

PRODUCT PROFILE / 1Q 2011

International Equity Plus

STRATEGY DESCRIPTION

Lazard International Equity Plus seeks to generate strong relative returns over a long-term time horizon by investing in companies with strong financial productivity at attractive valuations. The strategy typically invests in 60–80 securities of non-U.S. companies, including those from emerging markets, with a market capitalization generally of \$3 billion or greater. The emerging markets equity allocation is implemented by investing in the Lazard Emerging Markets Equity Portfolio, a mutual fund.

PERFORMANCE (%) – AS OF MARCH 31, 2011

(%; Gross of fees)	3 Months	1 Year	Annualized Returns		
			3 Years	5 Years	10 Years
Lazard International Equity Plus	2.7	10.3	-0.5	2.5	6.5
MSCI EAFE Index	3.4	10.4	-3.0	1.3	5.4

Performance is preliminary and presented gross of fees. Please refer to the disclosure sections for additional performance information, including net-of-fees results. The performance quoted represents past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

PORTFOLIO DRIVERS FIRST QUARTER 2011
Helped

- + Stock selection in the energy sector
- + Stock selection in the industrials sector

Hurt

- A high exposure to and stock selection in the information technology sector
- A low exposure to and stock selection in the telecom services sector
- Exposure to emerging markets

COMMENTARY¹

The first quarter of 2011 was eventful, volatile, and ultimately concluded with a meaningful increase in world equity markets. During the quarter, a number of negative events occurred: the Japanese earthquake, tsunami, and nuclear crisis; unrest and civil war in the Middle East and North Africa; and the ongoing sovereign debt problems of peripheral Europe, Portugal being the most recent focus. These negative factors were more than offset by better-than-expected economic and corporate earnings growth in many areas.

Regionally, the United States and Europe were notably strong performers, while Japanese equities posted negative

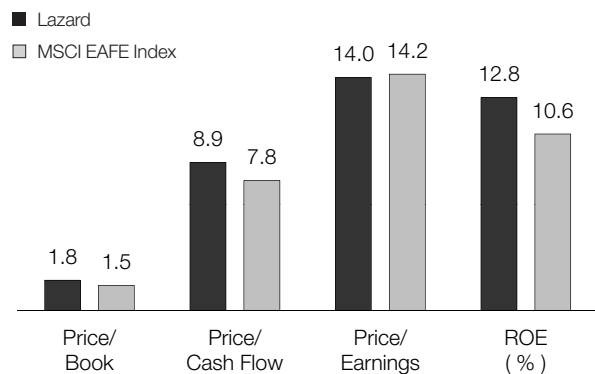
returns following the tragic events in the country. Sector leadership was mixed between cyclical and defensive sectors. Energy was the best-performing sector, as oil prices rose due to conflict in the Middle East and North Africa, which could potentially affect supply. Economically sensitive sectors such as consumer discretionary and materials, underperformed.

The team continues to focus on stock selection, seeking to find stocks with sustainably high or improving returns trading at attractive valuations, and it remains confident that the strategy is positioned to perform well in a variety of market conditions.

PORTFOLIO PROFILE^{1,2}

	Lazard	MSCI EAFE Index
Number of Securities	60	966
Current Dividend Yield (%)	2.7	3.1
Average Weighted Market Cap (\$ billions)	52.2	46.5
Turnover – Trailing 12 Months (%)	52.1	N/A

Characteristics



Geographic Allocation	Lazard Weighting%	MSCI EAFE Index Weighting%
Continental Europe	35.7	44.3
United Kingdom	30.1	21.3
Middle East	0.0	0.8
Japan	22.0	20.3
Asia-Pacific ex-Japan	4.9	13.4
North America	2.0	0.0
Emerging Markets	5.4	0.0

Sector Allocation	Lazard Weighting%	MSCI EAFE Index Weighting%
Financials	23.5	24.0
Consumer Discretionary	13.0	10.2
Energy	11.4	8.5
Consumer Staples	11.0	9.7
Information Technology	10.0	4.8
Health Care	9.2	8.0
Industrials	8.6	13.1
Materials	7.9	11.3
Telecom Services	4.6	5.7
Utilities	1.0	4.8

NOTES

1 The allocations mentioned are based upon a portfolio that represents the proposed investment for a fully discretionary account. Allocations are subject to change.

