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FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number: 811-22005

Wells Fargo Advantage Global Dividend Opportunity Fund

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

525 Market Street, 12th Floor, San Francisco, CA 94105

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

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Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 800-222-8222

Date of fiscal year end: October 31, 2011

Date of reporting period: July 31, 2012

ITEM 1. PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS

WELLS FARGO ADVANTAGE GLOBAL DIVIDEND OPPORTUNITY FUND

PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS July 31, 2012 (UNAUDITED)

| Security name | Shares | Value |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Common Stocks: 70.80% | | |
| Brazil: 0.22% | | |
| Telefonica Brasil ADR (Telecommunication Services, Diversified Telecommunication Services) | 38,750 | \$ 904,813 |
| | | |
| France: 8.26% | | |
| France Telecom SA (Telecommunication Services, Diversified Telecommunication Services) | 1,300,000 | 17,408,422 |
| Suez Environnement Company SA (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) | 230,000 | 2,524,961 |
| Veolia Environnement SA (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) | 200,000 | 2,263,003 |
| Vivendi SA (Telecommunication Services, Diversified Telecommunication Services) | 594,166 | 11,268,714 |
| | | 33,465,100 |
| | | |
| Germany : 2.13% | | |
| Deutsche Post AG (Industrials, Air Freight & Logistics) | 480,000 | 8,617,559 |
| Democre Post No (Manustratus, No Preign & Dogistics) | 100,000 | 0,017,557 |
| Italy: 10.54% | | |
| • | 2 000 000 | 5 711 500 |
| Enel SpA (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 2,000,000 | 5,711,523 |
| ENI SpA (Energy, Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels) | 600,000 | 12,372,148 |
| Hera SpA (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) Talagam Italia SpA (Talagammunication Saminas Divarsified Talagammunication Saminas) | 9,080,402 9,000,000 | 11,102,618 6,265,729 |
| Telecom Italia SpA (Telecommunication Services, Diversified Telecommunication Services) TERNA SpA (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 2,175,000 | 7,258,548 |
| TERINA SPA (Onnues, Electric Onnues) | 2,173,000 | 7,236,346 |
| | | 42,710,566 |
| | | |
| Netherlands: 3.35% | | |
| D.E Master Blenders 1753 NV (Consumer Staples, Food Products) | 1,100,000 | 12,748,049 |
| VimpelCom Limited ADR (Telecommunication Services, Wireless Telecommunication Services) | 100,000 | 839,000 |
| | | 13,587,049 |
| | | 13,367,049 |
| Norway: 0.96% | | |
| | 100.000 | 2 070 000 |
| Seadrill Limited (Energy, Energy Equipment & Services) | 100,000 | 3,879,000 |
| Devidence I. O. 4000 | | |
| Portugal: 0.42% | | |
| Portugal Telecom Society of Graduate and Professional Students SA ADR (Telecommunication Services, | | |
| Diversified Telecommunication Services) | 400,000 | 1,708,000 |
| | | |
| Spain: 2.15% | | |
| Red Electrica de Espana (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 220,000 | 8,711,047 |
| | | |
| Sweden: 0.81% | | |
| Tele2 AB Series B (Telecommunication Services, Diversified Telecommunication Services) | 200,000 | 3,305,507 |
| Telez AB Series B (Telecommunication Services, Diversified Telecommunication Services) | 200,000 | 3,303,307 |
| Turkey: 3.07% | | |
| | | |
| Turkcell Iletisim Hizmetleri AS ADR (Telecommunication Services, Wireless Telecommunication Services) | 900,000 | 12,429,000 |
| | | |
| United Kingdom: 10.72% | | |

| National Grid plc (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) | 250,000 | 2,593,200 |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|------------|
| Severn Trent plc (Utilities, Water Utilities) | 400,000 | 10,804,298 |
| United Utilities Group plc (Utilities, Water Utilities) | 390,223 | 4,173,084 |
| Vodafone Group plc ADR (Telecommunication Services, Wireless Telecommunication Services) | 900,000 | 25,875,000 |
| | | |

