



## Key Investor Information

This document provides you with key investor information about this fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

# US Smaller Companies Equity Fund

a sub-fund of T. Rowe Price Funds OEIC

Class C Acc (ISIN: GB00BD446P55)

Authorised Corporate Director: T. Rowe Price UK Limited

## Objectives and Investment Policy

**Objective** To increase the value of its shares through growth in the value of its investments.

**Portfolio securities** The fund is actively managed and invests mainly in a widely diversified portfolio of shares from smaller capitalisation companies in the United States.

The fund may use derivatives for hedging and efficient portfolio management.

**Investment process** The investment manager's approach is to:

- Assess valuations using sector/industry metrics, such as absolute and relative price as compared to earnings, cash flow and assets.
- Integrate fundamental research, seeking to discover underfollowed companies possessing clear business plans, financial flexibility, and proven management teams.
- Identify potential "value creation" catalysts.
- Employ a patient trading strategy to promote full value realization.
- Assess environmental, social and governance ("ESG") factors to identify those considered most likely to have a material impact on the performance of the holdings or potential holdings in the fund's portfolio.

**Designed for** Investors who typically plan to invest for five years or more.

**Fund reference currency** GBP

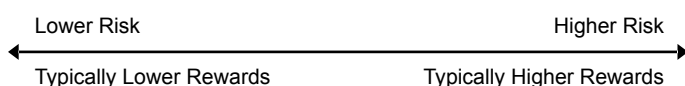
**Benchmark** Russell 2500 Index Net 15%.

**Benchmark Use** Investors may use the benchmark to compare the fund's performance. The benchmark has been selected because it is similar to the investment universe used by the investment manager and therefore acts as an appropriate comparator.

The investment manager is not constrained by any country, sector and/or individual security weightings relative to the benchmark and has complete freedom to invest in securities that do not form part of the benchmark.

The fund also uses the Russell 2500 Index to help determine the market capitalisation range for investments, but this index is not used as a constraint on portfolio construction.

## Risk and Reward Profile



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The value of an investment in the fund can go up and down. When you sell your shares, they may be worth less than what you paid for them. If your currency as an investor is different from the subscription currency of the fund, changes in currency exchange rates could reduce any investment gains or increase any investment losses.

The risk/reward rating above is based on medium-term volatility (actual or estimated variations in the fund's share price over five years) but is not a reliable indicator of future risk reward profile.

The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.

The fund is in the category shown because it invests in a segment of the market where volatility is moderately high.

The fund's risk level reflects the following:

- As a class, stocks carry higher risks than money market securities and bonds.

### MAIN RISKS TYPICALLY ASSOCIATED WITH ORDINARY MARKET CONDITIONS

The fund's main risks are at least partially reflected in the risk/reward number. The most important of these risks are:

**Capital erosion** When insufficient income is received by the fund, charges may be paid against capital. Investors should be aware that if deductions are made from capital, this will result in capital erosion and constrain capital growth.

**Small and mid cap stock** Stocks of small and mid-size companies can be more volatile than stocks of larger companies.

### TERMS TO UNDERSTAND

**Active management** Where an investment manager makes specific investment decisions with the goal of producing better returns than simply investing in line with a benchmark index (a strategy generally known as "passive").

**Derivatives** Financial instruments whose value is linked to one or more rates, indexes, share prices or other values.

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**Equities (stocks)** Securities that represent partial ownership of a company.

### The Sub-Fund may appeal to investors who:

- are interested in investment growth
- understand and can accept the risks of the fund, including the risks of investing in equities.

Income generated by the fund is reinvested and included in the value of its shares.

*Orders to buy, switch and redeem shares are ordinarily processed any day that is a full bank business day in England and Wales.*

*Orders received and accepted by 12:00 noon on a business day will generally be processed that day.*

### MAIN RISKS TYPICALLY ASSOCIATED WITH UNUSUAL MARKET CONDITIONS

Unusual market conditions or large unpredictable events can amplify the fund's main risks. They can also trigger other risks, such as:

**Operational** A fund may be subject to errors affecting valuation, pricing, accounting, tax reporting, financial reporting, and trading, among other things. In addition, in any market, but especially in emerging markets, there could be losses due to fraud, corruption, political or military actions, the seizure of assets, or other irregular events.

