

# Driehaus US Micro Cap Equity Fund

C USD Acc (IE00BDB53K54)

## Fund Manager



JEFF JAMES

## Key Facts



Sub-Investment Manager

Investment Team Location

Chicago, Illinois, USA

Active/Passive

Active with reference to a benchmark

SFDR Classification

Article 6

Primary Benchmark

Russell Micro Cap Growth TR USD

Fund Size

\$902m

Total No. of Holdings

126

Active Share

83.97%

Fund Launch

07/12/2016

Fund Base Ccy

USD

Fund Status

Closed to all investors

Share Class Launch

07/12/2016

Share Class Ccy

US Dollar

Share Class Status

Closed to all investors

Strategy Launch

01/01/1996

Strategy Size

\$2.6bn

Management Fee

1.00%

Min. Investment

\$1,000,000

Fund Type

UCITS

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Ireland

Management Company

Carne Management Company  
Ireland

Administrator

BBH Fund Administration Services  
(Ireland) Ltd

Depository

BBH Trustee Services (Ireland) Ltd

Auditor

Grant Thornton

Dealing

Daily by 2pm Irish Time

Subscriptions

T+3

Redemptions

T+5

## Investment Objective and Strategy

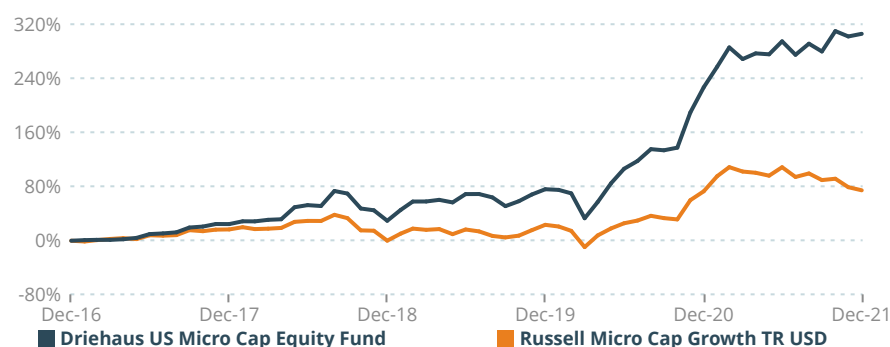
The investment objective of the Fund is to achieve long-term capital growth.

The Fund's Sub-Investment Manager, Driehaus Capital Management LLC, is a privately-held boutique asset management firm located in Chicago, USA. The firm was founded in 1982 and has USD 14 billion of assets under management.

The strategy primarily invests in US micro-capitalisation companies with good growth potential and with a market capitalisation within the same range at the time of investment as those included in the Russell Microcap® Growth Index. Investment decisions are based on the belief that fundamentally strong companies are more likely to generate strong earnings growth on a sustained basis and are more likely to experience positive earnings revisions. Investment decisions involve evaluating a company's competitive position, industry dynamics, identifying potential growth catalysts and assessing the financial position of the relevant company.

## Performance

	1 month	3 months	YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs Ann.	5 Yrs Ann.
<b>Fund</b>	1.0%	6.9%	24.2%	24.2%	46.4%	32.3%
<b>Primary Benchmark</b>	-2.6%	-8.0%	0.9%	0.9%	20.4%	11.8%
<b>+/-</b>	+3.6%	+14.9%	+23.3%	+23.3%	+26.0%	+20.5%



## Statistics

	Fund	Primary Benchmark		Fund
Sharpe Ratio	1.20	0.54	Tracking Error	8.7%
Standard Deviation	25.3%	24.0%	Excess Return	20.5%
Alpha	17.6%	-	Beta	0.99
Up Capture	124.5%	-	Correlation to Primary Benchmark	0.94
Down Capture	65.0%	-	Information Ratio	2.36

