

ETF (UCITS compliant)

# L&G Russell 2000 US Small Cap Quality UCITS ETF

USD Accumulating ETF Class

## Fund aim

The L&G Russell 2000 US Small Cap Quality UCITS ETF (the "ETF") aims to track the performance of the Russell 2000 0.4 Quality Target Exposure Factor Net Tax Index (the "Index"). More information on the Index can be found on page 2 of this document.

## Fund snapshot

### • Sector allocation

Invest in the growth potential of US small caps

### • Diversification

Diversify a US large cap portfolio with a broad basket of 2,000 US small caps

## Who is this fund for?

- This ETF is designed for investors looking to grow their money in an investment which can form part of their existing savings portfolio.
- Although investors can take their money out at any time, this ETF may not be appropriate for those who plan to withdraw their money within five years.
- This fund is not designed for investors who cannot afford more than a minimal loss of their investment.
- If you do not understand the information in this document, the key information document or the prospectus, we recommend that you seek additional information or advice to help you decide if this ETF is suitable for you.

## Fund facts

<b>Fund size</b>	\$182.5m
<b>Listing date</b>	25 Sep 2008
<b>Base currency</b>	USD
<b>Domicile</b>	Ireland

## Index

Russell 2000 0.4 Quality Target Exposure Factor Net Tax Index

## Index ticker

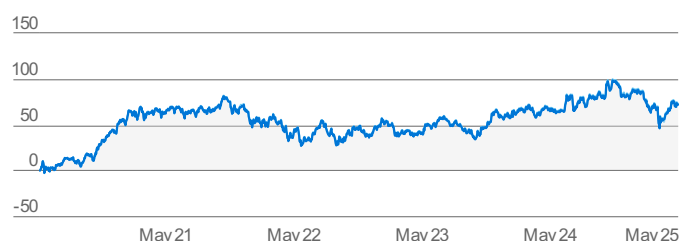
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## Replication method

Physical - optimised replication

<b>Ongoing charge</b>	0.30%
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## Performance (%) USD Accumulating class



	1 month	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years
• NAV	5.86	-12.94	2.52	20.21	71.91
• Index	5.81	-12.96	2.56	20.50	72.86
Relative	+0.05	+0.02	-0.04	-0.29	-0.95

## Rolling 12-month performance

To 31 March	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
NAV	-2.85	19.31	-8.22	-2.78	94.80	-24.44	1.29	11.23	25.69	-10.06
Index	-2.72	19.41	-8.22	-2.51	95.00	-24.32	1.65	11.37	25.69	-10.14
Relative	-0.13	-0.10	+0.00	-0.27	-0.20	-0.12	-0.36	-0.14	+0.00	+0.08

Performance for the USD Accumulating ETF class, listed on 25 September 2008. Source: Lipper.

Performance assumes all ETF charges have been taken and that all income generated by the investments, after deduction of tax, remains in the ETF.

Past performance is not a guide to the future.

On 22 February 2021 the fund's name changed to L&G Russell 2000 US Small Cap Quality UCITS ETF, the index changed from the Russell 2000® Index to the Russell 2000 0.4 Quality Target Exposure Factor Net Tax Index and the fund switched from Synthetic - unfunded swap backed by collateral to Physical - optimised replication. The performance shown until 22 February 2021 reflects the index and replication method applicable until then.



## Index breakdown

The breakdowns below relate to the Index.

All data source LGIM unless otherwise stated. Totals may not sum to 100% due to rounding.



### Currency (%)

● USD	100.0
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### Sector (%)

● Financials	18.6
● Industrials	17.9
● Health Care	17.5
● Information Technology	13.4
● Consumer Discretionary	9.7
● Real Estate	5.7
● Energy	4.6
● Materials	4.0
● Consumer Staples	3.3
● Other	5.2



- Top 10 constituents 8.0%
- Rest of Index 92.0%

Number of constituents in Index 1,001

### Top 10 constituents (%)

Hims & Hers Health	1.8
Corcept Therapeutics	0.9
Sprouts Farmers Market	0.8
Alkermes	0.8
Hamilton Lane	0.7
Ensign Group	0.6
Carpenter Technology	0.6
Fabrinet	0.6
Essent Group	0.6
MARA	0.6

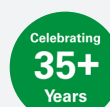
### Country (%)

🇺🇸 United States	100.0
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## Index description

The Index measures the performance of a basket of stocks within the small-capitalisation segment of the U.S. equity market. The Index derives its universe from the Russell 2000 Index which includes approximately 2000 of the smallest securities based on a combination of their market capitalisation and current index membership. The Index then applies a quality tilt by adjusting the market cap weight of those constituents with better quality characteristics upwards and adjusting the market cap weights of those with poorer quality characteristics downwards such the target active quality factor exposure, set at 0.4, is achieved. Securities with a weight of less than 2 basis points are removed from the Index. Quality factor is defined as a composite measure of a company's profitability and leverage and is determined by FTSE International Limited (the "Index Administrator") using a rules-based approach, as further described in the index methodology document.

### Index fund management team



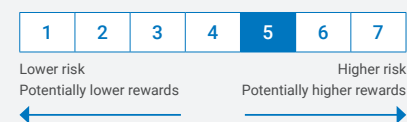
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## Key risks

- The value of an investment and any income taken from it is not guaranteed and can go down as well as up; you may not get back the amount you originally invested.
- An investment in the ETF involves a significant degree of risk. Any decision to invest should be based on the information contained in the relevant prospectus. Prospective investors should obtain their own independent accounting, tax and legal advice and should consult their own professional advisers to ascertain the suitability of the ETF as an investment.
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- This Fund may have underlying investments that are valued in currencies that are different from the currency of this share class, in which case exchange rate fluctuations will impact the value of your investment. In addition, the return in the currency of this share class may be different to the return in your own currency.

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Exchange	Currency	ISIN	SEDOL	Ticker	Bloomberg
London Stock Exchange	USD	IE00B3CNHJ55	B3CJZ88	RTWO	RTWO LN
London Stock Exchange	GBP	IE00B3CNHJ55	B3DWS09	RTWP	RTWP LN
Borsa Italiana	EUR	IE00B3CNHJ55	B3L9W00	RTWO	RTWO IM
Deutsche Börse	EUR	IE00B3CNHJ55	BVC3NS2	ETLZ	ETLZ GY
Euronext Amsterdam	EUR	IE00B3CNHJ55	B3D3545	RTWO	RTWO NA
SIX Swiss Exchange	USD	IE00B3CNHJ55	BS3BM21	RTWO	RTWO SW
Bolsa Mexicana	MXN	IE00B3CNHJ55	BM944K4	RTWON	RTWON MM

The currency shown is the trading currency of the listing.

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