2 Investment characteristics are based upon a portfolio that represents the proposed investment for a fully discretionary account. Lazard Weighting % includes allocations attributable to investment through the Lazard Emerging Markets Equity Portfolio (Institutional). Source: Lazard, MSCI

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ABOUT LAZARD ASSET MANAGEMENT

DIFFERENTIATING FEATURES

- Focus on security selection and portfolio construction
- Accounting validation process
- Internal global research resources
- Risk management
- Team approach to investing

FIRM OVERVIEW

Tracing its history back to 1848, Lazard has long maintained a pre-eminent position in the world's financial marketplace. Lazard Asset Management LLC, an indirect subsidiary of Lazard Ltd., is known for its global perspective on investing and years of experience with global, regional, and domestic portfolios. With more than 250 investment personnel worldwide, we offer investors of all types an array of equity, fixed income, and alternative investment solutions from our network of local offices in ten different countries. Our team-based approach to portfolio management helps us to deliver robust and consistent performance over time, and strong client relationships allow us to understand how to employ our capabilities to our clients' advantage.

INVESTMENT PHILOSOPHY

- **Pick securities, not markets.** Securities are evaluated individually, and capital is allocated to the most attractive. Each investment decision is backed by original research, strict accounting validation, and fundamental analysis.
- **Find relative value.** A careful analysis of valuation is predicated on a long-term view of financial productivity. Understanding that value is determined by the relationship between cost and reward, an emphasis is placed on strong fundamentals.
- **Manage risk.** Although it cannot be avoided, risk can be actively managed through an understanding of the cumulative risk resulting from individual investment decisions.
- **Stick to our discipline.** In the course of a complete market cycle, investment styles will fall in and out of favor. By remaining faithful to our approach, success can be measured with a long-term perspective.

INVESTMENT PROCESS

- **Analytical Framework.** Our analysts screen global databases consisting of thousands of companies, searching for those with a high return on capital and an attractive share price.
- **Accounting Validation.** Analysts use this process to examine a company's stated financial statistics (income statement, cash flow statement, balance sheet, and all related footnotes) to consider how accounting decisions and policies may affect reported financial productivity. They also try to identify and take advantage of pricing anomalies and discover opportunities, including hidden value per share and hidden risks.
- **Fundamental Analysis.** We conduct fundamental analysis to determine the sustainability of returns, to discover hidden value, and to identify a catalyst for price revaluation.
- **Analyst Recommendations and Portfolio Construction.** The sector team-based analysts will propose and defend stock recommendations to the product management teams, thereby identifying a group of undervalued securities that meet the teams' portfolio criteria. The product teams must agree on the merits of the stock in order for a purchase to occur.

SELL DISCIPLINE

Portfolios are reviewed on a daily basis, and an individual security is sold when:

1. price rises to a level that no longer reflects value (target valuation)
2. the underlying investment assumptions are no longer valid
3. company management changes direction
4. external events occur (e.g., increase in geo-political risk, changes in regulation, tax events)

Portfolio ideas are generally implemented equally for all fully discretionary portfolios with similar mandates.

ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT

As of December 31, 2010

Total Firm Assets:	\$140.6 billion
Total International Equity Plus Assets:	\$201.7 million

Assets consist of Lazard Asset Management LLC (New York) and its affiliates, but do not include Lazard Frères Gestion in Paris.

DISCLOSURE NOTES

Composite Name:	International Equity Plus
Benchmark:	MSCI EAFE Index
Reporting Date:	December 31, 2010
Composite Inception Date:	January 1, 1995
Reporting Currency:	U.S. Dollar

The composite returns represent the total returns of all fully discretionary, fee-paying portfolios with an International Equity Plus investment mandate and a minimum of \$5 million in assets under management. Lazard International Equity Plus seeks to generate strong relative returns over a long-term time horizon by investing in companies with strong financial productivity at attractive valuations. The strategy typically invests in 60-80 securities of non-U.S. companies, including those from emerging markets, with a market capitalization generally of \$3 billion or greater, that are domiciled in those countries that comprise the MSCI EAFE index. The emerging markets equity allocation is implemented by investing in the Lazard Emerging Markets Equity Portfolio, a mutual fund. Tactical "Plus" allocations are achieved through investment in the Lazard Emerging Markets Equity Portfolio and small capitalization international equity securities.

