

# SVS Dowgate Wealth UK Small Cap Growth Fund Factsheet: 29 February 2024

#### **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The aim of the Sub-fund is to provide long-term capital growth over periods of 5 years or longer.

#### **INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY**

The Fund's core investment philosophy is based on bottom-up investing, looking at individual companies and agnostic to index benchmarks. This means that we are unconstrained and can find great investment opportunities that are very often overlooked and under researched. Our investment process focuses on finding and investing in attractively valued, high quality companies that are seeing accelerating business fundamentals that have durable competitive advantages in their fields. We look to invest in great management teams who have meaningful 'skin in the game' and behave in a long term manner. We regularly meet management teams, remotely, face to face and through site visits seeking to understand their business model, their culture and how they can deliver profitable and sustainable future growth.

#### **UK OPPORTUNITIES**

We believe great UK smaller companies can generate exceptional returns over the long term if done correctly and they have a large number of attributes that can generate more Alpha and better risk adjusted returns. Firstly, there's a high proportion of owner-managed companies which tends to yield better corporate flexibility and better longer term capital allocation. It's also mathematically clear that they can grow quicker; elephants don't gallop. Lastly, the market becomes less efficient with fewer analysts covering each stock and fewer investors interested; due to the nuances of the index tracking and benchmarking industry the larger companies are the more investors are able to invest in them – our job is to find them first and deliver great returns.

#### THE TEAM

Dowgate Wealth is an employee-owned company founded in 2020 by ex Hargreave Hale (subsequently Canaccord) colleagues. We are based in London and together we represent over 500 years' of combined investment experience specialising in UK and European smaller and medium sized companies. Our goal is to redefine Fund Management by providing index-beating returns.

### LEAD FUND MANAGER



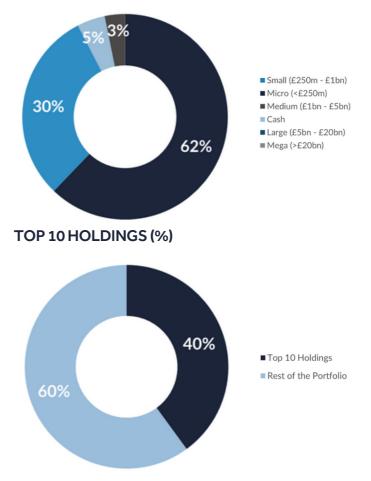
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#### **KEY FACTS**

#### **Fund Characteristics:**

| Launch date        | 14th March 2022                                    |
|--------------------|--|
| Lead Fund Manager  | Laurence Hulse                                     |
| Fund currency      | Pound Sterling                                     |
| Fund size          | £5.3m  |
| Number of holdings | 36   |
| IA Sector          | UK Smaller Companies                               |
| Fund Structure     | OEIC   |
| ACD                | Evelyn Partners Fund<br>Solutions Limited          |
|                    |  |
| Depository         | NatWest Trustee & De-<br>positary Services Limited |
| Valuation point    | 1 4471 000 11 40000 01 2 0                         |
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#### MARKET CAP BREAKDOWN



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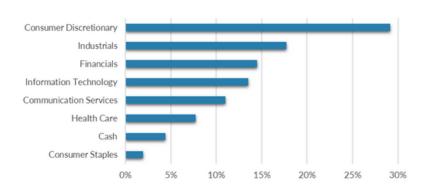
#### **FURTHER DETAILS**

| Share Class            | NAV    | Sedol   | ISIN         | Minimum | Ongoing charges |
|------------------------|--------|---------|--------------|---------|-----------------|
| F Class (Accumulative) | 87.70p | BN6RCJ8 | GB00BN6RCJ83 | £1,000  | 1.08%           |

#### **Platforms**

Dowgate Wealth, Hargreaves Lansdown, Interactive Investor

### SECTOR BREAKDOWN



## **TOP 10 HOLDINGS**

| Company                | Weight |
|------------------------|--------|
| MPAC GROUP             | 4.5%   |
| LIONTRUST ASSET MAN    | 4.5%   |
| TEAM 17 GROUP          | 4.4%   |
| ANGLING DIRECT         | 4.0%   |
| REACT GROUP            | 3.9%   |
| WINDWARD               | 3.9%   |
| SPRINGFIELD PROPERTIES | 3.9%   |
| VIANET GROUP           | 3.7%   |
| TRANSENSE TECHNOLGIES  | 3.6%   |
| SPEEDY HIRE            | 3.6%   |

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All information accurate as at 29 February 2024

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