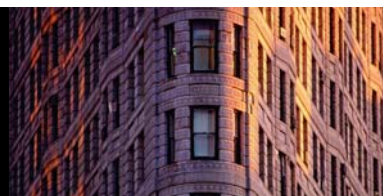


# Newton Offshore Strategy Fund Alternative

## Assets

Second quarter 2011

Risk profile: medium



### Fund information

#### Aim

To achieve long-term growth in excess of cash returns from a balanced portfolio of Alternative Assets. The Fund is intended to have significantly lower absolute volatility than traditional equity biased funds, but will exhibit volatility relative to its benchmark.

#### Fund facts

|                  |                            |
|------------------|----------------------------|
| Fund structure   | OEIC                       |
| Base currency    | GBP                        |
| Benchmark        | 1 month £ Libor +1.0% p.a. |
| Fund launch date | 10 December 2007           |
| Fund domicile    | Jersey                     |
| Pay dates        | 28 Feb, 31 Aug             |
| ISIN             | GB00B29QMK64               |
| SEDOL            | B29QMK6                    |

#### Fund data

|                      |        |
|----------------------|--------|
| Fund size (millions) | GBP 10 |
| Volatility           | 11.0%  |
| Dividend yield       | 0.7%   |
| Sharpe ratio         | 0.1    |

#### Fees and charges

|                          |       |
|--------------------------|-------|
| Annual management charge | 1.0%  |
| Total expense ratio      | 1.11% |

All figures correct as at 30 June 2011.

Risk and performance statistics above sourced from Newton using 36 months of data (where applicable) to 30 June 2011.

### Focus on the latest quarter

#### Performance over three months

|                                |             |                      |      |
|--------------------------------|-------------|----------------------|------|
| <b>NOSF Alternative Assets</b> | <b>1.6%</b> |                      |      |
| 1 month £ Libor +1% p.a.       | 0.5%        | ARC Bal. Asset (est) | 0.9% |
|                                |             | IMA Absolute Return  | 0.2% |
| FTSE W World                   | 0.4%        | FTA Govt All Stocks  | 2.5% |

#### Significant transactions

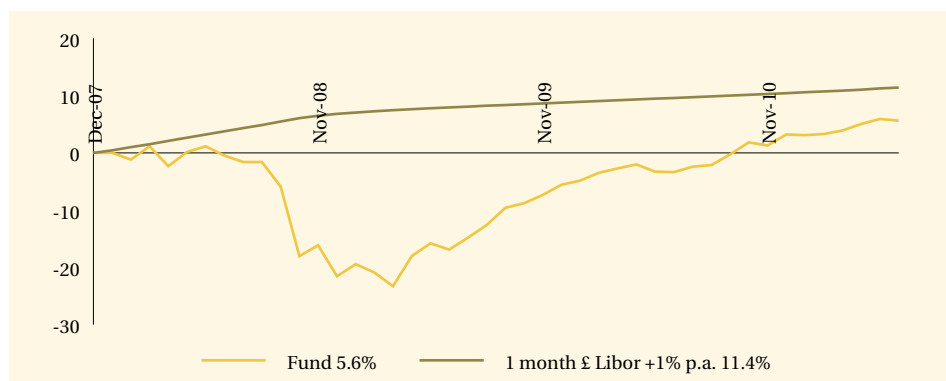
| Acquisitions                    |
|---------------------------------|
| UBS FTSE & S&P Autocall         |
| Societe Generale FTSE Auto-Call |
| Annaly Capital Management Inc.  |
| Electra Private Equity PLC      |
| NB Distressed Debt Inv Fd Ltd   |

| Disposals                                  |
|--|
| Barclays Bank FTSE AutoCall                |
| Goldman Sachs Intl Euro Stoxx 50 Dividend  |
| Absolute Return Trust-Red Ptg Pref Shs GBP |
| JPMorgan Private Equity Ltd                |

Note: Portfolio holdings are subject to change at any time without notice and should not be construed as investment recommendations.

### Long-term performance (%)

#### Performance since launch



|                          | 2002 | 2003 | 2004 | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008  | 2009 | 2010 | YTD 2011 |
|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|----------|
| Fund                     | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -21.6 | 20.4 | 9.3  | 2.3      |
| 1 month £ Libor +1% p.a. | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | -    | 6.4   | 1.8  | 1.5  | 0.9      |

#### Discrete past performance (%)

| From | 30/06/06 | 30/06/07 | 30/06/08 | 30/06/09 | 30/06/10 |
|------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| To   | 30/06/07 | 30/06/08 | 30/06/09 | 30/06/10 | 30/06/11 |
| Fund | -        | -        | -16.5    | 16.3     | 9.3      |

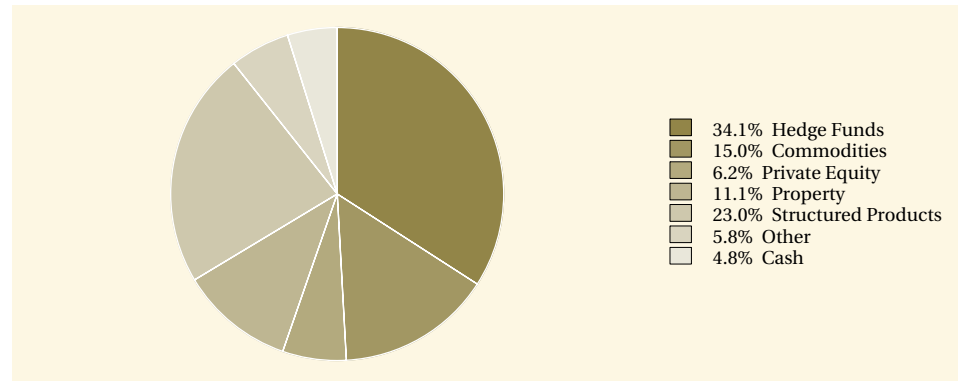
All performance sourced from: Lipper, Bloomberg, ARC & Datastream, as at 30 June 2011. Calculation basis: Sterling, total return, bid to bid, without initial charges, gross income reinvested, net of management fees. Care should be taken when extrapolating these figures due to short performance history.

#### Risk factors

This is a financial promotion and is not intended as investment advice. Past performance is not a guide to future returns. The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and investors may not get back the original amount invested. The value of overseas securities will be influenced by fluctuations in exchange rates. If the portfolio invests in sub-investment grade bonds that typically have a low credit rating these carry a high degree of default risk, which can affect the capital value of your investment. If the portfolio has exposure to hedge funds, gold, private equity and property via publicly quoted transferable securities, there are additional risks associated with these sectors.

## Fund analysis

### Breakdown as % of total market value



Source: Newton as at 30 June 2011.

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