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NAOS Ex-50 OPPORTUNITIES COMPANY LIMITED

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ABN 49 169 448 837

NAC GENERALLY INVESTS IN MID-CAP INDUSTRIAL COMPANIES WITH A MARKET CAP OF \$400M-\$1B+

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MONTHLY INVESTMENT REPORT AND NTA UPDATE AS AT 30 NOVEMBER 2018

NET TANGIBLE ASSET VALUE BREAKDOWN

| POST TAX & PRE UNREALISED GAINS PRE TAX NTA TAX NTA | | POST TAX NTA SHARE PRICE | | PREMIUM/ (DISCOUNT) TO NTA (PRE TAX) | FULLY FRANKED DIVIDEND YIELD | |
|---|--------|--------------------------|--------|--|---------------------------------|--|
| \$1.02 | \$1.04 | \$1.03 | \$0.92 | (9.80%) | 5.68% | |

MARKET INSIGHT INVESTMENT BELIEFS

For the month of November, the NAC Investment Portfolio increased by +1.93%, outperforming the Benchmark S&P/ASX 300 Industrials Accumulation Index which fell by -1.07% over the same period. This brings the inception performance over 4 years to +60.22%, vs. the Benchmark which has returned +24.76%. NAC paid a 1.35 cent per share fully franked dividend during November, which represented the first quarterly dividend payment for FY2019. There were a couple of notable events throughout November with Helloworld (ASX: HLO) holding their Annual General Meeting, Elders (ASX: ELD) announcing their FY2018 results and MNF Group (ASX: MNF) increasing their bid for Telco In A Box (ASX: IAB) following IAB receiving a counterbid from a private consortium. Firstly, HLO held their AGM in mid-November and released commentary that the first quarter had started well and was in line with their expectations. Again, the disclosure from HLO was excellent as they provided revenue and EBITDA figures for the quarter as well as commenting that all segments had recorded EBTIDA improvements on the previous corresponding quarter. The business has won over \$50 million in new accounts within the Corporate Travel segment and FY2019 EBITDA guidance remains at \$76-\$80 million.

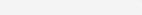
MNF announced a simplified and slightly increased bid to acquire the Wholesale and Enablement Business from IAB. We believe that this offer from MNF is in line with their strategy of acquiring complementary businesses that can utilise the MNF voice network whilst remaining disciplined on price. Even though the IAB assets represent a logical fit for MNF we believe it is imperative that MNF do not overpay for this acquisition. MNF has a net cash balance sheet, with the ability to reinvest these funds into internal development and other assets, such as those recently acquired in Singapore, which may well deliver higher rates of return than those of IAB depending on the final acquisition price.

Uncertainty surrounding the impact of dry weather conditions on short term earnings led to us exiting our position in ELD during July, we have since monitored the company closely and subsequently re-established a position believing it to be an attractive investment on a risk adjusted basis. ELD delivered a particularly impressive FY2018 result given poor seasonal conditions experienced by the agricultural sector. Elders managed to grow their earnings by +5% over the previous year, with a return on capital of +24.2%, highlighting just how successful the current management team have been in streamlining Elders into a low cost, geographically diversified business. To give some context as to just how difficult the period was, the Australian Bureau of Agricultural & Resource Economics & Sciences reported that to the end of September 2018, 49% of agricultural land in South-Eastern Australia experienced 1 in 20-year drought conditions. Given these extremely difficult conditions, we believe Elders will be well-positioned to use their strong balance sheet to make sensible bolt-on acquisitions at potentially distressed prices. Importantly, Elders FY2020 eight-point plan for 5-10% p.a. growth through the cycle is on track and has been significantly tested in the past 12 months. We remain confident in the Elders management team to deliver on their objectives and drive long term growth for shareholders.

