



MONTGOMERY ALPHA PLUS FUND

INVESTMENT REPORT & FACT SHEET

FUND OVERVIEW

The Montgomery Alpha Plus Fund offers investors an Australian equity market neutral strategy that harnesses the benefits of a repeatable investment process while seeking to produce higher risk-adjusted returns over the medium term - irrespective of market conditions.

By simultaneously managing long and short portfolios of similar size, The Fund aims to reduce or eliminate the risks typically associated with extreme market gyrations.

The Fund aims to achieve returns that exceed the RBA cash rate by 6-8 per cent per annum after fees and targets a lower level of volatility than the overall Australian equity market.

Typically The Fund will hold 15-35 long positions and 15-35 short positions of equal value.

FUND FACTS

INVESTMENT MANAGER

Montgomery Investment Management Pty Ltd

OBJECTIVE

The Montgomery Alpha Plus Fund seeks to generate higher risk-adjusted returns than are available in the market place over the medium term

BENCHMARK

RBA Cash Rate

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RECOMMENDED INVESTMENT TIMEFRAME

5 years

MINIMUM INITIAL INVESTMENT

\$50,000

FUND SIZE

\$23.5M

INCEPTION DATE

1 AUGUST 2016

MANAGEMENT FEE

Up to 1.55% per annum, (inclusive of GST/RITC.)

PERFORMANCE FEES

17.5% of the amount by which The Fund outperforms its Benchmark. No performance fee is payable until any previous periods of underperformance have been made up.

APPLICATION & REDEMPTION PRICES*

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UNIT PRICE - BUY

0.8855

UNIT PRICE - MID

0.8833

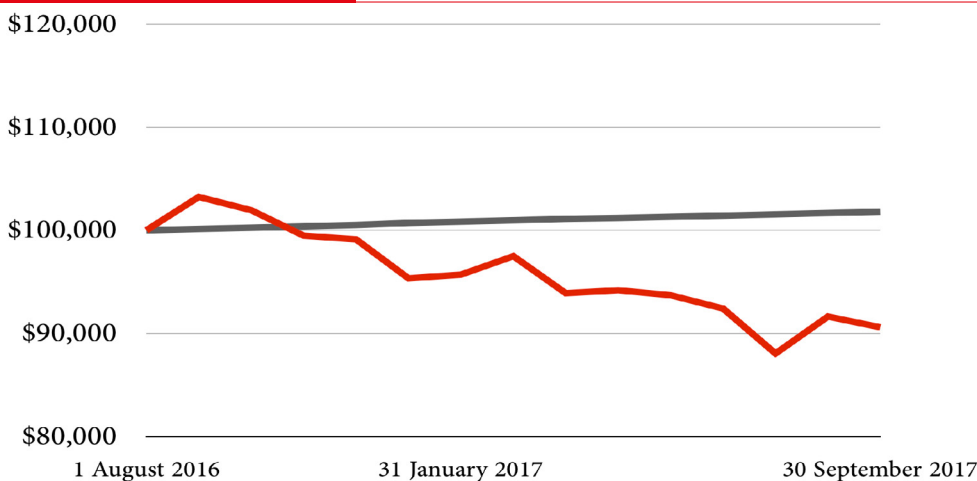
UNIT PRICE - SELL

0.8811

The Fund is forward priced; you will receive the price struck subsequent to the receipt of your application / redemption request.

PERFORMANCE GRAPH

■ Montgomery Alpha Plus Fund ■ RBA Cash Rate



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PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE

(to 31 August 2017, after all fees)

	INCOME	CAPITAL GROWTH	MONTGOMERY ALPHA PLUS FUND	RBA CASH RATE	OUT/UNDER PERFORMANCE
1 month	0.00%	-1.14%	-1.14%	0.12%	-1.26%
3 months	0.00%	-1.97%	-1.97%	0.38%	-2.35%
6 months	2.45%	-5.98%	-3.53%	0.76%	-4.29%
1 year	2.26%	-13.40%	-11.14%	1.63%	-12.77%
Since inception*	2.30%	-11.72%	-9.41%	1.95%	-11.36%
Compound annual return (since inception)*	1.97%	-10.09%	-8.12%	1.67%	-9.79%

*Inception: 1 August 2016. Ex the distribution of 2.3046 cents per unit on 30/06/2017.

PLATFORMS WE ARE ON: None at present



FUND COMMENTARY

September was a relatively uneventful month for the Australian equity market, with the S&P/ASX200 Accumulation Index returning 0.04 per cent. The Montgomery Alpha Plus Fund's long portfolio delivered a similar result, with generally small changes to the trading price of long portfolio names. We note in passing that the largest positive long contributor was funeral operator, Invocare, while the largest negative contributor to the long portfolio was hospital operator, Ramsay Health Care.

The Fund's short portfolio tends to contain more volatile names than the long portfolios, and the month-to-month results can be driven by "noise" arising from these more volatile names. In September, the short portfolio delivered a negative return of around -1 per cent, with the largest contributor being a step up in the price of yet-to-be-profitable graphite company, Syrah Resources.

TOP COMPLETED HOLDINGS* (LONG)

(at 30 September 2017, out of 29 holdings)

COMPANY NAME	WEIGHT (%)
Invocare Ltd	6.99
Rea Group Ltd	6.72
Wesfarmers Ltd	6.61
Duluxgroup Ltd	6.42
ASX Ltd	6.42

TOP COMPLETED HOLDINGS* (SHORT)

(at 30 September 2017, out of 31 holdings)

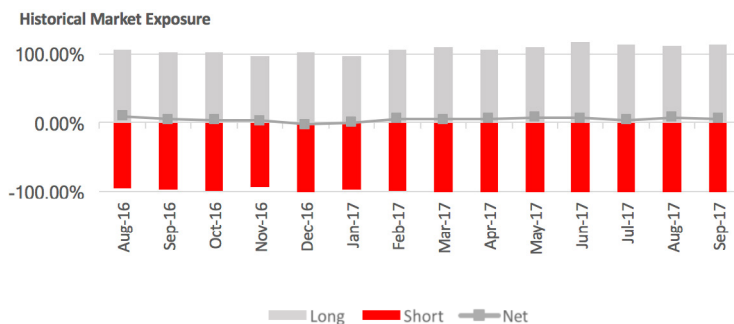
COMPANY NAME	WEIGHT (%)
Lendlease Group	5.70
Bank Of Queensland Ltd	5.20
James Hardie Industries	5.20
Super Retail Group Ltd	5.20
Premier Investments Ltd	5.00

*Top Completed Holdings are businesses we own but are not actively buying or selling at the time of writing.

SECTOR INDUSTRY EXPOSURE

SECTOR NAME	LONG PORTFOLIO (%)	SHORT PORTFOLIO (%)	NET (%)
Consumer Discretionary	16.62	-30.23	-13.60
Industrials	9.16	-6.68	2.49
Consumer Staples	15.45	-15.42	0.03
Financials	34.96	-13.75	21.21
Real Estate	0.00	-10.52	-10.52
Information Technology	9.15	0.00	9.15
Health Care	8.59	-1.00	7.59
Materials	11.76	-21.28	-9.52
Energy	0.00	-6.63	-6.63
Telecommunications	6.77	-1.05	5.73

HISTORICAL MARKET EXPOSURE



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