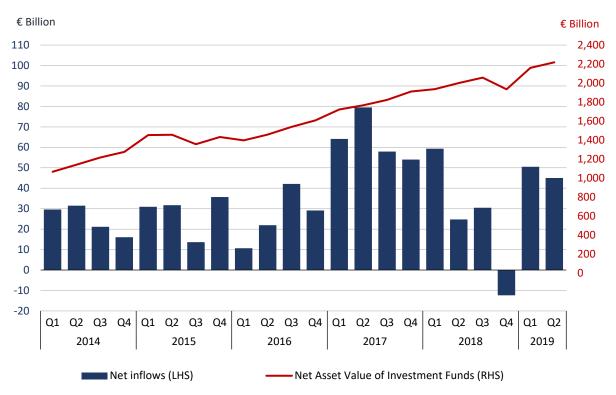
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Value of Investment Fund Shares/Units

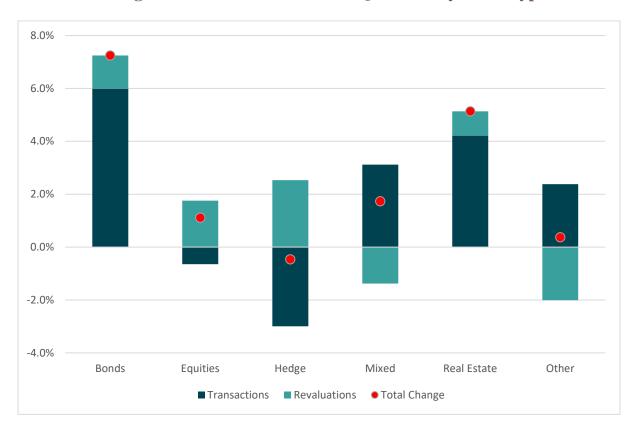


Note: In Q3 2015, there was a reclassification of funds from Bond to Money Market funds resulting in a decrease of €30 billion in bond funds total assets

The Net Asset Value (NAV) of Irish resident Investment Funds (IFs) increased by 2.7 per cent to €2,219bn in Q2 2019, reflecting gains in debt securities and significant net subscriptions. Revaluation gains amounted to €14bn and net subscriptions were €45bn.

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Percentage Growth in Total Assets in Q2 2019 – by Fund Type



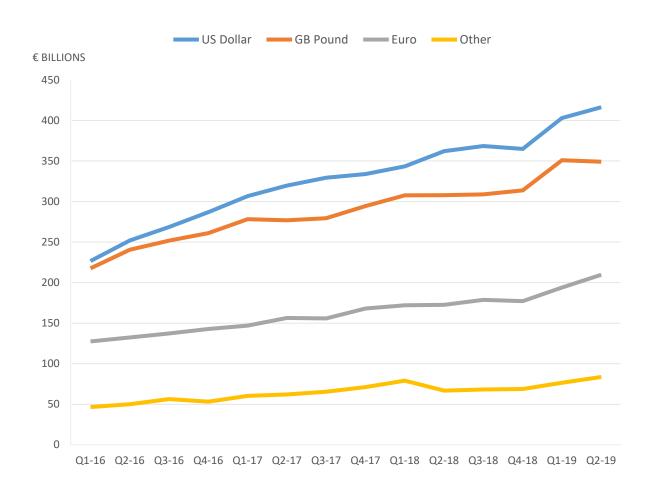
Total assets held by Irish investment funds grew by €73bn to €2,662bn in Q2 2019 driven by net transactions of €54bn and revaluations of €28bn. This transaction growth was led by debt securities, which grew by €35bn, to a total of €1,068bn.

All fund types, except hedge funds and equities, recorded net purchases of assets during Q2 2019, with Bond funds (€46bn) accounting for the majority of the €54bn.

All fund types, except hedge funds, recorded an increase in the value of their assets. Bond funds saw the largest gains, registering at €56bn.

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Holdings of Debt Securities by Irish Resident Investment Funds - by Nominal Currency



US Dollar denominated debt securities continue to be the largest component of holdings by IFs, accounting for €416bn (39 per cent) of the total. UK Pound denominated holdings are the second largest, at €349bn (33 per cent), albeit there was a drop of €2bn this quarter. Euro denominated debt securities account for €209bn (20 per cent), and are the fastest growing, with an 8 per cent growth (€15bn) in Q2 2019. No other single currency accounts for more than 1 per cent of total debt holdings.



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All Funds by category are published here.

Further information

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