Core Australian Equities

As of 30/09/2024



Investment Growth

Time Period: Since Common Inception (1/07/2013) to 30/09/2024



-Core Australian Equities

-S&P/ASX 200 TR AUD

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Portfolio Overview

When investing in Australian equities we look for companies that demonstrate real Market Opportunities for Profitable Products or Services with Competitive Advantages and Barriers to Entry. The first elements make a business possible, the last elements make it a good and enduring business; without these, competitors enter to drive costs up and prices down ultimately eroding the company's competitive advantage.

Snapshot	
# of Holdings	22
P/E Ratio Forward	28.43
Forward Dividend Yield %	2.57

Trailing Returns*

As of Date: 30/09/2024

	3 Months	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since Common Inception (1/07/2013)
Core Australian Equities	6.08	17.24	4.20	9.68	11.40
S&P/ASX 200 TR AUD	7.79	21.77	8.45	8.38	9.40

Leading Contributors

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Return

James Hardie Industries PLC ADR

ResMed Inc CHESS Depositary Interests on a ratio of 10 CDIs per ord.sh 20.46

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Australian Finance Group Ltd 18.43

Aristocrat Leisure Ltd 17.77

Westpac Banking Corp 16.49

Risk

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	Alpha	Information Ratio (geo)	Tracking Error
Core Australian Equities	1.96	0.35	5.21

Leading Detractors

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	Return
Lifestyle Communities Ltd	-31.72
Megaport Ltd	-23.35
NIB Holdings Ltd	-17.30
Arcadium Lithium PLC CDI	-14.00
Clinuvel Pharmaceuticals Ltd	-10.07

Equity Sectors

Portfolio Date: 30/09/2024



	%
Basic Materials	31.7
Consumer Cyclical	10.7
Financial Services	24.0
Real Estate	2.9
Consumer Defensive	4.0
Healthcare	9.8
Utilities	3.5
Energy	3.8
Industrials	4.3
Technology	5.2
Total	100.0

Risk-Reward

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Sustainability Score

Portfolio Date: 30/09/2024 Benchmark: S&P/ASX 200 TR AUD



50 100% Contribution

Core Australian EquitiesBenchmark (Historical)

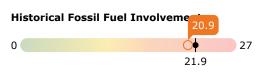
No Designation

Morningstar carbon metrics are asset-weighted portfolio calculations based on Sustainalytics' company Carbon Risk Rating. To receive the Morningstar® Low Carbon Designation™, a fund must have a 12-month average Portfolio Carbon Risk Score below 10 and a 12-month average Possil Fuel Involvement of less than 7% of assets. This signal helps investors easily identify funds that are well-positioned to transition to a low-carbon economy.

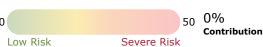
Historical Carbon Risk - Core Australian Equities Portfolio Date: 30/09/2024 Benchmark: S&P/ASX 200 TR AUD

Historical Carbor 11.8 Score

0 31



Sovereign Sustainability Score



*The portfolio's inception date for performance calculation purposes is 01 Jul 2013. Portfolio total dollar and percentage returns are inclusive of franking credits. Percentage returns have been calculated using the Time Weighted Return (TWR) method. Portfolio returns are based on a theoretical model portfolio. Returns for individual investors may vary. Cash is given a 0% return. Gross return shown.

Source: Morningstar Direct

Portfolio Review

The ASX200 faltered last quarter and looked to be heading for another poor quarter with a poor reporting season. However, the market quickly recovered and was aided by China's monetary policy loosening. The index returned 7.79% with the banks retreating from their highs and materials rallying. The portfolio is overweight materials and underweight financials which we believe is the right positioning. The Core Australian Equities model portfolio underperformed with some unexpected outcomes from reporting season and returning 6.08% for the quarter. Over the past 12 months the index has returned an amazing 21.77% and the model portfolio has returned 17.24%.

During the quarter we exited poor performing positions in EDV and MFG. We also exited MP1 which had seen a material turn in fortunes since its last 2 very positive results. We took some profits on RMD as the weighting moved above our 1st risk tolerance level and we exited WTC with a handsome profit. We topped up positions in AUB and BHP and introduced new positions with AGL and CUV. LTM has seen spot prices for Lithium fall substantially and is now below the cost of production for many miners causing closures. LTM remains profitable and is priced as if the EV transition is over! This is clearly not the case and remains a sound long term investment. LTM clearly bottomed during the quarter and post the end of the quarter received a take-over bid from RIO.

LIC continued its fall during the quarter but looks to have now bottomed. NHF had a disappointing result and was also a key detractor for the quarter. Major contributors were JHX, ALL and RMD. The position for ALL is approaching 10% and our fair value, we may look to take some profits should the price continue to appreciate.

Source: Morningstar Direct