

# RECM GLOBAL FUND (Class A)

Period ended 30 November 2014

# RECM

The RECM Global Fund is a US dollar denominated global fund that may invest in a wide array of assets without any restrictions. The Fund's aim is to generate returns significantly greater than US inflation and commensurate with equities over the long term. The Fund invests mainly in large global companies at a significant discount to intrinsic value, while using the flexibility of the mandate to protect capital and enhance returns by investing in other mispriced global assets from time to time. We consider risk as the possibility of losing money, not in terms of volatility. Our main risk management tool is our investment philosophy. As value investors, we aim to buy and hold good quality companies and do so with a margin of safety. Our ability to move between asset classes assists in reducing the risk in the fund. The Offering Memorandum is available at [www.recm.co.za](http://www.recm.co.za).

Portfolio Managers	Daniel Malan, Wilhelm Hertzog, Paul Whitburn
ASISA Sector	Global Multi Asset Flexible
Fund Currency	US dollars
Inception Date	31 March 2006
Total Fund Size	US \$518.1 million
Fund Size (Class A)	US \$234.6 million
Benchmark*	US CPI + 6% p.a.
Min. Investment	US \$50,000 initial investment
Initial Fee	No initial fee
Annual Fee	1.0% annual fee

Hurdle	US CPI + 8% p.a.
Performance Fee	20% above hurdle subject to high watermark since inception of the Fund
Pricing Frequency	Daily
Total Expense Ratio	1.08% for the period ending 30 September 2014
Income Declarations	None
Domicile	Guernsey
ISIN Code	GB00B12W4642
SEDOL Code	B12W464

## PORTFOLIO DETAIL

\*The Fund's benchmark is US CPI + 6% p.a. and the performance fee hurdle is US CPI + 8% p.a. Prior to 1 January 2014, the Fund's benchmark and performance fee hurdle was the MSCI World Index TR and the MSCI World Index TR + 2.5% respectively.

## FUND RISK PROFILE

LOW	LOW-MODERATE	MODERATE	MODERATE-HIGH	HIGH
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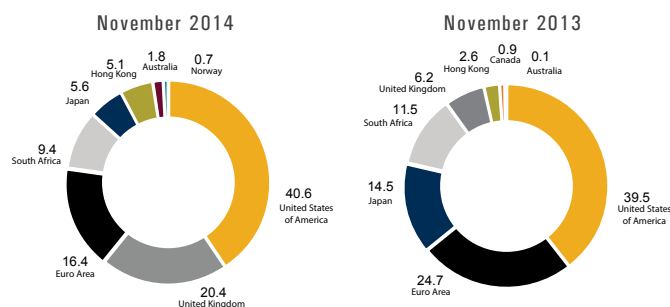
## TOP TEN HOLDINGS (%)

November 2014		November 2013	
Tesco Plc	5.1	Arcelormittal	5.5
Ichirizuka Master Fund	5.1	Ichirizuka Master Fund	5.3
Anglo Platinum Ltd	5.0	BP	4.6
Anglo American Plc	4.8	Ultra Petroleum Corp	4.2
Arcelormittal	4.7	Amplats	4.0
Ultra Petroleum Corp	4.6	Intel	3.9
BP Plc	4.5	Microsoft	3.8
Impala Platinum Holdings Ltd	3.8	Carrefour	3.1
Wm Morrison Supermarkets Plc	3.7	Impala Platinum Holdings Ltd	2.9
Inpex Corp	3.3	NTT Docomo	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>44.4</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>40.2</b>

## ASSET ALLOCATION (%)

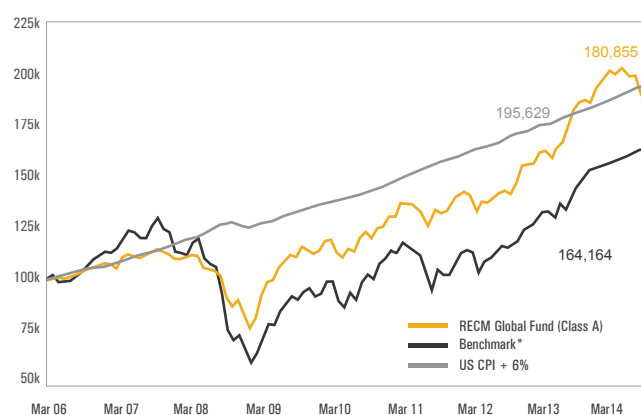
November 2014		November 2013	
Equity	75.0	Equity	78.5
Cash	24.3	Cash	19.9
Property	0.7	Property	1.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## GEOGRAPHICAL ALLOCATION (%)



## PERFORMANCE NET OF ALL FEES AND EXPENSES

### VALUE OF US \$100,000 INVESTED AT INCEPTION



## ANNUALISED RETURNS TO END NOVEMBER 2014

	Fund	Benchmark*	US CPI + 6%
1 Year	-3.4%	9.5%	7.7%
3 Years	10.9%	16.7%	7.6%
5 Years	9.2%	11.6%	7.9%
Since Inception	7.1%	5.9%	8.1%
Maximum Drawdown (Life of Fund)	-33.1%	-53.7%	0.0%

• Returns are in USD net of fees. Source: RECM Analyst, Bloomberg.

## INVESTMENT COMMENT

With the oil price having dropped to around US\$70 of late the whole energy complex has come under pressure, and understandably so. We believe this presents us with rich opportunities in these sectors. The energy stocks already in our portfolios (BP, Total, Ultra Petroleum and Inpex) have fared reasonably well considering the carnage in the oil & gas services and alternatives sectors. This makes sense for two reasons; one being that our stocks were cheap already, and the other being that primary oil & gas producers have evidenced their ability to manage their costs in relation to energy prices through their business cycles for decades. They are in fact remarkably stable businesses through the course of the full business cycle. In many cases in the oil & gas services sectors however, companies are now finding themselves in situations where they have a combination of significant excess supply, poor pricing, declining free cash flow and too much debt, with outcomes such as rights issues or outright bankruptcy a reasonable prospect. We apply the same filtering mechanism to the energy sector as we do to cyclical and resources. We look for the best companies in each energy sub-sector with sustainably low-cost resources, shareholders of reference, sensible management and readily realizable assets should they have debt.

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