

Monthly net tangible asset (NTA) backing per share and top 25 investments as at 30 September 2024

| | Before Tax* | After Tax* |
|-------------------|-------------|------------|
| 30 September 2024 | \$8.33 | \$6.91 |
| 31 August 2024 | \$8.20 | \$6.80 |

* The before and after tax numbers relate to the provision for deferred tax on the unrealised gains in the Company's investment portfolio. The Company is a long term investor and does not intend disposing of its total long term investment portfolio. Under current Accounting Standards, the Company is required to provide for tax on any gains that may arise on such a theoretical disposal, after the utilisation of brought forward losses.

Key facts

Investment objectives: AFIC aims to provide shareholders with attractive investment returns through access to a growing stream of fully franked dividends and enhancement of capital invested over the medium to long term.

Benchmark: S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index.

Size of portfolio: \$10.5 billion at 30 September 2024.

Low Management cost: 0.15 per cent, no additional fees.

Investment style: Long-term, fundamental, bottom-up.

Suggested investment period: Five years to 10 years or longer.

Net asset backing (NTA): Estimated NTA released weekly and a monthly NTA with top 25 investments.

Listed on ASX and NZX: code AFI.

Key benefits

Diversified portfolio primarily of ASX-listed Australian equities.

Tax-effective income via fully franked dividends.

Consistent after tax paid investment returns achieved over the long term.

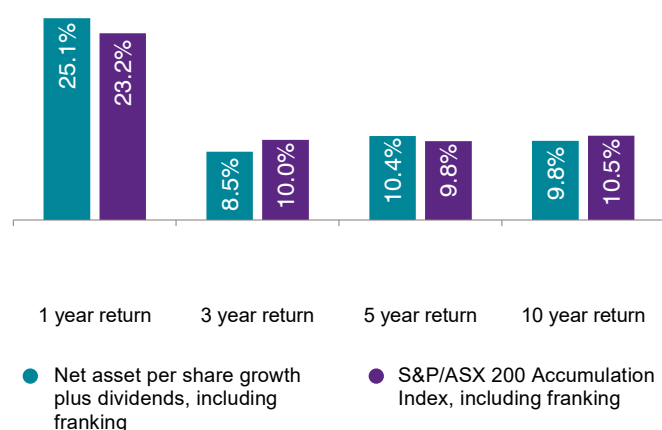
Professional management and an experienced Board, investment and management team.

Low-cost investing.

Ease of investing, transparent ASX pricing, good liquidity in shares.

Shareholder meetings on a regular basis.

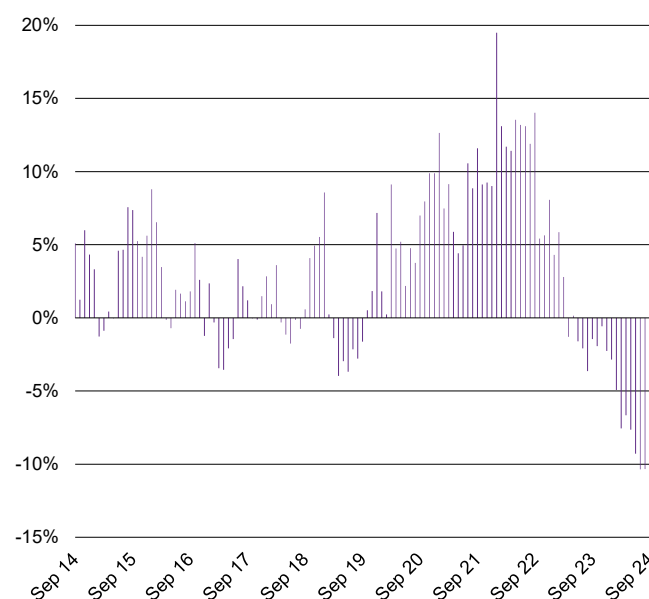
Portfolio performance percentage per annum-periods ending 30 September 2024*



* Assumes an investor can take full advantage of the franking credits. AFIC's portfolio return is also calculated after management fees, income tax and capital gains tax on realised sales of investments. It should be noted that Index returns for the market do not include management expenses or tax.

Past performance is not indicative of future performance.

Share price premium/discount to NTA



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Market commentary

The S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index increased 3.0% in September closing at an all-time at the end of the month.

The Materials sector was the strongest performer though the month, up 13.1%, reversing previous under performance over recent months. Mid Cap Resources were up 10.9% in September. The Banking sector, which has previously outperformed the market, was down 1.3%, although still up 27.8% over the calendar year to the end of September. In contrast the Materials sector is down 2.1% over the same period.

Other strong sectors through the month were Information Technology which was up 7.4% and Real Estate which was up 6.6%. The largest negative contributor for September was Health Care, down 3.2%.

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Portfolio facts

Top 25 investments valued at closing prices at 30 September 2024

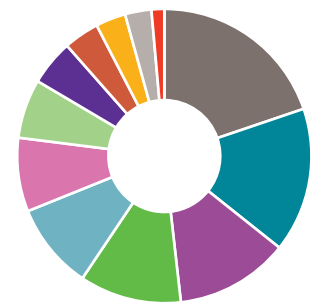
| | Total Value \$ Million | % of Portfolio |
|---|---------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Commonwealth Bank of Australia | 961.9 | 9.3% |
| 2 BHP | 953.8 | 9.2% |
| 3 CSL | 734.0 | 7.1% |
| 4 Macquarie Group * | 519.0 | 5.0% |
| 5 Wesfarmers | 463.3 | 4.5% |
| 6 National Australia Bank * | 460.2 | 4.4% |
| 7 Westpac Banking Corporation | 421.3 | 4.1% |
| 8 Goodman Group | 375.6 | 3.6% |
| 9 Transurban Group | 356.2 | 3.4% |
| 10 James Hardie Industries | 262.9 | 2.5% |
| 11 Telstra Group | 243.7 | 2.4% |
| 12 Rio Tinto | 240.4 | 2.3% |
| 13 ANZ Group Holdings | 226.0 | 2.2% |
| 14 Woolworths Group | 222.0 | 2.1% |
| 15 CAR Group | 213.2 | 2.1% |
| 16 Woodside Energy Group | 205.8 | 2.0% |
| 17 ResMed | 204.3 | 2.0% |
| 18 ARB Corporation | 176.0 | 1.7% |
| 19 Coles Group * | 175.2 | 1.7% |
| 20 Reece | 169.3 | 1.6% |
| 21 Mainfreight | 157.5 | 1.5% |
| 22 Amcor | 157.1 | 1.5% |
| 23 Xero | 124.8 | 1.2% |
| 24 REA Group | 116.0 | 1.1% |
| 25 Fisher & Paykel Healthcare Corporation | 115.6 | 1.1% |
| Total | 8,255.1 | |

As percentage of total portfolio value (excludes cash)

79.8%

* Indicates that options were outstanding against part of the holding

Investment by sector at 30 September 2024



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|--------------------------|-------|
| ● Banks | 19.8% |
| ● Materials | 15.9% |
| ● Healthcare | 12.5% |
| ● Industrials | 11.2% |
| ● Other Financials | 9.5% |
| ● Consumer Discretionary | 8.1% |
| ● Communication Services | 6.5% |
| ● Real Estate | 5.0% |
| ● Consumer Staples | 3.9% |
| ● Energy | 3.3% |
| ● Information Technology | 2.9% |
| ● Cash | 1.4% |

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