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2nd Quarter 2013



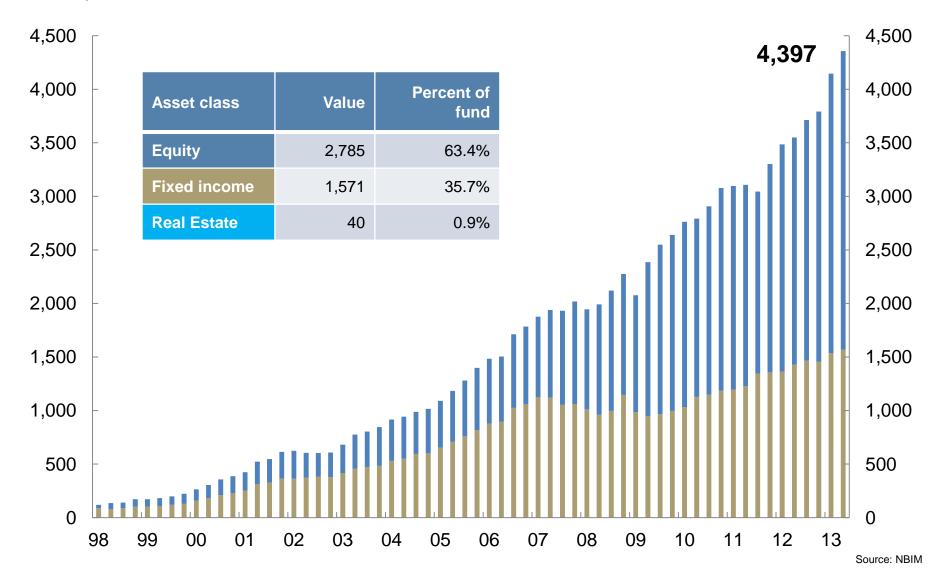




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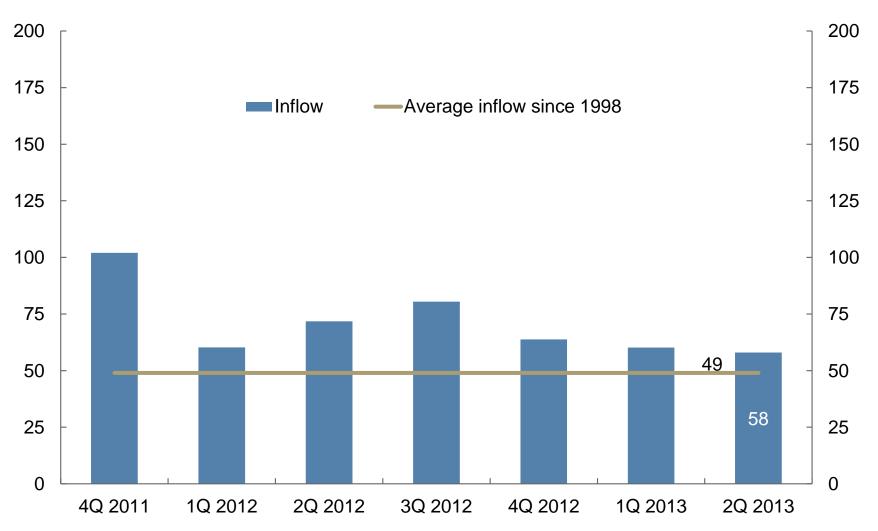
Market value

