

# **Gyrostat Risk Managed Australian Equity (Class C)**

Gyrostat Risk Managed Equity Fund ARSN 651 853 799

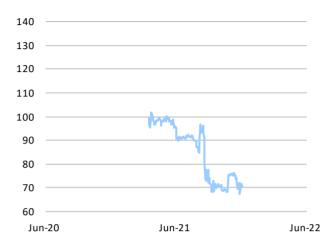
Gyrostat Risk Managed Equity Fund – Address uncertainty through portfolio construction - Volatility is our friend with a 10 year track record of returns increasing with market volatility (including large

Solutions for: - Retiree equity income (absolute return benchmarks) and Australian and international equities (vs index) with protection always in place against major market falls (sequencing).

Headquartered in Melbourne, Australia, Gyrostat are specialists in delivering diversified low and non correlated investment solutions which address sequencing and portfolio drawdown risk while delivering equity income (derived from dividend pass through and risk management overlay profits).

The Gyrostat Risk Managed Australian Equity Class C is designed to outperform the Morningstar® Australia Index™ over rolling 12 months by mitigating against large losses on major market falls (downside <u>protection always in place.</u>) An <u>Australian equities allocation</u> that 'spins out' the ASX200 State Street ETF with protection always with upside. The strategy builds on the class A track record exceeding ten years.

# Performance (Growth of AUD \$100,000)



Net Investment Performance %							
	1M	3M	6M	1YR	3YR (PA)	5YR (PA)	SI
Risk Managed Australian Equity Class C	-6.73	-5.25	-23.73				-27.46
Morningstar® Australia Index™	2.79	2.42	4.00				8.64
Excess Returns	-9.52	-7.67	-27.73				-36.10

<sup>\*</sup> Returns are net of fees and include franking credits. Redemption value is reported NAV less sell spread of -0.15%.

	Class Facts
Eligibility	Investors who qualify as 'Wholesale Clients'
Responsible Entity	Columbus Investment Services Ltd
Investment Manager	Gyrostat Capital Management Advisers Pty Ltd
Sales & Marketing Manager	Mantis Funds Pty Ltd
Fund Inception date	16 April 2021
Strategy Inception date	16 April 2021
APIR	CIS2863AU
Base currency	Australian dollars
Management fee	1.0% of NAV
Performance fee	15% over Hurdle
Investment minimum	AUD 5,000
Buy/sell spread	0.15%
Liquidity	Daily
Benchmark	Morningstar® Australia Index™
Platforms	Mason Stevens, Netwealth, Powerwrap
Distribution frequency	Quarterly

Return Analytics			
Monthly Volatility	5.74%		
Sharpe Ratio	-2.02		
Drawdown	-27.46%		
Sortino Ratio	-1.91		
Leverage *	38%		

<sup>\*</sup> Ratio defined as margin debt/net assets

Portfolio Analytics			
Number of Stocks	2		
Average Positive Months	3.83%		
Average Negative Months	-5.40%		
Beta (ASX200)	0.81		
% of Positive Months	22		

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### **Market Commentary**

MONTHLY UPDATE FUND OVERVIEW

The Class C NAV at 31 December 2021 was \$0.7004.

The Class commenced operations on 16 April 2021. The Australian market traded in a range of +4.0% during December (high 7513 on 30 December, low 7225 on 2 December). Our investment strategy is designed for returns to increase the larger the market range (in either trending, falling, or rising markets)

Market volatility saw significant declines in December (as measured by the VIX and Australia-VIX). VIX high 31.1 on 1 December, low 16.9 on 29 December. This was a major contributor to monthly losses.

The investment strategy is designed to mitigate against large losses on major market falls (downside protection always in place) and address sequencing risk, particularly for pre and post retiree investors, and is part of an "Australian equities" portfolio allocation.

Gyrostat Risk Managed Australia Equity Class C buys and holds State Street ETF with lowest cost XJO Australian index protection always in place and dynamically managed with market movements.

Investment operations have been refined to include specific stocks as opportunities arise. FMG has become increasingly attractive to allocate capital with a fully franked dividend income the highest within our investment universe. Commodity stocks are typically more volatility favouring our approach to elevate returns. During December FMG protection costs fell significantly.

**Purpose:** A risk managed Australian ETF as part of the 'Australian equity' component of a portfolio to de-risk portfolio structure.

#### **Investment Objectives:**

Returns: To exceed the benchmark index over rolling 12 months

Income: To match the benchmark index

**Protection**: Always in place to mitigate losses against large market falls to address sequencing risk

The strategy could be described as a Risk Managed Australian Equities ETF, holding the ASX200 State Street ETF, and component stocks with a risk management overlay. Leverage can also be added up to 100% of class assets.

- It provides liquidity (ASX200 State Street ETF and XJO Australian index exchange traded options for risk management overlay)
- It provides a stable and reliable source of income (from dividends, franking credits, and risk management overlay)
- · It provides an opportunity to address sequencing risk

Contributors to Return (%)			
TOP GAINS	TOP LOSSES		
	FMG	-3.55	
	STW	-3.01	

Team Members Experience			
INVESTMENT TEAM	GYROSTAT	INDUSTRY	
Craig Racine Chief Investment Officer	11	30	
Leo Tang Senior Investment Officer	7	30	
BUSINESS TEAM			
David Barwise Director	4	30	
Damien Hatfield Head of Distribution	1	40+	
Andrew Smith Compliance and Risk	8	30+	
Peter Clifton Chairman	8	30+	
Peter Keating	1	30+	

Top Holdings			
HOLDING	%		
FMG	52.8		
STW	47.2		

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