

# FTGF Royce US Small Cap Opportunity Fund

**A USD DIS (A): IE0031619046**
**Small Cap | Factsheet as of 28 February 2026**

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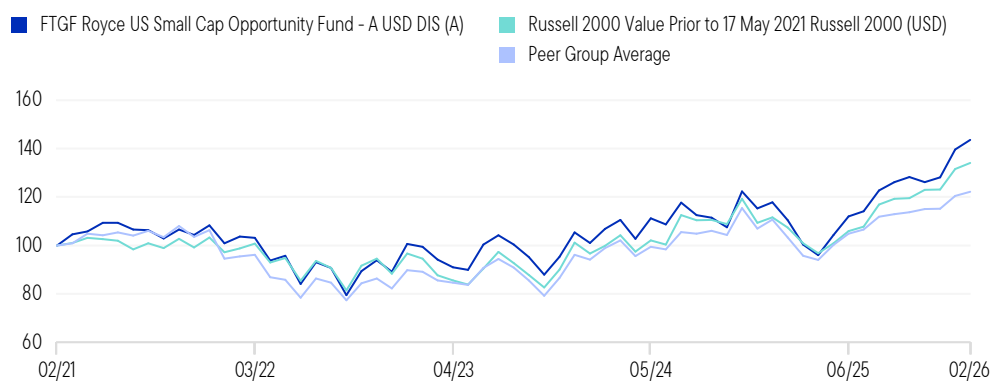
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## Investment Overview

To seek long-term investment growth, mainly through growth of capital. The Fund mainly invests in equities of micro and small market capitalization companies listed or traded in the United States.

Past performance does not predict future returns.

## Performance Over 5 Years in Share Class Currency (%)



## Discrete Annual Performance (%)

|                    | 02/25 | 02/24 | 02/23 | 02/22 | 02/21 | 02/20 | 02/19 | 02/18 | 02/17 | 02/16 |
|--------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                    | 02/26 | 02/25 | 02/24 | 02/23 | 02/22 | 02/21 | 02/20 | 02/19 | 02/18 | 02/17 |
| A USD DIS (A)      | 30.08 | 3.34  | 7.42  | -4.15 | 3.70  | 71.18 | -8.92 | -1.72 | 13.21 | 42.92 |
| Benchmark (USD)    | 24.95 | 7.58  | 5.61  | -4.40 | -1.19 | 51.00 | -4.92 | 5.58  | 10.51 | 36.11 |
| Peer Group Average | 18.39 | 4.71  | 11.02 | -6.59 | -4.57 | 53.44 | -3.06 | 5.33  | 12.85 | 32.00 |

## Total Returns (%)

|                    | Cumulative |       |       |       |       | Average Annual |           |       |      |           | Inception Date |
|--------------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|-----------|-------|------|-----------|----------------|
|                    | 1-Mo       | 3-Mo  | YTD   | 1-Yr  | 3-Yr  | 5-Yr           | Inception | 3-Yr  | 5-Yr | Inception |                |
| A USD DIS (A)      | 2.74       | 13.82 | 12.08 | 30.08 | 44.40 | 43.53          | 1,141.94  | 13.03 | 7.49 | 11.41     | 8/11/2002      |
| Benchmark (USD)    | 1.93       | 9.12  | 8.92  | 24.95 | 41.96 | 34.10          | 894.20    | 12.39 | 6.04 | 10.35     | —              |
| Peer Group Average | 1.44       | 6.27  | 6.17  | 18.39 | 37.62 | 22.68          | 744.58    | 11.23 | 4.17 | 9.59      | —              |
| Quartile Ranking   | 2          | 1     | 1     | 1     | 2     | 1              | —         | 2     | 1    | —         | —              |

The value of shares in the Fund and income received from it can go down as well as up, and investors may not get back the full amount invested.

Performance details provided are in share class currency, include the reinvested dividends gross of tax and are net of management fees. Sales charges, taxes and other locally applied costs have not been deducted. The fund's returns may increase or decrease as a result of changes to foreign exchange rates.

Up to date performance figures can be found on our website.

When performance for either the portfolio or its benchmark has been converted, different foreign exchange closing rates may be used between the portfolio and its benchmark.

