Pengana Global Small Companies Fund April 2017 Monthly Update



Fund Description

The Fund invests principally in small and mid-cap listed (or soon to be listed) global equities. Its investment objective is to obtain returns greater than the MSCI All Country World Index SMID Cap unhedged in Australian dollars ('Index') over rolling 3 year periods after fees. The Fund's investment manager, Lizard Investors LLC, uses a value-oriented investment approach that seeks to identify and invest in quality businesses that create significant value but are mispriced, overlooked, or out-of-favour. The investment manager believes that unique opportunities exist due to limited available research, corporate actions, or unfavourable investor perception.

Fund Features						
Portfolio Managers	Jonathan Moog, David Li, Leah Zell (CIO)	Investment Manager Lizard Investors LLC				
Identification Code(s)	ARSN 604 292 677 APIR PCL0022AU	Inception Date 1 April 2015				
Redemption Price at Month End	\$1.2076	Style	Fundamental			
Investors	Retail & Wholesale Clients	Minimum \$25,000				
Benchmark Index	MSCI All Country World SMID Cap Index unhedged in AUD	Fund Pricing	Daily			
Management Fee	1.334% p.a. of the Class net asset value	Target Asset Allocation Cash 0-20% Equities 80-100%				
Performance Fee	20.5% (including GST net of RITC) of performance above the benchmark*	Distribution Frequency Twice yearly (June and April)				

^{*}Performance fee of 20.5% (including GST net of RITC) of any return of the Class greater than the return of the benchmark Index after deduction of the management fee and adjusted for applications, redemptions and distributions to investors, less any prior accrued negative performance fee amount carried forward.

Fund Commentary							
	Net Returns to 30 th April 2017 ¹						
	MTD	3 Months	FYTD	Trailing 12 Months	Since Inception p.a. ²	Since Inception Cumulative ²	
Pengana Global Small Companies Fund	6.7%	10.6%	24.5%	24.9%	10.0%	21.9%	
Benchmark	4.0%	7.0%	16.1%	17.4%	6.9%	14.9%	

'Net performance figures are shown after all fees and expenses, and assume reinvestment of distributions. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance, the value of investments can go up and down.

The Fund generated a return of 6.7%¹ in April 2017 compared to a 4.0% return for the MSCI AC World SMID Cap Index. The top five holdings were (in alphabetical order): boohoo.com Plc, IWG Plc, Softcat Plc, TOTVS S.A., and Wizz Air Holdings Plc. The largest positive contributors to April performance were: boohoo.com Plc; Hostelworld Group Plc; a UK Auto Dealer; Oslo Bors VPS Holding ASA; and Wizz Air Holdings Plc, while the largest detractors were: EPS Holdings, Inc.; a Japanese Internet Company; Liberty Global Plc LiLAC Group Class C; Peyto Exploration & Development Corp.; and PRA Group Inc. As of the 30th of April, the top 10 holdings accounted for 32.5% of the Fund's assets, with no single name representing more than 4.5% of the Fund. Cash represented 14.3% of the Fund.

Portfolio Highlights

The Fund outperformed the benchmark by 2.7% for the month of April. Currency had a positive impact on the performance of both the Fund (adding 2.7%) and the benchmark (adding 2.3%). Our performance was driven by several of the names we acquired during the "Brexit" market meltdown, as mentioned in previous letters. Often when these crises happen, there is no obvious end to the difficulties and no assurances as to the depth of the problem. Over time, however, crises often create excellent hunting grounds for value minded investors. We never know when value will be realized. We do know that if we carefully sow our seeds methodicalically during times of stress, eventually we will enjoy a rich and bountiful harvest. April's performance is a good reminder of this powerful lesson.

Portfolio Additions / Deletions

We entered one new position in April, a European based agriculture business. After deep analysis of the company we are confident in the prospect of real business improvement over time. We exited one postion, Liberty Tax. Our thesis was invalidated as continued evidence mounted that questioned the underlying quality of the enterprise.

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²Inception 1st April 2015.

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Portfolio Information

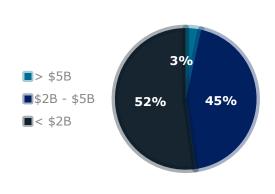
Top 5 Positions (in alphabetical order)			
boohoo.com Plc			
IWG Plc			
Softcat Plc			
TOTVS S.A.			
Wizz Air Holdings Plc			

Top Contributors	Top Detractors	
boohoo.com Plc	EPS Holdings, Inc	
Hostelworld Group Plc	A Japanese Internet Company	
A UK Auto Dealer	Liberty Global Plc LiLAC Group Class C	
Oslo Bors VPS Holding ASA	Peyto Exploration & Development Corp.	
Wizz Air Holdings Plc	PRA Group Inc.	

Fund Breakdown

Sector Allocation		Geographical Allocation		
Information Technology	19.5%	Europe	28.5%	
Consumer Discretionary	17.8%	North America	18.5%	
Industrials	17.7%	UK	11.9%	
Financials	13.3%	Japan	8.8%	
Consumer Staples	9.1%	Asia ex Japan	8.1%	
Health Care	3.7%	Middle East/Africa	5.1%	
RE	2.4%	Latin America	4.8%	
Energy	2.2%	Cash	14.3%	
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Total	100.0%	Total	100.0%	





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