

INVESTMENT UPDATE May 2021

Cadence Capital Limited returned a negative gross performance of 0.8% in May, compared to the All Ordinaries Accumulation Index which was up 2.0%. Financial year to date the fund is up 38.4%, outperforming the index by 11.4%. For the month of May, the largest detractors from performance were EML Payments, Costa Group Holdings and Redfin Corp. The largest contributors to performance were Cettire, Chalice Gold Mines and Uniti Group. As at 31st May 2021, the Company was 74.9% invested.

On the 12<sup>th</sup> May the Company released its <u>March 2021 Quarterly Webcast</u>. In this webcast, Karl Siegling firstly provided an update on the Company's performance, upcoming dividend payment and CDM's discount to NTA. Jackson Aldridge and Charlie Gray then discussed the Company's current investment themes and positioning. Karl Siegling finished with an update on DeepGreen Metals and the outlook for 2021.

#### **Fund NTA**

Net Tangible Assets as at 31st May 2021	Amount (\$)
Pre Tax NTA <sup>1*</sup>	\$1.073
Post Tax NTA <sup>1*</sup>	\$1.174
Share Price (ASX Code: CDM) <sup>1</sup>	\$1.125

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> After the 2.0c fully franked interim dividend paid on 13th May 2021

#### **Fund Gross Performance**

Gross Performance* to 31st May 2021	CDM	All Ords Accum	Outperformance
1 Month	-0.8%	2.0%	-2.8%
YTD	38.4%	27.0%	+11.4%
1 Year	38.7%	30.0%	+8.7%
3 Years (per annum)	1.8%	10.4%	-8.6%
5 Years (per annum)	6.4%	10.5%	-4.1%
8 Years (per annum)	6.2%	9.6%	-3.4%
10 Years (per annum)	8.0%	8.9%	-0.9%
Since Inception (15.7 years) (per annum)	12.7%	7.4%	+5.3%
Since Inception (15.7 years) (total return)	554.9%	207.6%	+347.3%

<sup>\*</sup> Gross Performance: before Management and Performance Fees

<sup>\*</sup> NTA's <u>do not include</u> the accretion of the <u>DeepGreen Metals transaction announced on 5th March 2021</u>

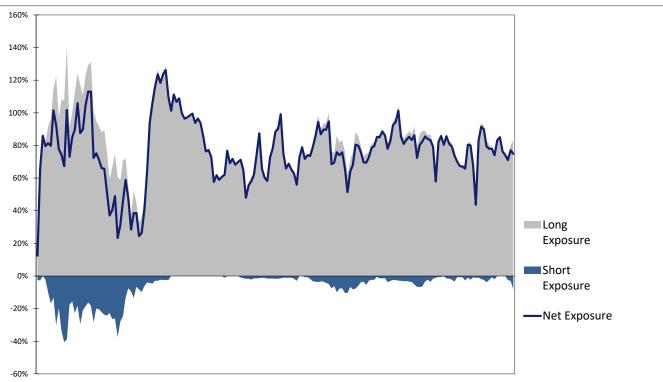


# **Franked Dividends Declared Since Listing**

Calendar Year	Interim	Final	Special	Total	Gross (Inc. Franking)
2007	2.0c	2.0c	2.0c	6.0c	8.6c
2008	2.5c	2.2c*	-	4.7c	5.8c
2009	-	2.0c	-	2.0c	2.9c
2010	2.0c	2.0c	-	4.0c	5.7c
2011	3.0c	3.0c	3.0c	9.0c	12.9c
2012	4.0c	4.0c	4.5c	12.5c	17.8c
2013	5.0c	5.0c	1.0c	11.0c	15.7c
2014	5.0c	5.0c	-	10.0c	14.3c
2015	5.0c	5.0c	1.0c	11.0c	15.7c
2016	5.0c	4.0c	-	9.0c	12.9c
2017	4.0c	4.0c	-	8.0c	11.4c
2018	4.0c	4.0c	-	8.0c	11.4c
2019	3.0c	2.0c	-	5.0c	7.1c
2020	2.0c	2.0c	-	4.0c	5.7c
2021	2.0c	-	-	2.0c	2.9c
TOTAL	48.5c	46.2c	11.5c	106.2c	150.8c