43,445,582

| United States: 28.17% | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| AG Mortgage Investment Trust Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 77,500 | 1,749,175 |
| Ameresco Incorporated Class A (Industrials, Building Products) | 131,000 | 1,592,960 |
| American Campus Communities Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 25,000 | 1,191,500 |
| American Electric Power Company Incorporated (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 100,000 | 4,224,000 |
| Annaly Capital Management Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 200,000 | 3,486,000 |
| Chatham Lodging Trust (Financials, REITs) | 552,000 | 7,590,000 |
| Choice Hotels International Incorporated (Consumer Discretionary, Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure) | 111,004 | 4,449,040 |

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| Security name | Shares | Value |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| United States (continued) | | |
| Convergys Corporation (Information Technology, IT Services) | 25,00 | 0 \$ 368,500 |
| DISH Network Corporation (Consumer Discretionary, Media) | 400,00 | |
| Excel Trust Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 1,175,00 | |
| Gaylord Entertainment Company (Consumer Discretionary, Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure) | 100,00 | |
| Hatteras Financial Corporation (Financials, REITs) | 575,00 | 0 16,818,750 |
| Hillshire Brands Company (Consumer Staples, Food Products) | 150,00 | 0 3,841,500 |
| IDACORP Incorporated (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 100,00 | 0 4,220,000 |
| Kaydon Corporation (Industrials, Machinery) | 652,21 | 8 13,761,800 |
| Mitek Systems Incorporated (Information Technology, Software) | 25,00 | |
| PG&E Corporation (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) | 55,00 | |
| Preferred Apartment Communities Incorporated (Financials, Real Estate Management & Development | | , , |
| Public Service Enterprise Group Incorporated (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) | 100,00 | |
| QR Energy LP (Energy, Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels) | 60,00 | |
| Rentech Nitrogen Partners LP (Materials, Chemicals) | 50,00 | , , |
| SCANA Corporation (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) | 50,00 | 0 2,458,500 |
| Shenandoah Telecommunications Company (Telecommunication Services, Wireless Telecommunication | | 0 2 027 404 |
| Services) | 249,99 | , , |
| Vanguard Natural Resources LLC (Energy, Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels) | 50,00 | |
| Whitestone REIT (Financials, REITs) | 70,00 | 0 955,500 |
| | | 114,128,659 |
| Total Common Stocks (Cost \$225 171 600) | | 206 001 002 |
| Total Common Stocks (Cost \$335,171,690) | | 286,891,882 |
| Investment Companies: 1.29% | | |
| Sandridge Mississippian Trust II | 125,00 | 0 2,595,000 |
| Tortoise MLP Fund Incorporated | 100,00 | 0 2,632,000 |
| Total Investment Companies (Cost \$5,151,500) | | 5,227,000 |
| | | 2,=21,000 |
| | | |
| | | |
| Di | vidend yield | |
| Preferred Stocks: 22.41% | | |
| Canada: 0.37% | | |
| Nexen Incorporated (Energy, Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels) | 7.35% 59,0 | 58 1,494,167 |
| | | |
| Germany: 0.66% | | |
| Deutsche Bank Contingent Capital Trust V (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 8.05 100,2 | 20 2,662,845 |
| Netherlands: 0.90% | | |
| | 9.00 125.0 | 00 2.626.562 |
| Aegon NV (Financials, Insurance) | 8.00 135,0 | 3,636,563 |
| United Kingdom: 1.93% | | |
| Barclays Bank plc (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 8.13 91,0 | 00 2,337,790 |
| National Westminster Bank plc (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 7.76 225,0 | , , |
| | | 7,827,790 |
| | | 1,821,190 |

