

Long/Short

# ACADIAN AUSTRALIAN EQUITY LONG SHORT FUND

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The Acadian Australian Equity Long Short Fund seeks to maximise risk-adjusted, long-term returns by investing in undervalued stocks and short selling overvalued stocks listed on the Australian Securities Exchange while carefully controlling portfolio risk and transaction costs. The option aims to outperform the S&P/ASX 300 Accumulation Index over rolling four year periods before fees and taxes.

APIR Code	FSF0789AU
Inception Date	27 February 2006
Management Cost	0.76%
Buy / Sell spread	0.15/0.15%
Exit Unit Price	1.809
Product Size	\$174 million
Benchmark	S&P / ASX 300 Accumulation Index

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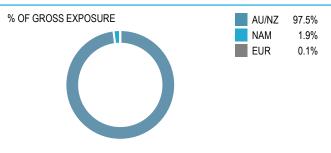
# PERFORMANCE

	FUND (GROSS)	FUND (NAV)	BENCHWARK	VALUE-ADDED S. BENCHMARK
One-Month Return	-1.1	-1.2	-1.3	0.1
Three-Month Return	3.6	3.3	2.2	1.1
Year-to-Date Return	19.1	18.0	10.8	7.2
One Year Annualized Return	34.3	32.8	24.9	8.0
Three Year Annualized Return	12.9	11.6	7.6	4.0
Five Year Annualized Return	11.3	10.0	8.1	2.0
Ten Year Annualized Return	10.9	9.7	8.3	1.4
SINCE INCEPTION ANNUALIZED RETURN	8.8	7.5	7.5	0.1

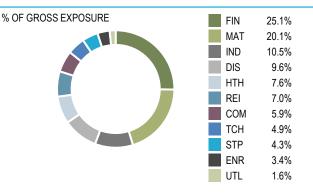
# **TOP TEN HOLDINGS**

	% OF PORTFOLIO
BHP GROUP LTD	10.1
COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA	7.8
WESTPAC BANKING CORP	5.3
AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND BANKING GROUP LIMITED	5.2
CSL LTD	3.9
MACQUARIE GROUP LTD	3.3
NATIONAL AUSTRALIA BANK LTD	3.3
ARISTOCRAT LEISURE LTD	3.2
TELSTRA GROUP LTD	2.8
BRAMBLES LTD	2.6
NUMBER OF SECURITIES	247
% OF PORTFOLIO FOR TOP 10 CURRENT HOLDINGS	47.6
% OF NON-BENCHMARK PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS	4.5

#### **CURRENT POSITIONING - REGION**



## **CURRENT POSITIONING - SECTOR**



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