

TM STONEHAGE FLEMING OPPORTUNITIES FUND



ACTIVELY
MANAGED



STOCK PICKING
APPROACH



LONG-TERM
INVESTMENT HORIZONS



NAVIGATING TO INVESTMENTS
WITH CLEAR STRATEGIES



GROWTH
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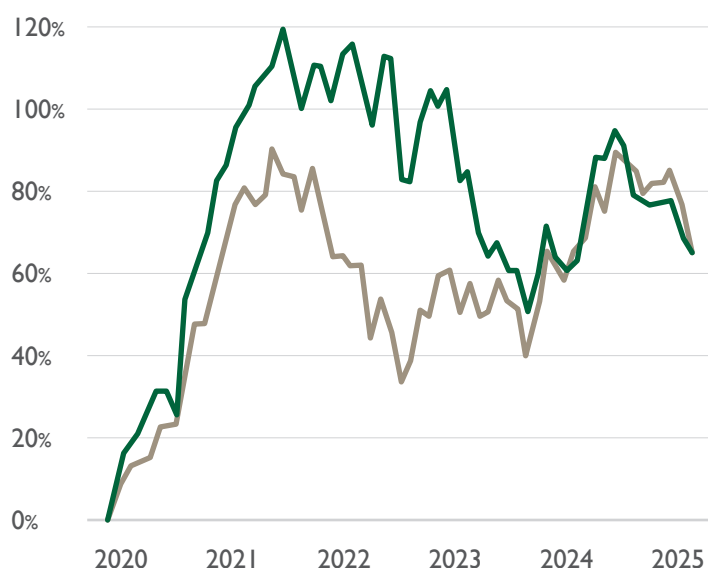
INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The Fund aims to achieve long-term capital growth.

INVESTMENT POLICY

The Fund aims to invest in equities falling mainly under the following categories: smaller companies which offer long-term growth; companies which offer recovery prospects; and companies in sectors which are perceived to be unduly depressed. There is no geographical restriction but in practice the fund will be mainly invested in the UK.

PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE



65.75% TM SF Opp Fund B Inc

68.22% Deutsche Numis Smaller Companies Ex Inv Comps Index

CUMULATIVE FUND PERFORMANCE (%)

Performance	3m	6m	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs
TM Stonehage Fleming Opportunities Fund B Inc	-6.5	-8.0	-6.5	0.2	-21.9	65.7
Deutsche Numis Smaller Companies Ex Inv Comps Index	-6.3	-7.5	-6.3	2.3	2.7	68.2

CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%)

Performance	YTD	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
TM Stonehage Fleming Opportunities Fund B Inc	-6.5	2.8	-15.2	-2.6	27.5	-0.6
Deutsche Numis Smaller Companies Ex Inv Comps Index	-6.4	9.5	10.1	-17.9	21.9	-4.3

Source: Morningstar as at 31/03/2025, % growth, total return, GBP, single price, UK net income reinvested with no initial charges.

FUND INFORMATION

Launch date	1 February 1988
IA sector	UK All Companies
Fund size	£73.0m
Dealing frequency	Daily
Lump Sum	£50,000
Additional	£5,000
Regular Savings	N/A
Initial Charge	Up to 5.00%
Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF)*	0.67%
Annual Management Charge	0.60%

* The OCF is the management fee plus additional fund expenses (excluding transaction costs) as a percentage of the assets of the fund. This gives an indication of annual expenses which may vary over time.

PORTFOLIO COMMENTARY

The international scene was dominated by the tariffs imposed and threatened by President Trump and the effects that they might have on global trade. It looks as though the UK might be less affected and, it is positive that talks are in hand regarding a trade agreement with America. Domestically, the Spring Statement from the Chancellor Rachael Reeves dominated the news in March, with her plans to cut public expenditure and to seek adjusted payments in the benefits system. The Office of Budget Responsibility (OBR) forecast GDP growth to be 1.0% in 2025 which is half the previous forecast and Bank of England (BOE) base rate was left unchanged at 4.5 %. On a more positive note, UK inflation fell to 2.8% against 3.0% in January. It is still above the 2.0% target set by the BOE but commentators are looking for an interest rate cut to come later in the year. Although there was nothing to encourage investment from the Spring Statement, at least there were no further changes in the ISA rules. From a technical view there is likely to have been substantial selling by retail investors to offset losses against capital gains liabilities. With the reduction in the tax loss allowance to £3,000 for individuals, this is likely to have been greater than in previous years. Once we enter the new tax year, there is likely to be retail investment flows into the equity market as investors top up their ISAs.

With a positive outlook for the construction market and recovery expected in the housebuilding market we feel that companies specialising in building material products look to have good medium-term recovery prospects. We have therefore started a new holding in Marshalls which has a strong position in that market and where the price has fallen to an attractive level. Elsewhere we have added to our small holding in XP Power which previously raised £40 million in the month. The share price fell significantly below the placing price and we were encouraged by the management view on the end of destocking together with recovery prospects from its customers. Company results and trading statements in March have mainly been positive and we feel that the Fund is well placed to take advantage of stock market recovery. Equally, the bulk of our holdings offer good growth prospects and should benefit from an improvement in general investor sentiment.