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE

| | 1 MONTH | 1 YEAR | 2 YEARS (P.A.) | 3 YEARS (P.A.) | 4 YEARS (P.A.) | INCEPTION (P.A.) | INCEPTION (NOM.) |
|--|---------|--------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| NAC Investment Portfolio Performance* | +1.93% | -4.56% | +0.22% | +10.71% | +12.36% | +12.35% | +60.22% |
| S&P/ASX 300 Industrials Accumulation Index | -1.07% | -2.19% | +5.25% | +5.61% | +6.18% | +5.62% | +24.76% |
| Outperformance Relative to Benchmark | +3.00% | -2.37% | -5.03% | +5.10% | +6.18% | +6.73% | +35.46% |

^{*} Investment Portfolio Performance is post all operating expenses, before fees, taxes and initial IPO and placement commissions. Performance has not been grossed up for franking credits received by shareholders. Since inception (p.a. and nom.) includes part performance for the month of November 2014. Returns compounded for periods greater than 12 months.



















IGNORE THE INDEX



PURE EXPOSURE TO INDUSTRIALS



ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE (ESG)



MANAGEMENT ALIGNMENT



FULLY FRANKED DIVIDEND PROFILE (CENTS PER SHARE)

NAC aims to deliver shareholders a sustainable growing stream of fully franked quarterly dividends.



OUR TEAM

Chairman
David Rickards (Independent)

Directors

Warwick Evans Sebastian Evans

Company Secretary/ Senior Legal Counsel Rajiv Sharma

Chief Investment Officer Sebastian Evans

Portfolio Managers

Robert Miller Ben Rundle

Investment Analyst Rachel Folder

Chief Financial/ Operating Officer Richard Preedy

Business Development Manager Julia Stanistreet

> Sales Manager Scott Hildebrand

STOCK CONTRIBUTION ANALYSIS

The table below lists the top 5 positive stock contributors to the investment portfolio since inception.

| TOP 5 POSITIVE CONTRIBUTORS | CONTRIBUTION TO RETURN (%NAV) | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
| BSA Limited (ASX: BSA) | +6.36% | | | |
| Elders Limited (ASX: ELD) | +5.30% | | | |
| Service Stream Limited (ASX: SSM) | +5.08% | | | |
| Event Hospitality & Entertainment Limited (ASX: EVT) | +5.05% | | | |
| Smartgroup Corporation Limited (ASX: SIQ) | +5.01% | | | |

KEY METRICS - SUMMARY DATA

| Weighted Average Market Capitalisation of the Investments | \$901 million |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Number of Holdings | 11 Long Positions, 1 Short Position |
| Cash Weighting | 15.30% |
| Standard Deviation of Returns (NAC) | 10.78% |
| Standard Deviation of Returns (XKIAI) | 11.33% |
| Downside Deviation (NAC) | 5.61% |
| Downside Deviation (XKIAI) | 6.31% |
| Percentage of Positive Months (NAC) | 61% |
| Percentage of Positive Months (XKIAI) | 61% |
| Shares on Issue | 52,536,889 |
| NAC Directors Shareholding (Ordinary Shares) | 7,492,433 |

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO PERFORMANCE MONTHLY RETURNS*

| | JUL | AUG | | ОСТ | NOV | DEC | | | MAR | | MAY | JUN |
|------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| FY19 | +0.24% | +6.23% | -1.46% | -10.41% | +1.93% | | | | | | | |
| FY18 | -0.54% | +0.76% | +1.22% | +2.28% | +6.69% | +3.18% | -0.27% | -1.99% | +0.23% | -2.05% | +0.85% | -0.25% |
| FY17 | +3.81% | +5.01% | +3.84% | -0.22% | -0.63% | -1.98% | +0.35% | -2.56% | +1.48% | -2.78% | -0.11% | +0.65% |
| FY16 | +0.31% | -1.35% | +1.98% | +3.38% | +3.63% | +7.93% | -2.39% | -1.02% | +5.97% | +4.48% | +4.83% | -0.51% |
| FY15 | | | | | +0.54% | -1.66% | +2.77% | +0.88% | +2.73% | +0.43% | +4.87% | -1.54% |

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