

## **COMMENTARY**

The fund returned negative 1.68% for the month of June 2022. Net exposure averaged 32% long, while gross averaged 160%. This brings our Calendar Year Return to positive 2.35%, Financial Year Return to positive 18.30% and since inception return to positive 23.32% p.a. net of fees.

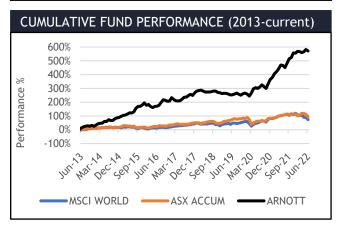
Global markets were incredibly weak in June, to cap off what has been the worst first half equity performance since 1970. The catalyst for this draw down in risk assets has been the stark realisation by market participants that the Federal Reserve Board along with other central banks will need to aggressively raise interest rates to tame inflationary forces.

For the strategy, June was a tale of two very distinct halves. We had very strong performance early with our short Australian Banks and Private market themes generating very pleasing alpha on the short side of the portfolio. Then as the market narrative very abruptly pivoted to recession and risk off swept global markets our long themes began underperforming the market, despite strong and increasing structural tailwinds such as in our Uranium theme. We are reminded that in aggressive market drawdowns all correlations go to one.

We have kept our commentary brief this month as we will be shortly mailing out our Bi-Annual letter to investors. We will go into more detail on fund performance, our current macro views and how we are positioning the portfolio in the current environment.

PERFORMANCE METRICS					
	From May 2013				
	Arnott	MSCI			
Annualised returns	23.32%	6.22%			
% Positive months	65.14%	63.30%			
Average monthly return	1.83%	0.59%			
Avg return in MSCI up months	1.67%	2.92%			
Avg return in MSCI down months	2.11%	-3.44%			
Best month	13.07%	12.66%			
Worst month	-6.09%	-13.47%			
Largest drawdown	-11.61%	-21.44%			
Longest drawdown (mths)	24	20			
Sortino	4.36	0.60			
Sharpe ratio	1.79	0.44			

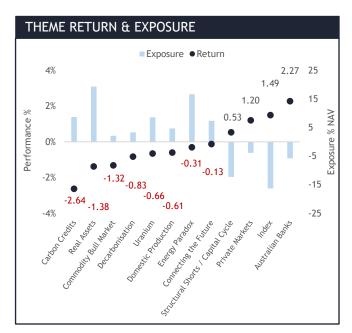
CORRELATION TO ASSETS (2013 to Current)				
MSCI Index	0.08			
US Government Bond Index	-0.03			
US\$ Gold	0.02			
Bloomberg Commodities Index	-0.04			
Hedge Fund L/S	0.02			

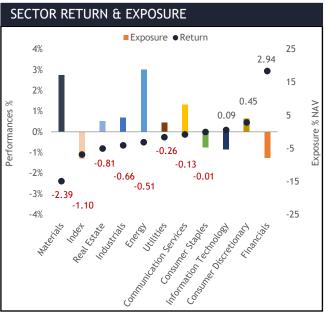


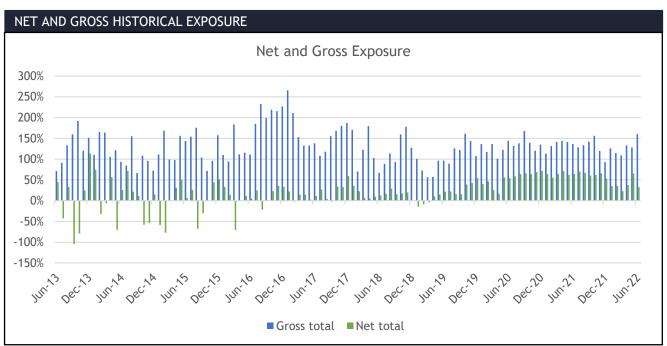
MONTHLY SUMMARY METRICS					
NET RETURN	AV GROSS EXP	AV NET EXP			
-1.68%	160%	32%			

STRATEGY HISTORICAL PERFORMANCE (%)													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Annual
2013						13.07	7.63	2.97	2.82	-2.69	5.23	-5.25	25.00
2014	7.61	6.56	2.43	0.77	8.87	-0.93	8.46	-3.78	0.34	7.78	3.24	1.92	51.59
2015	4.46	2.88	1.99	3.19	4.12	-0.52	3.44	11.47	5.23	0.00	3.67	5.72	55.80
2016	-6.09	2.14	-5.17	-2.83	3.30	0.40	2.69	7.49	6.29	-1.15	-2.34	0.48	4.33
2017	7.99	-4.01	-2.94	-0.34	0.43	4.08	4.21	-0.02	3.37	2.79	-2.32	5.51	19.58
2018	3.47	0.88	0.72	-1.68	-1.86	0.09	0.03	0.66	1.24	-0.18	-2.61	-0.50	0.12
2019	-1.66	0.53	-0.30	-1.16	-1.90	0.29	1.70	1.72	-2.10	-2.04	3.20	1.05	-0.82
2020	-1.90	-4.03	6.32	8.76	1.82	-1.47	2.69	3.82	-2.94	-3.32	8.59	7.22	27.23
2021	3.26	5.69	2.74	3.93	5.03	-0.40	-2.81	5.60	5.75	1.30	5.37	-0.24	40.90
2022	2.07	-0.34	-1.10	0.95	2.50	-1.68							2.35









## **INVESTMENT STRATEGY**

The Fund adopts an absolute return strategy, focusing on thematic investment opportunities with an equity bias. We seek to achieve the investment objective through our asymmetric investment approach which includes:

- 1. Finding what we perceive to be good quality investments based on our analysis; and
- 2. Not losing money in the pursuit of realising these investments.

We strive to achieve asymmetric returns though a thematic investment process. This has four pillars.

- 1. Find asymmetric themes;
- 2. Invest in the best ideas within those themes;
- 3. Focus on macro drivers for risk & opportunities; and
- 4. Generate an asymmetric return profile.

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MINIMUM SUBSCRIPTIONS	AUD \$100,000	CONTACT DETAILS	investor@arnott.com.au		
WITHDRAWALS	Monthly	PRIME BROKER	Morgan Stanley International PLC J.P. Morgan Securities PLC		
PERFORMANCE FEE	20%	FUND ADMINISTRATOR	Apex Group Ltd.		
MANAGEMENT FEE	1.5%	FUND AUDITOR	Ernst and Young		
SUBSCRIPTIONS	Monthly	LEGAL ADVISORS	Ernst and Young		

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