## **Investment Update & Net Tangible Assets Report**

AS AT 31 JANUARY 2014



#### **Performance**

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Outperformance	+2.8%	+4.5%	+2.8%	+6.1%	+6.3%	+8.1%	+4.3%	+9.9%
S&P/ASX All Ordinaries Accumulation Index	-2.8%	5.6%	11.4%	10.7%	7.0%	13.2%	9.2%	8.3%
WAM Investment Portfolio*	0.0%	10.1%	14.2%	16.8%	13.3%	21.3%	13.5%	18.2%
Performance at 31 January 2014	1 Mth	6 Mths	Fin YTD	1 Yr	3 Yrs %pa	5 Yrs %pa	10 Yrs %pa	Since Inception %pa (Aug-99)

Investment performance and Index returns are before expenses, fees and taxes.

## **Net Tangible Assets (NTA) figures**

NTA before tax	178.48c
NTA after tax and before tax on unrealised gains	180.80c
NTA after tax	175.44c <sup>*</sup>

Includes 3.3 cents of tax assets resulting from the merger with Premium Investors.

#### Market overview

Australia's equity market had a negative start to the new calendar year with the S&P/ASX All Ordinaries Accumulation Index ('Index') falling 2.9% dragged lower by a range of factors including a series of company downgrades, the wind-down of the United States' Quantitative Easing ('QE') program, slower than expected growth in China and the spread of the so-called emerging markets crisis.

To date, volatility has characterised equity markets in February with the Index up 2.3% after dropping almost 2.0% in the first two sessions of the month. The interim reporting season is now underway with company results so far mixed. Our expectation over the coming weeks is for generally reasonable profit announcements with many companies reporting a second half skew to their earnings. Over coming weeks, we will be closely monitoring companies' ability to achieve earnings growth which, in our view, will be key to the Australian market edging higher.

In the medium to longer term, we have a bullish view of the equity market contingent on an increase in economic activity driven by record low interest rates. In the immediate term, we continue to have a cautious view of equities and our outlook for global and local sharemarkets remains subdued. We anticipate flat performances this calendar year with the majority of the economic recovery already priced in to current stock values. Despite this, we are confident that prevailing market conditions will continue to give rise to a range of opportunities and, with a strong cash weighting, the investment portfolio is well positioned to seize on these opportunities.

#### **WAM Capital Limited**

ASX Code	WAM
Listed	Aug 1999
Gross assets	\$603.9m
Market cap	\$659.9m
Share price	\$1.965
NTA before tax	\$1.78
Shares on issue	335,818,987
Fully franked annualised interim dividend (FY2014)	13.0c
Dividend yield	6.6%

#### **Investment objectives**

- Deliver investors a rising stream of fully franked dividends
- Provide capital growth
- Preserve capital

#### **Company overview**

WAM Capital Limited (ASX: WAM), one of Australia's leading Listed Investment Companies, is managed by Wilson Asset Management. Listed in August 1999, WAM provides investors with exposure to an actively managed diversified portfolio of undervalued growth companies, which are generally small-to-medium sized industrial companies listed on the Australian Securities Exchange. WAM also provides exposure to relative value arbitrages and market mispricing opportunities.

#### **Investment & Management Team**

#### **Geoff Wilson**

Chairman/Portfolio Manager

#### **Kate Thorley**

Chief Executive Officer/ Company Secretary

#### **Chris Stott**

Chief Investment Officer/ Portfolio Manager

#### **Martin Hickson**

Senior Equity Analyst/Dealer

#### **Matthew Haupt**

**Equity Analyst** 

#### **Mark Tobin**

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#### **Meredith Hemsley**

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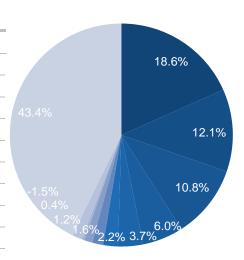
### **Diversified portfolio**

	Decemb	ber 2013	January 2014		
Investment Type	\$m	%	\$m	%	
Listed Equities	363.8	59.8	347.1	56.6	
Fixed Interest & Cash	244.4	40.2	265.8	43.4	
Long Portfolio	608.2	100.0%	612.9	100.0%	
Short Portfolio	(3.4)	(0.6)	(9.0)	(1.5)	
Gross Assets	\$604.8m		\$603.9m		
Total shares on issue	335,818,987		335,818,987		

### **Top holdings**

#### Code Company Market Value as % Gross Assets Aveo Group Limited (formerly FKP Property Group) AOG 3.5% CYA Century Australia Investments Limited 2.1% SGH Slater & Gordon Limited 1.7% AHE Automotive Holdings Group Limited 1.6% WIC Westoz Investment Company Limited 1.5% NEA Nearmap Limited 1.5% HIL Hills Holdings Limited 1.4% **IPE** ING Private Equity Access Limited 1.4% ELI **Emerging Leaders Investments Limited** 1.3% CSR **CSR Limited** 1.3% BKW **Brickworks Limited** 1.3% SGN STW Communications Group Limited 1.3% NXT **NEXTDC Limited** 1.2% CYG Coventry Group Limited 1.1% MQA Macquarie Atlas Roads Group 1.1% GWA **GWA Group Limited** 1.1% IPP iProperty Group Limited 1.1% DJS **David Jones Limited** 1.1% CSV **CSG Limited** 1.1% FXJ Fairfax Media Limited 1.1%

### **Sector allocation**



■ Financials: 18.6%

■ Consumer Discretionary: 12.1%

■ Industrials: 10.8%

■ Information Technology: 6.0%

■ Materials: 3.7%

■ Telecommunication Services: 2.2%

■ Consumer Staples: 1.6%

■ Health Care: 1.2%

■ Energy: 0.4%

Short stock: -1.5%

Cash and Fixed Interest: 43.4%

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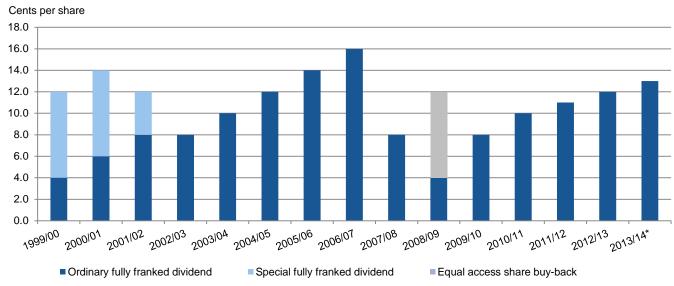
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### **Dividend growth**

The Board is committed to paying an increasing stream of fully franked dividends to shareholders, provided the Company has sufficient profit reserves and franking credits, and it is within prudent business practices. Dividends are paid on a six-monthly basis and the dividend reinvestment plan is available to shareholders for both the interim and final dividend.

### WAM Capital dividends since inception



<sup>\*</sup>Annualised interim dividend

On 28 January 2014, the Company announced a fully franked interim dividend of 6.5 cents per share. This is an increase of 8.3% on the previous corresponding period and represents an annualised fully franked dividend yield of 6.3%, based on the last closing price. The interim dividend will be paid on 31 March 2014 and will trade ex on 18 March 2014.

The Dividend Reinvestment Plan ('DRP') will operate at a 2.5% discount. To participate in the DRP, shareholders should send their election to the Company's share registrar (Boardroom) no later than 24 March 2014.

### Key dividend dates

Ex date: 18 March 2014
Record date: 24 March 2014
Last election date for the DRP: 24 March 2014
Payment date: 31 March 2014