United States: 18.55%

| AG Mortgage Investment Trust Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 8.25 | 75,000 | 1,878,750 |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------|---------|-----------|
| American Financial Group (Financials, Insurance) | 6.38 | 80,000 | 2,127,200 |
| Annaly Capital Management Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 7.63 | 25,000 | 642,500 |
| Bank of America Corporation Series 3 (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 6.38 | 68,386 | 1,704,863 |
| Bank of America Corporation Series 5 (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 4.09 | 40,000 | 808,400 |
| Bank of America Corporation Series 8 (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 8.63 | 150,000 | 3,916,500 |
| BB&T Corporation (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 5.63 | 100,000 | 2,532,000 |
| Cedar Realty Trust Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 7.25 | 75,000 | 1,860,000 |
| Citigroup Capital X (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 6.10 | 469 | 11,664 |

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| Security name | Dividend yield | Shares | Value |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|---------|--------------|
| United States (continued) | | | |
| Colony Financial Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 8.50% | 75,000 | \$ 1,914,848 |
| Commonwealth REIT (Financials, REITs) | 5.75 | 50,000 | 1,236,500 |
| Countrywide Capital V (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 7.00 | 100,150 | 2,493,735 |
| DDR Corporation (Financials, REITs) | 6.50 | 146,000 | 3,628,100 |
| DTE Energy Company (Utilities, Multi-Utilities) | 6.50 | 35,000 | 1,001,350 |
| Duquesne Light Company (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 6.50 | 105,000 | 5,213,912 |
| Dynex Capital Incorporated (Financials, REITs) | 8.50 | 75,000 | 1,875,000 |
| Endurance Specialty Holding (Financials, Insurance) | 7.75 | 69,385 | 1,869,232 |
| Fifth Third Capital Trust V (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 7.25 | 34,000 | 864,620 |
| Fifth Third Capital Trust VI (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 7.25 | 61,200 | 1,555,092 |
| First Potomac Realty Trust Series A (Financials, REITs) | 7.75 | 100,000 | 2,593,000 |
| First Republic Bank (Financials, Commercial Banks) | 6.20 | 50,000 | 1,308,000 |
| Hercules Technology Grow Capital Incorporated (Financials, Capital Markets) | 7.00 | 45,000 | 1,143,000 |
| Hospitality Properties Trust (Financials, REITs) | 7.13 | 25,000 | 673,250 |
| HSBC Finance Corporation (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 6.36 | 29,000 | 728,190 |
| Kite Realty Group Trust (Financials, REITs) | 8.25 | 25,000 | 657,000 |
| KKR Financial Holdings (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 7.50 | 37,500 | 997,268 |
| Medley Capital Corporation (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 7.13 | 25,000 | 632,250 |
| Monmouth REIT (Financials, REITs) | 7.88 | 40,000 | 1,070,000 |
| Morgan Stanley (Financials, Capital Markets) | 4.00 | 40,000 | 707,600 |
| Northstar Realty Finance Corporation (Financials, REITs) | 8.25 | 175,000 | 4,042,500 |
| PG& E Corporation Series D (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 5.00 | 186,000 | 4,748,580 |
| PG& E Corporation Series E (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 5.00 | 9,954 | 252,633 |
| PG& E Corporation Series I (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 4.36 | 39,900 | 968,824 |
| Public Storage (Financials, REITs) | 5.75 | 100,000 | 2,641,000 |
| Qwest Corporation (Telecommunication Services, Diversified Telecommunication | | | |
| Services) | 7.50 | 75,000 | 2,046,750 |
| Raymond James Financial (Financials, Diversified Financial Services) | 6.90 | 50,000 | 1,364,000 |
| Red Lion Hotels Capital Trust (Consumer Discretionary, Hotels, Restaurants & | | | |
| Leisure) | 9.50 | 80,000 | 2,112,800 |
| Resource Capital Corporation (Financials, REITs) | 8.50 | 30,000 | 727,500 |
| SCE Trust I (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 5.63 | 60,000 | 1,594,200 |
| Southern California Edison Company Series D (Utilities, Electric Utilities) | 4.32 | 60,590 | 1,454,160 |
| Stanley Black & Decker I (Industrials, Machinery) | 5.75 | 90,000 | 2,334,600 |
| Terreno Realty Corporation (Financials, REITs) | 7.75 | 48,000 | 1,235,040 |
| Winthrop Realty Trust (Financials, REITs) | 9.25 | 75,000 | 1,997,247 |
| | | | 75,163,658 |
| Total Preferred Stocks (Cost \$85,351,593) | | | 90,785,023 |
| Συται Στυτιτά ευτοπο (συσε φουρο 1,000) | | | 70,705,025 |