## Fund Overview

|                            |                                     |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Umbrella                   | Franklin Templeton Global Funds plc |
| Fund Base Currency         | USD                                 |
| Fund Inception Date        | 08/11/2002                          |
| Share Class Inception Date | 08/11/2002                          |
| Dividend Frequency         | Annually                            |
| ISIN                       | IE0031619046                        |
| Sedol                      | 3161904                             |
| Valor Number               | 1434720                             |
| Bloomberg                  | LEGMUSA ID                          |
| Morningstar Peer Group     | US Small-Cap Equity                 |
| EU SFDR Category           | Article 6                           |
| Minimum Investment         | USD 1000                            |

## Benchmark(s) and Type

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Russell 2000 Value Prior to 17 May 2021 |            |
| Russell 2000                            | Comparator |

## Charges

|                        |       |
|------------------------|-------|
| Maximum Initial Charge | 5.00% |
| Exit Charge            | 0.00% |
| Ongoing Charges Figure | 1.98% |
| Performance Fee        | —     |

The charges are the fees the Fund charges to investors to cover the costs of running the Fund. Additional costs, including transaction fees, will also be incurred. These costs are paid out by the Fund, which will impact on the overall return of the Fund. Fund charges will be incurred in multiple currencies, meaning that payments may increase or decrease as a result of currency exchange fluctuations.

## Fund Characteristics

|                                       | Fund           |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| NAV-A USD DIS (A)                     | \$1,241.94     |
| Total Net Assets (USD)                | \$1.09 Billion |
| Number of Holdings                    | 213            |
| Average Market Cap (Millions USD)     | \$2,844        |
| Price to Book                         | 3.13x          |
| Price to Earnings (12-Month Trailing) | 24.90x         |
| Debt to Equity                        | 1.28%          |
| Standard Deviation (5 Yr)             | 22.17%         |

**Top Equity Issuers (% of Total)**

|                             | Fund |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Applied Optoelectronics Inc | 1.09 |
| Select Water Solutions Inc  | 0.89 |
| Orion Group Holdings Inc    | 0.86 |
| Mistras Group Inc           | 0.85 |
| Resideo Technologies Inc    | 0.82 |
| Advance Auto Parts Inc      | 0.81 |
| Liberty Energy Inc          | 0.80 |
| Mercury Systems Inc         | 0.80 |
| Kodiak Gas Services Inc     | 0.79 |
| Cohu Inc                    | 0.78 |

**Sector Allocation (% of Total)**

|                         | Fund  |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Industrials             | 27.36 |
| Information Technology  | 19.74 |
| Financials              | 11.43 |
| Consumer Discretionary  | 9.42  |
| Health Care             | 9.40  |
| Energy                  | 8.60  |
| Materials               | 6.18  |
| Communication Services  | 2.49  |
| Consumer Staples        | 0.49  |
| Cash & Cash Equivalents | 4.90  |

**Asset Allocation (% of Total)**

|                           | Fund  |
|---------------------------|-------|
| Undervalued Growth        | 44.58 |
| Unrecognized Asset Values | 29.32 |
| Turnarounds               | 17.74 |
| Interrupted Earnings      | 8.36  |

**Market Cap Breakdown (% of Equity) (USD)**

|                | Fund  |
|----------------|-------|
| <0.75 Billion  | 25.39 |
| 0.75-1 Billion | 6.48  |
| 1-2.5 Billion  | 30.09 |
| 2.5-5 Billion  | 20.58 |
| 5-10 Billion   | 13.20 |
| >10 Billion    | 4.27  |

**Portfolio Management**

|                 | Years with Firm | Years of Experience |
|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Jim Stoeffel    | 16              | 33                  |
| Brendan Hartman | 16              | 31                  |
| Jim Harvey, CFA | 27              | 35                  |

**What are the Risks?**

The Fund does not offer any capital guarantee or protection and you may not get back the amount invested. The Fund is subject to the following risks which are materially relevant: **Concentrated fund:** The fund invests in fewer companies than other funds which invest in shares usually do. This means that the fund does not spread its risk as widely as other funds and will therefore be affected more if an individual company has significant losses. **Fund operations:** The fund is subject to the risk of loss resulting from inadequate or failed internal processes, people or systems or those of third parties such as those responsible for the custody of its assets, especially to the extent that it invests in developing countries. **Investment in company shares:** The fund invests in shares of companies, and the value of these shares can be negatively affected by changes in the company, its industry or the economy in which it operates. **Investment in smaller company shares:** The fund buys shares in smaller companies. It may be difficult to sell these shares, in which case the fund may not be able to minimise a loss on such shares.

Complete information on the risks of investing in the Fund are set out in the Fund's prospectus.

**Glossary**

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**Portfolio Data Information**

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