



EUR Class I Acc | ISIN: IE00BF12WY77

NAV per Share

EUR Class I Acc €19.61

Fund Details

Fund Size	€1,925.3 m
Base Currency	USD
Denominations	USD/GBP/EUR
Fund Structure	UCITS
Domicile	Ireland
Launch Date	30 November 2007
Investment Manager	Polar Capital LLP
SFDR Classification ¹	Article 8

Fund Managers



Gareth Powell

Head of Healthcare

Gareth has worked on the fund since he joined Polar Capital in 2007 and has 26 years of industry experience.



Fund Profile

Investment Objective

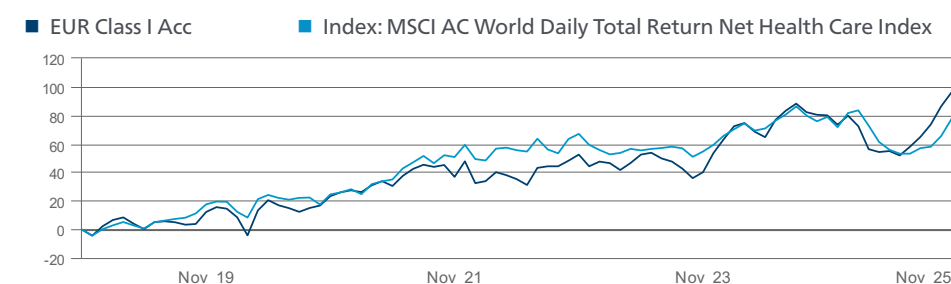
The Fund aims to preserve capital and achieve long-term growth by investing in a globally-diversified portfolio of companies within the healthcare industry.

Key Facts

- Team of eight sector specialists
- The team has 150+ years of combined industry experience
- Typically 30-45 positions
- No benchmark or tracking error constraints
- Fundamentally-driven analysis and stock selection

Share Class Performance

Performance Since Launch (%)



	1m	3m	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs	Since Launch	
							Cum.	Ann.
EUR Class I Acc	5.26	18.92	13.09	8.94	28.59	58.91	96.10	10.13
Index	7.23	13.00	3.34	-0.82	6.36	42.57	77.63	8.58

Discrete Annual Performance (%)

12 months to	28.11.25	29.11.24	30.11.23	30.11.22	30.11.21
EUR Class I Acc	8.94	28.39	-8.07	11.40	10.94
Index	-0.82	15.68	-7.30	10.77	21.02

Calendar Year Performance (%)

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
EUR Class I Acc	12.96	6.38	-2.37	17.21	8.99	20.90	-	-	-	-
Index	7.80	0.08	0.00	26.44	5.35	24.93	-	-	-	-

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Performance for the EUR Class I Acc. The class launched on 7 December 2018. Performance data is shown in EUR. Source: Northern Trust International Fund Administration Services (Ireland) Ltd. Benchmark performance shown in EUR. Source: Bloomberg.

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Portfolio Exposure & Attribution

As at 28 November 2025

Top 10 Positions (%)

Eli Lilly & Co	9.6
UCB	7.3
Argenx	5.9
Zealand Pharma A/S	4.7
Teva Pharmaceutical Industries	4.7
Fresenius SE & Co NPV	3.9
Chugai Pharmaceutical Co	3.5
Boston Scientific Corp	3.4
Cytokinetics	3.2
Ascendis Pharma A/S	3.0

Total **49.2**
Total Number of Positions **34**
Active Share **85.48%**

Geographic Exposure (%)

United States	34.2
Denmark	10.6
India	7.5
Belgium	7.3
Germany	6.2
Netherlands	5.9
Japan	4.8
Israel	4.7
Sweden	3.4
Switzerland	2.8
China	2.6
Ireland	2.5
France	2.0
Canada	1.8
Other	3.4
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.2

Market Capitalisation Exposure (%)

Large Cap (>US\$10 bn)	56.4
Mid Cap (US\$1 bn - 10 bn)	38.6
Small Cap (<US\$1 bn)	4.7
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.2

Performance Attribution - 1 Month (%)

Top Contributors

	Active Weight	Attrib. Effect
Teva Pharmaceutical Industries	4.09	0.86
NeuroPace	1.57	0.69
UnitedHealth Group	-3.62	0.44
Argenx	5.49	0.20
AbbVie	-4.89	0.16

Performance attribution is calculated in USD on a relative basis over the month. Attribution effect is shown gross of fees.