<sup>\*</sup> Off market equal access buy back

## **Historic Portfolio Exposure**



Oct-05 Nov-06 Dec-07 Dec-08 Jan-10 Feb-11 Mar-12 Mar-13 May-14 Jun-15 Jun-16 Jul-17 Jul-18 Jul-19 Jul-20



# **Portfolio Sector Analysis**

Sector	Long	Short	Net
Communications	18.0%		18.0%
Financial	13.6%	-0.8%	12.9%
Consumer, Cyclical	11.6%	-2.0%	9.6%
Industrial	9.3%		9.3%
Energy	8.6%		8.6%
Basic Materials	6.0%	-0.6%	5.3%
Consumer, Non-cyclical	5.6%	-1.5%	4.2%
Technology	5.7%	-2.3%	3.5%
Materials	1.9%		1.9%
Capital Goods	1.7%		1.7%
	82.1%	-7.2%	74.9%
Net Cash Holdings and Tax Asset			25.1%

## **Top 20 Portfolio Positions**

Code	Position*	Direction	Currency Exposure
GOOGL US	Alphabet Inc	Long	AUD
APX	Appen Ltd	Short	AUD
ARB	ARB Corp Ltd	Long	AUD
BBN	Baby Bunting Group Ltd	Long	AUD
BET	Betmakers Technology Group Ltd	Long	AUD
BSL	Bluescope Steel Limited	Long	AUD
BLD	Boral Ltd	Long	AUD
CTT	Cettire Ltd	Long	AUD
CHN	Chalice Gold Mines Ltd	Long	AUD
CCP	Credit Corp Group Ltd	Long	AUD
**	Deepgreen Metals	Long	AUD
JLG	Johns Lyng Group	Long	AUD
360	Life360 Inc	Long	AUD
MGH	Maas Group Holdings Ltd	Long	AUD
MNY	Money3 Corp Ltd	Long	AUD
NTO	Nitro Software Ltd	Long	AUD
RMC	Resimac Group Ltd	Long	AUD
TYR	Tyro Payments Ltd	Long	AUD
UWL	Uniti Group Limited	Long	AUD
UPST US	Upstart Holdings Inc	Long	AUD

<sup>\*</sup> In Alphabetical Order

 $<sup>\</sup>ensuremath{^{**}}\mbox{ A Pre-IPO}$  investment in the M aterials sector



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### **Portfolio Market Capitalisation Analysis**

Market Capitalisation	Long	Short	Net
> AUD 1 Billion	58.2%	-7.0%	51.2%
AUD 500 Mill - AUD 1 Billion	19.6%	-1.2%	18.4%
AUD 250 Mill - AUD 500 Mill	0.6%		0.6%
AUD 100 Mill - AUD 250 Mill	1.3%		1.3%
0 - AUD 100 Mill *	3.4%		3.4%
	83.1%	-8.2%	74.9%

<sup>\*</sup> Includes a pre-IPO investment in the Materials sector

**Net Cash Holdings and Tax Asset** 

#### **News**

On the 5<sup>th</sup> March the Company updated shareholders on its investment in DeepGreen Metals via an ASX announcement. DeepGreen Metals announced that it intends to list through a merger with Sustainable Opportunities Acquisition Corporation (NYSE Code: SOAC). The combined company will be renamed The Metals Company and is expected to begin trading under the NYSE ticker code TMC.

The DeepGreen Metals investment is approximately 2.8% of the portfolio and is valued at the weighted average cost of the most recent purchases made in FY2020. The proposed listing is at a valuation substantially higher than our current valuation. The transaction reflects a pro forma equity value for The Metals Company (TMC) of approximately US\$2.9 billion and enterprise value of US\$2.4 billion. The recent raising of US\$330 million was completed at a price of US\$10 per share. Our investment is currently valued at US\$1.38 per share. Upon listing this would equate to a substantial uplift in Pre and Post Tax NTA for CDM shares. This transaction is subject to shareholder and court approvals. Once the TMC shares are listed and trading freely we will value this investment at market price.

Importantly, the Company's weekly and monthly NTA announcements will not include the full value accretion of the DeepGreen transaction until the proposed TMC listing.

A summary of the proposed merger transaction is available on both the <u>DeepGreen Metals company website</u> or on the <u>SEC website</u>. We will keep shareholders informed of the progress of this listing through ASX announcements and monthly newsletter announcements.

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