

# WaveStone Australian Share Fund Quarterly Fund Report - December 2023

### Portfolio returns

The Fund delivered a total return of 8.1% for the December quarter after all fees and expenses. The S&P/ASX 300 Accumulation Index returned 8.4% over the same period.

Performance	Quarter %	FYTD %	1 year %	3 years % p.a	5 years % p.a	7 years % p.a	Inception % p.a <sup>1</sup>
Fund return (net of fees)	8.1	7.0	13.2	10.2	10.8	9.7	9.8
S&P/ASX 300 Accumulation Index	8.4	7.5	12.1	9.0	10.3	8.5	8.3
Active return <sup>2</sup>	-0.3	-0.5	1.1	1.2	0.5	1.2	1.4

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. Numbers may not add due to rounding. Data source: Fidante Partners, 31 December 2023.

<sup>1</sup>The Fund's inception date is 01 February 2014.

<sup>2</sup>After all fees and expenses and assumes all distributions are reinvested.

## Fund Facts as at 31 December 2023

APIR Code	HOW0020AU
Inception date	01 February 2014
Management fee + (Performance Fee)	0.97% p.a. of the net asset value of the Fund + (Nil)
Buy/sell spread	+0.20% / -0.20%
Fund size	\$601.8M
Exit price	\$2.7201 (ex-distribution)
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#### **Fund features**

Quality companies at a reasonable price: access to attractively priced quality Australian listed companies expected to grow earnings faster than the market in the medium term.

**Experienced investment professionals:** access to experienced investment professionals who specialise in Australian equities.

**Proprietary research model:** WaveStone undertake significant proprietary research to identify quality businesses that display sustainable competitive advantage.

**Capture growth:** access to a portfolio that has the potential to provide long-term capital growth.

**Tax benefits:** aims to deliver low fund turnover and pass through tax benefits (franking credits) to its investors.

Asset allocation	Actual %	Range %
Security	94.79	90-100
Cash	5.21	0-10

## Growth of \$10,000



Past Performance is not indicative of future performance. The Fund changed investment manager on 1 February 2014, at which time Wavestone Capital commenced managing the Fund. The transition was completed on 31 January 2014. Therefore, the inception date for the Fund returns shown above is 1 February 2014. For performance relating to previous periods please contact the Fidante Partners Investor Services team on 13 51 53 (during Sydney business hours).

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