

# NTA & Investment Update March 2024

#### Net tangible asset (NTA) backing per share

	31 March	29 February
NTA per share <sup>1</sup>	\$2.42	\$2.34
NTA per share after unrealised tax provision <sup>2</sup>	\$2.37	\$2.31

#### **Market commentary**

In March, global infrastructure stocks rose +3.4% (in A\$ terms) ahead of broader global equities (up +3.0%). Stronger-than-expected economic data continued to support a rosy outlook for global growth, although inflation remained sticky which saw expectations for interest rate cuts moved out to mid-year.

Pleasingly, Argo Infrastructure's portfolio gained +4.0% to outperform both the benchmark index and Australian shares (up +3.3%).

Amid the robust economic outlook, the more commercially-sensitive infrastructure subsectors again generated the strongest returns and contributed to the portfolio's positive performance. This included our holding in Brazil-based marine port operator Santos Brasil which posted financial results ahead of investor expectations. Looking ahead, the firm remains well-positioned to reap the benefits of an ongoing shortage in container terminal capacity in the region.

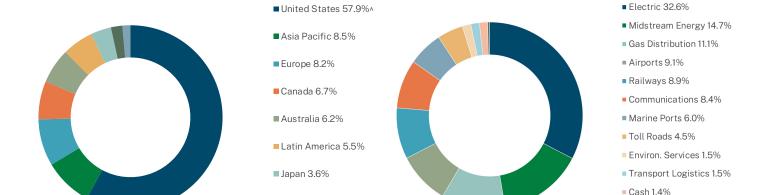
#### **Portfolio**

Performance	1 year	3 years (p.a.)	5 years (p.a.)	Since inception <sup>4</sup> (p.a.)
Portfolio <sup>1</sup>	+7.2%	+9.9%	+7.0%	+8.2%
Benchmark <sup>2</sup>	+6.1%	+8.4%	+5.6%	+7.4%
S&P/ASX 200 <sup>3</sup>	+14.5%	+9.6%	+9.2%	+8.4%

Sector diversification\*

■ United Kingdom 2.0%

■ Cash 14%



<sup>1</sup> After all costs, including any tax payable.

Geographic diversification\*

- <sup>2</sup> As required under the ASX Listing Rules, theoretical NTA per share after providing for estimated tax on unrealised gains/losses in the portfolio. That is, after tax that may arise if the entire portfolio was sold.
- \* As a percentage of investment portfolio.
- ^ Many of the largest infrastructure companies are listed in the US, although their operations and earnings are often global.

■ Water 0.3%

Diversified 0.0%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Before fees <sup>2</sup> FTSE Global Core Infrastructure 50/50 Index (in A\$) <sup>3</sup> Accumulation Index <sup>4</sup> July 2015



### About us

#### At a glance

ASX code	ALI
Listed	2015
Manager	Argo Investments
Portfolio Manager	Cohen & Steers
Market cap.	\$385m
Shareholders	9,100
Hedging	Unhedged
Management fee	1.2%
Performance fee	Nil
Dividend yield <sup>^</sup>	4.2%

<sup>^</sup> Historical yield of 6.0% (including franking) based on dividends paid/declared over the last 12 months.

#### Company overview

Provides exposure to a diverse portfolio of global infrastructure stocks. The portfolio is actively managed by Cohen & Steers (NYSE: CNS), a leading specialist global real assets fund manager managing funds of over A\$110 billion for institutional clients and sovereign wealth funds from offices worldwide.

#### How to invest

We are listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) under the ASX code 'ALI'. To become a shareholder, buy shares through your stockbroker, online broker, financial adviser or platform.

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#### Shareholder benefits



#### Global diversification

Exposure across various geographies and both emerging and developed economies



#### Specialist global fund manager

Access to a world-leading, specialist infrastructure fund manager



## Access infrastructure opportunities

New opportunities offshore through government privatisations



#### Proven investment approach

Experienced investment team with a long and successful track record



#### Enhance risk-adjusted returns

Less volatile than broader equities providing some relative downside protection



#### Simple global investing

Exposure to a large and complex asset class through one simple ASX trade

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