

Absolute Insight Emerging Market Debt Fund

Sub fund of the Absolute Insight Funds Plc

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INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The investment objective of the Fund is to seek to provide attractive, positive absolute returns in all market conditions.

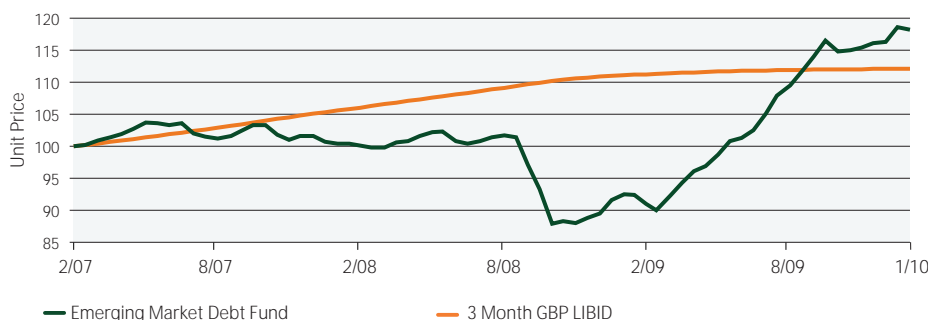
INVESTMENT APPROACH

The Fund aims to generate long term capital growth by producing investment returns which display low volatility and low correlation to other markets.

The manager seeks to meet the investment objective by investing primarily in the debt, interest rate, and exchange rate instruments that relate to emerging market countries, combining long and/or short (synthetic) positions for hedging/ investment gain strategies.

Further details on the components of the investment policy can be found in the prospectus.

PERFORMANCE SINCE LAUNCH



PERFORMANCE %

	1 mth	3 mths	YTD	1 year	3 year	Since Inception (p.a.)
Fund (gross)	1.7	3.0	1.7	27.7	-	5.9
Fund (net)	1.4	2.5	1.4	25.8	-	4.7
Benchmark	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.9	-	4.0
JPM EMBI Global Diversified Index	0.4	1.8	0.4	28.6	-	6.4
JPM GBI-EM Global Diversified Index	0.3	2.1	0.3	30.0	-	11.1

*Performance is shown net of fees and expenses in GBP.
Past performance is not a guide to future performance.
Net returns are after 1% annual management charge and 10% performance fee above benchmark.

MONTHLY RETURN (GROSS %)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2010	1.7												1.7
2009	3.4	-1.7	1.5	4.1	2.7	2.6	3.8	4.1	4.2	0.7	0.5	0.8	29.9
2008	-1.2	-0.2	-0.4	1.0	1.4	-1.4	0.0	1.0	-4.5	-9.5	0.1	1.8	-11.9
2007	-	-	0.9	1.0	1.7	-0.3	-1.3	-0.8	1.2	0.8	-2.1	0.6	1.6

Source: Insight and Bloomberg.
Fund benchmark: 3 Month GBP LIBID (gross of UK tax).
Inception date: 28 February 2007.

MAIN CONTRIBUTORS TO MONTHLY RETURN

Regional breakdown	Contribution (bps)	Top 5 countries	Contribution (bps)
1 Europe	+101	1 Ukraine	+36
2 Latin America	+9	2 Venezuela	+22
3 Middle East and Africa	+4	3 Kazakhstan	+21
4 Asia	+25	4 Poland	+15
5 Market hedges	+28	5 Russia	+13

FUND SIZE: £165.1m

ROLLING VOLATILITY (20 day)



Basis: Calculated using 20 rolling data points, from 08/10/07.
Source: Insight

RISK STATISTICS

	Since Inception volatility
Absolute Insight Emerging Market Debt (Gross)	7.2%
JP Morgan Emerging Market Bond Index Global Diversified	10.3%
JP Morgan Govt Bond Index - Emerging Market Global Diversified	13.2%

Basis: Calculated using daily gross prices.
Source: Insight

REGIONAL EXPOSURE

	Long	Short	DV01
Latin America	35.6%	-15.5%	169 bps
Europe	19.8%	-14.4%	41 bps
Middle East/Africa	2.6%	-5.7%	-5 bps
Asia	4.5%	0.0%	23 bps
Total	62.5%	-35.6%	228 bps

Source: Insight
DV01 gives an indication of the sensitivity of the market value to a 1% change in yield of underlying instruments.

CURRENCY EXPOSURE

HUF	0.9%
BRL	2.3%
MXN	4.3%
IDR	1.0%
INR	2.0%
PEN	1.5%
PLN	3.1%
Total Gross	15.1%

Source: Insight

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FUND MANAGER COMMENTARY

The Fund returned 1.67% (gross of fees) in January, compared to the 3-month sterling LIBID return of 0.04%. Emerging market debt (EMD) markets initially enjoyed a strong start to 2010, however fears concerning Greece's debt situation subsequently sparked risk aversion, and EMD markets pulled back. In terms of Fund performance, the Fund's allocation to emerging Europe was the best performing, with our exposure to the Ukraine adding strongly to returns. Other contributors came from Venezuela, Kazakhstan and Poland. Market hedges, expressed as short positions in Brazil, Mexico, Colombia, Russia and Turkey made strong contributions. We retain a constructive view on emerging markets, though the fiscal situation in Western Europe will not be quickly resolved and has the potential to impact emerging markets further. Volatility will remain as markets await the Greek government's fiscal adjustments (with or without help from the European Union), and as European investment grade investors grapple with the new reality that their portfolios are shifting away from interest rate risk to credit risk. Thus, a more cautious positioning is warranted but turbulence is creating spread dispersion which will eventually offer attractive entry points.

INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY AND PROCESS

Insight's investment process is part of a strong analytical framework that aims to increase the competitive advantage of portfolio decisions taken by the investment team:

- Country macro-analysis: identify fundamental and structural trends in each emerging country
- Micro-analysis: analyse individual instruments and market depth
- Risk/reward: sizing investment decisions appropriately
- Global Insight strategy: work within analytical framework of Global Bond, High Yield, Credit, and Currency teams
- Active investment: manage risk, and take advantage of market volatility.

KEY BENEFITS

- Investment opportunity – the global nature of asset class allows the team to select from multiple interest rate, credit and currency opportunities, through long and/or short positions
- High risk-adjusted returns – portfolios are designed to generate alpha at low levels of volatility, in all market conditions over rolling 12 month periods
- Low correlation to traditional asset classes – ensures diversification benefits within a larger portfolio
- Combines traditional fund management with advantages of hedge fund strategies
- Combines factors such as transparency and regulation with flexibility and the use of derivatives.

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FUND FACTS

Inception date	28-Feb-2007
Benchmark	3 month GBP LIBID
Fund manager	Colm McDonagh
Legal structure	Open-Ended Investment Company (UCITS)
Domicile	Ireland
Listing	Irish Stock Exchange
Currency	Sterling, Euro
Pricing	Daily
Custodian	State Street Custodial Services (Ireland) Limited
Administrator	State Street Fund Services (Ireland) Limited

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