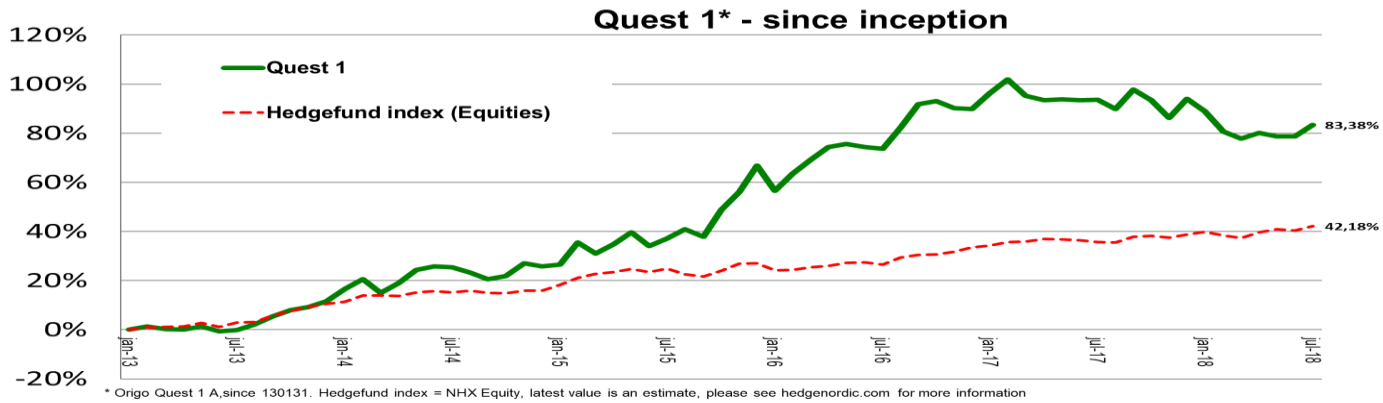


Monthly comment

Quest rose by 2.67% in July, driven by **good development for both the long and short positions.** The reports for the second quarter have rolled in and characterized the market during the month. We can see that the earnings trend is still strong, as does the outcome compared to analysts' forecasts. The **majority of Quest's long-term companies have delivered strong reports with SOBI and Recipharm at the top.** On the minus side, we find **Lindab, which showed lower margins** and has not yet achieved its operational leverage despite a quarter of record sales in its main business. **The fund's largest short position, XXL, lost 25% during the month after reporting high inventories and weak margins.**

The real estate company (logistics) **Catena, one of the fund's top holdings, continues to be extremely active**. In Linköping they are developing a cluster within food retail logistics. At other strategic locations in the country, e-commerce logistics center develops, and within the city centers, warehouses and logistics properties are built to meet the special requirements. **Management maintains a high pace and we hope and think they will continue to invest with the same discipline and focus as before. The real estate portfolio and profits will in our view continue to grow steadily over the next few years. The project portfolio has never been larger and the company has 1.7 million square meters of land. We think Catena is optimally positioned for the profound change in the pattern of consumption that is happening now.**

**Quest 1, Class A*



* Origo Quest 1 A,since 130131. Hedgefund index = NHX Equity, latest value is an estimate, please see hedgenordic.com for more information

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2018	-2,64	-4,34	-1,62	1,32	-0,81	-0,03	2,67						-5,48
2017	3,41	2,89	-3,37	-0,89	0,22	-0,21	0,12	-1,96	4,15	-2,20	-3,68	4,15	2,21
2016	-6,15	4,48	3,46	3,08	0,69	-0,70	-0,46	4,98	5,21	0,73	-1,48	-0,24	13,80
2015	0,66	7,02	-3,25	2,94	3,54	-4,05	2,37	2,73	-2,23	7,97	4,86	6,94	32,70
2014	4,54	3,38	-4,68	3,49	4,57	1,08	-0,34	-1,60	-2,23	1,09	4,26	-1,10	12,62
2013	-	1,28	-0,99	-0,17	1,18	-2,00	0,71	2,19	3,31	2,34	1,09	2,23	11,61

Return	NAV	Month	YTD	Since inception
Class A	176,50	+2,67	-5,48	83,38
Class B	149,78	+2,67	-5,48	59,51
Class C	181,08	+2,66	-5,54	44,67
NHX-index[1]	*219,26*	*+1,30*	*2,55*	*42,18*
Risk-free interest[2]	350,66	-0,07	-0,46	-0,72
AUM (SEK)	426m			