Short-Term Investments: 6.06%

| | | Yield | | |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-------|------------|-------------|
| Investment Companies: 6.06% | | | | |
| Wells Fargo Advantage Cash Investment Money Market Fund, Select Class (I |)(u) | 0.16 | 24,548,810 | 24,548,810 |
| Total Short-Term Investments (Cost \$24,548,810) | | | | 24,548,810 |
| | | | | |
| Total Investments in Securities | | | | |
| (Cost \$450,223,593)* | 100.56% | | | 407,452,715 |
| Other Assets and Liabilities, Net | (0.56) | | | (2,253,981) |

Total Net Assets 100.00% \$405,198,734

Non-income-earning security

- (u) Rate shown is the 7-day annualized yield at period end.
- (l) Investment in an affiliate

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* Cost for federal income tax purposes is \$457,979,286 and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) consists of:

| Gross unrealized appreciation | \$ 11,282,637 |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|
| Gross unrealized depreciation | (61,809,208) |
| | |
| Net unrealized depreciation | \$ (50,526,571) |

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NOTES TO PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS JULY 31, 2012 (UNAUDITED)

The following notes are to be read in conjunction with the Portfolio of Investments for Wells Fargo Advantage Global Dividend Opportunity Fund (the Fund).

Securities valuation

Investments in equity securities are valued each business day as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange, which is usually 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time). Securities which are traded on a national or foreign securities exchange are valued at the last reported sales price, except that securities listed on The Nasdaq Stock Market, Inc. (Nasdaq) are valued at the Nasdaq Official Closing Price (NOCP), and if no NOCP is available, then at the last reported sales price. If no sales price is shown on the Nasdaq, the bid price will be used. In the absence of any sale of securities listed on the Nasdaq, and in the case of other securities (including U.S. Government obligations, but excluding debt securities maturing in 60 days or less), the price will be deemed stale and the valuations will be determined in accordance with the Fund's Valuation Procedures.

Securities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollars using the closing rates of exchange in effect on the day of valuation.

Many securities markets and exchanges outside the U.S. close prior to the close of the New York Stock Exchange and therefore may not fully reflect trading or events that occur after the close of the principal exchange in which the foreign securities are traded, but before the close of the New York Stock Exchange. If such trading or events are expected to materially affect the value of securities, then fair value pricing procedures approved by the Board of Trustees are applied. These procedures take into account multiple factors including movements in U.S. securities markets after foreign exchanges close. As a result of the fair value pricing procedures, these securities which are normally categorized as Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy will represent a transfer from a Level 1 to a Level 2 security and will be categorized as Level 2. Depending on market activity, such fair valuations may be frequent. Such fair value pricing may result in NAVs that are higher or lower than NAVs based on the closing price or latest quoted bid price. On July 31, 2012, fair value pricing was used in pricing foreign securities.

Investments in open-end mutual funds and non-registered investment companies are fair valued at net asset value.

