

Freehold A-REITs and Listed Infrastructure Fund

Monthly Investment Update



February 2020

Overview

The Fund comprises a portfolio of A-REITs and Listed Infrastructure securities that exhibit income and growth characteristics. Our style overlay screens for pure property and infrastructure characteristics and results in minimal exposure to development, currency risk and other 'active' earnings. Investable securities must generate a minimum 90% of their income via rental income, or recurring, contracted/mature infrastructure income, and have at least 75% of their assets in Australia. The Fund typically holds 12-20 securities in the portfolio.



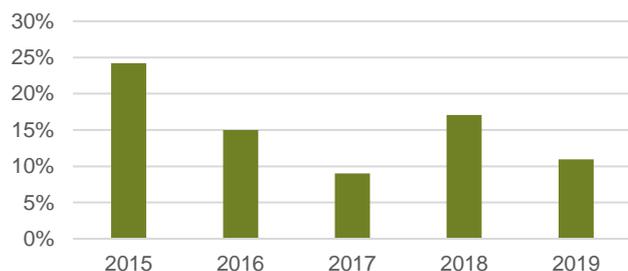
Investment Performance

Investment Performance	Month	Quarter	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since inception**
Freehold A-REITs & Listed Infrastructure Fund (net of fees)	(4.7%)	(3.2%)	8.7%	8.5%	8.6%	14.2%
A-REITs Index*	(4.7%)	(3.0%)	12.2%	10.3%	9.8%	12.8%
Listed Infrastructure Index*	(5.4%)	(3.7%)	16.9%	14.2%	13.2%	18.0%

*A-REITs Index is the S&P/ASX 300 AREIT Accumulation index; Listed Infrastructure Index is a subset of S&P/ASX 200 Index infrastructure sub industries, as defined by the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS).

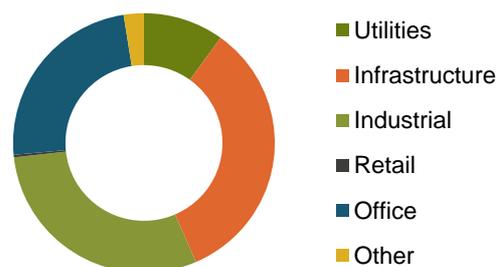
**AREITs/Listed Infrastructure inception date - 1 May 2010. Performance returns assume reinvestment of income and returns greater than 1 Year are expressed as %p.a.

Income Return*



* Income Return for FALIF is the fund distribution and will include net realised capital gains.

Sector Allocation



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Commentary

The Fund declined by -4.7% in February and offered superior downside protection by outperforming the broader market return of -8.2%. February can be viewed as a period of two halves; the first half of the month was dominated by reporting season, where stocks for the most part reported solid results in line with market expectations resulting in ongoing price gains. The later part of the month saw Coronavirus fears take hold, with sharp market declines overshadowing underlying stock fundamentals.

The February reporting season reiterated the Team's bullish views on both office and industrial markets, whilst our long held cautious view on retail landlords was similarly vindicated, as evidenced by the earnings downgrade by Vicinity Centres. Sydney Airport guided to an uncertain 2020 earnings outcome, given the travel impact of the Coronavirus. In our view, fundamentally this is a great business but will be susceptible to fluctuating passenger numbers and short term share price volatility. The Fund neutralised its exposure during the month and will be seeking opportunities to take advantage of future mispricing.

With regards to corporate activity, both Gaw Capital and Warburg Pincus dropped out of the process to acquire National Storage REIT (NSR). Only the US listed Public Storage REIT remains active in the bidding process and given current market dislocations, we would not be surprised to see a revised bid tabled to NSR lower than the current indicative, non-binding offer of \$2.40. The other major transactional event during February was the sell-down by Viva Energy REIT's corporate parent Viva Energy. Interestingly, the acquisitive Charter Hall Group and its affiliates acquired a 10% stake during the sell-down process, suggesting that the portfolio of 469 service station and convenience retail properties may now also be "in play".

Looking forward, we expect markets to remain volatile given the unprecedented impact from the Coronavirus on global economies, business supply chains and consumer spending patterns. The landscape is rapidly evolving, and it remains to be seen whether the direct impacts will prove to be transient or longer lasting. Navigating through this challenging environment, our portfolio construction process will continue to favour high quality businesses with strong balance sheets and predictable, recurring cash flows.

Performance Update

Contributors

VCX (Not held): Downgraded full year guidance at its half yearly result, citing the impact of the Coronavirus is having on retail foot traffic and sales. We remain very cautious on the stock.

VVR (Overweight): Viva Energy sold down its 35% stake in the Viva Energy REIT during the month, with Charter Hall raiding its share register. Aside from corporate activity, VVR benefits from its strong defensive cash flows in the current uncertain investment climate.

Detractors

NSR (Not held): The Group's share price was underpinned by live takeover offers from three separate bidders, however now only one remains.

Current & Active Weights

Asset Class	Benchmark	Range	Current	Active Weight
A-REITs	70%	40–100%	65.2%	(4.8%)
Listed Infrastructure	30%	0–60%	32.4%	2.4%
Cash	0%	0–20%	2.4%	2.4%

Top 6 Active Positions

Security	Portfolio Weight	Active Weight*
Viva Energy REIT	7.9%	6.6%
Goodman Group	4.9%	4.9%
Dexus Property Group	18.1%	4.8%
Vicinity Centres	-	(7.0%)
Charter Hall Long WALE	-	(2.4%)
BWP Trust	-	(1.8%)

*Post application of style overlay

Fund Details	
Fund Inception Date	Model Portfolio – 1 st May 2010 Fund – 20 th August 2013
Objective	To outperform the broad benchmark index over rolling 3-year periods
Benchmark	Derived as the S&P/ASX 300 A-REIT Accumulation Index and a subset of the S&P/ASX 200 Index infrastructure sub industries, combined on a 70/30 basis.
Investment Timeframe	3-5 Years
Minimum Investment	\$25,000
Income Distribution	Half Yearly
Unit Pricing	Daily
Management Costs	0.85% per annum
Buy / Sell Spread	0.25% / 0.25%
Responsible Entity	Responsible Entity Partners Ltd
ARSN	164 098 855
APIR Code	LAM0042AU
Platforms	BT Wrap, Asgard eWrap, Asgard Infinity Wrap

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