

BT Wholesale Core Global Share Fund

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About the Fund

The BT Wholesale Core Global Share Fund is an actively managed portfolio of international shares. The shares are managed by Connecticut-based AQR Capital Management, LLC (AQR) with a currency overlay provided by BT Investment Management (BTIM).

AQR are fundamental investors who use quantitative strategies to maintain a highly diversified and risk controlled portfolio that reflects AQR's valuation and momentum philosophy.

Fund objective

The Fund aims to provide a return (before fees, costs and taxes) that exceeds MSCI World ex Australia (Standard) Index (Net Dividends) in AUD over the medium to long term. The suggested investment timeframe is five years or more.

Investment style

The investment style is to seek to generate returns by active trading in both stocks and currency.

Investment process

The Fund's investment process separates the stock and currency investment decisions with the majority of the Fund's risk allocation relating to stock selection.

AQR's disciplined approach uses bottom-up fundamental security selection indicators to generate excess returns through under and overweighting stocks and industries relative to the benchmark.

Separate regional stock selection models are utilised to tailor stock and industry selection considerations to the different global equity markets within the benchmark.

AQR employs a quantitative and model driven investment process with teams conducting ongoing research on security selection indicators, portfolio construction, optimisation, trading techniques and technology.

Currency decisions are actively managed by BTIM's Macro Strategies team which seeks to produce risk adjusted returns by actively investing in a portfolio of currency instruments. The process incorporates the rigour and discipline of a quantitative process with fundamental drivers and qualitative analysis. The strategy invests primarily in the global currency forwards market and may also use other currency derivatives to express the portfolio manager's active views.

Investment team

Founded in 1998, AQR Capital Management is an investment management firm employing a disciplined multi-asset, global research process. AQR's diverse client base includes some of the largest institutional investors across the US, Europe and Asia. AQR's team spans a variety of backgrounds including fund management and academic finance. The research of AQR's principals is internationally renowned and has resulted in numerous published papers in a variety of professional journals since 1991.

BTIM's Macro Strategies Team aims to generate alpha and develop global products from a range of top down strategies. The team's analysts and portfolio managers each have more than 10 years experience running investment strategies. Joe Bracken is the Head of the Macro Strategies team and Cameron Fouladi is the Portfolio Manager primarily responsible for BTIM's Currency portfolios.

Performance¹

(%)	Total Returns		Benchmark Return
	(post-fee)	(pre-fee)	
1 month	-3.90	-3.92	-4.15
3 months	-3.70	-3.56	-4.81
FYDT	7.33	8.22	5.22
6 months	-1.59	-1.22	-3.75
1 year (pa)	7.33	8.22	5.22
2 years (pa)	-3.29	-2.51	-6.12
3 years (pa)	-12.11	-11.39	-11.47
5 years (pa)	-2.90	-2.05	-2.16

Country allocation (as at 30 June 2010)

France	4.2%
Germany	3.9%
Netherlands	1.2%
Spain	1.8%
Sweden	2.0%
Switzerland	5.6%
United Kingdom	10.5%
Hong Kong	1.1%
Japan	10.9%
Canada	5.4%
USA	49.2%
Cash & Other	4.2%

Other information

Fund size (as at 30 Jun 2010)	\$192 million
Date of inception ¹	October 1992
Minimum investment	\$50,000
Buy-sell spread	0.40% [#]
Distribution frequency	Annual
APIR code	RFA0821AU

[#] The buy-sell spread represents transaction costs incurred whenever you invest or withdraw funds, and may vary from time to time without notice.

Fees

Management fee	0.97% pa*
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* You should refer to the latest Product Disclosure Statement for full details of fees and other costs you may be charged.

¹ Please note AQR started managing the fund from June 2006. Historical returns prior to June 2006 do not reflect AQR, investment performance.

Market review

June 2010 was another tough month for equities. Concerns about the risks to recovery in Europe, the leaking well in the Gulf of Mexico and mixed signals from the US economy were the key drivers of equity markets. In local dollar terms the World MSCI (ex Australia) Index was down 4.2% and was only marginally lower in Australian dollar terms as the \$A was little changed over the month.

In the US, the S&P500 index retreated further (-5.4%) after the previous month's sharp fall. The VIX index of implied volatility, which in April hit a two-year low of 16.1, traded above 25 for most of the month and as high as 36. Mixed data releases fed concerns over the strength of the recovery and this was reflected in weakness among cyclical sectors such as Materials (-7.1%) and Consumer Discretionary (-9.8%) while regulatory reform passing through Congress dampened sentiment towards Banks (-9.3%).

Macro data didn't provide much comfort to investors during June with the US housing market failing to maintain momentum, consumer confidence falling and the US Q1GDP growth number being revised down to 2.7%. Meanwhile the Federal Open Market Committee left interest rates unchanged at 0.25% in light of continued concerns regarding economic growth.

Increasing volatility in the equity markets saw investors opting for the safety of gold during June. With the USD depreciating at the same time, gold reached an all-time high of US\$1256 and ended the month just shy of that level at \$1243, up 2.5%. Oil extended its recovery to finish up 2.2% for the month while iron ore and base metals lost ground.

The key news in currency markets was China's decision to shift its currency policy to a basket of currencies rather than the dollar peg used since 2008. With a weakening economic backdrop in the US, the US dollar depreciated against most major currencies while the UK pound was boosted by the new government's deficit reduction measures.

Fund performance

The portfolio outperformed the benchmark over the month. Performance was positive in the Continental Europe and the US strategies, while the UK and the Japan strategies were down for the month. The outperformance in Continental Europe was driven by positive performance in our momentum and industry momentum signals outweighing negative performance in our valuation factors. In the US, the positive performance was mainly due to our investor sentiment and sustainable growth signals outweighing negative performance in our valuation factors. The underperformance in the UK was driven by positive performance in our earnings quality signals being outweighed by negative performance in valuation and industry momentum. In Japan, the underperformance was driven by positive performance in our investor sentiment and management signalling factors being outweighed by negative performance in our valuation and industry momentum factors.

Positive performance in stock selection within the Financials sector outweighed negative performance in stock selection and industry selection within the Utilities sector. In terms of sector positioning, we are currently overweight Industrials while being underweight Information Technology.

Within the global asset allocation overlay, the BTIM currency overlay strategy was slightly positive for June. During the month we were long Australian dollar, Japanese yen and UK sterling while we were short euro, Canadian dollar and US dollar. The largest contributor to performance was the long yen position. The largest detractors were the short euro and short US dollar positions.

Strategy & outlook

Tactically, we now are underweight Value in all our core regions: US, UK, Continental Europe and Japan strategies.



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