Risk	%	Exposure	%
Volatility, 24m[3]	9,69	Long pos.	101,15
Annualized return[4]	11,66	Short pos.	64,61
Sharpe-ratio[5]	0,35	Gross exp.[8]	165,76
Beta[6]	0,41	Net exp.	36,54
VaR[7]	0,85		

Top 5 long holdings	Value driver	% of NAV
Catena	Expansion	12,81
Alimak	Differentiation	11,29
Lindab	Transformation	10,91
Qliro Group	Transform./Expansion	10,51
Cherry	Transform./Expansion	8,62
Total:		54,14

1) Hedge Fund Index Equities (latest monthly figure is an estimate). See www.hedgenordic.com for more info. 2) OMRX-T bill 90 d (T-bill index) 3) The funds overall measure of risk. Shows how returns vary in annual terms over time. 4) The Fund's annualized return since inception (Class A). 5) Important measure of whether the manager has been paid for the risk taken (risk-adjusted return). 6) A measure of how responsive the return has been vs the market (Small Cap Index). 7) Value-at-Risk is a probability based measure of the size of the risk over a certain period of time. (Origo Capital use 1 day with 95% confidence) 8)The market value of the long positions (holdings of securities) + short positions (short sold shares and negative exposure,% of Fund). 9) Market value of the long positions minus short positions and negative exposure,% of fund. NOTE: Risk figures are usually based on a 24 month history, and in some cases have a one month lag.



Short on Origo Quest 1

Quest 1 is an equity-oriented hedgefund with a focus on small-cap companies that are in a period of change. The companies will mainly be denominated in the Nordic countries and have a market capitalization that is smaller than SEK 10 billion at the time of investment.

The investment philosophy is based on the following cornerstones:

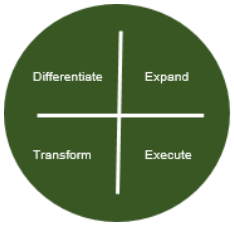
- **Specialized in small caps**
- **Engaged and active owners**
- **Long-term investors**
- **Focus on development of portfolio companies**

The core of the fund consists of long-term holdings (max 20 companies), where the team has identified significant potential, while the level of risk is deemed reasonable. The management team often takes an active role in the change process.

The portfolio is supplemented with a varying degree of short positions (short selling), interest-bearing-investments and various derivatives, with the aim to achieve the desired risk profile.

Origo Capital – Value creation model

- Differentiate
- Business model
- Technology, service etc.



- Expansion
- Geography, segment etc.
- Organic, M&A

- Transformation
- M&A, Spin-offs
- Capital structure

- Management/ Board
- Strategy/targets
- Execution

The investment team

Fund manager is Stefan Roos and Carl Rydin is Investment Analyst. Stefan is a specialist in small-cap companies and has received several awards for his fund management. Stefan has worked at, among others, Handelsbanken Funds and SEB Funds as investment manager, shareholder-representative and team leader. Carl Rydin has international experience from both M&A and the hedge fund industry. Most recently, he was an Investment Manager at New York-based Lucerne Capital Management. Together the team has more than 40 years of professional experience in the stock market.

Risk Information

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CLASS A	
Date of inception	130131
Fee structure	Fixed fee 1,25% + ev. performance fee
Performance fee	20% of the fund's excess return
High Water Mark	Yes, individually calculated
Threshold-rate	90 d SSVX + 5%
Currency	SEK
ISIN	SE 0005 003 134
Minimum investment	SEK 500 000:-, thereafter SEK 100 000:-
Dividend	No
Subscription, redemption/NAV	Monthly
CLASS B	
Date of inception	140331
Fee structure	Fixed fee 1,25% + ev. performance fee
Performance fee	20% of the fund's excess return
High Water Mark	Yes, individually calculated
Threshold-rate	90 d SSVX + 5%
Currency	SEK
ISIN	SE 0006 452 959
Minimum investment	SEK 500 000:-, thereafter SEK 100 000:-
Dividend	Yes
Subscription, redemption/NAV	Monthly
CLASS C	
Date of inception	141231
Fee structure	Fixed fee 1,35% + ev. performance fee
Performance fee	20% of the fund's excess return
High Water Mark	Yes, collectively calculated
Threshold-rate	90 d SSVX + 5%
Currency	SEK
ISIN	SE 006 452 967
Minimum investment	SEK 1 000:-, thereafter SEK 1 000:-
Dividend	No
Subscription, redemption/NAV	Monthly
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