Quarterly numbers. Billions of kroner, 30 June 2013



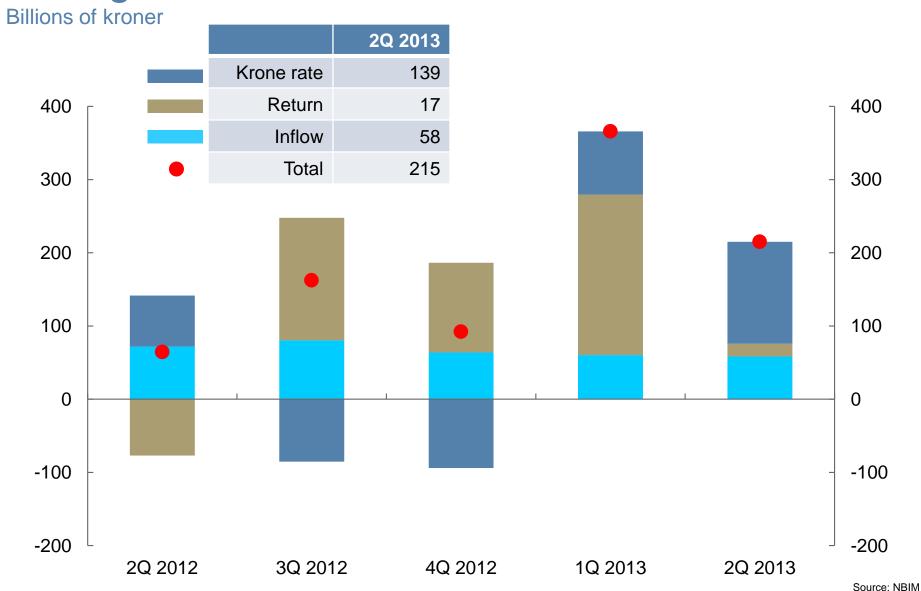
Change in market value: Inflows

Billions of kroner



Source: NBIM

Change in market value



Changes in value since 1996

Billions of kroner

	2Q 2013	1Q 2013
Market value of fund	4,397	4,182
Gross inflow of new capital	3,180	3,121
Management costs	22	21
Change due to fluctuations in krone	-105	-244
Accumulated return	1,344	1,327

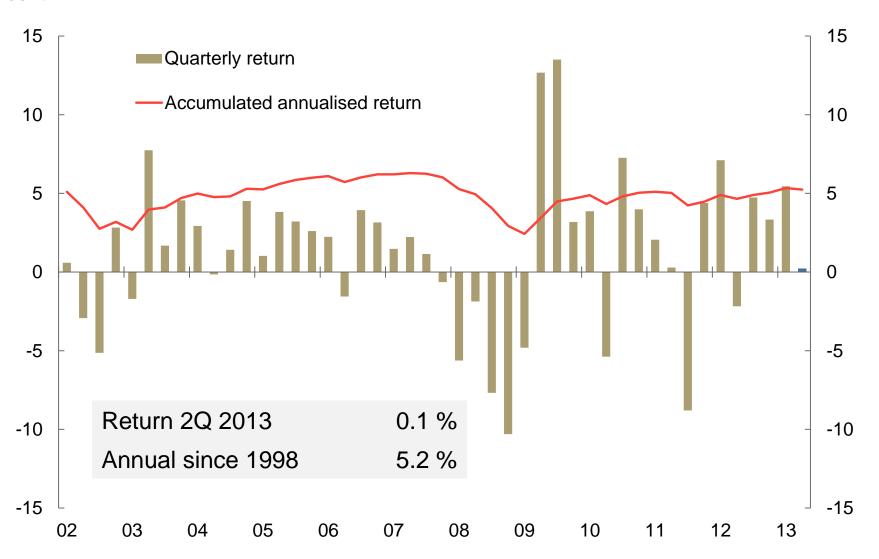
Key figures

Fund's total investments. Measured in the fund's currency basket. Percent

	Last 12 months	Since 1 Jan 1998
Return on fund	14.21	5.25
Annual price inflation	1.74	1.92
Annual management costs	0.06	0.09
Annual net real return	12.18	3.17

