

THE SIT SIPP

Self Invested Personal Pension

Charges



SIT Savings LTD

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Establishment and Administration	
Set Up (see note 1)	Nil
Transfer in of another registered pension scheme (see note 2)	£50 + VAT per transfer (maximum £300 + VAT) per SIPP
Quarterly administration charge (see note 3)	£18.75 + VAT for a SIPP valued at less than £50,000 £37.50 + VAT for a SIPP valued at £50,000 and above
Insufficient funds e.g. to pay benefits or charges	£25 + VAT
Transfer out to another registered pension scheme	£75 + VAT

Benefits	
Income Withdrawal (Income Drawdown) (see notes 4 and 5) Unsecured pension (USP), or	£150 + VAT per annum up to the age of 75, payable annually in advance
Alternatively secured pension (ASP)	£250 + VAT per annum from your 75th birthday, payable annually in advance
Designation of additional funds to existing unsecured pension fund (see note 5)	£75 + VAT
Payment of death benefits	Time/cost basis + VAT
Annuity purchase	£75 + VAT

Notes

1. There is no charge to set up your SIT SIPP. Administrative and dealing charges are listed below.
2. Up to a maximum of £300 + VAT per SIPP over the life time of the SIPP. The transfer in fee will be deducted by A J Bell Management Limited before funds are transferred to your Halifax Share Dealing cash management account.
3. Payable in arrears at the end of March, June, September and December each year. The quarterly administration charge is not pro rated. This means that the full quarterly administration charge will be payable for the quarter in which you open a SIT SIPP and in which you cease to be a member of The SIT SIPP.
4. The annual income withdrawal charge will become payable when funds are designated to provide an unsecured pension or an alternatively secured pension even if you elect to take “nil” income.
5. No additional charge is made when the first funds are designated to provide an unsecured pension, or when funds are designated to an alternatively secured pension at age 75.

All charges except the transfer in charge will be deducted from your Halifax Share Dealing Cash Management Account. The above charges may be shared between A J Bell Management Limited and Halifax Share Dealing Limited.

Investment Charges

Dealing and stockbroking administration service charges are payable in addition to The SIT SIPP administration charges.

Dealing Charges

There is no dealing charge for SIT stock purchased through a monthly or one-off **planned** investment. For all **other** monthly or one-off planned investments there is a charge of £1.50 per trade.

Dealing charges for real-time and telephone transactions in all investments including SIT stock are set out in the table below.

The SIT SIPP dealing and stockbroking administrator, HSDL, will carry out each instruction to deal in more than one type of investment or each instruction to deal at different times in the same type of investment as separate instructions. Please note that the charges below apply separately to each deal.

Option	Investment	Charges
Purchases		
Monthly or one-off planned purchases	SIT stock	Nil
	Other investments	£1.50
Real-time online purchases	All investments	£11.95
Real-time telephone purchases	All investments	Up to £2,500 - £15 Over £2,500 to £5,000 - £30 Over £5,000 to £10,000 - £40 Over £10,000 to £60,000 - £60 Over £60,000 available on request
Sales		
Real-time online sales up to £250	All investments	£5.00
Real-time online sales over £250	All investments	£11.95
Real-time telephone sales	All investments	Up to £2,500 - £15 Over £2,500 to £5,000 - £30 Over £5,000 to £10,000 - £40 Over £10,000 to £60,000 - £60 Over £60,000 available on request
Dividend Reinvestment		
Re-investment of dividends	SIT	Nil
Re-investment of dividends	Other Investments	1% of the value of the deal, capped at £11.95

Please remember with purchases of any UK equities, including shares and stock units of investment trusts, there is mandatory government stamp duty (currently 0.5%) on the amount invested. With purchases of certain international equities there may be additional stamp duty charges in other jurisdictions on the amount invested. Also, there is a PTM (Panel on Takeovers and Mergers) levy of £1.00 for all deals in UK quoted shares over £10,000. Purchases and sales of some investments such as SIT stock may be subject to a dealing spread (the difference between the buying and selling prices).

HSDL collects any dealing charges by adding them to the cost of buying investments, or by taking them from the sale proceeds. HSDL may deduct these charges, its administration charges or any other applicable charges from cash held in your SIT SIPP or by selling any investment you hold.

HSDL may apply other charges in relation to the dealing and other services it provides. Information in relation to these charges is contained in The SIT SIPP Dealing Service Terms and Conditions, which explain your relationship with HSDL. You should read these terms and conditions and confirm the latest charges before making any decision to invest.

Stockbroking Administration Charges

Transfer out of shares to another pension provider	£15 per investment
Ad hoc statement or valuation (on request)	£30 per item + VAT

The charges described above, with the exception of the transfer in fee, will be deducted from cash held in your SIT SIPP in the first instance. HSDL will use all reasonable endeavours to obtain instructions from you to liquidate specified investments in your SIT SIPP to provide sufficient cash to pay any outstanding fee or charge in the event that there is insufficient cash held in your SIT SIPP to satisfy in full the amount of such fee or charge. Investments held in your SIT SIPP may be sold if you do not give instructions to Halifax Share Dealing Limited within 15 business days of the date on which the relevant fee or charge becomes payable.

The underlying investments you hold in your SIT SIPP may also be subject to other taxes, charges and costs, some of which may be deducted directly from your investment or prior to any return being allocated to you.

The charges described may be varied from time to time. The above fees exclude the cost of any advice you may require. If you require advice, you would agree this cost separately with your financial adviser. Please note that the charges for The SIT SIPP may be higher than for a stakeholder plan.

Additional Information

Before making any decision to open a SIT SIPP or make any investment through a SIT SIPP you should read the following important documents, paying particular attention to the risk factors set out therein.

- The Key Features of The SIT SIPP, including (if you intend to invest in stock units in The Scottish Investment Trust PLC), the Key Features of the investment trust savings scheme available through The SIT SIPP in relation to The Scottish Investment Trust PLC.
- The SIT SIPP Terms and Conditions.
- The SIT SIPP Dealing Service Terms and Conditions.

You can request copies of these documents by calling SIT's freephone brochure service on 0800 42 44 22 or you can download them from SIT's website www.sit.co.uk

The SIT SIPP is marketed by SIT Savings Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Scottish Investment Trust PLC. SIT Savings Limited is registered in Scotland number SCO91859. Registered Office: 6 Albyn Place, Edinburgh, EH2 4NL. Authorised and regulated by the Financial Services Authority. FSA Registration Number: 125495.

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