Investments which are not valued using any of the methods discussed above are valued at their fair value, as determined by procedures established in good faith and approved by the Board of Trustees. The Board of Trustees has established a Valuation Committee comprised of the Trustees and has delegated to it the authority to take any actions regarding the valuation of portfolio securities that the Valuation Committee deems necessary in determining the fair value of portfolio securities, unless the responsibility has been delegated to the Management Valuation Team of Wells Fargo Funds Management, LLC (Funds Management). The Board of Trustees retains the authority to make or ratify any valuation decisions or approve any changes to the Fair Value Procedures as it deems appropriate. On a quarterly basis, the Board of Trustees considers for ratification any valuation actions taken by the Valuation Committee or the Management Valuation Team.

Valuations of fair valued securities are compared to the next actual sales price when available, or other appropriate market information to assess the continued appropriateness of the fair valuation methodology used. These securities are fair valued on a day-to-day basis, taking into consideration changes to appropriate market information and any significant changes to the input factors considered in the valuation process until there is a readily available price provided on the exchange or by an independent pricing service. Valuations received from an independent pricing service or broker quotes are periodically validated by comparisons to most recent trades and valuations provided by other independent pricing services in addition to the review of prices by the adviser and/or sub-adviser. Unobservable inputs used in determining fair valuations are identified based on the type of security, taking into consideration factors utilized by market participants in valuing the investment, knowledge about the issuer and the current market environment.

Foreign currency translation

The accounting records of the Fund are maintained in U.S. dollars. Assets, including investment securities, and liabilities denominated in foreign currency are translated into U.S. dollars at the prevailing rates of exchange at the date of valuation. Purchases and sales of securities, and income and expenses are translated at the prevailing rate of exchange on the respective dates of such transactions. Reported net realized foreign exchange gains or losses arise from sales of foreign currencies, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, and the difference between the amounts of dividends, interest and foreign withholding taxes recorded and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually paid or received. Net unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses arise from changes in the fair value of assets and liabilities other than investments in securities resulting in changes in exchange rates.

The changes in net assets arising from changes in exchange rates and the changes in net assets resulting from changes in market prices of securities are not separately presented. Such changes are recorded with net realized and unrealized gains or losses from investments. Gains and losses from certain foreign currency transactions are treated as ordinary income for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

Options

The Fund may be subject to equity price risk in the normal course of pursuing its investment objectives. The Fund may write covered call options or secured put options on individual securities. When the Fund writes an option, an amount equal to the premium received is recorded as a liability and is subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the written option. Premiums received from written options that expire unexercised are recognized as realized gains from investments on the expiration date. The difference between the

premium received and the amount paid on effecting a closing purchase transaction, including brokerage commissions, is treated as a realized gain or loss. If a call option is exercised, the premium is added to the proceeds from the sale of the underlying security in calculating the realized gain or loss on the sale. If a put option is exercised, the premium reduces the cost of the security purchased. The Fund, as a writer of an option, bears the market risk of an unfavorable change in the price of the security underlying the written option.

The Fund may also purchase call or put options. The premium is included in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities as an investment, the value of which is subsequently adjusted based on the current market value of the option. Premiums paid for purchased options that expire are recognized as realized losses from investments on the expiration date. Premiums paid for purchased options that are exercised or closed are added to the amount paid or offset against the proceeds received for the underlying security to determine the realized gain or loss. The risk of loss associated with purchased options is limited to the premium paid.

Options traded on an exchange are regulated and terms of the options are standardized. Options traded over the counter expose the Fund to counterparty risk in the event the counterparty does not perform. This risk is mitigated by having a master netting arrangement between the Fund and the counterparty and by having the counterparty post collateral to cover the Fund sexposure to the counterparty.

