect, which means accessing these assets by investing in companies, other funds or similar investment vehicles. These investments can also increase risk and experience sharp price movements. Funds focused on specific sectors or industries, such as property or infrastructure, may carry a higher level of risk and can experience bigger movements in value. Certain investments can be impacted by decisions made by third parties, such as governments or regulators.	systems or third-party failures, or financial market conditions that make it difficult to buy or sell investments for the fund.

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Glossary

#### Active management

Capital

Equities

company

person or organisation

Capital growth

An approach to investing whereby a fund manager invests according to their judgement. The active investor aims to beat the returns from an asset class, such as company shares or bonds, or specified benchmark index/sector, rather than to match them.

#### Annual management charge (AMC)

The yearly fee paid to Premier Miton

#### for managing a fund, expressed as a

Describes financial assets, particularly cash,

or other assets, such as shares, owned by a

The increase in the value of an asset or

income received, measured by its current

investment over time, excluding any

value compared to its purchase cost.

Another name for shares (or stock) in a

capital growth percentage of your investment. The AMC Investment grade bond does not typically change from year to year.

Association (IA)

Bonds that are expected to have a lower risk of defaulting on interest payments or repayment of the issue value on maturity and receive higher ratings from credit rating agencies

Investment Association (IA) sectors

To help with comparisons between the

thousands of funds available, funds are

IA UK All Companies sector

categorised into different groups or sectors,

organised and reviewed by the Investment

Funds in this sector are required to invest

at least 80% of their assets in UK equities

which have a primary objective of achieving

## Individual Savings Account (ISA)

A wrapper in which eligible UK residents can place their savings and investments to protect them from some forms of taxation. There are different types of ISA. HM Revenue & Customs set the amount that you are allowed to invest into in an ISA in each tax year, which can be found on the Government website

#### **Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)**

A measure of what it costs to invest in a fund over a year. It includes the fee paid to Premier Miton for the management of the fund (known as the annual management charge) and the OCFs of underlying funds that might be held in a portfolio (excluding any Premier Miton funds held) with the remainder covering costs that have to be paid to external companies for other services relating to the ongoing administration and management of a fund, such as the fees paid to the depositary, custodian, regulator, auditor and administrator. The fee is deducted from the value of the fund and reflected in the fund's share price. The OCF is typically calculated once a year and can change from year to year. The OCF does not include transaction costs which are associated with buying and selling investments in a fund.

#### Total return

A way of showing how an investment has performed and is made-up of the capital appreciation or depreciation and includes any income generated 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.

Investment Association (IA) The trade association that represents investment management firms in the UK.

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