Top Detractors

	Active Weight	Attrib. Effect
MedinCell SA	2.37	-1.01
Fresenius SE & Co KGaA	3.91	-0.53
Hikma Pharmaceuticals	1.86	-0.49
H Lundbeck A/S	3.21	-0.45
Enliven Therapeutics	2.72	-0.43

Sector Exposure - Top Overweights & Underweights Relative to Index (%)

	Fund	Relative
Pharmaceuticals	42.4	-1.0
Biotechnology	27.8	11.4
Healthcare Equipment	11.6	-4.5
Healthcare Facilities	6.2	4.4
Healthcare Services	5.9	2.9
Healthcare Distributors	2.5	-0.3
Healthcare Supplies	1.9	-1.0
Healthcare Technology	1.3	0.7
Life Sciences Tools & Services	0.0	-7.8
Managed Healthcare	0.0	-5.0
Cash & Cash Equivalents	0.2	0.2

The column headed "Fund" refers to the percentage of the Fund's assets invested in each sector. The column headed "Relative" refers to the extent to which the Fund is overweight or underweight in each sector compared (relative) to the index.

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Share Class Information

Share Class	Bloomberg	ISIN	SEDOL	Minimum Investment	OCF [†]	Ann. Fee	Perf. Fee ^{††}
USD R Dist	PCHCORU ID	IE00B3NLTK32	B3NLTK3	-	1.60%	1.50%	10%
USD R Acc	POHORUA ID	IE00BKSBD942	BKSBD94	-	1.60%	1.50%	10%
GBP R Dist	PCHCORS ID	IE00B3NM2Q33	B3NM2Q3	-	1.60%	1.50%	10%
EUR R Dist	PCHCORE ID	IE00B3NLS543	B3NLS54	-	1.60%	1.50%	10%
USD I Dist	PCHCOIU ID	IE00B3K93X10	B3K93X1	-	1.10%	1.00%	10%
GBP I Dist	PCHCOIS ID	IE00B3NLDF60	B3NLDF6	-	1.10%	1.00%	10%
EUR I Dist	PCHCOIE ID	IE00B3K83P04	B3K83P0	-	1.10%	1.00%	10%
EUR I Acc	PCHOIED ID	IE00BF12WY77	BF12WY7	-	1.10%	1.00%	10%
EUR I Acc Hdg	POHOIEH ID	IE00BKSBD835	BKSBD83	-	1.10%	1.00%	10%
USD Dist*	PCHSOPPU ID	IE00B28YJN35	B28YJN3	-	1.60%	1.50%	10%
GBP Dist*	PCHSOPPG ID	IE00B28YJP58	B28YJP5	-	1.60%	1.50%	10%
EUR Dist*	PCHSOPPE ID	IE00B28YJQ65	B28YJQ6	-	1.60%	1.50%	10%

*These share classes are closed to new investors.

[†]Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) is the latest available, as per the date of this factsheet. The Ongoing Charges Figure is based upon the expenses incurred by the Fund for the previous 12 month period. The OCF incorporates the Annual Fee charged by the Fund.

^{††}Performance Fee 10% of outperformance of MSCI World Daily TR Net Health Care Index.

Fund Manager's Comments

Market and sector review

November saw the healthcare sector significantly outperform the broader equity market across the entire market-cap spectrum. Healthcare became a beneficiary of the volatility seen in the wider market which experienced downwards pressure from technology and AI stocks due to a variety of concerns including the scale and funding of planned capital expenditure.

Pharma stocks performed strongly with some very powerful moves driven by a positive turn in sentiment. This move higher in healthcare stocks had started several weeks previously on the announcement of the Pfizer agreement with the US administration, the first major positive catalyst for healthcare in some time. Further agreements with the US administration were made in November, with Eli Lilly and Novo Nordisk negotiating on GLP1 pricing.

Fund performance and activity

Positive contributors to the Fund's performance included Teva Pharmaceutical Industries (Teva) and NeuroPace.

Teva performed well on the back of a robust Q3 report, as well as fears easing over pricing for one of its key commercial products as the US government negotiations proved more favourable than expected.

After a weak start to the year, NeuroPace rallied following a strong Q3 report, in which consensus expectations were beaten significantly. The stock was further supported by positive reimbursement news, with favourable Medicare updates.

On the other hand, Hikma Pharmaceuticals was a negative contributor to performance because of a guidance update in which the company reduced margin expectations.

In addition, MedinCell suffered from profit-taking, following strong performance in September and October.

On the trading front, we added Eli Lilly to the portfolio and increased it to be the largest weight in the Fund. Related to this, a new position was started in Chugai Pharmaceutical, with both additions based on optimism for the potential launch of their oral GLP1 product in Q1 2026.

We also increased positions in Hansa Biopharma, Ottobock, Enliven Therapeutics and Asker Healthcare Group, while reducing the position in Alivus Life Sciences.

Outlook

Healthcare stocks have shown improving performance over the past few months, with strength in small and mid-cap stocks broadening into large and mega-cap stocks. Performance in the sector has been supported by the removal of key overhangs that had suppressed healthcare stocks since the beginning of the year. Despite the upwards moves, the sector remains at a significant discount to the market, suggesting more upside in the weeks and months ahead.

There is good reason to be optimistic of continued growth driven by strong utilisation trends and new product cycles bringing innovation to the sector. Recent M&A activity continues to be a meaningful feature of the sector and can support better sentiment towards healthcare.

Gareth Powell

5 December 2025

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