

31 MARCH 2020

# Net Tangible Assets & Monthly Investment Report

# **Company commentary**

- Global pandemic prompts historic market falls
- Australian Dollar hits a 17-year low against the US Dollar

The portfolio's value declined sharply during March as the coronavirus became a global pandemic, prompting the fastest bear market (classed as a fall of 20% or more) in the US market's history. All major equities markets declined heavily.

We discuss the portfolio's performance and prognosis more fully in the Quarterly Report.

We exited several short positions during the month, one of which was quick-service restaurateur Wendy's. Our initial thesis was that Wendy's operates in a highly competitive industry, struggles for growth, is highly indebted (both the firm and separately its franchisees), yet trades on a high

valuation. While we could not have foreseen the coronavirus and its impact on restaurant operations across the United States, Wendy's' poor fundamentals meant the stock was susceptible to economic disruption of any kind. We took advantage of Wendy's more than 50% fall during the month, exiting our position at just over \$8 a share.

The large fall in the value of the Australian Dollar (hitting a 17 year low over the quarter) facilitated us hedging a higher proportion of our portfolio back to Australian Dollars. This will benefit the portfolio under a scenario of an Australian Dollar medium/long term recovery. The portfolio is now approximately 30% exposed to the Australian Dollar.

Net Tangible Asset (NTA) backing per ordinary share (After fees and expenses, all figures are unaudited) <sup>1</sup>	March 2020
NTA before tax accruals <sup>2</sup>	\$ 1.0387
NTA after tax (excluding	\$ 1.0014

Company performance (net of fees)4	1 Month	1 Year	3 Years p.a.	5 Years p.a.	Since inception p.a.	Total Return
PM Capital Global Opportunities Fund	-21.5%	-12.4%	1.5%	3.0%	6.7%	50.4%

I. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. 2. NTA before tax accruals does not include franking credits. Franking credits per share are \$0.053. 3. Net Tangible Assets (NTA) after tax (including deferred assets) is \$1.0747. The disclosure format of NTA has been updated in accordance with a change to ASX Listing Rule 19.12 "Interpretation and definitions", which became effective on 31 March 2020. 4. Performance adjusted for capital flows including those associated with the payment of dividends and tax, share issuance as a result of option exercise and the dividend reinvestment plan, and including the value of franking credits.

Portfolio investments	Weighting^^
Housing - Ireland and Spain	8.2%
Global Domestic Banking	27.4%
Service Monopolies	12.4%
Gaming - Macau	7.3%
Alternative Investment Managers	13.4%
Industrial - Europe	5.9%
Materials	6.5%
Other	12.3%
Long Equity Position	93.4%
Short Equity Position	-4.5%
Net Invested Equities	88.9%
Total holdings	42

<sup>^^</sup> Quoted before tax liability on unrealised gains. ^^^ Stated as effective exposure.

Current stock example	
Cairn Homes	
Bank of America	
Visa	
MGM China holdings	
KKR & Co.	
Siemens	
Freeport-McMoRan Coppe	er
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-0.3%

CAD





^ 'Domicile of Listing' represents the location of stock exchange listing of each entities' head office, whereas 'Domicile of business' represents the location of the predominant business of those entities.



#### PM Capital Limited ('the Manager'),

founded in 1998, is a leading Australian based fund manager that has successfully achieved its goal of building long term wealth for its clients by investing in global markets with patience and conviction.

#### Company profile

The PM Capital Global Opportunities Fund Limited (ASX:PGF, ACN 166 064 875), which began trading of the ASX on 12 December 2013, provides investors with an opportunity to invest in global equities via an Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) listed investment company.

Managed by PM Capital (AFSL 230222), the aim is to create long term wealth through a concentrated portfolio of around 40 global companies that it believes are trading at prices different to their intrinsic values.

PM Capital has been operating its global investment strategy via an unlisted fund since October 1998. This unlisted fund's performance adjusted to reflect PGF's fee structure has produced a total pretax return of 514% vs the MSCI World Net Total Return Index (AUD) of 169% to 31 March 2020.

#### Manager's comparable **MSCI** track record





#### Who manages the Company's portfolio?

The Portfolio Manager for the Fund and CIO is Paul Moore. Paul is supported by a team of experienced investment analysts.

## **Investment philosophy**

PM Capital aims to build long term wealth together with our co-investors by finding

and exploiting investment anomalies around the world. Using a focused, patient and considered approach to finding simple investment ideas produces the best environment for creating that long term wealth.

Our experience has shown us that while the market is largely efficient, it can, and regularly does, misprice a small proportion of companies. Our unique process is based on scanning the world for those companies (hence the radar in our logo), discovering the associated valuation anomalies and extracting value from them. We buy good businesses at a good price; businesses that we believe are being valued differently to their long term intrinsic value, but will return to their correct value over time.

# Why the PM Capital Global **Opportunities Fund Limited?**

**Established:** The Company's process has been shown to be effective, based on a philosophy developed by Paul Moore, over 34 years.

Unrestricted: We have an authentic investment process where our exposure to countries, industry sectors or market capitalisation is determined solely by our conviction in the risk/ reward opportunities that we identify in individual stocks. No conviction at the stock level = no investment.

Opportunistic and focused: The Company's portfolio is not built around a general market benchmark or index - it is highly focused based on our fundamental, bottom-up investment process. The portfolio only holds those stocks that we believe give the best opportunity to produce strong long term

Co-investment: The Manager has a significant investment in the Company it invests with and for you.

# **Key Company Details**

**ASX Code** 

PGF

ACN

166 064 875

**Trading commenced** 

12 December 2013

Shares on issue

354,175,578

Category

Global equities (long/short)

Investment style

Fundamental, bottom-up, researchintensive approach

**Number of stocks** 

As a guide, around 40 globally listed equities.

Suggested investment time

Seven years plus

Investor profile

PGF may be appropriate for investors seeking to profit from long-term capital growth over an investment horizon of seven years or longer, through investment in a concentrated portfolio of global (including Australian) equities and other investment securities.

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