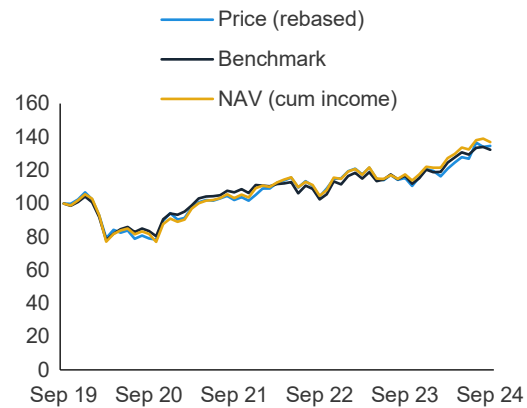
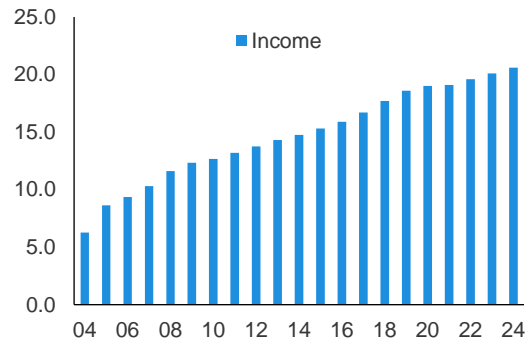


## Share price performance (total return)



## Dividend history (pence/share)



Please note that this chart could include dividends that have been declared but not yet paid.

Performance over (%)	6m	1y	3y	5y	10y
Share price (Total return)	11.4	16.6	32.0	34.6	87.3
NAV (Total return)	7.5	16.5	32.4	36.8	91.0
Benchmark (Total return)	6.1	13.4	23.9	32.2	83.6
Relative NAV (Total return)	1.4	3.1	8.5	4.6	7.4

Discrete year performance (%)	Share price (total return)	NAV (total return)
30/9/2023 to 30/9/2024	16.6	16.5
30/9/2022 to 30/9/2023	10.7	12.3
30/9/2021 to 30/9/2022	2.2	1.2
30/9/2020 to 30/9/2021	29.1	26.6
30/9/2019 to 30/9/2020	-21.1	-18.4

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## Commentary at a glance

### Performance

In the month under review the Company's NAV total return was -1.6% and the FTSE All-Share Index total return was -1.3%.

### Contributors/detractors

The biggest positive contributor to relative performance was the underweight position in AstraZeneca. The biggest detractor was BAE Systems.

### Outlook

We think the valuation of UK equities is compelling compared to their equivalents overseas, particularly the dividend yield which is attractive relative to the main alternatives.

### See full commentary on page 3.

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## Company overview

### Objective

The Company's objective is to provide long-term growth in income and capital, principally by investment in equities listed on the London Stock Exchange. The Board fully recognises the importance of dividend income to shareholders.

### Highlights

Renowned for its record-setting annual dividend increases since 1966, the Company targets long-term income and capital growth.

## Company information

NAV (cum income)	438.1p
NAV (ex income)	433.3p
Share price	440.0p
Discount(-)/premium(+)	0.4%
Yield	4.7%
Net gearing	7%
Net cash	-
Total assets	£2,270m
Net assets	£2,166m
Market capitalisation	£2,175m
Shares in issue excluding shares in Treasury	494,334,723
Total number of holdings	82
Ongoing charges (year end 30 Jun 2024)	0.37%
Benchmark	FTSE All-Share Index
Overall Morningstar Rating™	★★★★
As of 30/09/2024	
Morningstar Medalist Rating™	Gold
Effective 04/04/2024	

Analyst-Driven %: 100.00  
Data Coverage %: 100.00

Source: BNP Paribas for holdings information and Morningstar for all other data. Differences in calculation may occur due to the methodology used.

Please note that the total voting rights in the Company do not include shares held in Treasury.

