

# **INVESTMENT REPORT & FACT SHEET**

# **FUND OVERVIEW**

The Montgomery Global Fund employs a highly disciplined, bottom-up, value style and typically invests in 15 to 30 high conviction stocks listed on major global stock exchanges. The focus of The Fund is on investing in what Montgomery Global regards as high quality businesses with attractive prospects trading at a discount to their estimated intrinsic value. The Fund has the flexibility to retain a reasonable level of cash, with a "soft" 30 per cent limit. The Fund will generally be currency unhedged but we can put in place strategies aimed at protecting investor capital against currency fluctuations if we predict material upside to the Australian dollar.

The Fund aims to deliver superior positive returns when suitable investment opportunities are abundant, and to preserve capital through cash allocations when an insufficient number of company names are appealing.

### **FUND FACTS**

# INVESTMENT MANAGER MGIM Pty Ltd

# **OBJECTIVE**

The Montgomery Global Fund aims to outperform the index over a rolling 5-year period.

#### BENCHMARK

90,000

1 July 2015

MSCI World Net Total Return Index. in Australian dollars.

#### **FUND CONSTRUCTION**

The Fund will typically invest in a portfolio of 15-30 highconviction stocks listed on the major global stock exchanges. Cash typically ranges from 0%-30%, but can be exceeded in certain situations.

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### RECOMMENDED

INVESTMENT TIMEFRAME

5 years

MINIMUM INITIAL **INVESTMENT** 

\$25,000

**INCEPTION DATE** 

1 JULY 2015

**FUND SIZE** 

\$215.2M

#### MANAGEMENT FEE

1.32% per annum, inclusive of GST/RITC.

#### PERFORMANCE FEES

15.38% of the total return of The Fund that is in excess of its Benchmark. No performance fee is payable until any previous periods of underperformance has been made up.

#### APPLICATION & REDEMPTION PRICES

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#### PERFORMANCE GRAPH





# 170,000 160,000 150,000 140,000 130,000 120,000 110,000 100,000

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#### PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE

30 November 2016

| ( | to 31 | July | 2019, | after | all | fees | ) |
|---|-------|------|-------|-------|-----|------|---|
|   |       |      |       |       |     |      |   |

30 April 2018

|   | INCOME | CAPITAL<br>GROWTH | MONTGOMERY<br>GLOBAL FUND | MSCI WORLD NET<br>TOTAL RETURN<br>INDEX¹ | OUT/UNDER<br>PERFORMANCE |
|---|--------|-------------------|---------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| 1 month   | 0.00%  | 0.67%             | 0.67%                     | 2.32%                                    | -1.65%                   |
| 3 months  | 11.43% | -13.07%           | -1.6 <b>4</b> %           | 3.07%                                    | -4.71%                   |
| 6 months  | 13.29% | 1.08%             | 14.37%                    | 15.39%                                   | -1.02%                   |
| 12 months   | 12.51% | -4.83%            | 7.68%                     | 11. <b>76</b> %                          | -4.08%                   |
| 2 years (p.a)   | 10.20% | 4.66%             | 14.86%                    | 15.88%                                   | -1.02%                   |
| 3 years (p.a)   | 10.24% | 4.83%             | 1 <i>5</i> .0 <b>7</b> %  | 14.07%                                   | 1.00%                    |
| Since inception <sup>2</sup>                          | 35.18% | 22.64%            | 57.82%                    | 50.70%                                   | 7.12%                    |
| Compound annual return (since inception) <sup>2</sup> | 7.66%  | 4.17%             | 11.83%                    | 10.57%                                   | 1.26%                    |

31 July 2019

1) In Australian dollars 2) Inception: 1 July 2015



#### **FUND COMMENTARY**

In the month of July, the Montgomery Global Fund (the Fund) increased by 0.67 per cent, net of fees. By comparison, the MSCI World Total Return Index in Australian dollar terms (the Benchmark) returned 2.32 per cent. Since inception, the Fund has increased by 57.82 per cent, net of fees. This return was delivered with an average portfolio cash holding of 18 per cent. By comparison, the Benchmark – which naturally carries zero cash – has returned 50.70 per cent over the same period.

As investors know well, the Fund is global in scope and carries meaningful exposure in all major regions of the world – including significant Asian exposure (on a look-through earnings basis). Over the long term, we believe growth in Asia will deliver attractive investment returns for our investors. Over the last three months, however, Asian equities have underperformed US equities by approximately 10 per cent, of which four per cent underperformance occurred in July alone. This has created some headwinds for the Fund's relative performance when it is compared to the Benchmark.

The month of July also marked the commencement of the second calendar quarter earnings period. So far, most of our portfolio holdings have performed extremely well, including Vivendi (Euronext: VIV), Alphabet (NASDAQ: GOOGL), Microsoft (NASDAQ: MSFT), Rheinmetall (Deutsche: RHM) and Floor & Décor (NYSE: FND).

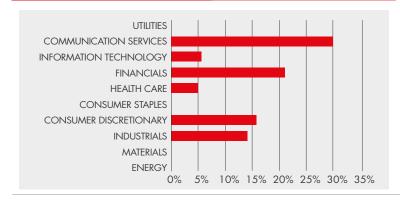
We had one stock that significantly detracted performance this period: Insperity (NYSE: NSP). The company underperformed earnings expectations due to an unusual uptick in healthcare claims. The stock fell 25 per cent on the news (though it should be noted the stock had rallied 25 per cent in the weeks leading up to the result). From an actuarial perspective, these healthcare claims will normalise over the year and full year earnings guidance was maintained. We took the opportunity to significantly add to our position.

# TOP COMPLETED HOLDINGS\* (TCH) (at 31 July 2019, out of 18 holdings)

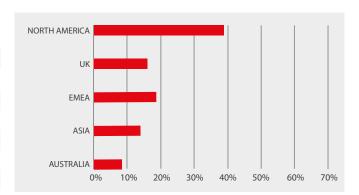
| COMPANY NAME           | COUNTRY OF DOMICILE | MARKET CAP<br>(\$USDM) | WEIGHT (%) |  |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------|--|
| Vivendi                | FR                  | 34,027                 | 7.6        |  |
| Alphabet               | US                  | 844,135                | 6.7        |  |
| Prudential             | GB                  | 53,671                 | 6.4        |  |
| REA Group              | AU                  | 8,855                  | 5.7        |  |
| Insperity              | US                  | 4,380                  | 5.7        |  |
| Microsoft              | US                  | 1,041,512              | 5.7        |  |
| Alibaba                | CN                  | 450,704                | 5.4        |  |
| Facebook               | US                  | 554,129                | 5.3        |  |
| Floor & Decor          | US                  | 3,846                  | 5.3        |  |
| UnitedHealth           | US                  | 236,645                | 5.1        |  |
| PORTFOLIO MEDIAN       |                     | 43,849                 | 5.2        |  |
| Total equity weighting |                     |                        | 91.6       |  |
| Total cash weighting   |                     |                        | 8.4        |  |

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

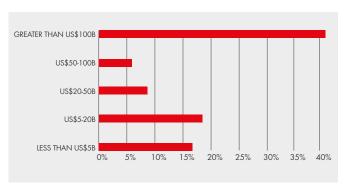
#### GICS SECTOR INDUSTRY EXPOSURE



# GEOGRAPHIC - COUNTRY OF DOMICILE



#### MARKET CAPITALISATION EXPOSURE



Netwealth IDPS 

Netwealth Super 

BT Panorama 

BT Wrap 

Powerwrap 

Macquarie Wrap 

HUB24 

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