Source: Morningstar, as of 31.12.2021

Period 5Years, Net of fees

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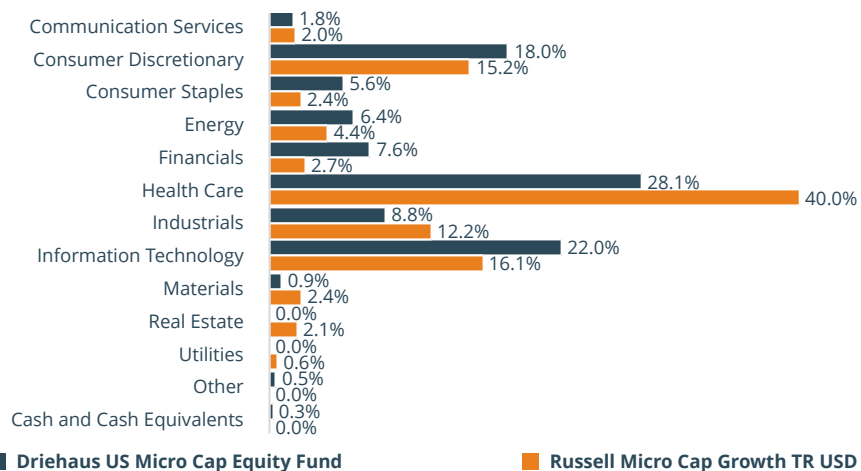
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## Top 10 Holdings

Grid Dynamics Holdings Inc Ordinary Shares Class A	2.8%
Boot Barn Holdings Inc	2.3%
Calix Inc	2.2%
Aspen Aerogels Inc	2.0%
Impinj Inc	2.0%
SiTime Corp Ordinary Shares	1.8%
Skyline Champion Corp	1.7%
Cytokinetics Inc	1.6%
Crinetics Pharmaceuticals Inc	1.6%
The Beauty Health Co Ordinary Shares - Class A	1.5%
<b>Total of Top 10</b>	<b>19.5%</b>

Source: Morningstar, as of 30.11.2021

## Sector Weights



## Historical Monthly Returns - Net of fees

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Year	Primary Benchmark Year
2016	-13.4%	-2.1%	7.0%	1.4%	3.7%	1.4%	9.7%	3.9%	5.7%	-8.2%	9.1%	1.0%	17.9%	6.9%
2017	0.9%	0.4%	0.1%	0.9%	1.9%	5.4%	0.9%	1.4%	6.3%	1.2%	3.1%	0.0%	24.7%	16.7%
2018	3.3%	-0.1%	1.8%	0.6%	13.5%	2.1%	-0.8%	14.7%	-2.2%	-13.0%	-1.7%	-10.7%	3.9%	-14.2%
2019	12.4%	8.5%	0.1%	1.5%	-2.4%	7.9%	0.0%	-2.9%	-7.9%	4.9%	6.2%	4.6%	36.0%	23.3%
2020	-0.6%	-2.9%	-21.6%	17.9%	17.7%	11.6%	5.6%	8.0%	-0.7%	1.7%	21.8%	12.9%	85.6%	40.1%
2021	9.3%	8.0%	-4.5%	2.3%	-0.4%	5.1%	-5.0%	4.4%	-2.9%	7.9%	-1.9%	1.0%	24.2%	0.9%

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## Available Share Classes

Name	Ccy	Dist/Acc	Hedged	ISIN	Bloomberg	SEDOL
C	USD	Acc	-	IE00BDB53K54	HPDMCRC ID	BDB53K5
CCH	CHF	Acc	-	IE00BDB53L61	HPDMCCH ID	BDB53L6
CCH1	CHF	Acc	-	IE00BDB53M78	HPMCCH1 ID	BDB53M7
CCHH	CHF	Acc	Yes	IE00BDB53N85	HPMCCHH ID	BDB53N8
CCHH1	CHF	Acc	Yes	IE00BDB53P00	HPCCHH1 ID	BDB53P0
CD	USD	Dist	-	IE00BDB53Q17	HPDMCCD ID	BDB53Q1
CE	EUR	Acc	-	IE00BDB53R24	HPDMCCE ID	BDB53R2
CEH	EUR	Acc	Yes	IE00BDB53S31	HPDMCEH ID	BDB53S3
CEH1	EUR	Acc	Yes	IE00BDB53T48	HPDCEH1 ID	BDB53T4
CG	GBP	Acc	-	IE00BDB53V69	HPDMCCG ID	BDB53V6
CGD	GBP	Dist	-	IE00BDB53W76	HPDMCGD ID	BDB53W7
CGH	GBP	Acc	Yes	IE00BJ9ZSV50	HPDMCGH ID	BJ9ZSV5
CR	CNY	Acc	-	IE00BDB53X83	HPDMCCR ID	BDB53X8

## Risk Warnings

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