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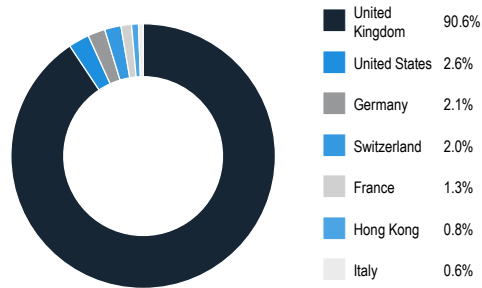
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Top 10 holdings (%)

Unilever	4.0
HSBC	4.0
RELX	4.0
BAE Systems	3.9
Shell	3.8
British American Tobacco	3.2
AstraZeneca	3.2
Tesco	3.1
Imperial Brands	2.8
NatWest	2.7

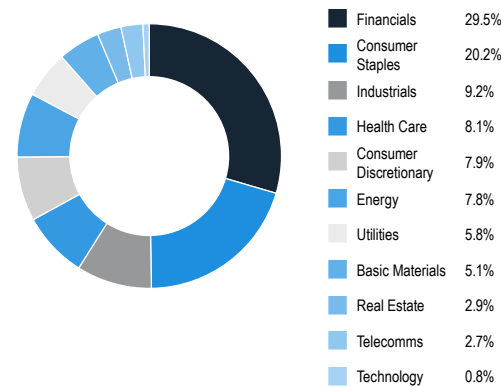
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Geographical focus (%)



The above geographical breakdown may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

Sector breakdown (%)



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Premium/(discount) of share price to NAV at fair value (%)



10 year total return of £1,000



All performance, cumulative growth and annual growth data is sourced from Morningstar. Share price total return is calculated using mid-market share price with dividends reinvested.

Key information

Stock code	CTY
AIC sector	AIC UK Equity Income
Benchmark	FTSE All-Share Index
Company type	Conventional (Ords)
Launch date	1891
Financial year	30-Jun
Dividend payment	November, February, May, August
Management fee	0.3% per annum of net assets
Performance fee	No
<small>(See Annual Report &amp; Key Information Document for more information)</small>	
Regional focus	UK
Fund manager appointment	Job Curtis 1991 David Smith 2021



Job Curtis, ASIP  
Portfolio Manager



David Smith, CFA  
Deputy Fund Manager



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## Fund Manager commentary

### Investment environment

UK monthly GDP growth was unexpectedly flat for a second month in a row in July, while second-quarter economic expansion was revised down to 0.5% when compared with the previous three months.

Consumer price rises (inflation) remained unchanged at 2.2% year-on-year in August and the Bank of England (BoE) left its monetary policy unchanged.

In the US, annual inflation fell to 2.5% in August and the Federal Reserve (Fed) cut interest rates by 50 basis points (bps) to 5.0%.

The pound strengthened against the US dollar and the FTSE All-Share Index fell 1.3%.

### Portfolio review

The underweight position (relative to the FTSE All-Share Index) in pharmaceutical firm AstraZeneca was the biggest positive individual stock contributor to performance. This was followed by the underweight position in Shell.

The biggest detractor was BAE Systems, the defence company, which has been a successful long-term holding for us. The second biggest detractor was not owning Rolls Royce, the aero engine manufacturer.

In terms of trading activity, we bought a new position in TP ICAP, which is a leading intermediary in global financial markets. We sold the holding in DS Smith ahead of its takeover by International Paper of the US. Some of the proceeds of this sale were reinvested in Mondi, another paper and packaging company. We also took some profits in 3i after a period of strong share price performance. 3i is an investor in private companies, including Action, the European discount retailer.

### Manager outlook

Weaker global economic growth is leading to cuts in interest rates. We think the BoE might take a relatively cautious approach to future rate cuts, given the continuing high level of wage increases. Some two-thirds of revenues earned by companies that we invest in are from overseas, which provides useful diversification. However, there is considerable uncertainty for the global economy with ongoing elevated geopolitical tensions. Nonetheless, we think the valuation of UK equities is compelling compared to their equivalents overseas, possibly due to the low allocation from domestic, institutional investors. In particular, we find the dividend yield of UK equities attractive relative to the main alternatives.