Fair valuation measurements

Fair value measurements of investments are determined within a framework that has established a fair value hierarchy based upon the various data inputs utilized in determining the value of the Fund s investments. The three-level hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to significant unobservable inputs (Level 3). The Fund s investments are classified within the fair value hierarchy based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The inputs are summarized into three broad levels as follows:

- Level 1 quoted prices in active markets for identical securities
- Level 2 other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund s own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

 The inputs or methodologies used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

As of July 31, 2012, the inputs used in valuing the Fund s assets, which are carried at fair value, were as follows:

| Investments in Securities | Quoted Prices (Level 1) | Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2) | Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3) | Total |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| Equity securities | | | | |
| Common stocks | \$ 172,511,521 | \$ 114,380,361 | \$ 0 | \$ 286,891,882 |
| Investment companies | 5,227,000 | 0 | 0 | 5,227,000 |
| Preferred stocks | 76,689,608 | 14,095,415 | 0 | 90,785,023 |
| Short-term investments | | | | |
| Investment companies | 24,548,810 | 0 | 0 | 24,548,810 |
| | \$ 278,976,939 | \$ 128,475,776 | \$ 0 | \$ 407,452,715 |

As of July 31, 2012 the inputs used in valuing the Fund s other financial instruments, which are carried at fair value, were as follows:

| Other financial instruments | Quoted Prices (Level 1) | Significant Other Observable | Significant Unobservable | Total |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | | Inputs | Inputs | |

| | | (Level 2) | (Lev | el 3) | |
|-----------------|---------|----------------|------|-------|----------------|
| Written options | \$ 0 | \$ (1,884,731) | \$ | 0 | \$ (1,884,731) |

Transfers in and transfers out are recognized at the end of the reporting period.

Derivative transactions

During the nine months ended July 31, 2012, the Fund entered into written options for economic hedging purposes.

During the nine months ended July 31, 2012, the Fund had call written option activities as follows:

| | Number of Contracts | Premiums Received |
|-----------------------------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Options outstanding at October 31, 2011 | 8,718 | \$ 1,219,500 |
| Options written | 81,215 | 7,133,304 |
| Options expired | (72,506) | (6,810,876) |
| Options terminated in closing purchase transactions | (6,428) | (734,646) |
| Options exercised | (782) | (135,197) |
| | | |
| Options outstanding at July 31, 2012 | 10,217 | \$ 672,085 |

Open call options written at July 31, 2012 were as follow for the Fund:

| Expiration | | | Strike | |
|-------------|------------------|-----------|------------|--------------|
| | | Number of | | |
| Date | Issuer Name | Contracts | Price | Value |
| August 2012 | CAC Index | 446 | 3,376 EUR | \$ (205,156) |
| August 2012 | DAX Index | 431 | 7,016 EUR | (106,600) |
| August 2012 | EEM Equity Index | 4,572 | 41 USD | (46,932) |
| August 2012 | FTSE MID Index | 426 | 14,064 EUR | (434,429) |
| August 2012 | IBEX Index | 2,146 | 6,770 EUR | (637,286) |
| August 2012 | NKY Index | 160 | 9,078 JPY | (63,836) |
| August 2012 | OMX Index | 1,180 | 1,094 SEK | (142,507) |
| August 2012 | RTY Index | 223 | 842 USD | (13,699) |
| August 2012 | SX5E Index | 633 | 2,371 EUR | (234,286) |

As of July 31, 2012, the Fund had outstanding written options with total premiums received that averaged \$819,172 during the nine months ended July 31, 2012.

The following is a list of common abbreviations for terms and entities which may have appeared in the portfolio of investments.

