# Blackwall Europe L/S Fund – Monthly Factsheet January 2020

Monthly Return: -0.10%\* Year to Date Return: -0.10%\* Assets Under Management: EUR15.5m\*

## Overview

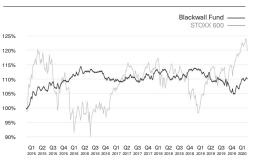
- The Blackwall Europe L/S Fund follows a fundamental, value-based long/short equity strategy. Investments are made in a limited number of fundamentally mispriced European stocks with a focus on mid-sized, underresearched companies.
- Unconventional thinking is key to achieving superior returns. We only invest in companies which we fully understand with an ideal investment horizon of about 3-5 years. Every single idea has to have its own individual merits.
- Managing and understanding risk is a fundamental aspect of the investment strategy. Risk is further mitigated by adopting zero economic leverage and applying a margin of safety.
- Portfolio Management is performed by Blackwall Capital Investment AG (Zug / Switzerland), which was founded by Thomas Karlovits, the former Head of European Equity Research at Kepler Cheuvreux. The Fund is hosted on the Trium UCITS Platform plc domiciled in Ireland.

# **Monthly Returns**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2020	-0.10%												-0.10%
2019	-1.19%	-1.71%	1.74%	-2.52%	1.14%	-1.02%	-1.44%	0.42%	-2.50%	0.53%	0.43%	3.39%	-2.88%
2018	-0.35%	0.62%	-0.27%	-2.22%	0.54%	0.45%	-1.26%	1.27%	0.63%	1.16%	0.26%	-0.18%	0.62%
2017	-0.27%	-0.18%	-0.09%	0.92%	1.00%	-0.81%	-0.72%	0.55%	0.36%	0.81%	-1.43%	2.55%	2.64%
2016	1.74%	1.08%	0.09%	-1.42%	1.08%	1.16%	-1.23%	0.36%	0.00%	-1.95%	-0.27%	-0.27%	0.27%
2015	1.30%	4.25%	-0.19%	0.85%	1.13%	-1.68%	1.80%	0.00%	0.28%	0.65%	0.83%	0.09%	9.61%

\*Source: Northern Trust as per latest month end. Performance is quoted net of fees based on unaudited figures for the current year. Performance is calculated using NAV figures rounded to two decimal places. Launch date: 19 December 2014. Performance from launch to 31 December 2014 was –0.10%. From 1 January 2015 to 31 December 2018 performance shown is of Class E (now closed). As of 1 January 2019 onwards performance is calculated using the M EUR Share Class (which was equivalent to the E Share Class as of this date). The figures refer to the past. Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

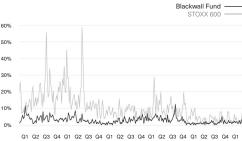
### Performance



# **Fund Statistics**

Return	
Annualized Return Since Inception (net)	1.87%
Largest Monthly Gain	4.25%
Largest Monthly Loss	-2.52%
% of Winning Months	60%
Risk	
Annualized Volatility	4.38%
Correlation (to STOXX 600)	- 0.14
Sharpe Ratio Since Inception	0.56
Sortino Ratio Since Inception	0.78

### Volatility



#### **Risk and Reward Profile**

Lower Risk/Reward	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Higher Risk/Reward

The Fund is categorised as a 3 due to its exposure to equity markets and concentration in Europe which, when combined with its use of derivative instruments (FDI), may cause the price of shares to fluctuate moderately. The risk indicator was calculated using simulated data and may not be a reliable indicator of the future risk profile of the Fund. The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time. The lowest category does not mean 'risk free.'

Source: Northern Trust as per latest month end. Blackwall calculation of Fund Statistics. Index by data service providers. The figures refer to the past. Past performance is not a guide to future performance. Performance is net of fees based on unaudited figures for the current year. Performance is calculated using figures rounded to two decimal places. As of 1 January 2019 onwards performance is calculated using the M EUR Share Class (which is equivalent to the E Share Class as of this date).

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# **Blackwall Europe** L/S Fund

European Long/Short Equity

## **Portfolio Manager Biography**

#### **Thomas Karlovits**

Founder and CEO Blackwall Capital Investment AG

Thomas Karlovits founded Blackwall in 2014. having worked in the equity research sector for over 23 years. From 2003 to 2014, Thomas was at Kepler Cheuvreux. He most recently held the role of Head of European Equity Research from 2013, and was Deputy Head from 2007. During this time, he was also in charge of the investment strategy for the wider group. Prior to Kepler Cheuvreux, he worked at Santander, Cheuvreux, and SMH (Schroder Munchmeyer Hengst). Thomas started his career in 1991 at Raiffeisen Zentralbank, Vienna, as an Analyst, and holds a Master's Degree of the Vienna University of Economics and Business.

