The go-to place when advising on tax-advantaged investments
Having reviewed the various research aids for financial advisory businesses, I find the MICAP tool inhabits the sweet spot between functionality, ease of use, quality information and resource – and we would not be without it as part of our research process for alternative investments.”

David Bashforth FFFS, Chartered Financial Planner, Belmayne Independent Chartered Financial Planners LLP

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Compare multiple investments side-by-side to help you select

The MICAP Fund Finder allows you to search, filter and compare hundreds of offers side-by-side, making researching the market and conducting your due diligence a quick and hassle-free experience.
The MICAP Fund Finder lists over 75 factual data points on each investment, helping you to select objectively and advise with confidence.

Each investment is also rated using our proprietary Impact Scores, which objectively examine the key aspects that we feel are crucial when considering an investment, including its diversification, exit strategy, liquidity and any HMRC considerations.

MICAP's Impact Scores are based on a completely objective assessment of a Manager's responses to our Impact Assessment Questionnaire. For example, for BR offers, our Impact Scores are based on 83 separate questions sent to each Manager.

As well as the latest investment documents, you can download our independent reviews on the investments, managers and promoters. MICAP Reviews are designed to help you get a detailed and balanced view, so you can better understand the highlights and considerations of each investment.

Having recently subscribed to MICAP, we have found that their comprehensive research, in-depth analysis reports, user friendly tools and continual updates on information to be first-rate. Using MICAP has significantly advanced our processes and efficiency in this area of advice for the benefit of our clients.

ROSS CAMERON APFS, HFS Melbourne

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Create bespoke sample portfolios and illustrate different investment strategies.

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GRAEME BONE
Director, Beaufort Asset Management Ltd

Create unlimited sample portfolios of investments and present different options for your clients.

The MICAP Portfolio Builder illustrates and analyses your portfolios by sector, investment objective, number of investee companies and more.

Our portfolio timeline even shows when your clients can expect a return on their investments and any potential tax reliefs. Perfect for client meetings.
To help you evidence your research, MICAP automatically creates a **time-stamped record** of all activity on your account.

This includes all investments viewed, filters applied, comparisons made, portfolios created, as well as investment documents or reviews downloaded.

Through the **My Clients** feature, all activity on your account can be saved to individual client folders, and a complete record is stored in your Activity log.

At the click of a button you can also:

- **Write client and investment notes**
  Build your client file as you go and make client and investment notes on the Fund Finder, to record each step of your advice process.

- **Save your filters and comparisons**
  Access your saved filters to quickly update your searches and check if any new offers meet these requirements.

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  Saved research is date and time stamped and can include both your name and your client’s name for a clear audit trail of your recommendations.

**STAY COMPLIANT**

Record your research for a clear audit trail

“MICAP is an important part of the selection process for the alternative investments market. Without reference to MICAP an adviser may have gaps in their analysis which may lead to a poor decision for their client and leave them open to unwelcome scrutiny by the regulator.”

GIANNI CAMPOPIANO, Principal, Foundation FP
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We use MICAP’s expertise to supplement our own procedures when choosing appropriate products in the alternative investment space. Working together, we use their data analysis of all of the products to form a set of minimum criteria that we expect products to meet if they are to be recommended to our clients. The MICAP Fund Finder then makes it easy for our advisers to access the agreed panel and all the supplementary due diligence documents.”

MICHAEL CHAPLIN-KELLY, Group Support Manager, Fairstone

MICAP’s Panel Support Services are designed to help you reduce risk when advising on tax-advantaged investments by helping you to define and implement a recommended or centrally researched list of tax-advantaged investments (panel).

We work closely with financial advisory firms and wealth managers of all sizes to define and screen the market against their own specific criteria.

We can then monitor the market to help ensure that your panel is based on the latest open offers and the most up-to-date data.

Our processes are well-defined and fully auditable, and the resulting panel can be easily communicated to your advisers via the MICAP Fund Finder.
With over 3,500 users, MICAP is trusted by advisory firms of all sizes, from sole traders to national IFAs and networks. This includes wealth managers, accountants, solicitors, family offices and private banks, all of which use MICAP for their ongoing due diligence on tax-advantaged investments.

MICAP is also used by investment managers and promoters operating in this sector, to help them stay up-to-date on the market.

"MICAP offers our members a robust research solution when advising on tax-advantaged investments."

PHIL CARROLL
Proposition Director - Wealth Intrinsic Financial Services
We’ve done all the hard work, so you don’t have to.

✓ Save time & resources
✓ Advise with confidence
✓ Add value to client meetings
✓ Stay compliant
✓ Reduce risk
✓ Trusted by advisers

We have found MICAP intuitive to use and the platform has been very useful in refining our selection process of tax efficient products. We aim to apply the same rigorous selection criteria to tax efficient products as we do for more mainstream investments and the system has made this possible.”

STEVE PINE CFP, Partner, Aspire Partnership

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