ACB Agricultural Credit Bank

ADR American Depository Receipt

ADS American Depository Shares

AGC-ICC Assured Guaranty Corporation - Insured Custody Certificates

AGM Assured Guaranty Municipal

AMBAC American Municipal Bond Assurance Corporation

AMT Alternative Minimum Tax

AUD Australian Dollar

BAN Bond Anticipation Notes

BHAC Berkshire Hathaway Assurance Corporation

BRL Brazil Real

CAB Capital Appreciation Bond

CAD Canadian Dollar

CCAB Convertible Capital Appreciation Bond

CDA Community Development Authority

CDO Collateralized Debt Obligation

CHF Swiss Franc

COP Certificate of Participation

CR Custody Receipts

DKK Danish Krone

DRIVER Derivative Inverse Tax-Exempt Receipts

DW&P Department of Water & Power

DWR Department of Water Resources

ECFA Educational & Cultural Facilities Authority

EDA Economic Development Authority

EDFA Economic Development Finance Authority

ETF Exchange-Traded Fund

EUR Euro FFCB Federal Farm Credit Bank FGIC Financial Guaranty Insurance Corporation Federal Government Loan Mortgage Company **FGLMC** FHA Federal Housing Authority FHLB Federal Home Loan Bank FHLMC Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation FICO The Financing Corporation FNMA Federal National Mortgage Association FSA Farm Service Agency **GBP** Great British Pound GDR Global Depository Receipt GNMA Government National Mortgage Association General Obligation **HCFR** Healthcare Facilities Revenue Health & Educational Facilities Authority HEFAR Higher Education Facilities Authority Revenue HFA Housing Finance Authority Health Facilities Financing Authority HKD Hong Kong Dollar HUF Hungarian Forint Insured Bond Certificate Industrial Development Authority IDAG Industrial Development Agency **IDR** Industrial Development Revenue **IEP** Irish Pound

Japanese Yen

KRW Republic of Korea Won

LIBOR London Interbank Offered Rate

LIQ Liquidity Agreement

LLC Limited Liability Company

LLP Limited Liability Partnership

LOC Letter of Credit

LP Limited Partnership

MBIA Municipal Bond Insurance Association

MFHR Multi-Family Housing Revenue

MSTR Municipal Securities Trust Receipts

MTN Medium Term Note

MUD Municipal Utility District

MXN Mexican Peso

MYR Malaysian Ringgit

NATL-RE National Public Finance Guarantee Corporation

NOK Norwegian Krone

NZD New Zealand Dollar

PCFA Pollution Control Finance Authority PCR Pollution Control Revenue PFA **Public Finance Authority** PFFA Public Facilities Financing Authority PFOTER Puttable Floating Option Tax-Exempt Receipts Public Limited Company **PLN** Polish Zloty PUTTER Puttable Tax-Exempt Receipts R&D Research & Development RDA Redevelopment Authority RDFA Redevelopment Finance Authority REIT Real Estate Investment Trust ROC Reset Option Certificates Select Auction Variable Rate Securities SAVRS SBA Small Business Authority SEK Swedish Krona Single Family Housing Revenue SFHR SFMR Single Family Mortgage Revenue SGD Singapore Dollar SKK Slovakian Koruna SPA Standby Purchase Agreement SPDR Standard & Poor s Depositary Receipts STRIPS Separate Trading of Registered Interest and Principal Securities TAN Tax Anticipation Notes To Be Announced TBA Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities

TRAN Tax Revenue Anticipation Notes

TCR Transferable Custody Receipts

TRY Turkish Lira

TTFA Transportation Trust Fund Authority

TVA Tennessee Valley Authority

XLCA XL Capital Assurance

ZAR South African Rand

ITEM 2. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

- (a) The President and Treasurer have concluded that the Wells Fargo Advantage Global Dividend Opportunity Fund (the Trust) disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940) provide reasonable assurances that material information relating to the Trust is made known to them by the appropriate persons based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing of this report.
- (b) There were no significant changes in the Trust s internal controls over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the Investment Company Act of 1940) that occurred during the registrant s last fiscal quarter that has materially affected or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant s internal control over financial reporting.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Wells Fargo Advantage Global Dividend Opportunity Fund

By: /s/ Karla M. Rabusch

Karla M. Rabusch President

Date: September 24, 2012

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Wells Fargo Advantage Global Dividend Opportunity Fund

By: /s/ Karla M. Rabusch

Karla M. Rabusch

President

Date: September 24, 2012

By: /s/ Nancy Wiser

Nancy Wiser Treasurer

Date: September 24, 2012