# **Fund Terms**

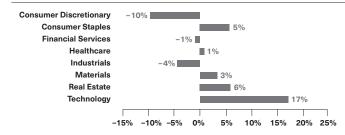
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Fund Name	Blackwall Europe L/S Fund					
Launch Date	19 Decem	oer 2014				
Domicile	Ireland					
Currencies	EUR (base), G	BP, USD, CHF				
Subscriptions	Daily					
Redemptions	Daily					
Share Class	1	м				
Currency	EUR	EUR				
Vanagement Fee	1.50%	1.00%				
Performance Fee	15%	15%				
Vinimum Investment	EUR100,000	EUR5,000,000				
Bloomberg	TBWLSIE ID	TRBWEME ID				
SIN	IE00BZ6VNS0	4 IE00BYZTN220				
Sedol	BZ6VNS0	BYZTN22				
WKN	A2AJYH	A2AREF				

All available share classes shown on page 2 There is an additional Trium UCITS Platform Fee of 8-15 bps (p.a.)

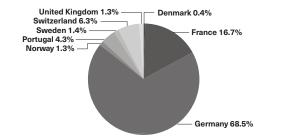
### **Fund Service Providers**

Fund Platform	Trium UCITS Platform plc					
Investment Manager	Trium Capital LLP					
Sub-Investment Manager	Blackwall Capital Investment AG					
Administrator	Northern Trust					
Depositary	Northern Trust					
Prime Broker	Morgan Stanley					
Auditor `	PricewaterhouseCoopers					
Legal Advisors	Dillon Eustace					

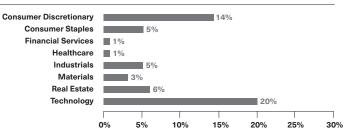
#### Sector Exposure (Net)



# **Country Breakdown**

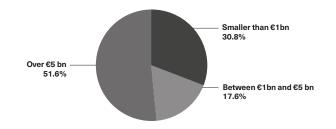


#### Sector Exposure (Gross)



## **Market Capitalisation Breakdown**

All at 31 January 2020. Market Capitalisation Breakdown as % of gross delta



All at 31 January 2020. Country Breakdown as % of gross delta

Country

Germany

Germany

Weight

7.9%

7.5%

6.5%

#### **Top 3 Single Stock Longs**

Consumer Discretionary France

# Company Name Country Weight Industrials Germany -2.1% Technology Switzerland -1.0%

Consumer Discretionary UK

Number of Positions		Exposure				
Long Positions	16	Long	45.4%			
Short Positions	12	Short	-8.5%			
Total Positions	28	Net	36.9%			
		Beta-adjusted Net	28.4%			
		Gross	53.9%			

All at 31 January 2020. Positions are % of month end NAV. Beta-adjusted net exposure is calculated using the STOXX Europe 600 (Net Return) Index

# Share Classes

Company Name

Technology

Real Estate

Share Class (Open)	1	1	1	1	М	М	М	М	н
Currency	CHF	EUR	GBP	USD	CHF	EUR	GBP	USD	EUR
Current Price*	CHF 9.53	EUR 9.65	GBP 10.00	USD 10.39	CHF 9.72	EUR 9.76	GBP 10.13	USD 10.63	EUR 9.64
Launch Date	9 Sept 2016	9 Sept 2016	9 Sept 2016	9 Sept 2016	13 Sept 2016	13 Sept 2016	13 Sept 2016	13 Sept 2016	9 Sept 2016
Issue Price	CHF 10	EUR 10	GBP 10	USD 10	CHF 10	EUR 10	GBP 10	USD 10	EUR 10
Management Fee	1.50%	1.50%	1.50%	1.50%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%	1.00%
Performance Fee	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%	15%
Trium Ucits Platform Fee	e 8-15 bps	8-15 bps	8-15 bps	8-15 bps	8-15 bps	8-15 bps	8-15 bps	8-15 bps	8-15 bps
Min. Investment	EUR 100,000**	EUR 100,000	EUR 100,000**	EUR 100,000**	EUR 5,000,000**	EUR 5,000,000	EUR 5,000,000**	EUR 5,000,000**	EUR 100
Bloomberg	TBWLSIC ID	TBWLSIE ID	TBWLSIG ID	TBWLSIU ID	TRBWEMC ID	TRBWEME ID	TRBWEMG ID	TRBWEMU ID	TBWLSHE ID
ISIN	IE00BD059085	IE00BZ6VNS04	IE00BD059192	IE00BD059200	IE00BYZTN550	IE00BYZTN220	IE00BYZTN444	IE00BYZTN337	IE00BD89KC10
Sedol	BD05908	BZ6VNS0	BD05919	BD05920	BYZTN55	BYZTN22	BYZTN44	BYZTN33	BD89KC1
Valor	CH033904538	CH033904520	CH033904527	-	CH033904555	CH033904544	-	CH033904552	CH033904574
WKN	A2ARNW	A2AJYH	A2ASXZ	A2ARNV	A2AREJ	A2AREF	A2AREH	A2AREG	A2AP4U
Exchange Listing	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Hamburg/Hannover

-0.7%

\*All at 31 January 2020 \*\*or share class currency equivalent of EUR 100,000 / 5,000,000

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