#### MILTON CORPORATION LIMITED

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# NET TANGIBLE ASSET BACKING ("NTA") REPORT AT 31 MARCH 2017

#### NTA per Share at 31 March 2017

- Before provision for tax on unrealised capital gains was \$4.64 (Milton is a long-term investor and does not intend disposing of its long term investment portfolio.)
- After provision for tax on unrealised capital gains was \$4.07

  (Under current accounting standards, Milton is required to provide for tax that may arise should the portfolio be disposed.)

# Milton's Objective

Milton (ASX code: MLT) is a listed investment company whose objective is to hold a diversified portfolio of assets that generates a growing income stream for distribution to shareholders in the form of fully franked dividends and provides capital growth in the value of the shareholders' investment.

## **Dividend History**

Milton has paid a dividend every year since listing in 1958 and all dividends have been fully franked since the introduction of franking. (See the Performance History charts over page for further details.)

## **Investment portfolio**

Milton's equity investment portfolio comprises interests in companies and trusts which are listed on the ASX and which are expected to provide an increase in investment revenue over time.

An investment in Milton provides shareholders with exposure to a diversified equity portfolio that is not aligned with any stock market index.

At 31 March 2017 the market value of this equity investment portfolio was \$2.9 billion.

Asset allocation at	Market	Share of
31 March 2017	Value	Total
		Assets
	\$ m	%
Banks	1,062.1	35.1
Consumer staples	280.8	9.3
Energy (includes W H Soul Pattinson)	220.0	7.3
Diversified Financials	214.4	7.1
Insurance	140.6	4.6
Metals and mining	122.7	4.1
Healthcare	112.0	3.7
Telecommunication	95.8	3.2
Utilities	89.1	2.9
Retailing	88.8	2.9
Real Estate	86.5	2.9
Construction materials	81.6	2.7
Transport	77.1	2.5
Commercial services	61.4	2.0
Other materials	48.9	1.6
Capital goods	37.2	1.2
Other shares	63.3	2.1
Total investment portfolio	2,882.30	95.2
Cash	93.4	3.1
Other assets	50.0	1.7
Total assets	3,025.70	100.0

Top 20 Investments at	Market	Share of
31 March 2017	Value	Total
		Assets
	\$ m	%
Westpac Banking Corporation	366.4	12.1
Commonwealth Bank of Australia	267.2	8.8
W H Soul Pattinson	165.1	5.5
National Australia Bank	158.6	5.2
Wesfarmers Limited	127.8	4.2
ANZ Banking Group	107.2	3.5
Bank of Queensland	88.8	2.9
BHP Billiton Limited	87.4	2.9
Woolworths Limited	77.0	2.5
CSL Limited	74.2	2.5
AGL Energy	71.1	2.3
Telstra Corporation	69.8	2.3
Bendigo and Adelaide Bank	69.3	2.3
Perpetual Limited	68.0	2.2
Macquarie Group	58.9	1.9
AP Eagers	53.0	1.8
Brickworks Limited	47.5	1.6
Suncorp Group	43.8	1.4
Blackmores Limited	41.3	1.4
Transurban Group	41.0	1.4
Total Top 20	2,083.4	68.7

#### Low MER

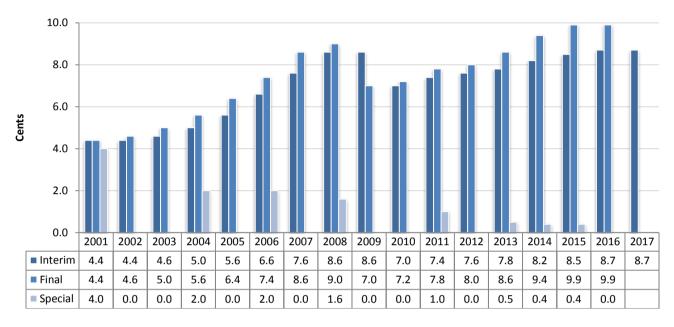
Milton's total operating costs represented 0.12% per annum of average total assets for the year to 31 December 2016.

### PERFORMANCE HISTORY

# **Dividend History**

#### Milton pays fully franked dividends semi annually

Milton has paid a dividend every year since listing in 1958 and all dividends have been fully franked since the introduction of franking.



#### **Total Returns to 31 March 2017**

#### Milton has delivered strong total returns relative to the accumulation return of the All Ordinaries Index

Milton's total returns are net of tax paid and expenses and no adjustment has been made for the franking benefits attached to the fully franked dividends paid.

The Accumulation return of the All Ordinaries is unaffected by tax or expenses and no adjustment has been made for the franking benefits attached to the partially franked dividends paid.