Lazard's account inclusion policy was a minimum of three months from inception through June 30, 2001, and then the first full month or the end of the month in which the account is fully invested from July 1, 2001, to the present. The returns of the individual portfolios within the composite are time-weighted, use trade date accounting, are based upon monthly portfolio valuations, and include the reinvestment of all earnings as of the payment date. The composite returns are asset-weighted based upon beginning period market values. Additional information regarding policies for valuing portfolios, calculating performance, and preparing compliant presentations are available upon request. Composite returns are shown before taxes and the deduction of custody fees (except for mutual funds which includes all

fees). The composite and benchmark returns are reported net of foreign withholding taxes on dividends, interest and capital gains. The composite returns presented represent past performance and is not a reliable indicator of future results, which may vary.

Lazard's standard fee schedule for International Equity Plus accounts is 0.75% of the first \$100 million of assets and 0.50% of the balance. (This fee schedule may be presented in non-U.S. local currency equivalents based on prevailing exchange rates.) Actual account fees, inclusive of performance-based fees (if applicable) are used in the construction of composite net of fee performance unless otherwise noted. A complete list and description of all Lazard composites is available upon request.

The MSCI Europe, Australasia, Far East Index (EAFE) is an arithmetic, market value-weighted average return net of dividends taxation which is derived from over 900 securities listed on the stock exchanges of countries in Europe, Australasia and the Far East. The Index is compiled by Morgan Stanley Capital International.

Lazard Asset Management claims compliance with the Global Investment Performance Standards (GIPS®) and has prepared and presented this report in compliance with the GIPS standards. Lazard Asset Management has been independently verified for the period of January 1, 1993 through December 31, 2009. The verification reports are available upon request. Verification assesses whether (1) the firm has complied with all the composite construction requirements of the GIPS standards on a firm-wide basis and (2) the firm's policies and procedures are designed to calculate and present performance in compliance with the GIPS standards. Verification does not ensure the accuracy of any specific composite presentation. Lazard Asset Management is the "Firm" to which the GIPS Standards apply (Frankfurt office included in Firm definition as of January 1, 2003). GIPS is a registered trademark of CFA Institute. CFA Institute has not been involved in the preparation or review of this presentation. The composite creation date is January 2002.

	Calendar												Annualized				
	QTD	YTD	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR	Since Inception
Lazard Rate of Return (% Gross of Fees)	5.5	8.6	8.6	26.5	-36.7	11.6	24.5	14.6	19.3	34.0	-8.0	-20.9	8.6	-4.5	3.9	4.9	7.2
Lazard Rate of Return (% Net of Fees)	5.5	8.3	8.3	26.3	-36.8	11.3	24.2	14.2	18.9	33.6	-8.3	-21.2	8.3	-4.8	3.6	4.6	6.9
Benchmark (% Rate of Return)	6.6	7.8	7.8	31.8	-43.4	11.2	26.3	13.5	20.2	38.6	-15.9	-21.4	7.8	-7.0	2.5	3.5	5.1
Lazard Standard Deviation (% Gross of Fees)														23.3	19.0	16.8	15.6
Benchmark Standard Deviation (%)														26.2	21.4	18.6	17.0
# of Portfolios		<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	9	9	9	9	11	20					
Composite Dispersion (Asset Wtd. Std. Dev.)		0.33	0.33	0.41	0.05	0.15	0.12	0.10	0.40	0.45	0.26	0.77					
Composite Assets (USD billions)		0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	2.0	1.4	1.1	0.7	0.6	1.3					
% of Firm Assets		0.2	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.0	1.2	2.0					
Total Firm Assets (USD billions)		140.6	140.6	116.5	79.8	126.9	97.7	77.6	76.5	69.1	51.6	62.5					