

# WS T. Bailey UK Responsibly Invested Equity Fund

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## **OBJECTIVE**

To achieve capital growth in excess of the IA UK All Companies Sector average over Rolling Periods of 5 years (after charges), through a portfolio of responsibly screened UK listed companies.

## **FUND MANAGERS**



Peter Askew has led global Elliot Farley. A Warwick Siobhon Becker fixed income teams at T. Rowe ran his own investment consultancy business



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mathematics Assistant Fund Manager of the Price, Flemings and JP Morgan. graduate with over twenty T. Bailey funds in 2017, having Before joining T. Bailey in years' experience in the previously been an investment 2013 he held senior roles at fund management industry. analyst responsible for fund a fund of hedge funds and He has worked with the research and selection. She Standard Life Investments. T. Bailey Funds since 2000 studied Law and Business Previously he worked with having previously been Administration and holds a multi-family office and an ACA with Deloitte. the IAQ, CertIM (IMC) and is a Chartered Member of the CISI (Chartered MCSI).

#### **KEY FACTS**

Fund Size	£24.7m			
Sector	IA UK All Companies			
Launch Date	14/02/2022			
Liquidity	Daily			
Pricing Frequency	Daily			
Settlement	T+4			
Single Priced	Yes			
Initial Fee	Nil			
Exit Fee	Nil			
Performance Fee	Nil			
AFM	Waystone Management (UK) Ltd			

## **CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE AFTER ALL ONGOING CHARGES TO LAST VALUATION POINT IN MARCH 2024**

	3 months	1 year	2 years	Since Launch
WS T. Bailey UK Responsibly Invested Equity Fund F Acc	5.46%	6.81%	2.11%	(4.60%)
IA UK All Companies Sector	5.66%	6.79%	8.52%	6.85%

## QUARTER-END DISCRETE PERFORMANCE: 12 MONTHS ENDED LAST VALUATION POINT IN MARCH

	2023	2024
WS T. Bailey UK Responsibly Invested Equity Fund F Acc	(9.02%)	6.05%
IA UK All Companies Sector	(2.07%)	7.60%

## PERFORMANCE SINCE LAUNCH



Total Return, Bid to Bid (with the exception of any charge taken by your Financial Adviser). Source: T. Bailey/Refinitiv. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results. The value of your investment and the income derived from it can go down as well as up and you may not get back the money you invested. The tables and graph shown list the performance of the F Accumulation unit class.

Source: Refinitiv

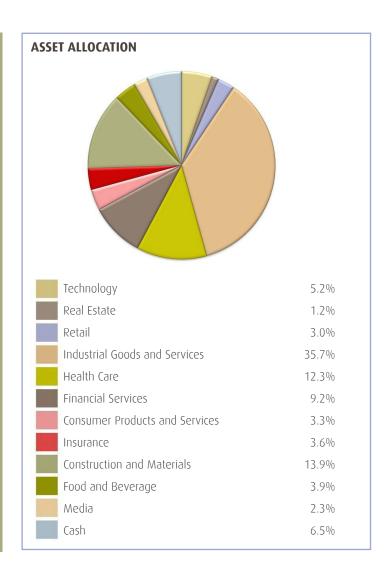
WS T. Bailey UK RIEF F Acc - (4.6%)

IA UK All Companies - 6.8%



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TOP 10 HOLDINGS	%
Astrazeneca	5.5
Intertek Group	4.6
Tyman	4.4
Mondi	4.2
Man Group	4.0
Origin Enterprises	3.9
Experian	3.8
Hikma Pharmaceuticals	3.7
Morgan Sindall	3.6
Beazley	3.6
Sub Total	41.4
Other 18 Holdings	52.2
Cash	6.5
TOTAL	100.0



### **COMMENTARY**

We, like others, have highlighted the relative cheapness of UK equities where many well-run, cash generative, strong balance sheet companies can be found. While domestic and international institutional investors have chosen to overlook them in favour of global franchises, it is inevitable that investors such as ourselves are joined in appreciating these UK companies by acquisitive companies from overseas. Additionally, UK companies themselves see an opportunity to buy back their own, attractively valued stock. The UK Responsibly Invested Equity Fund seeks exposure to those companies but specifically those companies conscious of their role in society and behaving responsibly as a business as a consequence.

The relative attractiveness of UK valuations brought fresh impetus and new buyers into the UK stock market with the result that a number of acquisitions took place in April such as Spirent Communications, Darktrace and Tyman. BHP attempted to purchase Anglo American, although that was more about securing copper assets.

While Spirent Communications is a company once held in the Fund,

Tyman is a current holding. The bid for Tyman from US company Quanex, resulted in a 33.5% uplift in Tyman's share price in April. Although the positives to negatives ratio in the Fund was a 50/50 split, the magnitude of the share price increases of five of the Fund's twenty eight holdings delivered a positive outcome for the Fund in April. Besides the Tyman bid-related share price surge, AstraZeneca, Mondi, Morgan Advanced Materials and XPS Pensions Group all delivered double-digit share price uplifts in April. Mondi's price improved after its bid target, DS Smith, accepted terms from a rival bidder. AstraZeneca benefited from reporting strong Q1 2024 numbers. Morgan Advanced Materials' share price reacted positively to its latest growth strategy and XPS Pensions reacted positively to a trading update demonstrating strong revenue growth. There were few disappointments in April and those that were in negative territory had been positive contributors in previous months.



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## **UNIT CLASS INFORMATION**

	Distribution Frequency	Net Yield	AMC	OCF	Min Investment	Subsequent Investment	Regular Savers	Sedol	ISIN
I Acc	N/A	2.6%	0.45%	0.61%	£1,000,000*	£500	N/A	BPRB1P2	GB00BPRB1P23
F Acc	N/A	2.5%	0.60%	0.76%	£250,000	£500	N/A	BPRB1N0	GB00BPRB1N09
S Acc	N/A	2.4%	0.75%	0.91%	£1,000	£500	Yes	BPRB1Q3	GB00BPRB1Q30

<sup>\*</sup> I Acc units will be closed to new investors once the class reaches £50m of assets.

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