

## Aon Managed Property and Infrastructure

### Defined contributions

#### Fund information

Issuing company	Aegon/Scottish Equitable plc
Inception date	15 Dec 2014
Benchmark	Composite Benchmark
Entry Fees	No
Exit Fees	No
Performance Fee	No
Additional Expenses	0.01%
Fund size	£7.94m
Fund type	Pension
ISIN	GB00BRJMC093
SEDOL	BRJMC09
Domicile	United Kingdom
Use of Income	Accumulation
Base Currency	GBP

#### Relative Risk Profile

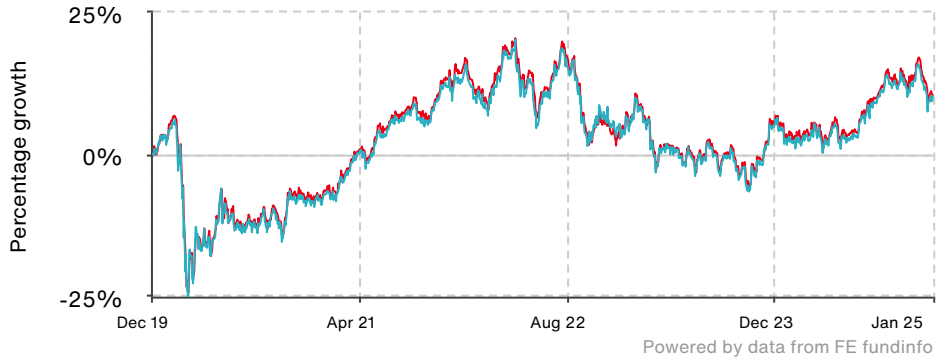


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#### Fund objective

The Fund aims to outperform its benchmark by investing in a range of funds that provide exposure to a diversified range of commercial property assets and suitable listed securities within the property and infrastructure sectors.

#### Fund performance



■ Fund ■ Benchmark

	3 Months	YTD	1yr	3yrs	5yrs
Fund	-2.0%	3.4%	3.4%	-1.9%	2.0%
Benchmark	-1.8%	4.6%	4.6%	-1.6%	2.0%

	Dec 19 to Dec 20	Dec 20 to Dec 21	Dec 21 to Dec 22	Dec 22 to Dec 23	Dec 23 to Dec 24
Fund	-7.6%	26.6%	-11.3%	2.9%	3.4%
Benchmark	-8.1%	25.7%	-11.1%	2.5%	4.6%

Composite Benchmark: 70% FTSE EPRA Nareit Developed Green Low Carbon Target / 15% MSCI / AREF UK All Balanced Quarterly Property Fund / 15% FTSE Developed Core Infrastructure

Past performance is not a reliable guide to future performance. The value of investments and the income from them can fluctuate and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the full amount invested.

Source FE fundinfo. Performance shown is gross of the annual management charge but is net of additional expenses (if any) incurred within the fund. The annual management charge will reduce the performance figures shown. Performance for periods over a year is annualised (% per year).

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## Fund Split as at 31 Dec 2024

AE BLK ENV LOW CAR T PROP SEC O Prvt	70.2%
AE LGIM INFRASTRUCTURE IDX N (BLK) Prvt	15.2%
AE THREADNEEDLE PROPERTY (BLK) N	14.5%
Total	99.9%

Source of fund breakdown and holdings: Fund mgmt group

## Fund Commentary

The Aon Managed Property and Infrastructure Fund aims to outperform its composite benchmark by investing in a range of funds that provide exposure to a diversified range of commercial property assets and listed securities within the property and infrastructure sectors. Much of the Fund is invested in a global property securities fund which invests in a range of companies specialising in property investment (commonly known as Real Estate Investment Trusts). The Fund has an allocation to an infrastructure fund which invests in several economic projects, such as services relating to transportation and energy. The remainder of the Fund is invested in a property fund which invests in a range of commercial and industrial properties across the UK.

The inclusion of ESG screens and a focus on environmental issues aims to help reduce the Fund's carbon footprint and reduce the investment risks associated with climate change and the transition to a low carbon economy. The global property securities fund (70% of the Fund) tilts towards holdings with strong ESG scores and looks to reduce the carbon intensity and energy usage of the portfolio, when compared to the parent index. The global property securities fund also screens out exposure in oil sands, thermal coal, controversial weapons, tobacco, civilian firearms and conduct related exclusions.

It is possible that the managers used to implement the strategy, or the proportion of the Fund invested in each manager, may change from time to time. There were no changes to the structure of this Fund over the quarter.

## Performance Commentary

Over the three-month period to 31 December 2024, the Fund returned -2.0%.

Global equity markets rose during the fourth quarter of 2024, largely driven by US equities, despite an increase in volatility following the US Federal Reserve's interest rate meeting in December. US equities benefited from better-than-expected economic growth and the depreciation of the pound against the US dollar, which resulted in higher returns in sterling terms. In contrast, returns were mixed in other markets; both UK and European equities fell, while Japanese equities performed well.

The allocation to property and infrastructure returned -2.0%, with underlying managers delivering mixed results. The listed property values fell by 3.9%, driven by a rise in inflation globally and expectations of fewer interest rate cuts in 2025. This decline was partially offset by gains in listed infrastructure, where increasing energy prices offset the rise in bond yields. Additionally, UK commercial property contributed positively through a combination of income returns, rental growth, and rising capital values.

Since inception the Fund has generated a return of 5.8% p.a.

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