GLOBAL GOV'T/MORT ASSET ALLOCATION CORE CREDIT **EMERGING MKTS EQUITY** INFLATION PROTECTION ALTERNATIVES

### PIMCO

### GLOBAL INVESTORS SERIES PLC

2010 YTD

### E Class, Accumulation and Income Shares

For the month ending 30 September 2011

#### **FUND INFORMATION**

Fund Description: The Global Multi-Asset Fund is a 3-in-1 integrated asset allocation mutual fund that integrates: a risk diversified multi-asset class portfolio, relative value strategies designed to provide return-enhancement potential and hedging strategies to help protect against systematic risk. The fund holds a combination of PIMCO Funds and other instruments.

Investor Benefits: This Fund's beta, alpha, and tail-risk hedging strategies form a comprehensive asset allocation solution.

The Fund Advantage: The Fund's focus on diversification across global risk factors and hedging may offer superior risk management and diversification.

### **BASIC FACTS**

|                             | Accumulation | Income              |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| Bloomberg Ticker            | PGMEHAU      | PMAEEHI             |  |  |  |
| ISIN                        | IE00B4YYY703 | IE00B5L8V263        |  |  |  |
| Sedol                       | B4YYY70      | B5L8V26             |  |  |  |
| Valoren                     | 10228715     | 3756833             |  |  |  |
| WKN                         | A0X8WH       | A1JG0U              |  |  |  |
| Unified Management Fee      | 2.15         | 2.15                |  |  |  |
| Inception Date              | 22/06/2009   | 24/06/11            |  |  |  |
| Fund Type                   | UC           | UCITS               |  |  |  |
| Portfolio Manager           | Mohamed      | Mohamed A. El-Erian |  |  |  |
|                             | Curtis A. N  | Curtis A. Mewbourne |  |  |  |
|                             | Vineer I     | Bhansali            |  |  |  |
| Fund Assets                 | 3.4 (USD     | in Billions)        |  |  |  |
| Distribution Income Class S | Shares Qua   | Quarterly           |  |  |  |

### **FUND STATISTICS**

| Effective Duration (yrs)  | 3.31 |
|---------------------------|------|
| Benchmark Duration (yrs)  | 2.29 |
| Current Yield (%)         | 2.20 |
| Market Weighted Yield (%) | 2.67 |
| Average Coupon            | 2.65 |
| Effective Maturity (yrs)  | 7.82 |

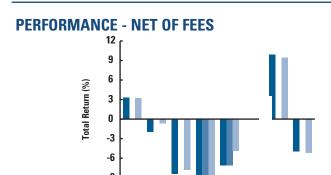
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# Global Multi-Asset Fund EUR (Hedged)



| _ | PIMCO Fund -               |      |       |       |       |       |      |       |
|---|----------------------------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|
|   | Accum (%)                  | 3.30 | -1.98 | -8.43 | -8.63 | -7.12 | 9.86 | -4.98 |
| _ | PIMCO Fund -               |      |       |       |       |       |      |       |
|   | Income (%)                 | -    | -     | -     | -8.55 | -7.09 | -    | -     |
| _ |                            |      |       |       |       |       |      |       |
|   | Benchmark (%)              | 3.19 | -0.67 | -7.82 | -8.91 | -4.91 | 9.45 | -5.17 |
|   |                            |      |       |       |       |       |      |       |
|   | Benchmark <sup>2</sup> (%) | 8.00 | 8.00  | 3.92  | 1.94  | 0.64  | 8.00 | 5.94  |
|   |                            |      |       |       |       |       |      |       |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 60% MSCI World Index/40% USD Hedged Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Index.; All Euro Hedged.

1 yr 6 mos 3 mos 1 mo

# All periods longer than one year are annu **MARKET COMMENTARY**

- Virtually all markets sold off in September with only a few exceptions including the U.S. dollar, flight to quality sovereigns, and volatility
- Developed equities lost 8.6 percent and emerging equities lost 14.6 percent as measured by the MSCI World Index and the MSCI EM Index, respectively
- In fixed income, the 10-year U.S. Treasury yield decreased by 31 basis points to 1.92 percent as the US Federal Reserve announced Operation Twist

### PORTFOLIO RECAP

- The Fund underperformed its benchmark for the month
- Contributors to portfolio performance included:
  - >Underweight to equities overall, as equities fell globally
  - > Duration overweight to German and Australian sovereigns as yields rallied
  - >Tail risk hedges as high volatility caused tail hedges to increase dramatically in value
- Detractors from portfolio performance included:
  - > Exposure to EM equities as they materially underperformed developed equity markets
  - > Emerging markets currency exposure as they fell in a flight to quality to the U.S. dollar
  - > Exposure to gold which fell by 11% as investors used gold as a source of liquidity

### MARKET OUTLOOK AND STRATEGY

- Position the portfolio defensively in order to mitigate the heightened recession risk, especially in
- Focus on tactical asset allocation decisions while staying diversified across risk factors and attaining equity risk from a range of equity and non-equity markets
- In a highly volatile economic environment, maintain a focus on protecting the portfolio against downside risk and keeping cash on hand to re-risk at more attractive points

### **Asset Allocation Strategies**

Global Multi-Asset

Amsterdam ■ Hong Kong ■ London ■ Munich ■ New York ■ Newport Beach ■ Singapore ■ Sydney ■ Tokyo ■ Toronto ■ Zurich

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 8% Per Annum Return Target.

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### **ABOUT THE BENCHMARK**

The benchmark is a blend of 60% MSCI World Index and 40% USD Hedged Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Index. All EUR Hedged. The MSCI World Index is a free float-adjusted market capitalization weighted index that is designed to measure the equity market performance of developed markets. As of May 27, 2010 the MSCI World Index consisted of the following 24 developed market country indices: Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Singapore, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, and the United States. The index represents the unhedged performance of the constituent stocks, in US dollars. It is not possible to invest directly in an unmanaged index. Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Index provides a broad-based measure of the global investment-grade fixed income markets. The three major components of this index are the U.S. Aggregate, the Pan-European Aggregate, and the Asian-Pacific Aggregate Indices. The index also includes Eurodollar and Euro-Yen corporate bonds, Canadian Government securities, and USD investment grade 144A securities. It is not possible to invest directly in an unmanaged index. Prior to November 1st, 2008, this index was published by Lehman Brothers.

### **SECTOR ALLOCATION (%)**

#### **MARKET VALUE WEIGHTED**

| <b>Developed Market Equities</b> | 38.1  |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| <b>Emerging Market Equities</b>  | 13.9  |
| Commodities                      | 8.3   |
| Real Estate                      | 0.0   |
| Developed Market Bonds           | 40.7  |
| Inflation Linked Bonds           | 0.0   |
| Emerging Market Bonds            | 10.5  |
| Net Cash and Other *             | -11.5 |
|                                  |       |

<sup>\*</sup> Represents Fund's exposure to net cash and cash equivalents, tail risk hedges, and alpha trades.

#### **RISK FACTOR EXPOSURE POSITIONING**

**Equity Exposure** Underweight

(% Market Value)

**Bond Exposure** 

Overweight

(Years, relative to 60/40 blend)

Mortgage Spread Exposure

Neutral

(Years, relative to 60/40 blend) Corporate Spread Exposure

Neutral

(Years, relative to 60/40 blend)

**Commodities Exposure** 

Overweight

Real Estate Exposure

Underweight

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