A more detailed description of the risks that apply to the fund is set out in the section "Risk Descriptions" in the prospectus.

## Charges

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

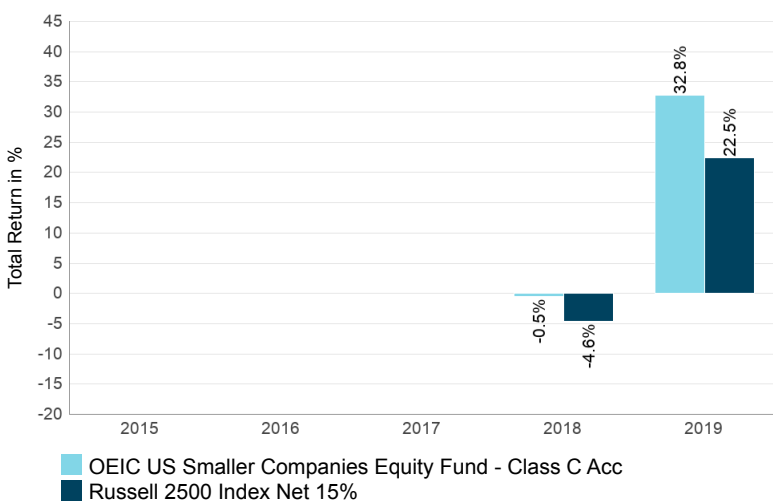
One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	None
Exit charge	None
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested / before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.	
Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	1.12%
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

The **entry** and **exit charges** shown are maximum figures. In some cases you may pay less. You can find this out from your distributor or financial adviser.

The **ongoing charges** figure is based on expenses for the year ending 12/2019. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the fund when buying or selling units/shares in another collective investment undertaking.

**For more information about charges, please see the section entitled "NOTES ON FUND COSTS" and in the fund's prospectus, which is available at [troweprice.com](http://troweprice.com).**

## Past Performance



The past performance indicated is not a reliable indicator of future performance.

The past performance calculation includes all ongoing charges, but excludes any entry charge applied.

The fund and class started to issue shares in 2017.

Past performance has been calculated in GBP.

When a share class is hedged to a different currency, a hedged version of the benchmark (where available) will be used by the Authorised Corporate Director for the performance comparison.

## Practical Information

The fund's depositary is J.P. Morgan.

Further information about the fund, copies of its prospectus, latest annual report and any subsequent half-yearly report can be obtained, free of charge, from J.P. Morgan, or at [troweprice.com](http://troweprice.com). These documents are available in English and certain other languages (fully detailed on the website).

The latest share prices can be obtained from J.P. Morgan.

The tax legislation of the UK, the fund's home Member State, may have an impact on the personal tax position of the investor.

T. Rowe Price UK Limited may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the prospectus for the fund.

Investors in the fund have the right to exchange their shares in the fund for shares in another sub-fund. Information about how to exercise this right is contained in the section of the prospectus entitled "Conversion of Shares".

This document describes a sub-fund of T. Rowe Price Funds OEIC and the prospectus and periodic reports referenced in this document are prepared for the whole of the T. Rowe Price Funds OEIC. The assets and liabilities of each sub-fund are segregated by law, which means that third party creditors have recourse only to the sub-fund having incurred the liability.

Investors can obtain information about the other classes of the fund in the appendix to the prospectus describing this fund.

The details of the up-to-date remuneration policy statement setting out the key remuneration elements, including, but not limited to, a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identity of persons responsible for awarding the remuneration and benefits, including the composition of the remuneration committee, are available on the website [https://www.troweprice.com/content/dam/trowecorp/Pdfs/TPRUK\\_Remuneration\\_Policy.pdf](https://www.troweprice.com/content/dam/trowecorp/Pdfs/TPRUK_Remuneration_Policy.pdf). A paper copy of this information is available free of charge upon request from the Authorised Corporate Director.

This fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by The Financial Conduct Authority. This key investor information is accurate as at 21/08/2020.

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