# **Capital Gearing Trust**

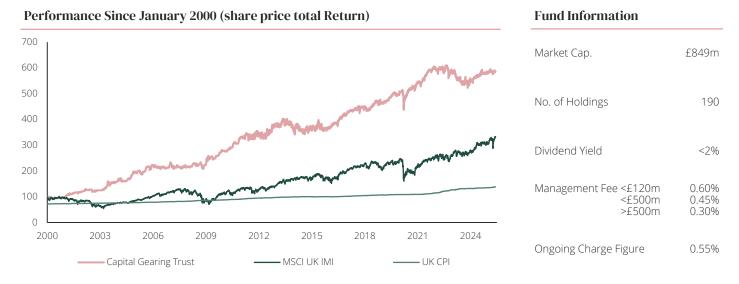
# Company information as at: 31st May 2025

# **Investment Objective**

Capital Gearing Trust's (CGT) goal is to preserve and grow shareholders' wealth over time. CGT seeks long-term absolute returns through a global portfolio of equities, bonds, and commodities, using a low-cost approach without the use of gearing or short selling. Since 2015, CGT's discount control policy ensures the share price closely tracks the Net Asset Value (NAV) per share by issuing or purchasing shares as needed.

#### **Manager** Comment

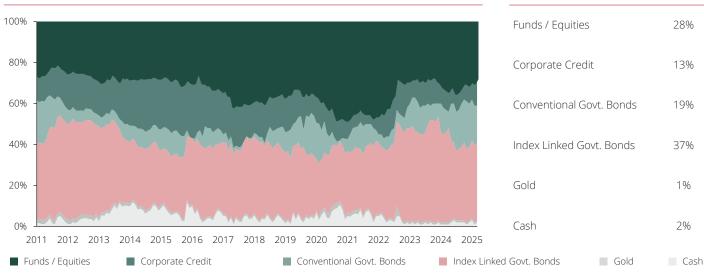
Capital Gearing Trust maintained its defensive stance in May, with a focus on inflation protection. The portfolio returned +0.4% over the month with profits taken in risk assets and redeployed into corporate credit. Key allocations are 29% to risk assets (including gold), 37% to index linked bonds, and 34% to dry powder (cash, treasury bills and corporate credit). Risk assets were the top contributor to performance over the month.



# Return History (total return)

	1 month	3 months	6 months	YTD	1 year	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Share Price	0.1%	-0.6%	0.6%	0.8%	2.9%	8.2%	10.8%	-4.2%	-3.3%	4.0%
NAV	0.4%	-0.5%	0.8%	1.3%	3.5%	8.3%	11.3%	-3.2%	1.3%	2.6%





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**Asset Allocation** 

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# **Risk Data**

	5 Yr Return Annualised	5 Yr Standard Deviation	5 Yr Max Drawdown	Since 2000 Return Annualised	Since 2000 Standard Deviation Annualised	Since 2000 Max Drawdown
Share Price	3.1%	7.0%	-13.6%	7.2%	8.7%	-13.6%
NAV Price	3.8%	5.0%	-7.4%	8.1%	5.8%	-8.2%
MSCI UK IMI	11.1%	11.6%	-9.4%	4.9%	13.4%	-41.0%
UK CPI	5.0%	2.2%	-0.5%	2.6%	1.6%	-1.4%

#### **Largest Equity Holdings**

JPMorgan Japan ETF	2.1%
North Atlantic Small Companies	2.0%
Vanguard FTSE 100 ETF	1.7%
International Public Partnership	1.1%
iShares FTSE 250 ETF	1.1%

# **Currency Exposure\***

GBP	68%
USD	20%
SEK	1%
EUR	3%
JPY	6%
Other	2%

\*Currency exposure is after the effect of currency hedging.

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## Fund/Equity Breakdown

Equities*	15%
Infrastructure	7%
Property	3%
Loans	3%

\*Equities incl. Private Equity / Hedge Funds

# **Fund Information**

Company Size	£866m
Status	Open
Launch	Peter Spiller has managed CGT since April 1982 (Stock Exchange Listing date: 9 February 1973)
ISIN number	GB0001738615
Investment Manager	CG Asset Management Limited
Company Secretary & Administrator	Frostrow Capital LLP
Custodian	Northern Trust
Registrar	Computershare Investor Services
Distribution	Annual dividend paid £0.78 per share (05/07/24)

# Largest Bond Holdings

JGB 0.60% 01/01/27	5.3%
UK I/L 0.125% 22/03/29	2.5%
US I/L 1.375% 15/07/33	2.4%
JTDB 0.00% 20/06/25	2.4%
JTDB 0.00% 20/11/25	2.4%

# The Investment Team





**Peter Spiller** *Co - Chief Investment Officer* 



Alastair Laing Chief Executive Officer



Hassan Raza, CFA Portfolio Manager



Chris Clothier Co - Chief Investment Officer



Emma Moriarty
Portfolio Manager



Jock Henderson Investment Analyst

## **Summary Risk Factors**

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