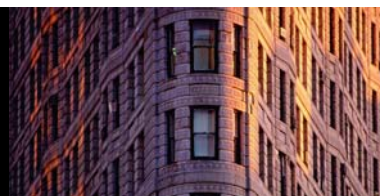


# Newton Offshore Strategy Fund UK Equity

Fourth quarter 2011

Risk profile: high



## Fund information

### Aim

The objective of the fund is to achieve long term capital growth, and an element of income, through investing in a portfolio of UK equities only.

### Fund facts

Fund structure	OEIC
Base currency	GBP
Benchmark	FTSE All Share
Fund launch date	29 May 1997
Fund domicile	Jersey
Pay dates	28 Feb, 31 Aug
ISIN	GB0006156755
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### Fund data

Fund size (millions)	GBP 18
Volatility	16.1%
Dividend yield	2.3%
Sharpe ratio	0.6
Information ratio	-0.5

### Fees and charges

Annual management charge	1.0%
Total expense ratio	1.09%

All figures correct as at 31 December 2011.

Risk and performance statistics above sourced from Newton using 36 months of data (where applicable) to 31 December 2011.

## Focus on the latest quarter

### Performance over three months

NOSF UK Equity	5.8%		
FTSE All Share	8.4%		

### Significant transactions

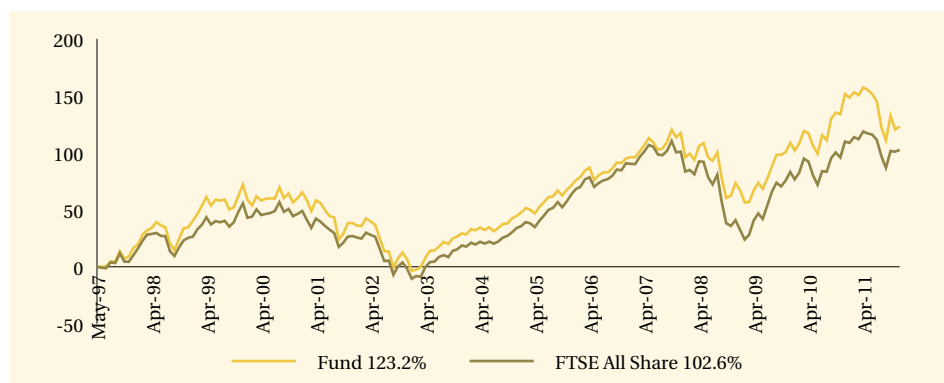
Acquisitions
Carphone Warehouse Group PLC
BowLeven PLC
Virgin Media Inc.
Immunodiagnostic Systems Holdings PLC
Savills PLC

Disposals
British American Tobacco PLC
BP PLC
Rolls-Royce Holdings PLC
Serco Group PLC
Barclays PLC

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	2011
Fund	-23.2	21.5	12.0	18.3	13.9	11.4	-20.1	20.3	20.5	-11.2
FTSE All Share	-22.7	20.9	12.8	22.1	16.7	5.3	-29.9	30.1	14.5	-3.5

### Discrete past performance (%)

From	31/12/06	31/12/07	31/12/08	31/12/09	31/12/10
To	31/12/07	31/12/08	31/12/09	31/12/10	31/12/11
Fund	11.4	-20.1	20.3	20.5	-11.2

All performance sourced from: Lipper & Datastream, as at 31 December 2011. Calculation basis: Sterling, total return, bid to bid, without initial charges, gross income reinvested, net of management fees.

### 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.

## Newton's themes

Newton is a global thematic stock picking company. Our style is team oriented and relies on effective communication between all of our investment personnel. Two of our themes are listed below, along with examples of individual holdings.

