

### **ACORN CAPITAL INVESTMENT FUND LIMITED**

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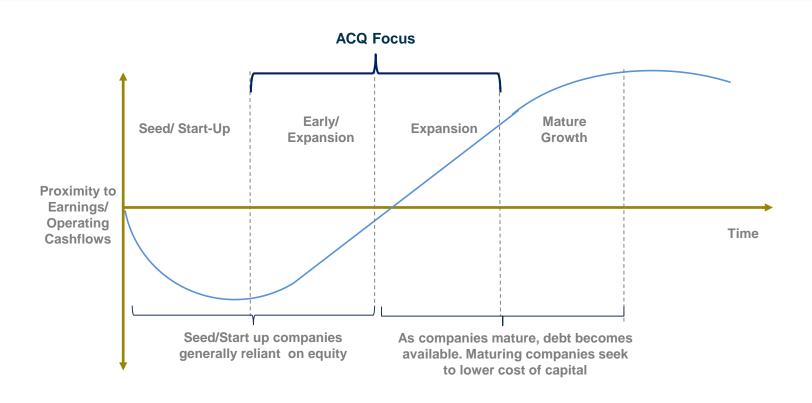
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ACQ gives investors access to listed and unlisted companies distinguished by their smaller size and stage of development through a single diversified portfolio



## ACQ provides investors with access to innovation and entrepreneurialism through developing companies



### Key highlights



- ACQ Pre-Tax NTA as at 30 June 2017 was \$1.1076 (1)
- Investment portfolio returned -2.53%<sup>(2)</sup> for the June 2017 quarter as compared to the S&P/Small Ordinaries Accumulation Index of -0.35%
- Full year performance of +6.34%<sup>(2)</sup>
- In the last 12 months 3.3 cents per share fully franked has been paid, equating to a cash yield of 3.6% (3)
- Dividend guidance of at least 3% of the 30 June Pre-Tax NTA reconfirmed
- Launched new website for ACQ, <u>www.ACQfund.com.au</u>

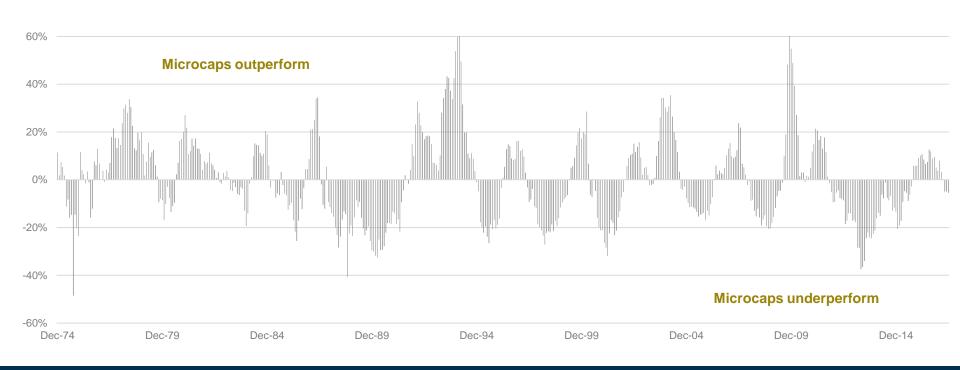
Unaudited

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approved policies.

<sup>3.</sup> Calculated as at 30 June 2017



# Microcap Sector has underperformed the All Ordinaries Accumulation Index over the past 12 months to 30 June 2017, returning +7.6% vs +13.1%



### **Sector Observations**



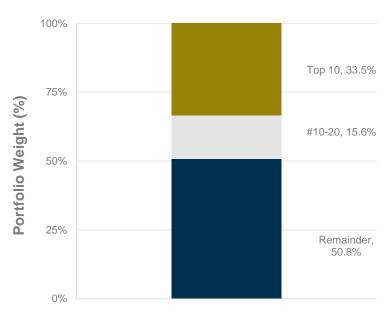
- During June 2017 quarter the Microcap Sector producing a return of -4.6%<sup>(1)</sup> as compared to the S&P/Small Ordinaries Accumulation Index of -0.35%
- Materials ex Resources, Materials Resources, Industrials ex Capital Goods and Telecommunication Services in aggregate contributed 3% to the Microcap sector underperformance
- Best performing sectors in the Microcap Sector AREITS, Information Technology and Financials



## ACQ investment portfolio has 33.5% of FUM in top 10 investments

Top 1	10 Holdings	% Gross Portfolio	
1.	Hub24	6.9%	
2.	Genea (UL)	4.6%	
3.	Redbubble	3.7%	
4.	Carbon Revolution (UL)	3.4%	
5.	MSL Solutions	3.1%	
6.	Innovative Asset Solutions Group (UL)	2.8%	
7.	Lifestyle Panel Holdings (UL)	2.6%	
8.	Fiducian	2.4%	
9.	AROA Biosurgery (UL)	2.3%	
10.	Integrated Payment Technologies	1.9%	
	Top 10 Positions	33.5%	