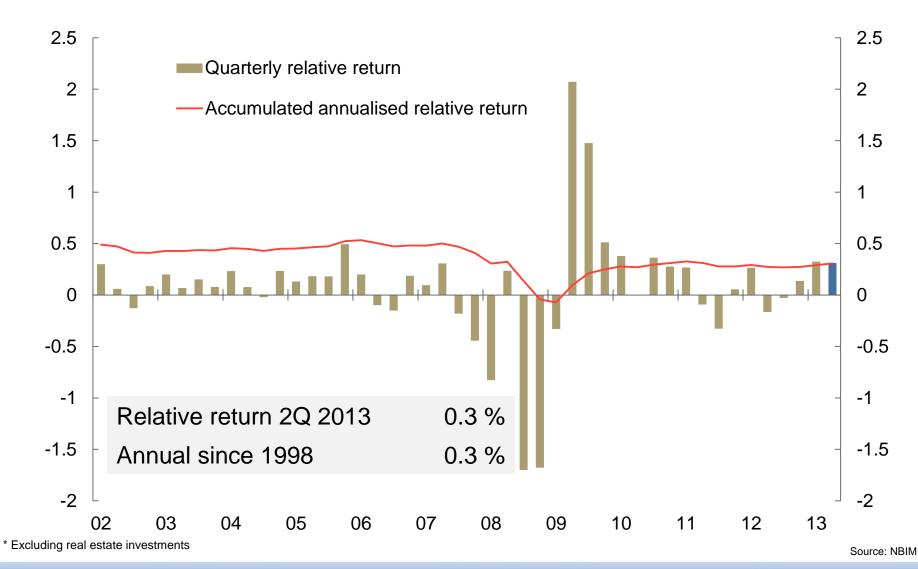
Quarterly return

Percent

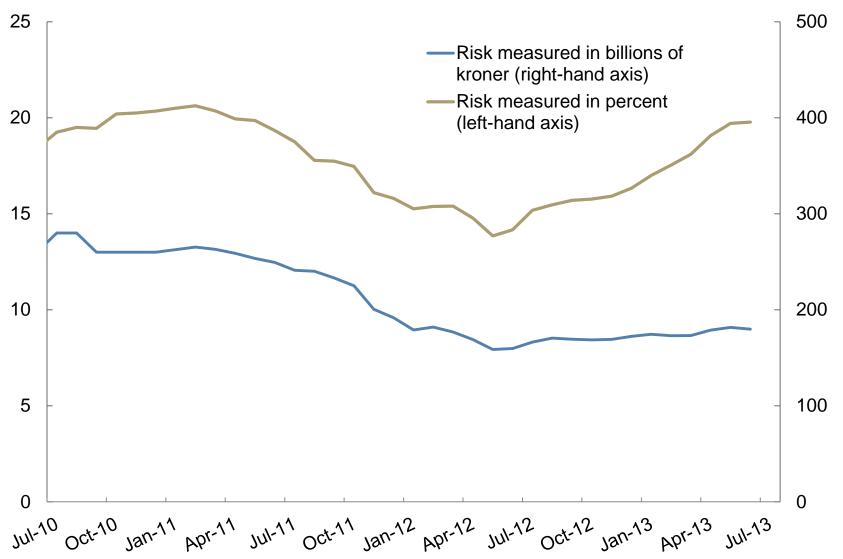


Quarterly relative return*

Basis points

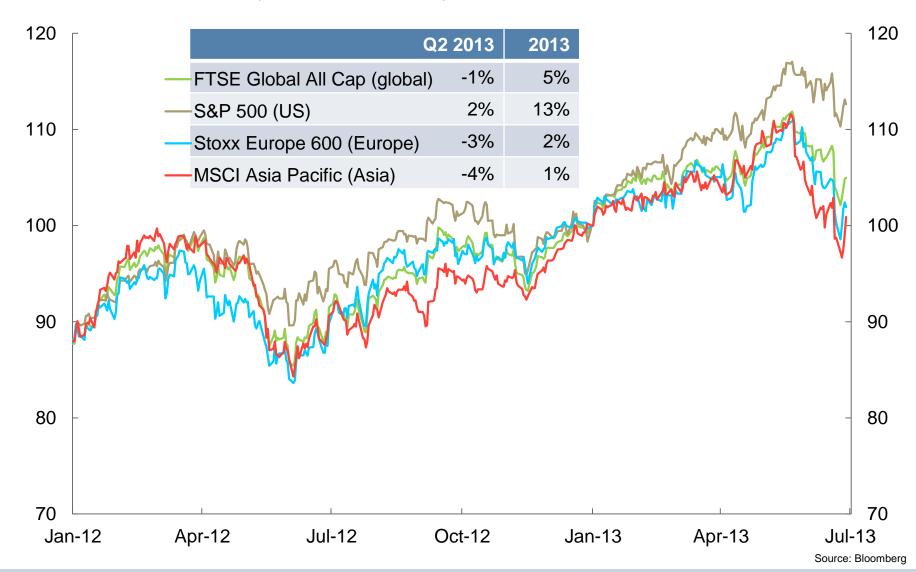


