

## ADVANCED TOPICS IN HEDGE EUND PRACTICES CONFERENCE

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## **Trends in Tokenization of Funds**

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#### **Benefits to Tokenization of Fund Shares**

Potential for secondary liquidity via peer-to-peer transactions

Peer-to-peer transactions on a blockchain enable 24-7 trading by shareholders/potential shareholders

Transparency: all transactions in fund shares are recorded on the blockchain and therefore publicly available

Faster settlement: blockchain enables faster settlement of fund transactions

Compatibility with digital asset ecosystems

#### **Challenges to Tokenized Funds**



AML/KYC Compliance: how to ensure that fund shares are only transferred to a shareholder that has appropriate AML/KYC reviews

Digital wallet infrastructure: investors will need a digital wallet to hold the shares

Educate shareholders on tokenization benefits

Ensuring compatibility with regulatory compliance

#### **Case Study: Tokenized Money Market Funds**

Tokenized registered money market funds or private versions of the same

Target holders of stable coins that are not earning interest on their stable coin holdings

Solve friction of converting stable coins into fiat (e.g., fund shares) and back to stable coins

### **CFTC Interest in Tokenization**

"I have deep concerns that taking one unregulated market—carbon offsets—and layering it on top of another unregulated market cryptocurrency—will serve only to compound the risks and vulnerabilities inherent in both."

- CFTC Commissioner Kristin Johnson



#### **Benefits of Tokenizing Carbon Credits**



Mitigate against double-counting concerns



**Efficiently redeem** carbon credits



Digitally track and record realtime mitigation outcome data



Address issues of greenwashing

#### **Use Cases**

BIS Project Genesis 2.0

AirCarbon Exchange (ACX)

Green Tracker