

# Maple-Brown Abbott Australian Share Fund Wholesale

Monthly Factsheet - 30 April 2024

### **Fund facts**

\$272 million
31 May 1998
ADV0046AU
Quarterly
0.80% p.a.
\$100,000
\$10,000
0.19%/0.19%
\$0.9658
\$0.9622

### **Fund snapshot**

#### Objective

The Fund aims to outperform the S&P/ASX 200 Total Return Index (Benchmark), after fees, over a four-year period.

#### **Asset allocation ranges**

Australian equities	85-100%
Cash	0-15%

# Investment philosophy

Value, active, bottom up

# Portfolio manager

Dougal Maple-Brown

## **Overview**

The Maple-Brown Abbott Australian Share Fund – Wholesale (the "Fund") is invested in companies listed (or expected to be listed) on an Australian securities exchange and is actively managed. Our value-based investment philosophy underlies our approach to stock selection, driven by our bottom-up research process designed to maximise the opportunities to deliver income and long-term capital growth to our clients. We use several valuation screens to rank our investment universe and generate stock ideas. Our experienced team then undertakes detailed quantitative and qualitative analysis to identify companies that are trading at a discount to our assessment of their underlying value. The Fund provides exposure to a diversified portfolio of our highest conviction opportunities which we expect to deliver strong risk-adjusted returns over the long-term. We aim to invest across a broad universe of Australian companies and will typically hold 25–40 stocks.

## Performance (%)<sup>2</sup>

	Fund <sup>3</sup>	Benchmark <sup>4</sup>
1 month	-1.9	-2.9
3 months	3.5	1.0
1 year	9.0	9.1
3 years p.a.	10.3	7.3
4 years p.a.	15.8	12.7
5 years p.a.	7.8	8.0
Since inception p.a.	8.2	8.5

# Value of \$100 invested at inception



## Top 5 holdings (%)

	Weighting
ANZ Group Holdings Ltd	7.7
Westpac Banking Corp	7.4
BHP Group Ltd	6.9
National Australia Bank Ltd	5.5
Woodside Energy Group Ltd	4.4

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## Notes

- 1 Additional fees and costs may also apply in relation to an investment in the Fund. For a full description of the fees and costs refer to the Fund Product Disclosure Statement ("PDS") and Additional Information Booklet ("AlB") for the Fund.
- 2 Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Source: Maple-Brown Abbott Ltd, S&P as at 30 April 2024.
- 3 The Fund's performance relates to wholesale investors only. If you are a retail investor, you can obtain up to date returns at maple-brownabbott.com. Total return is based on the movement in withdrawal price per unit plus distributions and is before tax and after all fees and charges. Imputation credits.
- 4 Benchmark: S&P/ASX 200 Total Return Index

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Fund sector weight (%)

## Portfolio characteristics 5

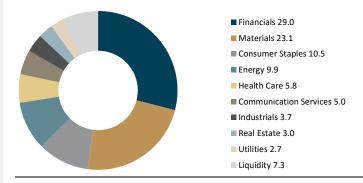
	Fund	Market overall <sup>6</sup>
Price: Earnings ratio	14.9	17.3
Price: Cash flow ratio	9.4	11.6
Price: Net tangible assets ratio	2.0	2.6
Grossed up dividend yield %	6.3	5.0
Balance sheet strength <sup>7</sup>	0.22	0.35
Growth in earnings per share % 8	5.4	4.7

#### **Risk measures**

	Fund	Benchmark
Monthly volatility % p.a. 9	12.8	13.3
Tracking error (ex-ante) 10	6.0	
Beta vs Benchmark 10	0.8	

### Annual distributions

	Cents	Distribution
_ <u></u>	per unit	return %
30 June 2023	5.6489	6.8
30 June 2022	10.2082	10.7
30 June 2021	7.3634	10.2
30 June 2020	6.5700	6.1
30 June 2019	13.4108	13.3



## For latest Fund commentary click here.

#### Notes:

- 5 The portfolio characteristics are based on the underlying securities held within the fund/market overall. The figures shown for the fund are our own estimates for the next 12 months having regard to available information on the underlying companies as at 30 April 2024 and are subject to change without notice. The market overall is an estimate for the next 12 months based on estimates from UBS, Macquarie and Maple-Brown Abbott. These figures are based on certain assumptions (including forecasting a company's earnings, profit, cash flows, balance sheet, estimating payout ratio and franking levels) which may be inaccurate or impacted by unknown risks. Actual outcomes may vary in a materially positive or negative manner.
- 6 The market overall data represents our quantitative data which includes 98.5% of the index weight of the stocks in the benchmark, plus non-benchmark stocks.
- 7 Balance sheet strength is calculated as cash flow/total liabilities. Refer footnote 5 for further detail.
- 8 This number is a 4 year estimate. The figures shown for the fund are our own estimates having regard to available information on the underlying companies as at 30 April 2024 and are subject to change without notice. The market overall is an estimate based on estimates from UBS, Macquarie and Maple-Brown Abbott.
- 9 Volatility is at since inception 31 May 1998. The volatility is calculated for both the fund and benchmark. Volatility calculation is annualised and is the standard deviation of monthly returns.
- 10 Source: UBS as at 30 April 2024.



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