Expected absolute volatility of the fund

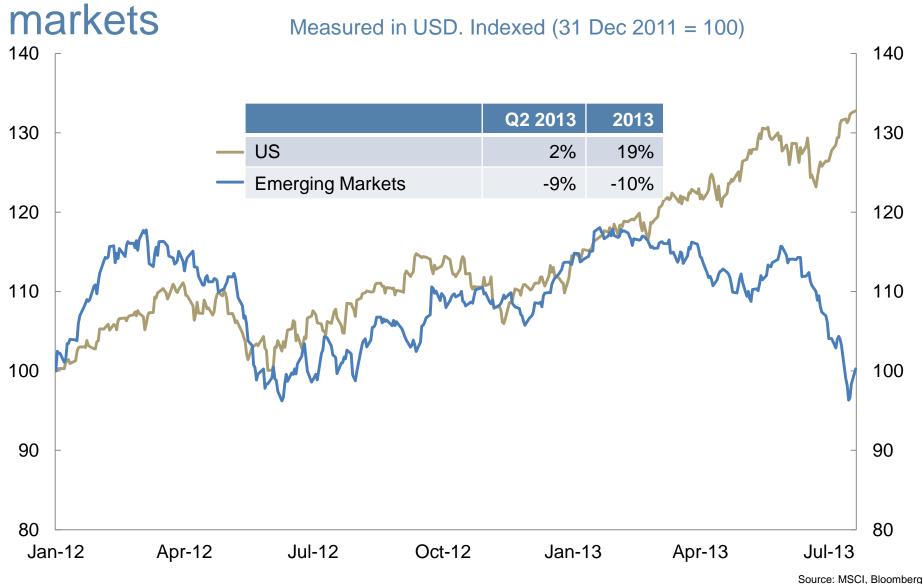


Price developments equity markets

Measured in USD. Indexed (31 Dec 2012 = 100)

