

## **WisdomTree Launches Japan Hedged SmallCap Equity Fund (DXJS) And United Kingdom (U.K.) Hedged Equity Fund (DXPS)**

*Evolving U.S. Fed and Central Bank Policies in Japan and United Kingdom Highlight Efficacy  
of Currency Hedged Exposure*

*DXJS Targets Japanese Small Caps for Domestic Demand*

*DXPS in Focus as Governor Mark Carney Assumes Leadership of Bank of England*

New York, NY – (GlobeNewswire) – June 28, 2013 – WisdomTree (NASDAQ: WETF), an exchange-traded fund (“ETF”) sponsor and asset manager, today announced the launch of the WisdomTree Japan Hedged SmallCap Equity Fund (DXJS) and the United Kingdom (U.K.) Hedged Equity Fund (DXPS) on the NASDAQ Stock Market. DXJS is designed to provide exposure to small capitalization stocks within Japanese equity markets while hedging exposure to the yen. DXPS is designed to provide exposure to United Kingdom equity markets while hedging exposure to the British pound.

Following U.S. Federal Reserve Chairman Ben Bernanke’s June 19 statements on potential Fed tapering purchases of U.S. bonds, interest rates rose and the U.S. dollar strengthened on expectations of an improving U.S. economy. Bernanke seems to have signaled the period of extraordinary monetary accommodation in the U.S. is coming to an end.

A rising U.S. economy should prove supportive for global markets, but may create headwinds for foreign currencies relative to the dollar. WisdomTree believes investors should consider how volatility in foreign exchange rates may impact their international investments. With today’s launch, WisdomTree now offers currency hedged strategies for three of the world’s most important currencies: the euro, yen and pound.

### ***Accessing “Abenomics” – A Small Cap Consumer Growth Strategy***

Thus far in 2013, the depreciating Japanese yen has been a boon to the country’s large exporters, a trend the WisdomTree Japan Hedged Equity Fund (DXJ) is designed to target. More broadly, the three-pronged strategy of fiscal stimulus, monetary stimulus and structural reforms commonly referred to as “Abenomics” is intended to spur economic growth within Japan and strengthen the Japanese consumer base.

“To expand our coverage of Japanese stocks beyond just the exporters, we have designed DXJS to capture the small cap portion of the equity markets that we believe are more levered to local Japan consumption and revenue,” said Jeremy Schwartz, WisdomTree Director of Research.

### ***Expanding Currency Hedged Equity Family – New Bank of England Governor Signals Change***

The United Kingdom is the third largest market in the MSCI AC World Index<sup>1</sup> following the United States and Japan, representing another global market where investors may consider equity exposure without taking on local currency risk.

Schwartz said, “We believe DXPS offers investors a unique way to capitalize on the growth potential of leading global companies in the U.K while hedging exposure to the British pound. Moreover, we believe the upcoming appointment of Mark Carney as Governor of the Bank of England (BOE) represents a potential near-term

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<sup>1</sup> The MSCI AC World Index is weighted by market capitalization (share price x number of shares outstanding) and the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest country exposure would mean that constituents within the United Kingdom represented the third largest total market capitalization relative to the other included countries. As of 5/31/2013. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

catalyst, with Carney's reputation as a forward thinking Governor who may enact bold policies to reinvigorate the U.K economy."

### ***WisdomTree Currency Hedged Equity Family***

With the launch of DXJS and DXPS, WisdomTree now offers four currency hedged equity strategies for the developed world.

<b>Ticker</b>	<b>Fund Name</b>	<b>Expense Ratio</b>
DXJ	WisdomTree Japan Hedged Equity Fund	0.48%
DXJS	WisdomTree Japan Hedged SmallCap Equity Fund	0.58%
HEDJ	WisdomTree Europe Hedged Equity Fund	0.58%
DXPS	WisdomTree United Kingdom Hedged Equity Fund	0.48%

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