



# **Australian Companies Fund**

Providing our highest conviction Australian opportunities in a concentrated, unconstrained, benchmark-unaware portfolio.

# Fund profile



# Meet the Manager

# Uday Cheruvu

Uday joined PM Capital in 2008 and has managed the PM Capital Australian Companies Fund since 2014.

Uday is a member of the 9 person-strong PM Capital Investment Team that is made up of portfolio managers and analysts with deep experience.

## Uday's experience

Industry - 15 years

PM Capital - 10 years

Team's experience (average)

Industry - 20 years PM Capital - 11 years

# Why invest in the Fund?



#### Opportunistic

The Fund aims to create long term wealth for our co-investors by finding and exploiting investment anomalies, wherever they are.



## **Deep experience**

The Fund's active process has been shown to be effective, based on a philosophy developed by Paul Moore over 30 years. This has produced attractive long term capital growth.



# **Unrestricted**

The concentration of the Australian equities market means many managers cannot add significant value. Our exposure to industry sectors or market capitalisation is unconstrained and benchmark unaware, determined solely by our conviction in the risk/ reward opportunities.



# Global expertise and value add

While providing the best Australian-based opportunities, the Fund considers its investments in a global context. With access to PM Capital's effective international research, the Fund can invest 0-20% in companies internationally if they provide better risk/ reward propositions than are present domestically.



# **Co-investment**

The management team have significant investments in the Fund – they invest for and with you.

"The Australian equity universe is relatively narrow. This suits our investment approach - we build a small portfolio of high conviction, differentiated ideas that we believe will provide better returns than the broader market."

# Uday Cheruvu



# **Fund objective**

To provide long term capital growth and outperform the greater of the S&P/ASX 200 Accumulation Index or the RBA cash rate over rolling seven year periods. The Fund is not intended to replicate the index.

This Fund is suited to investors seeking:

# **Capital growth**

Provided by a demonstrated, focused, patient and considered process.

# Access to Australian securities

Increase your exposure to Australian equities, either within your portfolio or SMSF.

# A long term approach

Comfortable with investing in the Fund over the long term (7 years plus) with some short term volatility.

# Diversity

The potential for returns that may be significantly different to those provided by the index and more traditional Australian equity funds.

# **Highly rated**





# The Fund is available on most platforms. See our website for a full list.

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# **Key Fund Facts**

#### **Fund category**

Australian equities (Long/ Short)

#### Investment style

Fundamental, bottom-up research-intensive approach

### Inception date

20 January 2000

Fund size \$25.4 Million

**Strategy size** \$25.4 Million

Number of stocks As a guide, 15-25 stocks

**Currency** Actively managed (A\$ base)

Minimum direct investment \$20,000

Recommended investment time

Seven years plus

Fees (pa) Mngt fee: 1.09% Perf. fee: 20% (subject to a high water mark) of the excess above the RBA Cash Rate and ASX 200 Accumulation Index.

#### Buy/ sell spread

+/-0.25%

**Dealing frequency** Daily

## APIR Code

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### **Further Information**

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