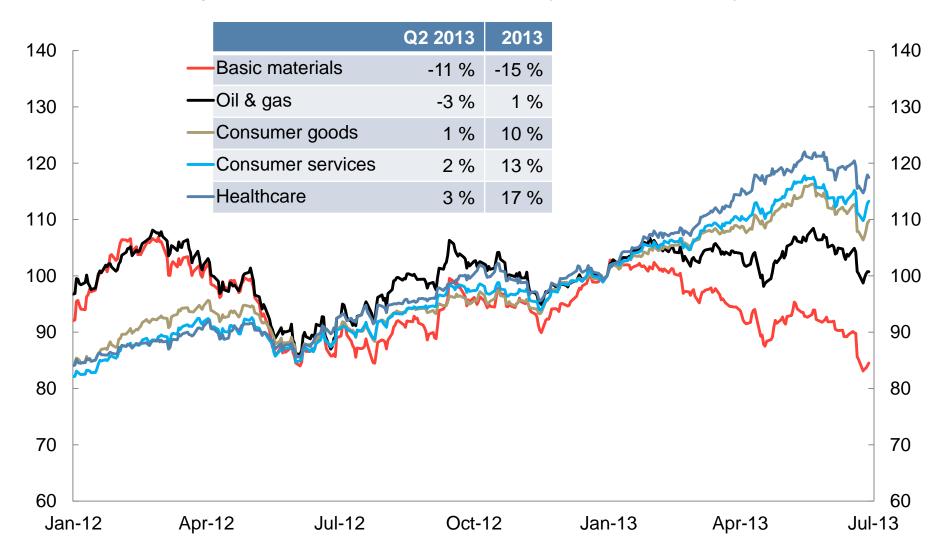


Price developments in emerging equity



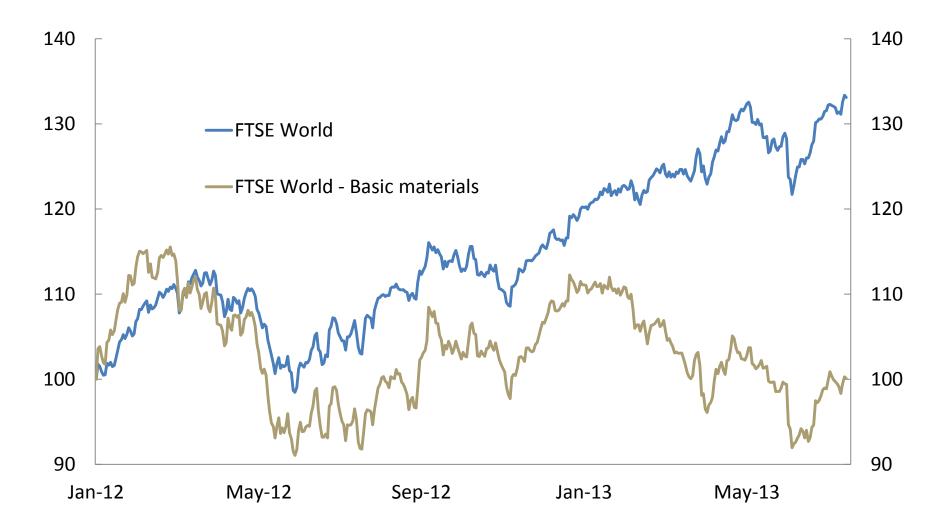
Price moves in stock sectors

FTSE Global All Cap Index. Measured in USD. Indexed (31 Dec 2012 = 100)



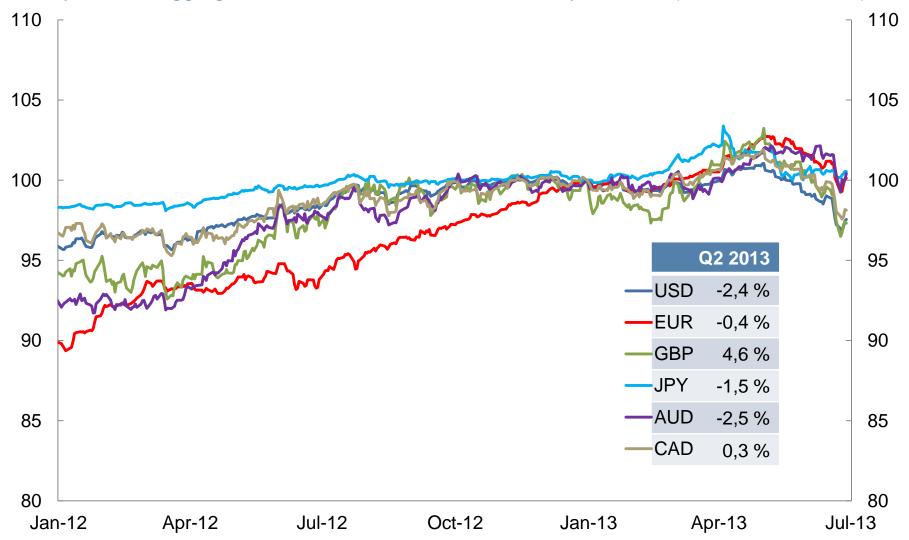
Price development basic materials

Measured in USD. Indexed (31 Dec 2011 = 100)



