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Price Data Thursday 31st October

Share Class	AMC	Minimum	Price p
T Class Acc	1.0%	£1,000	161.22
T Class Inc	1.0%	£1,000	155.78
R Class Acc	1.5%	£1,000	158.84
R Class Inc	1.5%	£1,000	155.43
I Class Acc	0.9%	£5m	161.69
I Class Inc	0.9%	£5m	155.82

Fund Type: UK OEIC
Portfolio Manager: Terry Smith
Launch Date: November 2010
Accumulat'n Shares: Dividends Retained
Income Shares: Dividends Paid Out
Min Regular Saving: £100 per month
Initial Charge: None
OCF* (T/R/I Class): 1.1%, 1.6%, 1.0%
Registrar: IFDS Ltd.
Depository: State Street Trustees Ltd.
Auditor: Deloitte LLP
Dealing: Daily at noon
IMA Sector: Global Growth
Fund Size: £1.5bn as at 31.10.13
Gross Portfolio Yield: 2.6% as at 31.10.13
PTR[^]: +0.18% to 31.6.13
4 Day Fund Liquidity: 79% as at 31.10.13
No. Holdings: 25
Average Co. Founded : 1901
Average Co. Mkt. Cap.: £52.7bn as at 31.10.13
Dividend Dates: On or about 28/2 & 31/8

Geographic Split by Listing

As at 31st October	%
UK	22
Continental Europe	16
US	62

Portfolio Sector Exposure

As at 31st October	%
Consumer Staples	46
Healthcare	17
Industrials	8
Technology	14
Consumer Discretionary	13
Cash	2

Security Identification Codes

SHARE CLASS	SEDOL	ISIN	MEXID
EQUITY T ACC	B4Q5X52	GB00B4Q5X527	FUEQUI
EQUITY T INC	B4M93C5	GB00B4M93C53	FUSMIT
EQUITY R ACC	B4LPDJ1	GB00B4LPDJ14	FUNDISM
EQUITY R INC	B4QBRK3	GB00B4QBRK32	FUDSMI
EQUITY I ACC	B41YBW7	GB00B41YBW71	FUQUIT
EQUITY I INC	B4MR8G8	GB00B4MR8G82	FUUNDS

Equity Fund Aim

The Company will invest in equities on a global basis. The Company's approach is to be a long-term investor in its chosen stocks. It will not adopt short-term trading strategies.

The Company has stringent investment criteria which the ACD, as investment manager, adheres to in selecting securities for the Company's investment portfolio. These criteria aim to ensure that the Company invests in:

- high quality businesses that can sustain a high return on operating capital employed;
- businesses whose advantages are difficult to replicate;
- businesses which do not require significant leverage to generate returns;
- businesses with a high degree of certainty of growth from reinvestment of their cash flows at high rates of return;
- businesses that are resilient to change, particularly technological innovation;
- businesses whose valuation is considered by the Company to be attractive.

Investors should be aware that the application of these investment criteria significantly limits the number of potential investments for the Company's portfolio. It is envisaged that the investment portfolio of the Company will be concentrated, generally comprising between 20 and 30 stocks. The Company will not invest in derivatives and will not hedge any currency exposure arising from within the operations of an investee business nor from the holding of an investment denominated in a currency other than sterling.

Performance Data, % Total Return, T Class, Accumulation:

	Last Month October	2013 to 31.10	2012	2011	2010*	Since Inception to 31.10.13
Fundsmith Equity Fund ¹	+4.6	+24.6	+12.5	+8.4	+6.1	+61.2
Equities ²	+4.8	+23.9	+11.4	-4.3	+7.3	+41.8
UK Bonds ³	+0.9	-1.9	+2.7	+15.6	-0.7	+14.8
Cash ⁴	+0.0	+0.3	+0.8	+0.9	+0.1	+2.2

¹Net of Fees priced at midday UK time ²MSCI World Index (E Gross) priced at close of business US time *Nov and Dec only
³Bloomberg/ EFFAS Bond Indices UK Govt 5-10 yr ⁴3 Month E LIBOR Interest Rate

Portfolio Comment for October 2013

We sold our holding in Waters Corporation during the month. Waters is the leading supplier of liquid chromatography and mass spectrometry equipment to the drug, biotech and food industries. It also supplies consumables and service to this installed base of equipment. However, the company has struggled to deliver revenue growth and we took the view that this was unlikely to improve given that it sells into emerging markets, such as India with its generic pharmaceutical industry, where the affordability of its equipment has been reduced in local currency terms by the weak emerging markets currencies and especially the Indian rupee. It was also the only stock in our portfolio which did not pay a dividend. The top 5 contributors in the month were Stryker, Microsoft, Reckitt Benckiser, Dr Pepper Snapple and Becton Dickinson. The top 5 detractors were Swedish Match, Waters, Domino's Pizza, Kone and Intercontinental Hotels.

Top 10 Holdings

- Stryker
- Microsoft
- Domino's Pizza
- Dr Pepper Snapple
- Reckitt Benckiser
- Becton Dickinson
- Unilever
- Imperial Tobacco
- Procter & Gamble
- Intercontinental Hotels

Our Values

- No performance fees
- No initial fees
- No redemption fees
- No overtrading
- No leverage
- No shorting
- No hedging
- No derivatives
- No over diversification
- No closet indexing
- No lack of conviction
- No other equity strategies

Just a small number of high quality, resilient, global growth companies that are good value and which we intend to hold for a long time, and in which we invest our own money.

* The OCF (Ongoing Charges Figure) is the total expenses paid by the fund (excluding bank overdraft interest), annualised, against its average net asset value. The OCF will fluctuate as the average net assets and costs change. The OCF is for the half year ended 30 June 2013.

[^] The PTR (Portfolio Turnover Ratio) has been calculated in accordance with the methodology laid down by the FCA. This compares the total share purchases and sales less total creations and liquidations with the average net asset value of the fund.

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