



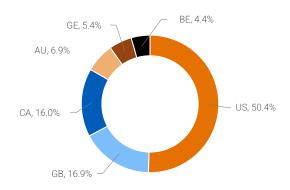
Quay Global Real Estate Fund (AUD Hedged)

Net returns

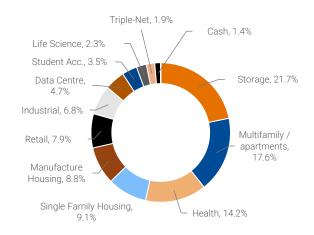
	1 mth	3 mths	6 mths	1 year	2 years p.a.	3 years p.a.	Since inception ² p.a.
Fund	+2.66%	+1.58%	-3.48%	+5.18%	+9.19%	+0.05%	-2.42%
Benchmark ¹	+2.54%	-0.68%	-3.71%	+8.69%	+7.75%	-0.69%	-2.48%
Value added	+0.12%	+2.26%	+0.23%	-3.51%	+1.44%	+0.74%	+0.06%

Performance figures include dividends and are after all fees and costs and gross of any earnings tax, but after withholding tax. 'Value added' calculation does not use rounded performance figures. Past performance is not indicative of future performance.

Geographic weighting



Sector weighting



Commentary

The AUD hedged global real estate index returned +2.54% in May. The Fund returned net +2.66%, outperforming the index by 12bps.

This month saw a broad rotation back into risks assets, as easing global trade tensions supported a rebound in market sentiment. The rebound was especially strong in the US, which had lagged other regions the previous month.

While returns were positive, REITs underperformed US equities (S&P500 +6.0%), likely due to short-term negative correlation to rising bond yields. US 10-year treasury yields rose from $\sim\!4.2\%$ to $\sim\!4.4\%$ (peaking at $\sim\!4.6\%$) this month. A 'weak' bond auction and Moody's downgrade of the US sovereign credit rating (citing debt concerns), further dampened sentiment. In this month's <code>investment</code> <code>perspectives</code> we discuss our take on recent bond market activity and the potential long-term impact on real estate.

Q1 reporting season wrapped up this month, with solid results across real estate, with most companies yet to feel the effects of tariffs or economic uncertainty. The exception included US industrial (particularly coastal), where some operators saw slower leasing activity in April, post-tariff announcements. GreenStreet data also showed a sharp drop in U.S. industrial net absorption to ~15M square feet for the quarter, down from the typical 45M square feet pace set in 2Q-4Q24.

In this uncertain political/economic environment, we remain cautious on economically sensitive sub-sectors of real estate where tenants commit to long term leases, as is the case in Industrial, Retail and Office.

In Canada, apartment REIT Interrent received a \$13.55/share all-cash offer from CLV Group and Singapore's GIC — 35% above its March 7 pre-sale rumour price. The deal includes a 40-day go-shop period for potential competing bids. We see this as a clear sign that



the private market is capitalising on undervalued listed REITs with solid operating fundamentals.

Top contributors to returns for the month came from positions in Canadian Apartments and Canadian Healthcare. The top detractors for the month were our positions in US Healthcare and US Single Family Housing.

How to invest

The Fund is open to investors directly via the PDS (available on our <u>website</u>) or the following platforms. Visit <u>How to invest</u> to find out more.

Platforms

AMP North Mason Stevens
BT (Panorama) Netwealth (Wealth, Super)
CFS (Edge) Praemium
Dash (uXchange) Power Wrap (Smart Wrap)
Hub24 (Super, IDPS)
Insignia (Expand, Expand Extra)
Macquarie Wrap (IDPS, Super)

Fund details

Feature	Information		
APIR Code	BFL3333AU		
Investment objective	To generate a real total return of at least 5% above CPI per annum over a 5+ year investment horizon		
Portfolio managers	Chris Bedingfield/Justin Blaess		
Stock number	24		
Inception date	2 February 2022 ²		
Recommended investment period	Long term (5+ years)		
Minimum investment (AUD)	\$20,000		
Additional investment (AUD)	\$5,000		
NAV ³	0.8816		
Buy/Sell spread	+/-0.20%		
Entry/Exit fees	Nil		
Distributions	Bi-annual		
Management fees and costs ⁴	0.92%		

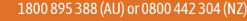
Get in touch



quaygi.com



client.experience@bennelongfunds.com



Benchmark is the FTSE EPRA/NAREIT Developed Hedged Index NET TR AUD. Source: FTSE International Limited ("FTSE") © FTSE 2017. "FTSE®" is a trade mark of the London Stock Exchange Group companies and is used by FTSE International Limited under licence. "NAREIT®" is a trade mark of the National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts and "EPRA®" is a trade mark of European Public Real Estate Association and all are used by FTSE under licence. All rights in the FTSE indices and / or FTSE ratings vest in FTSE and/or its licensors. Neither FTSE nor its licensors accept any liability for any errors or omissions in the FTSE indices and / or FTSE ratings or underlying data. No further distribution of FTSE Data is permitted without FTSE's express written consent.

- ² Inception date is 2 February 2022.
- ³ Adjusted for expected withholding taxes.
- 4 Management fees and costs consist of annual management fee rate and capped recoverable expenses. For a detailed split of the fees and costs, please refer to the fund(s) PDS.

This information is issued by Bennelong Funds Management Ltd (ABN 39 111 214 085, AFSL 296806) (BFML) in relation to the Quay Global Real Estate Fund (AUD Hedged). The Fund is managed by Quay Global Investors, a Bennelong boutique. This is general information only, and does not constitute financial, tax or legal advice or an offer or solicitation to subscribe for units in any fund of which BFML is the Trustee or Responsible Entity (Bennelong Fund). This information has been prepared without taking account of your objectives, financial situation or needs. Before acting on the information or deciding whether to acquire or hold a product, you should consider the appropriateness of the information based on your own objectives, financial situation or needs or consult a professional adviser. You should also consider the relevant Information Memorandum (IM) and or Product Disclosure Statement (PDS) which is available on the BFML website, bennelongfunds.com, or by phoning 1800 895 388 (AU) or 0800 442 304 (NZ). Information about the Target Market Determinations (TMDs) for the Bennelong Funds is available on the BFML website. BFML may receive management and or performance fees from the Bennelong Funds, details of which are also set out in the current IM and or PDS. BFML and the Bennelong Funds, their affiliates and associates accept no liability for any inaccurate, incomplete or omitted information of any kind or any losses caused by using this information. All investments carry risks. There can be no assurance that any Bennelong Fund will achieve its targeted rate of return and no guarantee against loss resulting from an investment in any Bennelong Fund. Past fund performance is not indicative of future performance. Information is current as at the date of this document. Quay Global Investors Pty Ltd (ABN 98 163 911 859) is a Corporate Authorised Representative of BFML.