Price developments for government debt

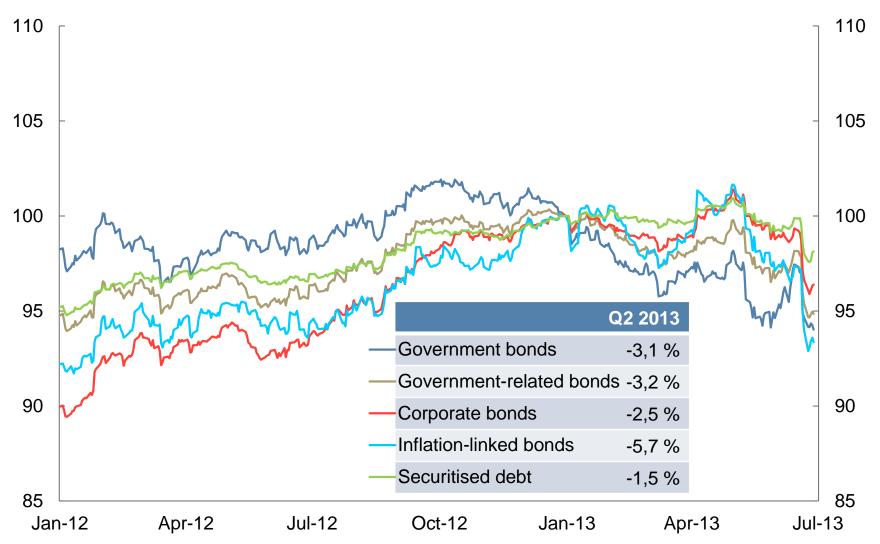
Barclays Global Aggregate Index. Measured in local currency. Indexed (31 Dec 2012 = 100)



Source: Barclays Capital

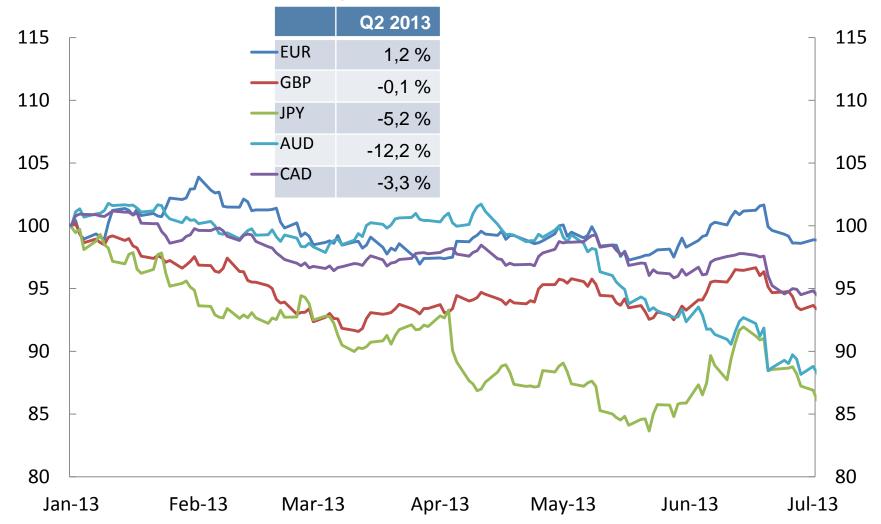
Price developments in fixed-income sectors

Barclays Global Aggregate Index. Measured in USD. Indexed (31 Dec 2012 = 100)