## Glossary

### Discount/Premium

The amount by which the price per share of an investment company is either lower (at a discount) or higher (at a premium) than the net asset value per share (cum income), expressed as a percentage of the net asset value per share.

### Gearing

The effect of borrowing money for investment purposes (financial gearing). The amount a company can “gear” is the amount it can borrow in order to invest. Gearing is used in the expectation that the returns on the investments bought will exceed the costs of the borrowings that funded the purchase. This Company can also use synthetic gearing through derivatives and foreign exchange hedging and/or other non-fully funded instruments or techniques.

### Leverage

The Company's leverage is the sum of financial gearing and synthetic gearing. Details of the Company's leverage limits can be found in both the Key Information Document and Annual Report. Where a company utilises leverage, the profits and losses incurred by the company can be greater than those of a company that does not use leverage.

### Market capitalisation

Share price multiplied by the number of shares in issue, excluding treasury shares, at month end. Shares typically priced mid-market at month-end closing.

### Net Asset Value (NAV)

The total value of a Company's assets less its liabilities.

### NAV (Cum Income)

The value of investments and cash, including current year revenue, less liabilities (prior charges such as loans, debenture stock and preference shares at fair value).

### NAV (Ex Income)

The value of investments and cash, excluding current year revenue, less liabilities (prior charges such as loans, debenture stock and preference shares at fair value).

### NAV total return

The theoretical total return on shareholders' funds per share reflecting the change in Net Asset Value (NAV) assuming that dividends paid to shareholders were reinvested at NAV at the time the shares were quoted ex-dividend. A way of measuring investment management performance of investment trusts which is not affected by movements in discounts/premiums.

### Net assets

Total assets minus any liabilities such as bank loans or creditors.

### Net cash

A company's net exposure to cash/cash equivalents expressed as a percentage of shareholders' funds, after any offset against its gearing. This is only shown for companies that have gearing in place.

### Net gearing

A company's total assets (less cash/cash equivalents) divided by shareholders' funds expressed as a percentage.

### Ongoing charges

The total expenses for the financial year (excluding performance fee), divided by the average daily net assets, multiplied by 100.

### Share price

Closing mid-market share price at month end.

### Share price total return

The theoretical total return to the investor assuming that all dividends received were reinvested in the shares of the company at the time the shares were quoted ex-dividend. Transaction costs are not taken into account.

### Total assets

Cum Income NAV multiplied by the number of shares, plus prior charges at fair value.

### Yield

Calculated by dividing the current financial year's dividends per share (this will include prospective dividends) by the current price per share, then multiplying by 100 to arrive at a percentage figure.

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### Company specific risks

- This Company is suitable to be used as one component of several within a diversified investment portfolio. Investors should consider carefully the proportion of their portfolio invested in this Company.
- Active management techniques that have worked well in normal market conditions could prove ineffective or negative for performance at other times.
- The Company could lose money if a counterparty with which it trades becomes unwilling or unable to meet its obligations to the Company.
- Shares can lose value rapidly, and typically involve higher risks than bonds or money market instruments. The value of your investment may fall as a result.
- The return on your investment is directly related to the prevailing market price of the Company's shares, which will trade at a varying discount (or premium) relative to the value of the underlying assets of the Company. As a result, losses (or gains) may be higher or lower than those of the Company's assets.
- If a Company's portfolio is concentrated towards a particular country or geographical region, the investment carries greater risk than a portfolio that is diversified across more countries.
- Where the Company invests in assets that are denominated in currencies other than the base currency, the currency exchange rate movements may cause the value of investments to fall as well as rise.
- The Company may use gearing (borrowing to invest) as part of its investment strategy. If the Company utilises its ability to gear, the profits and losses incurred by the Company can be greater than those of a Company that does not use gearing.
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