VT Castlebay UK Equity Fund





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Fund Attributes

Our investment process identifies companies with:

- Strong cash flows
- High returns on invested capital
- High operating margins
- Low or no debt
- An operational margin of safety
- A valuation margin of safety

Investment Risks

- Past performance is not necessarily a guide to future returns.
- The value of the investments and income derived from them may rise and fall in the future.
- A concentrated portfolio of 20-30 companies can involve higher risk and more fluctuations of capital value.
- A minimum of three years is suggested as an investment time horizon.
- There are areas of the UK market in which we will not invest such as Banks & Big Oil.

Fund & Share Class information

Fund Type UCITs (UK) Launch Date 28 Jan 2015 **Dividend Payment** Aug, Nov, Feb, May Dividend Yield 3.2% Initial & Exit costs None Dilution Levy1 Yes Auth. Corp Director Valu-Trac NatWest Depository Dealing Daily at Noon **IMA Sector IA UK All Companies**

Fund Size £38M
Portfolio Turnover 11%
Av holding period 9 years
Active Share 85% at 30/09/19

5 Day Liquidity 100% No. Holdings 24 Average co. founded 1934 Average Mkt Cap £23BN

¹ Dilution levy applies to large purchases (10% or more) of the fund NAV. The levy is calculated and charged by the ACD, Valu-Trac, to protect existing investors from the costs associated with large fund purchases.

²Portfolio Turnover Ratio (PTR) calculated as Purchases or Sales (whichever is less) divided by Average NAV of fund, annualised since inception 28/01/15.

About Castlebay Investment Partners LLP

Castlebay Investment Partners LLP was established by David MacNeil & David Ridland in 2013. The VT Castlebay UK Equity fund was subsequently launched in January 2015. Castlebay is owned by the Partners who make business & investment decisions according to our guiding principles:

- Transparency & alignment of best interests with our fellow shareholders
- Adherence to our investment philosophy & process
- Independence of thought to avoid the market herd
- Focus on costs: management fees capped & low turnover

Investment objective:

Our fund invests a minimum of 80% in UK listed companies with the flexibility to invest up to 20% in cash, fixed interest securities or international companies. We aim to generate real returns by exceeding inflation (CPI) plus 4%, per annum, on a rolling three year basis.

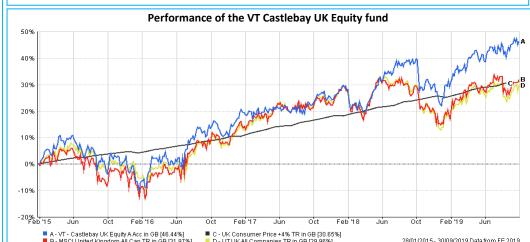
Investment approach: We are **Quality Value** investors (in that order) and invest in high returning companies when they are attractively valued versus their own long term average valuations.

Our quality table highlights some key metrics we assess when we analyse a business. We believe that the underlying returns generated by companies drive share price performance over the long term. Our focus is on companies which have demonstrated their ability to generate high returns in the past, which will enable them to carry on making high returns in the future.

Quality Table	Castlebay	Market
Return on Equity	42%	24%
Operating profit margin	23%	15%
Net debt to equity	52%	89%
Cash conversion	105%	94%
Free Cash Flow yield	4.3%	3.9%

Source: Bloomberg as at 30/09/19

We invest in companies with conviction and for the long term. We do not speculate on short term share price movements. We invest from our investment universe. Our universe consists of companies from the whole of the UK market and developed international markets, which have passed our quality test. Our charges are transparent. We pay the ongoing fund charges from our management fee and dealing costs are low. Investing mistakes often prove to be a source of learning and these are examined, along with our approach to investment, in our quarterly investor letters.

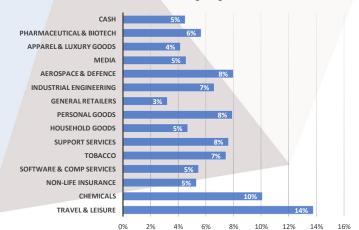


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l	Benchmark	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015^	Inception
	VT Castlebay UK Equity Fund	17.5%	-2.6%	10.1%	17.7%	-1.3%	46.4%
	CPI +4%*	3.9%	6.2%	6.9%	5.6%	4.7%	30.7%*
	UK Equities ²	14.1%	-9.8%	13.1%	17.3%	-3.3%	32.0%
	IA UK All Companies ³	14.1%	-10.7%	13.8%	11.2%	0.9%	30.0%

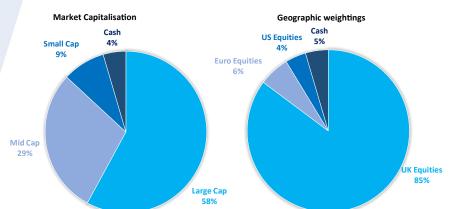
¹A Class Accum Net of Fees, priced at Noon (source: FE 2018) Castlebay UK Equity fund inception 28/01/15 ²MSCI UK All Cap (GBP) (Source: FE 2019) ³IA All Companies sector (source FE 2019) ⁴2015 Performance since fund launch 28/01/15 to end December 2015 *CPI+4% to 15/08/19 (source FE2019)







Source: Valu-Trac 30/09/19



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Share class information						
Share Class	Ongoing Charges Figure*	Minimum investment	Price (P)	Sedol		
A Class Accumulation	1.0%	£10,000	146.44	BV0LF60		
A Class Income	1.0%	£10,000	126.67	BV0LF59		
B Class Accumulation	0.8%	£2,000,000	133.12	BV0LF82		
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C Class Income	0.6%	£20,000,000	151.26	BVOLFBS		
C Class Accumulation	0.6%	£20,000,000	-	BV0LF93		

*Ongoing Charges Figure (OCF) includes all ongoing fund charges except stamp duty & dealing commission which are disclosed in full in the final quarterly investor letter each calendar year.

Platform Availability				
Aegon	AJ Bell	Allfunds	Ascentric	
Aviva	Cofunds	FNZ	Hargreaves Lansdown	
James Hay	Nucleus	Novia	Pershing	
Old Mutual	Standard Life	Transact	Zurich	

VT Castlebay UK Equity portfolio

Company	Sector	Weight
Victrex	Chemicals	5.5%
Craneware	Software & Comp Services	5.5%
Avon Rubber	Aerospace & Defence	5.3%
Admiral Group	Non-life insurance	5.3%
Intercontinental Hotels	Travel & Leisure	5.1%
Compass Group	Travel & Leisure	4.9%
Reckitt Benckiser	Household Goods	4.7%
Relx	Media	4.6%
Croda International	Chemicals	4.5%
Burberry Group	Apparel & Luxury Goods	4.2%
Colgate Palmolive	Personal Goods	4.1%
BATs	Tobacco	4.1%
Unilever	Personal Goods	3.8%
Domino's Pizza Group	Travel & Leisure	3.7%
Kone Oyj	Industrial Engineering	3.5%
Imperial Brands	Tobacco	3.4%
Dunelm Group	General Retailers	3.2%
Bioventix	Pharma & Biotech	3.2%
Rotork	Industrial Engineering	3.1%
Page Group	Support services	2.8%
Rolls-Royce	Aerospace & defence	2.7%
Capita	Support Services	2.6%
Novo Nordisk	Pharma & Biotech	2.5%
Serco Group	Support Services	2.3%
Cash	Cash	4.5%
Rev/Cap Accruals	Cash	1.0%
Total		100.0%

Source: Valu-Trac 30/09/19

How to invest

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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