

Hartford Climate Opportunities Fund

Tickers A: HEOMX C: HEONX F: HEAFX I: HEOIX R3: HEORX R4: HEOSX R5: HEOTX R6: HEOVX Y: HEOYX

Morningstar® Category World Small/Mid Stock

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Lipper Peer Group Global Multi-Cap Value

Market Overview

Global equities, as measured by the MSCI All Country World Index, rose for the third straight quarter. Markets rebounded sharply after two coronavirus vaccines demonstrated high efficacy rates, fueling optimism that the pandemic could be alleviated in the near term. However, the logistical challenges of distributing and administering the vaccines are significant, and high coronavirus case counts threaten to undermine the global economic recovery. In the United States (US), infections hit record highs while the government agreed on an additional pandemic relief plan. The European Central Bank expanded its massive monetary stimulus program by €500 billion (US\$607 billion) as new lockdown measures weighed on the Eurozone's economic recovery. The MSCI All Country World Index returned 14.68% during the quarter, with all 11 sectors posting positive returns. The energy and financials sectors were the strongest performers, while healthcare was the weakest-performing sector.

Performance Summary

- Hartford Climate Opportunities Fund (I Share) outperformed both the MSCI All Country World Index and the Lipper Global Multi-Cap Value peer group average during the quarter.
- Outperformance during the quarter was driven by favorable stock selection, particularly within the industrials, information technology, and real estate sectors.
- Industrials accounted for about 40% of the total outperformance as Vestas Wind Systems, TPI Composites, Siemens Gamesa, and Sunnova each generated returns of nearly 50% or more during the quarter.
- First Solar, Itron, and Samsung SDI were strong performers in the information technology sector. The Fund only had two holdings in the real estate sector during the quarter, but both Hannon Armstrong and Weyerhaeuser contributed to the Fund's outperformance.
- On a regional basis, security selection in North America, Europe, and Emerging Markets contributed while selection in Japan detracted
- The top relative contributor during the period was China Longyuan Power (utilities)

Positioning & Outlook

- At the overall fund level, the largest climate theme allocation at the end of the quarter was in Clean Energy, with approximately 36% of the Fund's assets.
- Energy Efficiency was the second-largest thematic allocation, with approximately 21% of the Fund's assets.
- The rest of the Fund's assets were allocated to the following climate themes: Environmental Resource Management (16%), Sustainable Transport (12%), Climate Resilient Infrastructure (7%), Low Carbon Leaders (5%), and Other (2%).
- At the regional level, 43% of the Fund's assets were invested in US stocks, with 53% in non-US stocks and the remaining balance in cash.

Portfolio Managers from Wellington Management

Alan T. Hsu

Managing Director
Equity Portfolio Manager and Global Industry Analyst
Professional Experience Since 2000

G. Thomas Levering

Senior Managing Director
Equity Portfolio Manager and Global Industry Analyst
Professional Experience Since 1993

Portfolio Manager from Schroders

Simon Webber, CFA

Portfolio Manager
Professional Experience Since 1999

The portfolio managers are supported by the full resources of their respective firms.

Top Ten Holdings (%)

Vestas Wind Systems A/S	3.50
National Grid plc	2.36
Deere & Co.	2.16
Hannon Armstrong Sustainable Infrastructure Capital, Inc.	2.14
First Solar, Inc.	2.13
Daikin Industries Ltd.	1.87
China Longyuan Power Group Corp. Ltd.	1.81
Siemens AG	1.65
Muenchener Ruckversicherungs-Gesellschaft AG in Muenchen	1.58
Amazon.com, Inc.	1.57
Percentage Of Portfolio	20.77

Holdings and characteristics are subject to change. Percentages may be rounded.

Effective 11/8/19, the Fund changed its principal investment strategy. The Fund also added Schroder Investment Management North America Inc. as a sub-adviser and Schroder Investment Management North America Ltd. as a sub-sub-adviser to the Fund. Returns prior to 11/8/19 reflect the performance of the Fund's prior strategy. Please refer to the prospectus for more information.

Class	Performance (%)		Average Annual Total Returns				Expenses ¹		
	QTD	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	SI	Gross	Net
A	22.13	41.00	41.00	15.55	—	—	17.34	1.80%	1.19%
A with 5.5% Max Sales Charge	—	—	33.25	13.39	—	—	15.98	—	—
F	22.24	41.61	41.61	16.00	—	—	17.74	1.41%	0.69%
I	22.19	41.38	41.38	15.92	—	—	17.68	1.50%	0.89%
R3	22.19	41.21	41.21	16.10	—	—	17.61	2.13%	1.41%
R4	22.22	41.23	41.23	15.81	—	—	17.50	1.83%	1.11%
R5	22.20	41.39	41.39	15.90	—	—	17.64	1.53%	0.81%
R6	22.28	41.57	41.57	16.06	—	—	17.78	1.41%	0.69%
Y	22.22	41.34	41.34	15.97	—	—	17.72	1.52%	0.79%
MSCI ACWI Index	14.68	16.25	16.25	10.06	—	—	—	—	—
Morningstar Category	22.75	24.89	24.89	10.79	—	—	—	—	—
Lipper Peer Group	16.57	7.65	7.65	5.13	—	—	—	—	—

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Share Class Inception: A, I, R3, R4, R5, R6, Y - 2/29/16; F - 2/28/17. Performance shown prior to the inception of a class reflects performance and operating expenses of another class(es) (excluding sales charges, if applicable). Had fees and expenses of a class been reflected for the periods prior to the inception of that class, performance would be different. Since inception (SI) performance is from 2/29/16. Performance and expenses for other share classes will vary. Additional information is in the prospectus. Only Class A assesses a sales charge.

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¹Expenses as shown in the Fund's most recent prospectus. Gross expenses do not reflect contractual expense reimbursement arrangements. Net expenses reflect such arrangements in instances when they reduce gross expenses. These arrangements remain in effect until 2/28/21 unless the Fund's Board of Directors approves an earlier termination.

Investors should carefully consider a fund's investment objectives, risks, charges and expenses. This and other important information is contained in a fund's full prospectus and summary prospectus, which can be obtained by visiting hartfordfunds.com. Please read it carefully before investing.

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