



# **Neptune European Opportunities Fund**

Data as at 30 September 2016

## **Investment Objective**

To provide capital growth by investing mainly in a focused portfolio of approximately 40-60 European companies, selected at the manager's discretion, excluding the UK.

There is no assurance that the investment objective will be achieved.

Quick facts			
Launch date	29/11/02		
IA sector	Europe Excluding UK		
Benchmark index	MSCI Europe ex UK		
Fund Manager	Rob Burnett		
Active share*	83.4%		
Fund size (£)	233.6m		
Initial charge (%)	C Acc - 0.00 A Acc - 5.00		
Ongoing charge (%)	C Acc - 0.86 A Acc - 1.86		
Net yield** (%)	C Inc - 2.60 A Inc - 0.88		

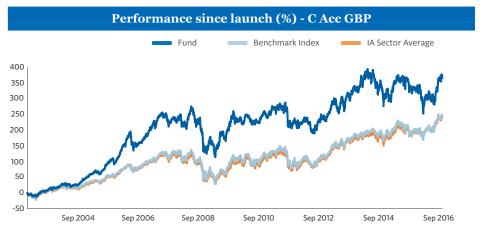
\*The Active Share is a measure of how different a portfolio is from its benchmark i.e. how 'actively managed' a fund is relative to its respective Index. A score of 100% indicates the fund's holdings are completely different, whilst 0% indicates the portfolio exactly replicates the Index

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## Overview

The Neptune European Opportunities Fund provides an investment gateway to potential global growth through the wealth of exciting global companies based in Europe. The Fund is managed by Rob Burnett with global industry sector research backup from the entire investment team. This combination of strong stockpicking and sector views allows the manager to position the Fund in those companies and industry sectors that we believe have the best investment potential.



CUMULATIVE PERFORMANCE (%)	YTD	1 YR	3 YRS	5 YRS	SINCE LAUNCH
Fund	5.63	10.04	12.48	46.19	357.58
Benchmark index	13.98	21.03	27.66	85.34	245.39
IA sector average	11.43	19.03	29.84	89.62	259.52
Sector ranking	101/108	101/106	94/95	85/85	6/50
Quartile ranking	4	4	4	4	1

DISCRETE ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)	30/09/15 30/09/16	30/09/14 30/09/15	30/09/13 30/09/14	30/09/12 30/09/13	30/09/11 30/09/12
Fund	10.04	-1.35	3.61	22.42	6.17
Benchmark index	21.03	-0.83	6.36	28.93	12.61
IA sector average	19.03	4.39	4.56	27.59	14.63
Sector ranking	101/106	89/98	58/95	77/90	82/85
Quartile ranking	4	4	3	4	4



Performance data supplied by Morningstar; C Accumulation share class performance, in sterling with net income reinvested and no initial charges. A Accumulation share class performance is provided up to launch of C Accumulation share class on 03/10/12. The performance of other share classes may differ. IA sector rankings may change at any time as a result of closure, movement between sectors or price amendments by competitor funds. Neptune's funds are not tied to replicating a benchmark and holdings can therefore vary from those in the index quoted. For this reason, the comparison index should be used for reference only.

#### Top ten holdings (%) at 30/09/16

BNP Paribas	6.0
Philips	5.9
Banco Santander	5.6
KBC Bank	5.5
Intesa Sanpaolo	4.7
Société Générale	4.0
Sandvik	3.6
LANXESS	3.2
ING Group	3.1
Yara International	3.1
Total	44.7

#### Sector (%) at 30/09/16

Financials & Real Estate	35.6
Industrials	23.3
Materials	22.9
Information technology	5.9
Energy	4.5
Consumer discretionary	2.7
Telecommunication	2.5
Consumer staples	1.5
Utilities	0.4
Health care	0.1
Cash	0.6

Income distribution			
Pay dates	Distribution rates* (pence per share)		
31 Aug 16	2.5749		
29 Feb 16	0.4092		
	Pay dates 31 Aug 16		

\*Rates paid per share for the C income shares, the primary distributing share class. For rates on other share classes, please contact us.

Dealing & prices			
Dealing frequency	UK working days: priced at 12 noon UK time		
Settlement	Trade date + 4 days		
Dealing line	0800 587 5051		
Dealing fax	0870 889 0540		
Email	dealing.enquiries@neptune-im.co.uk		
Price availability	www.neptunefunds.com		

	Country (%)	) at 30/09/16
France	18.0	
Germany	16.8	
Netherlands	11.9	
Spain	10.8	
Sweden	8.5	
Belgium	8.5	
Norway	6.3	
Other Europe	5.2	
Italy	5.1	
Austria	4.2	
Denmark	4.1	
Cash	0.6	L. Contraction of the second se

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