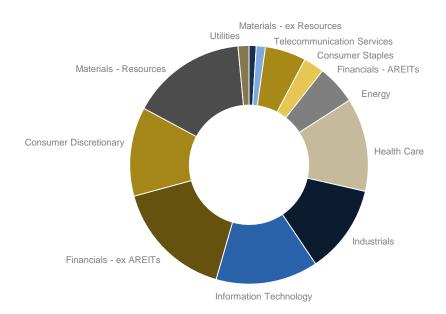
### Distribution of holdings by weight



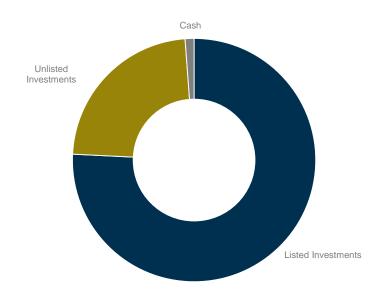


## ACQ provides investors with a diversified exposure to Australian Emerging Growth Companies

#### **ACQ Sector Diversification**



#### **ACQ Portfolio Composition**



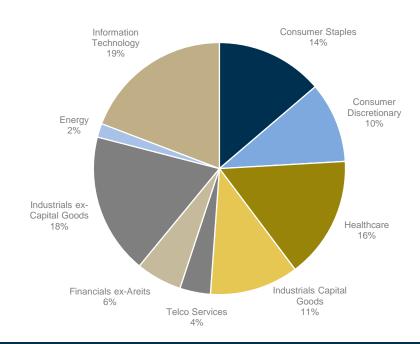


## ACQ has invested \$25.5m in 23 unlisted opportunities<sup>(1)</sup>, 10 of which have reached liquidity events

#### **Unlisted Investment Rate**



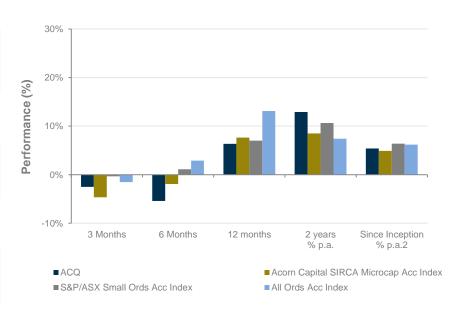
#### Sector Composition of Unlisted Investments<sup>(1)</sup>





## ACQ generated a post fee return of 6.3% over the past 12 months

Periods to 30 June 2017	3 months	6 months	1 year	2 years p.a.	Since inception p.a. <sup>2</sup>
ACQ <sup>1</sup>	-2.53%	-5.42%	+6.34%	+12.91%	+5.40%
Acorn Capital / SIRCA Microcap Acc. Index <sup>3</sup>	-4.64%	-1.93%	+7.62%	+8.49%	+4.89%
S&P/ASX Small Ords Acc. Index	-0.35%	+1.11%	+7.01%	+10.65%	+6.40%
S&P/All Ords Accumulation Index	-1.54%	+2.89%	+13.12%	+7.42%	+6.19%



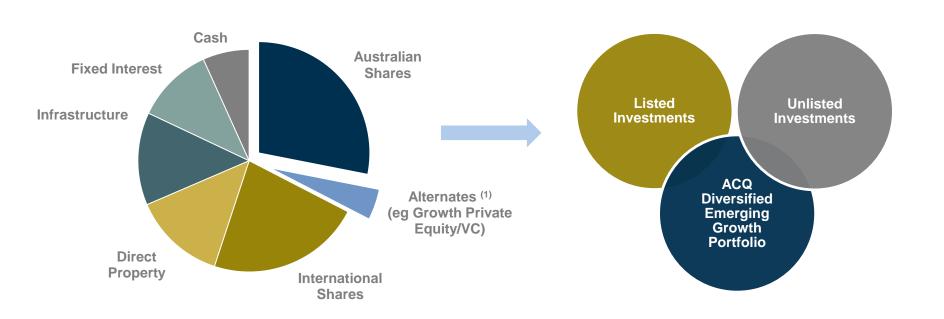
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<sup>2.</sup> Inception is 1 May 2014

<sup>3.</sup> Acorn Capital / SIRCA Microcap Accumulation Index data is verified 3 months in arrears by SIRCA ('Securities Industry Research Centre of Asia-Pacific')



## ACQ provides long term investors a differentiated and efficient platform to allocate capital to small companies





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