

Siberian Investment Co.

Paradoxically in the month where the index traditionally ends lower the Russian Market managed to gain 7.8%. There was a noticeable reduction in liquidity in the market but investors continued to focus on stocks which offered opportunity and value. Norilsk Nickel continued to climb on firm commodity prices and the news that they had won a government auction for a sizeable gold deposit which now makes them the tenth largest gold producer in the world. On a smaller scale Highland Gold made a significant acquisition in Russia's Far East and presented a respectable set of interim results. Many second tier stocks continued to rise; OMZ as they prepare for a level one GDR listing on the London Stock Exchange; TNK and Megionneftegas, where a prompt and fair buy out of minority investors is expected now the deal with BP is completed; Kusbasenergo and Bashkirenergo have all also performed well on the back of sector restructuring. We see continuing outperformance in all these names.

Positive comments from the government bode well for the restructuring of the gas sector, especially the dismantling of the ring-fence, indications are that this will happen sooner rather than later. The meeting of Presidents Bush and Putin as well as an oil business conference between the two countries fuelled speculation of a strategic partner for Yukos which in time is more than likely. Mr Khordokovsky's relationship with the Kremlin has not improved which may hold the stock back in the short term, an intriguing behind the scenes battle between these two is currently underway. The merger with Sibneft is now nearly complete.

Company	% NAV	Company	% NAV
Yukos	14.7	Vostok Nafta	5.3
Sibneft	9.8	Gazprom ADR Reg S	5.1
Unified Energy Systems (GDRs & Pref)	9.0	GMK Norilsk Nickel ADR	4.2
Mobile Telesystems ADS	6.5	Uralskie Mashinostroitelniye Zavody	3.8
Sberbank	5.4	Vimpel Communications ADR	3.5
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Siberian Investment Co. Performa	nce Sector Break	Sector Breakdown		
LG Fund RTS Index	Micropal Sector	% NAV		
Last month 10.7 7.3	Universe Oil & Gas	42.3		
Last 3 months 18.6 12.9	4.4 On & Gas 10.8 Telecommunication	ns 21.8		
Last 6 months 55.2 53.9	463	.10		
Year to date 60.3 57.0	53.4 Energy	16.6		
Last 1 year 76.8 64.8	69.5 Metals	7.7		
Last 2 years 232.6 219.4	167.7 Banking	5.4		
Last 3 years 278.0 185.6	170.3			
Last 4 years 524.9 562.1	419.1 Engineering	3.8		
Last 5 years 531.3 1129.4	805.6 Shipping	1.4		
Last 6 years 11.9 14.7	-5.9	0.0		
Since inception 85.6 70.9	51.8 Consumer	0.9		
Micropal Ranking in Russia closed & open-ended funds	Funds	0.4		
Last Last 3 Last 6 Last 1 Last 2 Last 3 Last 4 L	ast 5 Last 6 Since Chemicals	0.3		
	ears years inception Cash	-0.6		
Sibinco 6 8 17 19 5 5 9	17 6 4 Tatal	100.0		
No. of funds 37 37 37 34 33 28	26 18 15 Total	100.0		

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INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE

The principal investment objective of the Fund is to provide Shareholders with long-term capital appreciation through investment primarily in a diversified portfolio of traded securities of Russian companies whose principal business activities are in the regions of the Russian Federation located east of the Ural Mountains.

LLOYD GEORGE MANAGEMENT

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EDWARD ROBERTSON - FUND MANAGER

Prior to joining Lloyd George Management, Edward Robertson moved to Hong Kong in 1992, where he lived for five years working for the South China Morning Post and subsequently for Cazenove & Co. and Nava Standard Chartered Securities where he was responsible for Sales of South East Asian securities to institutional clients. In 1999, he joined Lloyd George Management where he runs the Siberian Fund and covers the EMEA region.

General information

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Inception date: February 1997

NAV per share US\$18.56 No. of shares 1,791,369

Fund size US\$33.25 million

Cash holding (%NAV) -0.6% Number of holdings 35

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