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ENQUIRIES

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DEALING:

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SEDOL CODES:

Class B Share 3221110

ISIN CODES:

Class B Share GB0032211103

LIPPER IDS:

Class B Share 60009019

SECTOR ALLOCATION (%)

Industrials	30.5
Energy	17.9
Information Technology	11.7
Consumer Discretionary	8.4
Health Care	6.7
Communication Services	5.7
Consumer Staples	5.6
Financials	5.6
Materials	4.7
Real Estate	2.5
Cash	0.7

TOP TEN HOLDINGS (%)

MS International Plc	8.8
Costain Group	4.2
Serica Energy Plc	3.4
Avon Technologies Plc	3.3
EnQuest Plc	2.9
Senior Plc	2.7
Kistos Plc	2.6
Hunting Ord	2.6
Supreme Plc	2.5
Advanced Medical Solutions	2.5

Source: Thesis Unit Trust Management Limited and Stonehage Fleming Investment Management Limited as at 31 March 2025. Third parties whose data may be included in this document do not accept any liability for errors or omissions.

PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT



FUND MANAGER
NICK BURCHETT

OUTCOME OF FAIR VALUE ASSESSMENTS (2024)

Our assessment confirms:

- The Fund meets the needs of the target market.
- The intended distribution strategy remains appropriate.
- The Fund provides fair value to customers.

AWARDS



RISK PROFILE

Class B, Class C, Class L, Class Y

The following risks are material:

- The price of units/shares and any income from them may fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the full amount invested. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. There is no assurance that the investment objective of the Fund will actually be achieved.
- Where investments are in the shares of companies (equities), the value of those equities may fluctuate, sometimes dramatically, in response to the activities and results of individual companies or because of general market and economic conditions or other events.

- Significant exposure to a particular industrial sector or geographical region puts the fund at risk of a localised event making a significant impact on the value of the Fund.
- The businesses and companies are subject to higher risk of failure and so the risk of insolvency is also higher for these type of shares. This could mean that you lose all or significantly large part of the investment is shares of companies which are insolvent.

All the risks currently identified as being applicable to the Fund are set out in the 'Risk' section of the Prospectus.

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INVESTOR PROFILE

The Fund is appropriate for all investor types, including those with only a basic knowledge of funds. It is compatible with investors who do not need a capital guarantee (investors must be prepared to accept fluctuations in the value of capital, including the ability to bear 100% capital loss) and are seeking capital growth. Due to the volatility of markets, investors should be willing to accept price fluctuations in exchange for the opportunity of potentially higher returns. This is a long term investment and investors should have an investment time horizon of at least 5 years. The recommended holding period does not provide any guarantee that the objective will be achieved. This product is eligible for all distribution channels (e.g. investment advice, portfolio management, non-advised sales and pure execution services).

The Fund is unlikely to be appropriate for those who:

- Are looking for full capital protection or full repayment of the amount invested, and those who want a guaranteed return
- Have no risk tolerance
- Who are unwilling to accept price fluctuations (volatility) in the value of the Fund
- Do not intend to invest for the long term

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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All investments risk the loss of capital. No guarantee or representation is made that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. The value of investments may go down as well as up. For products designed to return income, the distributions can also go down or up and you may not receive back the full value of your initial investment. Derivatives have not been used but are allowed if appropriate for efficient asset management.

The Fund only invests in UK assets but is allowed to hold shares on overseas exchanges. This would occur in the event of a company delisting from the London stock market and would not be expected to be material. Hence, there would be limited foreign exchange risk. Past performance is not a guide to future returns. If the information is not displayed in your base currency, then the return may increase or decrease due to currency fluctuations.

The Fund holds a broad range of AIM listed companies and some of these carry a higher risk of failure and may be less liquid than shares listed on other exchanges. These shares may be also harder to sell quickly because of this lower liquidity. AIM listed companies may also experience greater price volatility which could also affect the value of the Fund.

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United Kingdom (UK): The Fund is recognised by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA) for promotion to retail and professional investors in the UK.

The Authorised Fund Manager is Thesis Unit Trust Management Limited, Exchange Building, St John's Street, Chichester, West Sussex, PO19 1UP. Authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

Before you invest you should read the Key Investor Information Document (KIID) and the Prospectus which contain detailed information. The latest version of the Prospectus and the Key Investor Information Document are available in English, free of charge, upon request by writing to Thesis Unit Trust Management Limited at Exchange Building, St John's Street, Chichester, West Sussex PO19 1UP; or by phoning 01483 783 900 between 9am and 5pm Monday to Friday; or on the website at www.tutman.co.uk/literature/

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