## Networked world

### Factors

Although networks have already transformed our lives, the trend remains at a relatively early stage. Rapid increases in bandwidth continue to increase networks' range of uses and their interactivity, which in turn is driving productivity gains. The explosive growth of mobile internet, combined with innovations in sensor technology, will generate profound changes in many industries

### Investments

ARM Holdings, Teleticity, ICAP, ASOS, Digital Barriers

## Fire risks

### Factors

In order to combat the deflationary effects of the global recession, governments and monetary authorities have embarked on an unprecedented programme of policy stimulus. Impaired financial systems and the trend towards continued debt repayment will continue to undermine the effectiveness of official stimulus and this may cause authorities to redouble their efforts, thereby risking higher future inflation. The timing of these risks is, however, highly uncertain.

### Investments

BHP Billiton, Rio Tinto, BP, Derwent London, Berkeley Group

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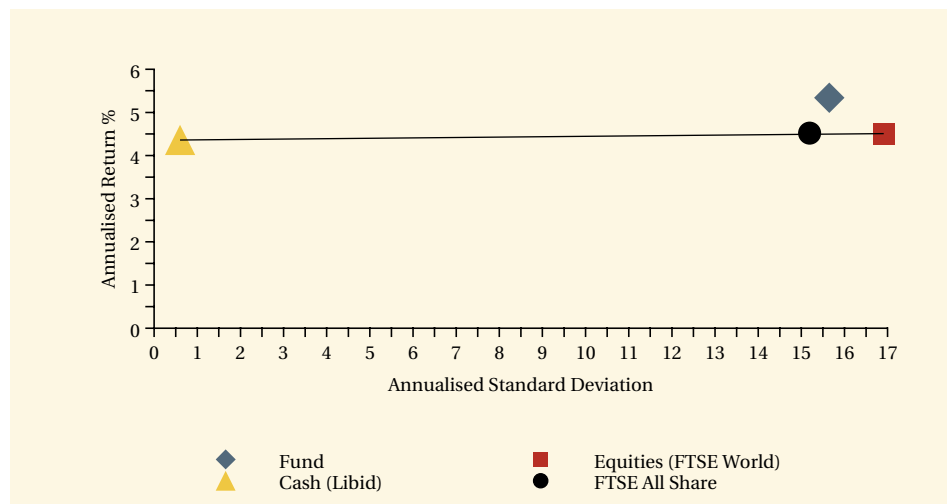
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## Long-term performance - risk and reward

### Fund return and volatility since launch

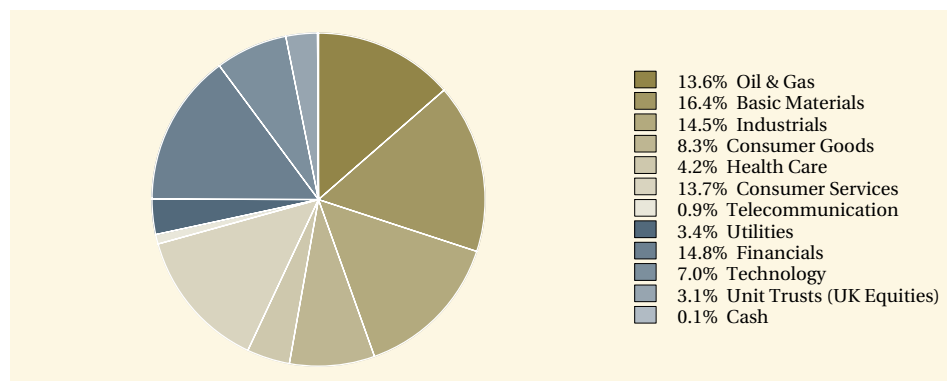


This chart shows both return and volatility. The NOSF UK Equity Fund has given a higher return than the benchmark with very similar volatility. The launch date of the fund was 29 May 1997.

Performance sourced from: Lipper, Datastream & Bloomberg, as at 31 December 2011. Calculation basis: Sterling, total return, bid to bid, without initial charges, gross income reinvested, net of management fees.

## Fund analysis

### Breakdown as % of total market value



Source: Newton as at 31 December 2011.