Currency exchange rates against US dollar

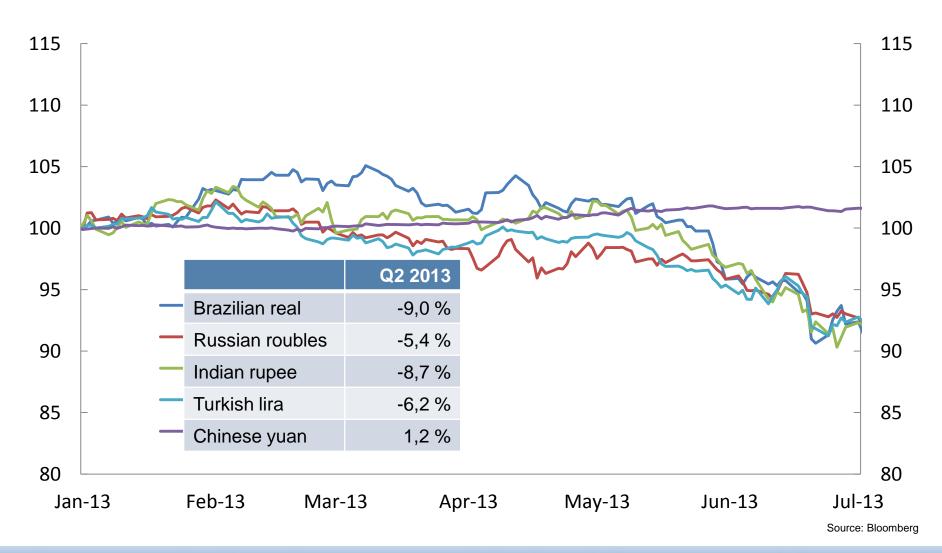
Indexed (31 Dec 2012 = 100). Rising curve indicates weaker rate



Source: Bloomberg

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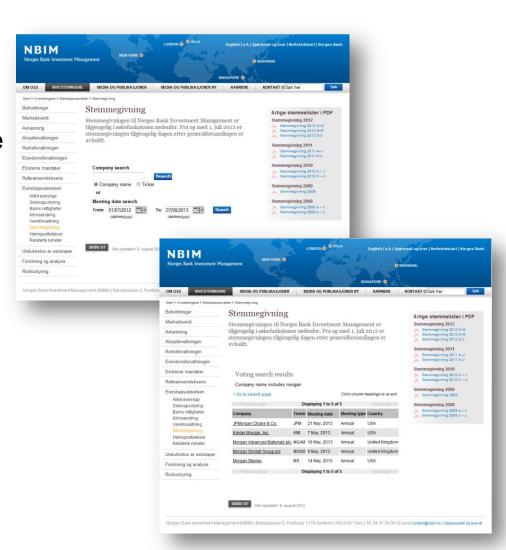
Corporate governance and responsible investments

Highlights Q2

- NBIM voted at 6,078 general meetings in the second quarter 99 percent of the meetings
- NBIM filed shareholder proposals at three companies to give shareholders proxy access
- Established a Corporate Governance Advisory Board

On-going disclosure of voting instructions

- NBIM's voting instructions are available one business day after the general meeting has concluded
- New vote disclosure platform on nbim.no



Corporate Governance Advisory Board

To provide important support for NBIM's long-term ownership work



Anthony Watson International board and investment management experience

Mandate:

- Advise on board appointments
- Sounding board on corporate governance
- Review NBIM's corporate governance activities



John Kay Academic background with focus on corporate governance activities and well-functioning markets



Peter Montagnon Experience in corporate governance from an investor and regulatory point of view

Norwegian Finance Initiative (NFI)

- Annual research conference (NFRC)
 - Yearly since 2011
- PhD scholarship programme
 - Two scholarships so far
- **Publication bonus**
 - Six publication bonuses are awarded
- Co-financing for senior hiring and lecture series
 - Two lectures completed
- Master's thesis award
 - First time in 2012
- Summer school
 - First time in June 2013



Highlights 2Q 2013

- Return on fund 0.1 percent
- Return on real estate investment 3.9 percent
- Relative return was 0.3 basis points
- The market value of the fund rose 215 billions kroner to 4,397 billion kroner

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